

Scheme was extended upto 30.6.2010. The Scheme benefitted 3.73 crore farmers to the extent of ₹ 52,259.86 crore.

Further, with a view to ensuring availability of agriculture credit at a reduced interest rate of 7% p.a. to farmers, the Government of India has been implementing interest subvention scheme from 2006-07. In 2016-17, Government has approved interest subvention scheme in the Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers' Welfare for short term crop loans up to ₹ 3.00 lakh. Under the said scheme, additional subvention of 3% is given to those farmers who repay their short term crop loan in time, thereby reducing the effective rate of interest to 4% p.a. for such farmers.

Accounts opened under PMJDY in Punjab

4383. SHRI SHWAIT MALIK: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) how many accounts have been opened so far under Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana scheme in Punjab; and

(b) the details of number of accounts opened since the launch of the scheme, city-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR): (a) and (b) As reported by banks, 53,40,154 accounts have been opened till 29.3.2017, under Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana scheme in Punjab since the launch of the scheme. Details of the number of accounts opened are given in the Statement.

Statement

Details of the number of Accounts opened under Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana in the State of Punjab

(As on 29.3.2017)

Sl. No.	District	Rural	Urban	Total
1.	Amritsar	164890	205018	369908
2.	Barnala	68739	37239	105978
3.	Bathinda	152317	100180	252497
4.	Faridkot	71269	40255	111524

Sl. No.	District	Rural	Urban	Total
5.	Fatehgarh Sahib	81945	39975	121920
6.	Fazilka	89181	46305	135486
7.	Firozpur	205840	165568	371408
8.	Gurdaspur	172042	104252	276294
9.	Hoshiarpur	163894	71034	234928
10.	Jalandhar	197926	248887	446813
11.	Kapurthala	99353	50126	149479
12.	Ludhiana	278014	546729	824743
13.	Mansa	103746	36361	140107
14.	Moga	117624	62136	179760
15.	Muktsar	129104	70627	199731
16.	Pathankot	53127	14647	67774
17.	Patiala	240816	194511	435327
18.	Rupnagar	66422	29651	96073
19.	Sahibzada Ajit Singh Nagar	121231	99118	220349
20.	Sangrur	189412	95338	284750
21.	Shahid Bhagat Singh Nagar	88424	25654	114078
22.	Tarn Taran	146163	55064	201227
TOTAL		3001479	2338675	5340154

Source: Public Sector Banks including Regional Rural Banks and 13 private sector banks.

Note: There is no statutory or Census categorisation for cities and, as such, city-wise details are not maintained.

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4384. SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state: