80	Written Answers to	[RAJYA SABHA]			Unstarred Questions		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
3	Bihar	3.3	5.4	7.2	3.9	19.8	
4	Chhattisgarh	8.5	0.0	2.4	33.8	44.7	
5	Gujarat	139.0	1091.3	14.0	38.0	1282.3	
6	Haryana	36.0	1185.0	0.0	0.0	1221.0	
7	Jharkhand	0.1	0.0	4.7	12.0	16.8	
8	Karnataka	1467.0	334.0	1588.0	12.3	3401.3	
9	Madhya Pradesh	616.0	308.0	0.1	88.0	1012.1	
10	Maharashtra	3452.0	1123.0	117.0	28.6	4720.6	
11	Odisha	5.4	2.1	46.9	7.3	61.7	
12	Rajasthan	508.9	4566.6	0.0	9.3	5084.8	
13	Tamil Nadu	247.0	77.4	171.1	33.5	529.0	
14	Uttar Pradesh	207.0	1557.0	0.0	6.0	1770.0	
15	Uttarakhand	0.0	0.0	170.5	91.8	262.3	
16	West Bengal	0.0	0.0	13.8	1.5	15.3	
17	Others	4.9	19.1	7.8	27.1	58.9	
18	All India	7003.1	10369.9	2193.5	442.1	20008.6	

## Setting up of more KVKs in Andhra Pradesh

3881. DR. K. V. P. RAMACHANDRA RAO: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of Krishi Vigyan Kendras (KVKs) functioning in the country;
- (b) whether Government proposes to set up more KVKs in Andhra Pradesh; and
  - (c) if so, the details thereof?

Unstarred Questions

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HARISH RAWAT): (a) The total number of Krishi Vigyan Kendras (KVKs) functioning in the country is 630.

- No, Sir. (b)
- (c) Does not arise.

## Reduction in production in Jharkhand

3882. SHRI PARIMAL NATHWANI: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- the area on which sowing has taken place in Jharkhand in the year (a) 2011;
  - how it compares with the area during the last four years; (b)
  - (c) whether low sowing will affect the foodgrain production in the State;
  - if so, the magnitude of this reduction in the production; and (d)
  - the details of alternative arrangement made to meet this shortfall? (e)

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HARISH RAWAT): (a) and (b) Comparative position of area coverage under major foodgrains crops in Jharkhand during the last four years and the current year, i.e 2007-08 to 2011-12 is as under:

Area (000 Hectares)

Crops	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12*
Rice	1653.7	1683.6	995.0	720.3	1692.9
Wheat	86.3	99.6	99.7	96.4	169.4
Coarse Cereals	286.4	263.7	208.0	249.8	260.0
Pulses	410.0	387.6	332.7	426.2	540.8
Food grains	2436.4	2434.8	1635.3	1492.8	2663.2
Oilseeds	124.4	130.6	141.5	182.0	259.3
Sugarcane	6.0	5.7	6.5	6.6	6.6

<sup>\*3</sup>rd Advance Estimates release on 23.04.2012.