

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO 624
TO BE ANSWERED ON 6TH FEBRUARY 2024

COMPENSATION TO DAIRY FARMERS

624. SHRI RAJMOHAN UNNITHAN:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government offer compensation to dairy farmers for milk production in the country, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the total milk production, categorized in the Country, State-wise;
- (c) the total number of quantity of milk imported from outside India and the manner in which it contribute to the overall dairy supply in the country;
- (d) the details of specific steps taken by the Government to increase milk production in the Country;
- (e) the details of the schemes run by the National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) aimed at supporting dairy farmers;
- (f) whether NABARD stopped the implementation of schemes beneficial for dairy farmers; and
- (g) if so, the details regarding the schemes affected along with the reasons for their suspension?

ANSWER

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

- (a) The Department of Animal Husbandry & Dairying is not implementing any scheme under which compensation for the milk production is being offered. However Department is supplementing the efforts of the state government for milk production and implement various schemes to enhance milk production and productivity of bovines to meet the growing demand for milk and making dairying more remunerative to the rural farmers of the country.
- (b) Total milk production in the country as per Basic Animal Husbandry Statistics, 2023, is estimated as 230.58 Million tonnes in year 2022-23. However, the estimated categorized contribution of Cows is 119.68 Million tonnes, Buffaloes contribute 103.30 Million tonnes and

Goat contributes 7.6 Million tonnes in total milk production in year 2022-23. State-wise milk production in the country is placed at **Annexure-I**.

- (c) India is self-sufficient in meeting the demand of milk and milk products in the country. The import of milk and milk product is miniscule (0.03% of the total milk production) and does not contribute to the dairy supply in the country. Details of imports during April-Nov 2023 is provided below:

Import of Milk products (metric Tonnes)		
HS Code	Product Category	April-November (Cum)
		2023-24
0401	Milk & Cream	450
0402	Milk Powders	915
0403	Yogurt & Butter Milk	801
0404	Whey & its products	16,044
0405	Butter & Ghee	157
0406	Cheese	1,432
<i>Source: DGCIS, Kolkata</i>		

- (d) The Government of India is implementing the following scheme to increase milk production in the country are:
1. National Programme for Dairy Development (NPDD)
 2. Rashtriya Gokul Mission (RGM)
 3. National Livestock Mission (NLM)
 4. National Animal Disease Control Programme (NADCP)
 5. National Digital Livestock Mission and Bharat Pashudhan Applications
- (e) to (g) This Department has implemented the following scheme through National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD):
1. Dairy Entrepreneurship Development Scheme (DEDS) was implemented from 1st September 2010 to 2019-20. Under DEDS, 421158 number of beneficiaries have been assisted with subsidy amount of Rs.1892.29 crore.
 2. Dairying Processing and Infrastructure Development Fund (DIDF) implemented from 2017-18 upto March 2023 with an outlay of the scheme is Rs.11184 crore for loan on eligible components by National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) through National Dairy Development Board (NDDB)/ National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC). Besides NABARD, NDDB was also allowed to provide loan directly to the cooperatives and milk producer companies from its own resources. As on 31.12.2023, 37 project in 12 States with total outlay of Rs.6776.87 crore and loan component of Rs. 4575.71 crore have been sanctioned. Out of the sanctioned loan amount, Rs. 2818.65 crore has been disbursed to the borrowers. Now, DIDF has been subsumed with Animal Husbandry and Infrastructure Development Fund (AHIDF).

Annexure-I

Estimates of State-wise Milk Production during (2020-21 to 2022-23)				
S. No.	States/UTs	Milk (000 Tonnes)		
		2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
1	Andhra Pradesh	14713.84	15403.08	15448.42
2	Arunachal Pradesh	43.89	46.01	45.54
3	Assam	954.07	982.02	1006.42
4	Bihar	11501.58	12252.53	12502.70
5	Chhattisgarh	1747.28	1848.35	1955.51
6	Goa	60.14	63.21	64.18
7	Gujarat	15852.69	16722.11	17280.57
8	Haryana	11283.55	11629.52	11965.79
9	Himachal Pradesh	1576.44	1615.29	1617.41
10	Jammu & Kashmir	2594.50	2726.79	2817.31
11	Jharkhand	2434.02	2629.37	2774.09
12	Karnataka	10936.44	11795.79	12829.29
13	Kerala	2533.88	2532.46	2579.76
14	Madhya Pradesh	17999.30	19004.25	20122.43
15	Maharashtra	13703.32	14304.51	15041.86
16	Manipur	71.05	75.55	71.87
17	Meghalaya	89.14	90.23	93.51
18	Mizoram	25.38	24.59	24.48
19	Nagaland	55.93	61.07	49.57
20	Odisha	2372.81	2402.06	2476.42
21	Punjab	13393.99	14076.76	14301.45
22	Rajasthan	30723.11	33264.70	33306.80
23	Sikkim	73.85	86.52	86.53
24	Tamil Nadu	9790.36	10107.43	10316.75
25	Telangana	5765.21	5807.78	5854.96
26	Tripura	206.17	216.96	230.12
27	Uttar Pradesh	31359.10	33873.61	36241.74
28	Uttarakhand	1797.45	1856.27	1858.55
29	West Bengal	6164.82	6414.48	6969.40
30	A&N Islands	14.67	16.78	17.20
31	Chandigarh	52.30	57.07	56.19
32	Ladakh	14.88	29.37	30.60
33	Daman & Diu & D & N Haveli	1.40	1.66	1.80
34	Delhi	-	-	487.74
35	Lakshadweep	3.81	0.42	0.41
36	Puducherry	49.50	49.97	49.65
All India		209959.88	222068.56	230577.03