

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING  
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3274  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21<sup>ST</sup> MARCH 2023

**PROTECTION AND PROMOTION OF INDIGENOUS  
SPECIES OF COWS**

3274. SHRIMATI POONAMBEN MAADAM:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING  
मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री  
be pleased to state:

- (a) the progress made under the Rashtriya Gokul Mission for the protection and promotion of indigenous species of cows during the last three years;
- (b) the details of funds allocated and spent under this mission during the last three years in Gujarat;
- (c) the percentage increase/decrease in the number of indigenous breeds of cattle since the introduction of the mission;
- (d) the percentage increase/decrease in the population of milch cows since the introduction of the mission; and
- (e) whether the Government is planning to increase the number of Gokul Grams and Integrated Indigenous Cattle Development Centres in the coming time and if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING  
(SHRI PARSHOTTAM RUPALA)**

- (a) The progress made under the Rashtriya Gokul Mission for promotion of indigenous breeds of cows during the last three years is given at Annexure-I.
- (b) The details of the funds released to Gujarat during the last three years and current year is as under:

(Rs in Lakh)

2019-20	Utilized	2020-21	Utilized	2021-22	Utilized	2022-23	Utilized
942.80*	942.80*	101.25*	101.25*	2735.3111*	2695.3111	2222.82*	0.00

\*Funds released to all Implementing Agencies in Gujarat

- (c) &(d) As per Breed wise reports of cattle and poultry based on 20<sup>th</sup> Livestock Census 2019 population of indigenous breeds of cattle has increased by 10.44% between 2013 and 2019 whereas Milch cattle population has increased by 10.42% between Livestock Census 2012 and 2019.

- (e) Under Rashtriya Gokul Mission, funds has been released for setting up of 16 “Gokul Grams” with the aim of conservation and development of indigenous bovine breeds in a scientific and holistic manner. The component is discontinued under revised and realigned Rashtriya Gokul Mission from 2021-22 to 2025-26.

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## State wise achievements made under Rashtriya Gokul Mission for Development and conservation of Indigenous breeds

SN	Name of State	Pedigree Selection Programme	Progeny Testing	IVF Labs	Nationwide AI Programme			
					No of Districts	Animal Covered	AI done	Farmers benefitted
1	Andhra Pradesh	-	1	2	26	3176114	4510491	1793624
2	Arunachal Pradesh	-		-	14	3071	3192	1460
3	Assam	-		-	33	887071	1013217	757031
4	Bihar	-		2	38	1859764	2147861	1487607
5	Chhattisgarh	-		1	27	1180247	1351182	756025
6	Goa	-		-	2	18942	29089	6870
7	Gujarat	2	6	3	21	2609941	3353548	1844381
8	Haryana	1	1	1	5	427676	499050	305936
9	Himachal Pradesh	-		1	12	1197727	1578179	932982
10	Jammu & Kashmir	-		-	20	1620753	2187329	1111639
11	Ladakh				2	4688	5148	3887
12	Jharkhand	-		-	24	1493182	1660769	1128015
13	Karnataka	-		1	17	2561147	3395501	1803732
14	Kerala	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
15	Madhya Pradesh	-		2	51	5396952	6063359	3395477
16	Maharashtra	1		3	33	3149184	3556949	2162114
17	Manipur	-		-	9	20042	21239	10751
18	Meghalaya	-		-	11	39414	51475	13695
19	Mizoram	-		-	8	6978	8732	3462
20	Nagaland	-		-	11	28610	31223	11508
21	Odisha	-		2	30	3624732	4475286	2365955
22	Punjab	1	2	2	-	1131408	1562061	598000
23	Rajasthan	2	1	1	33	3285523	3836971	2461632
24	Sikkim	-		-	4	27645	30506	20567
25	Tamil Nadu	-	1	3	13	2466988	3640756	1305454
26	Telangana	-		1	32	2379468	2733229	1273862
27	Tripura	-		-	8	150102	173092	126386
28	Uttar Pradesh	-		4	75	6801209	8387906	4272134
29	Uttarakhand	-		1	13	987874	1297628	738333
30	West Bengal	-		1	20	2054698	2341584	1634581
	<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>592</b>	<b>48591151</b>	<b>59946552</b>	<b>32327100</b>

IVF = In vitro fertilization; NAIP = Nationwide Artificial Insemination programme