

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Rajasthan	3.40	2.51	1.92	9.00	3.36	2.77	11.85	4.81	4.13
Haryana	1.00	3.44	2.67	6.00	1.76	0.93	5.00	1.65	1.21
Punjab	6.00	5.26	2.56	5.50	3.20	1.20	5.50	2.32	0.37
Himachal Pradesh	2.60	0.00	0.00	2.55	2.66	2.58	2.60	0.08	0.07
Uttar Pradesh	50.00	50.39	27.59	50.00	55.36	38.54	50.00	42.29	24.69
Uttarakhand	2.00	0.05	0.00	10.00	4.61	4.39	10.00	0.22	0.16
Bihar	15.00	15.71	10.10	25.00	33.82	25.43	42.50	26.63	18.93
Jharkhand	1.00	3.29	3.28	3.00	8.43	8.18	4.50	4.39	4.37
Orissa	6.70	14.16	3.55	17.60	33.33	17.13	35.30	49.59	22.39
West Bengal	21.05	76.47	65.33	22.60	56.00	47.40	32.00	46.23	41.43
Assam	0.50	2.57	0.00	0.72	0.00	0.00	1.16	0.00	0.00
ALL INDIA	445.58	627.44	439.30	606.01	788.42	594.72	812.28	745.67	571.06

#### Availability of fertilizers

†1534. SHRI RAGHUNANDAN SHARMA: Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILISERS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government would approve the rack point as per demand;
- (b) if so, by when the decision is likely to be taken on this;
- (c) the arrangement made by Government in this regard because as per demand of the Madhya Pradesh adequate racks are not available for transportation of fertilisers;
- (d) whether Government is making arrangement to provide phosphorus fertilizers especially DAP as per month-wise demand of Madhya Pradesh;
- (e) whether proper arrangement has been made by Government for timely import of DAP; and
- (f) in addition to phosphorus fertilizers, adequate quantity of urea is not being supplied to the State under ECA, and whether ECA would be raised?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI SRIKANT JENA): (a) and (b) Decision to develop and notify a particular station as a rake point is taken on the basis of traffic potential, operational feasibility and availability of funds.

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

(c) Supply of rakes for transportation of fertilizers are made as per indents placed at originating stations/loading points.

(d) to (f) DAP is a decontrolled fertilizer, its availability is decided by the market forces of demand and supply. The State Government has to tie up with different manufacturers/suppliers for supply to the State. No allocation of DAP are decided by the Government of India. Department of Fertilizers has been regularly monitoring the availability of all major fertilizers like Urea, DAP, MOP and Complex fertilizers.

The availability of DAP in Madhya Pradesh has been much higher than the assessed requirement during current Kharif 09 season (April to July, 2009) as under:

(in 000\* MT)

Month	Requirement	Availability	Sales
April, 2009	31.50	67.15	44.78
May, 2009	139.50	147.06	64.26
June, 2009	112.50	212.57	144.16
July, 2009	58.50	102.25*	66.90

The availability of Urea in Madhya Pradesh is over and above the assessed requirement during current Kharif 09 season (April to July, 2009) as under:

(in 000\* MT)

Month	Requirement	Availability	Sales
April, 2009	26.00	75.16	15.85
May, 2009	71.50	124.10	36.98
June, 2009	136.50	185.49	103.72
July, 2009	208.00	141.68*	19.89

\*Availability of DAP & Urea is upto 15th July, 2009.

Department of Fertilizers will ensure availability of DAP & Urea as per requirement in the entire Kharif 09 season.

#### Proposals from Government of Andhra Pradesh

1535. SHRI NANDI YELLAIAH: Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of proposals received from the Government of Andhra Pradesh in his Ministry during the last two years and till date during this year;

(b) the status of each of these proposals showing the proposals given clearance alongwith those which are pending for clearance;