

(b) whether it is a fact that pesticides are used mostly by women working in the agriculture fields; and

(c) if so, the impact of pesticides on the health of women working in farms?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE (SHRI PARSHOTTAM RUPALA): (a) No, Sir. As per the data provided by the States in the Zonal Conferences, the consumption of pesticides has shown a decline from 60282 M.T (Technical Grade) in 2013-14 to 50409 M.T (Technical Grade) in 2015-16.

(b) and (c) The pesticides are used by both men and women farmers. However, there is no specific information on the use of pesticides by women farmers only. Under the Insecticide Act, 1968 and rules made therein, pesticides are registered after evaluating the safety of the product with respect to human health. Pesticides used in accordance with instructions on labels and leaflets, are unlikely to cause any harm to health and environment.

#### **Implementation of PMFBY in Madhya Pradesh**

3367. SHRI VIVEK K. TANKHA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY) has been implemented in all 51 districts of Madhya Pradesh;

(b) if so, the crop insurance companies identified for implementation of the Yojana in all 51 districts, the details thereof;

(c) the number of farmers in Madhya Pradesh registered under the Yojana whose premium is being deposited by the Central Government/agencies and State Government/agencies; and

(d) the district-wise break-up with total premium collected from these farmers including in respective ratios of deposit?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE (SHRI PARSHOTTAM RUPALA): (a) to (d) Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY) has been notified by the State Government of Madhya Pradesh in all the 51 districts of the State. All the districts have been divided in to 5 clusters. Three clusters (31 districts) have been allotted for three years from Kharif 2016 to Agriculture Insurance Company of India Ltd. and one cluster each to HDFC-ERGO General Insurance Company Ltd. (10 districts) and ICICI-Lombard General Insurance Company Ltd. (10 districts) through a bidding process.

As per tentative data available about 34.27 lakh farmers for a total premium of ₹ 287547 lakh have been covered under PMFBY/Restructured Weather Based Crop Insurance Scheme (RWBCIS) in Madhya Pradesh during Kharif 2016 season. District-wise details are given in the Statement.

***Statement***

*District-wise details of number of farmers insured and total premium paid along with Central, State Government and farmers share in Madhya Pradesh during Kharif 2016 season under PMFBY (Provisional)*

(₹ in lakhs)

Sl. No.	District	No. of farmers Insured	GoI share of premium subsidy	State share of premium subsidy	Farmers Premium	Gross Premium	Name of Insurance Company
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1.	Ashok Nagar	41176	791	791	751	2333	HDFC-ERGO General Insurance Company Ltd.
2.	Chhatarpur	58543	891	891	438	2220	
3.	Damoh	47731	1584	1584	445	3614	
4.	Datia	39411	294	294	342	930	
5.	Guna	66896	3535	3535	1056	8125	
6.	Gwalior	29377	670	670	348	1689	
7.	Panna	22003	484	484	170	1137	
8.	Sagar	137772	7336	7336	1619	16290	
9.	Shivpuri	50956	1314	1314	585	3213	
10.	Tikamgarh	38562	466	466	251	1182	
11.	Agar Malwa	53290	2917	2917	648	6482	ICICI-Lombard General Insurance Company Ltd.
12.	Anuppur	9774	306	306	82	694	
13.	Dewas	159321	9731	9731	2163	21625	
14.	Mandsaur	124691	6035	6035	2323	14393	
15.	Neemuch	70929	2880	2880	1154	6914	
16.	Ratlam	131648	2628	2628	811	6067	
17.	Shahdol	12770	279	279	106	664	
18.	Shajapur	92948	5395	5395	1401	12191	
19.	Ujjain	163394	7313	7313	1721	16347	
20.	Ratlam	7027	205	205	54	464	

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
21.	Alirajpur	51343	85	85	151	321	Agriculture Insurance Company of India Ltd.
22.	Balaghat	67580	340	340	418	1098	
23.	Barwani	93806	842	842	841	2525	
24.	Betul	74669	3286	3286	738	7310	
25.	Bhind	25003	173	173	227	573	
26.	Bhopal	34904	3031	3031	674	6736	
27.	Burhanpur	9915	260	260	171	691	
28.	Chhindwara	109719	1731	1731	449	3911	
29.	Dhar	163457	3601	3601	2090	9292	
30.	Dindori	4054	71	71	28	170	
31.	Harda	47915	3256	3256	566	7078	
32.	Hoshangabad	89909	4725	4725	1228	10678	
33.	Indore	122286	6329	6329	1947	14605	
34.	Jabalpur	30214	1659	1659	440	3758	
35.	Jhabua	117074	398	398	368	1164	
36.	Katni	8785	159	159	140	458	
37.	Khandwa	95756	3505	3505	1641	8651	
38.	Khargone	127203	1251	1251	2301	4803	
39.	Mandla	40247	281	281	286	848	
40.	Morena	25064	543	543	307	1393	
41.	Narsinghpur	62747	1763	1763	493	4019	
42.	Raisen	80707	4152	4152	1218	9522	
43.	Rajgarh	70305	4446	4446	995	9887	
44.	Rewa	13288	1163	1163	253	2579	
45.	Satna	31989	1059	1059	254	2372	
46.	Sehore	143929	9591	9591	2005	21187	
47.	Seoni	113410	2340	2340	710	5390	
48.	Sheopur	16060	930	930	318	2178	
49.	Sidhi	7960	56	56	20	132	
50.	Singroll	5270	53	53	18	124	
51.	Vidisha	184534	7841	7841	1839	17521	
TOTAL		3427321	123973	123973	39601	287547	