

states to ensure timely availability of quality seed to the farmets. Breeder seed production has increased from 327 quintals in 2012-13 to 1947 quintals in 2013-14. Further, Indian Agricultural Research Institute has developed MoUs with 36 seed companies/seed growers to supplement seed production of HD-2967.

Development of fisheries

629. SHRIMATI THOTA SEETHARAMA LAKSHMI : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) the details of the ongoing schemes for development of fisheries in the country, particularly in Andhra Pradesh;

(b) the amount sanctioned and released during the last three years and the current year for development of this sector, Statewise; and

(c) the steps taken by Government for promoting export of aqua products in the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR. SANJEEV KUMAR BALYAN) : (a) and (b) The Department is implementing the following Centrally Sponsored and Central Sector Schemes for Development of fisheries in the country including Andhra Pradesh.

- (i) Centrally Sponsored Scheme on “Development of Inland Fisheries and Aquaculture”.
- (ii) Centrally Sponsored Scheme on “Development of Marine Fisheries, Infrastructure and Post Harvest Operations”.
- (iii) Central Sector Scheme on “Strengthening of Database and Geographical Information System (GIS) of the Fisheries Sector”.
- (iv) Central Sector Scheme on “National Scheme of Welfare of Fishermen”.
- (v) Central Sector Scheme on “National Fisheries Development Board (NFDB)”.

The above mentioned ongoing schemes are implemented through State Governments. The amount sanctioned and released during the last three years and the current year for development of this sector, statewise is given in Statement (*See below*).

(c) In addition to above schemes, the Government is also implementing a number of programs/schemes for promotion of exports of aqua products in the county such as assistance scheme for new farm development and hatcheries, assistance to fishermen for better preservation of catch, promotion of fishing of tuna and other under exploited resources, financial assistance for the construction of new tuna long liners, on-board and off-shore training on fishing, commercial development of ornamental fish.

Statement

Amount sanctioned and released during last three years and the current year for development of fisheries sector

(₹ in lakh)				
Name of the State	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15 (upto 24.11.2014)
1	2	3	4	5
Andhra Pradesh	1185.52	1111.09	1678.23	342.15
Arunachal Pradesh	201.03	185.28	127.89	88.33
Assam	544.09	111.76	922.52	308.82
Bihar	1069.30	80.11	1.00	239.55
Chhattisgarh	341.64	636.59	526.53	362.72
Goa	259.95	66.87	582.98	275.05
Gujarat	2064.41	499.44	277.24	108.05
Haryana	81.10	60.00	60.00	123.52
Himachal Pradesh	27.02	237.59	91.94	31.34
J&K	454.12	21.00	119.00	0.00
Jharkhand	437.62	313.11	554.81	106.40
Karnataka	1900.52	2050.70	1555.12	1112.51
Kerala	3579.43	5024.55	3917.68	2071.04
Madhya pradesh	764.47	502.18	428.34	320.24
Maharashtra	1842.44	2714.27	2658.13	1303.78
Manipur	137.07	513.06	553.43	39.76
Meghalaya	3.38	38.03	50.95	1.00
Mizoram	395.81	839.38	698.47	132.39
Sikkim	152.09	168.31	140.64	23.19
Nagaland	699.48	1245.07	2510.53	1172.08
Tripura	273.65	192.75	241.24	0.00
Odisha	1446.43	1742.43	1520.18	1132.09
Punjab	19.07	130.73	44.50	46.09
Rajasthan	42.23	23.72	193.07	12.78

1	2	3	4	5
Tamil Nadu	4829.05	2793.35	3260.74	3963.47
Uttar Pradesh	524.28	683.21	1614.02	639.57
West Bengal	460.11	641.60	783.29	770.59
Lakshadweep	67.25	47.15	9.31	0.00
Uttarakhand	37.93	58.91	11.72	54.08
Puducherry	1512.55	1108.00	343.57	200.00
A and N Islands	64.46	0.00	0.00	0.00
Telangana	0.00	0.00	0.00	547.41
Delhi	180.00	9.00	0.00	17.00
Daman and Diu	0.00	7.50	0.00	0.00
TOTAL	25597.50	23856.74	25477.07	15545.00

Stagnation in agricultural production

630. SHRI KIRANMAY NANDA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that total agricultural production in the country has reached to a point of stagnation;

(b) if so, whether Government has any policy to increase agricultural production to meet the needs of growing population and to curb the prices of agricultural produces; and

(c) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MOHANBHAI KALYANJIBHAI KUNDARIA) : (a) Over the years, the production of major agricultural crops in the country has been generally increasing, except in the years of adverse conditions of monsoon rainfall such as drought, flood and extreme temperature conditions etc.

(b) and (c) To increase agricultural production in the country to meet the needs of growing population and to curb the prices of agricultural commodities, Government of India has been implementing various Crop Development Schemes/Programmes such as National Food Security Mission (NFSM), Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY), National Mission on Oilseeds and Oil Palm (NMOOP), Bringing Green Revolution to Eastern India (BGREI), etc.