

(c) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE (SHRI MOHANBHAI KALYANJIBHAI KUNDARIYA): (a) As per estimates released by the Central Statistics Office (CSO), the growth rates in Gross Value Added (GVA) of agriculture and allied sector during the last five years i.e. 2010-11 to 2014-15 are given below:

| Year                       | Growth rate in GVA of agriculture and allied sector (%) |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|
| at 2004-05 constant prices |                                                         |
| 2010-11                    | 8.6                                                     |
| 2011-12                    | 5.0                                                     |
| at 2011-12 constant prices |                                                         |
| 2012-13                    | 1.5                                                     |
| 2013-14                    | 4.2                                                     |
| 2014-15                    | -0.2                                                    |

(b) and (c) As per Advance Estimates released by CSO, the growth rate of Agriculture and Allied Sector for the current year i.e. 2015-16 is estimated at 1.1%.

#### **Decrease in grain producing area**

978. SHRI K.N. BALAGOPAL: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the total area of grain producing land in the country for the last ten years, year-wise and State-wise; and

(b) the reasons for decrease in the grain producing area in the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE (SHRI MOHANBHAI KALYANJIBHAI KUNDARIYA): (a) and (b) State-wise details of area under foodgrains in the country during the last 10 years i.e. 2005-06 to 2014-15 are given in the Statement (See below).

Depending upon the weather and rainfall situations, availability of water in reservoirs, irrigation facilities and inter-crop shift of area, etc, the total area under foodgrains in the country has been fluctuating in the range of around 120 to 127 million hectares.

**Statement**

*State-wise details of area under foodgrains in the country from 2005-06 to 2014-15*

Area Under Foodgrains ('000 Hectares)

| State/UT          | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 | 2008-09 | 2009-10 | 2010-11 | 2011-12 | 2012-13 | 2013-14 | 2014-15 |
|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Andhra Pradesh    | 7167.7  | 7274.0  | 7387.0  | 7442.0  | 6666.0  | 8029.8  | 7289.0  | 6990.0  | 7390.0  | 3963.0  |
| Assam             | 2597.5  | 2380.0  | 2518.0  | 2670.8  | 2695.6  | 2766.5  | 2736.2  | 2691.5  | 2660.0  | 2700.5  |
| Bihar             | 6548.4  | 6702.4  | 7028.6  | 6919.7  | 6634.1  | 6235.8  | 6695.9  | 6736.1  | 6396.0  | 6725.4  |
| Chhattisgarh      | 5145.9  | 5056.0  | 5084.0  | 4963.3  | 4863.7  | 4955.4  | 4964.6  | 5076.2  | 4982.4  | 5058.2  |
| Gujarat           | 3967.0  | 4568.0  | 4481.0  | 4063.0  | 3694.0  | 4525.0  | 4736.0  | 3582.0  | 4378.0  | 3527.0  |
| Haryana           | 4268.8  | 4351.0  | 4476.0  | 4610.2  | 4540.0  | 4716.4  | 4630.0  | 4398.9  | 4403.6  | 4445.2  |
| Himachal Pradesh  | 798.1   | 806.4   | 812.4   | 797.4   | 784.1   | 795.3   | 790.5   | 800.6   | 778.9   | 755.2   |
| Jammu and Kashmir | 881.9   | 907.5   | 918.6   | 929.9   | 935.6   | 928.2   | 938.8   | 933.6   | 928.6   | 957.3   |
| Jharkhand         | 1926.6  | 2379.1  | 2436.4  | 2434.8  | 1618.3  | 1492.7  | 2321.9  | 2430.0  | 2266.7  | 2552.5  |
| Karnataka         | 7596.0  | 7446.0  | 7871.0  | 7461.0  | 7955.0  | 8239.1  | 7425.0  | 7299.0  | 7538.0  | 7193.0  |
| Kerala            | 287.6   | 274.8   | 243.0   | 245.2   | 247.3   | 219.6   | 212.3   | 201.0   | 202.5   | 199.7   |

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| Madhya Pradesh | 11678.1  | 11777.2  | 11288.9  | 11913.3  | 12459.4  | 12862.8  | 13503.5  | 14136.5  | 14332.9  | 15462.2  |
| Maharashtra    | 12746.0  | 13452.0  | 13207.0  | 11417.0  | 12112.7  | 13029.0  | 10857.0  | 10575.0  | 11471.0  | 11450.0  |
| Odisha         | 5456.7   | 5403.7   | 5489.0   | 5427.4   | 5406.1   | 5318.9   | 4922.1   | 5030.8   | 5143.3   | 5166.0   |
| Punjab         | 6317.6   | 6301.9   | 6302.7   | 6460.0   | 6503.3   | 6510.2   | 6506.0   | 6566.4   | 6551.2   | 6585.2   |
| Rajasthan      | 12448.6  | 12698.0  | 13607.4  | 13205.5  | 13271.8  | 15069.2  | 14440.8  | 12411.2  | 13417.1  | 12834.8  |
| Tamil Nadu     | 3316.9   | 3166.1   | 3097.5   | 3191.9   | 3032.9   | 3173.9   | 3210.4   | 2625.1   | 3439.5   | 3538.1   |
| Telangana      | NA       | NA       | NA       | NA       | NA       | NA       | NA       | NA       | NA       | 2613.0   |
| Uttarakhand    | 1030.0   | 986.0    | 1006.0   | 1029.0   | 1009.0   | 986.4    | 952.0    | 931.6    | 890.6    | 897.6    |
| Uttar Pradesh  | 19640.9  | 20039.6  | 19084.0  | 19757.5  | 19322.0  | 19804.0  | 20133.0  | 19960.0  | 20142.0  | 20078.0  |
| West Bengal    | 6442.2   | 6362.8   | 6355.8   | 6535.4   | 6242.3   | 5561.1   | 6044.0   | 6089.0   | 6275.8   | 6128.2   |
| Others         | 1317.1   | 1353.9   | 1354.6   | 1337.9   | 1340.4   | 1452.0   | 1446.0   | 1314.3   | 1453.9   | 1469.9   |
| ALL INDIA      | 121579.6 | 123686.4 | 124048.9 | 122812.2 | 121333.6 | 126671.4 | 124754.9 | 120778.7 | 125042.0 | 124300.0 |

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