

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

RAJYA SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO- 58
TO BE ANSWERED ON 26/07/2024

ACHIEVEMENT OF TARGETS UNDER PMFBY

*58 #. MS. KAVITA PATIDAR:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has been successful in achieving the desired targets under Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY);
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the details of beneficiaries in Madhya Pradesh under the said scheme during the last three years and the current financial year, area-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
(SHRI SHIVRAJ SINGH CHOUHAN)

(a) to (c) : A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO PART (a) TO (c) OF RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 58 DUE FOR REPLY ON 26/07/2024 REGARDING ACHIEVEMENT OF TARGETS UNDER PMFBY.

(a) to (b) : The Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY) introduced in the country from Kharif 2016 season is voluntary for the States. All farmers growing notified crops in notified areas are eligible for coverage under the scheme voluntarily. Comprehensive risk coverage for crops of farmers against all non-preventable natural risks from pre-sowing to post-harvest stages of the crops at very reasonable premium for the farmers is provided under the scheme. The PMFBY is successfully fulfilling the objectives and targets of the scheme especially in natural calamity hit seasons/years/areas. Due to various initiatives taken under the scheme, the Gross Cropped Area (GCA) covered in 2023-24 was 598 lakh Ha. as compared to 501 lakh Ha. in 2022-23, with a growth of over 19%. The number of farmers enrolled was 3.97 crore in 2023-24 as compared to 3.17 crore in 2022-23 with a growth of over 25%. Hence, the coverage of area and farmers is at its highest level till date. Recently Jharkhand and Telangana States have also decided to rejoin the scheme which is likely to further increase area and farmers coverage. As against the premium of Rs.32,440 Crore paid by farmers till date, claims of Rs.1,63,519 crore have been paid out. Therefore, 5 times more claims have been paid out when compared to premium paid by the farmers.

Though the scheme is voluntary for the farmers, non-loanee farmers' coverage has increased to 55% of the total coverage under the scheme during 2023-24, which shows the voluntary acceptability/popularity of the scheme.

(c): Madhya Pradesh State Government is implementing the PMFBY since its inception. Year-wise and district-wise details of beneficiaries during last 3 years in Madhya Pradesh are **Annexed.**

**Details of Farmer Applications Insured during last three years under PMFBY in
Madhya Pradesh (As on 17.07.2024)**

District Name	Farmer Applications Insured (in Nos.)		
	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Agar Malwa	2,91,792	6,26,321	6,08,092
Alirajpur	53,573	80,844	94,982
Anuppur	9,610	1,00,464	76,422
Ashoknagar	1,55,429	2,67,961	2,49,180
Balaghat	58,809	2,48,041	2,60,190
Barwani	55,009	39,691	31,926
Betul	2,48,676	6,46,738	5,91,752
Bhind	31,477	85,344	99,308
Bhopal	1,52,747	2,34,383	2,20,021
Burhanpur	6,442	10,283	8,204
Chhatarpur	1,11,221	2,74,967	2,84,992
Chhindwara	1,49,695	2,54,993	2,85,236
Damoh	1,21,926	3,17,728	3,30,974
Datia	62,297	1,88,224	1,84,864
Dewas	5,96,802	8,55,680	8,50,283
Dhar	2,79,966	5,61,913	5,66,817
Dindori	7,422	21,392	22,340
East Nimar	-	2,92,128	3,23,557
Guna	1,47,806	2,73,150	2,63,194
Gwalior	36,812	83,142	81,630
Harda	1,48,402	2,12,174	2,20,425
Hoshangabad	2,05,486	3,09,997	3,52,909
Indore	3,13,132	3,83,572	3,96,509
Jabalpur	42,118	62,942	64,468
Jhabua	79,045	1,35,618	1,42,357
Katni	28,582	88,419	98,475
Khandwa (East Nimar)	1,80,514	-	358
Khargone	-	99,356	80,652
Khargone (West Nimar)	77,750	8	14
Mandla	15,398	35,858	34,889
Mandsaur	5,97,350	8,51,466	8,71,519
Morena	24,095	66,203	71,946
Narmadapuram	-	-	1,787
Narsimhapur	1,15,670	-	-
Narsinghpur	-	1,74,482	1,76,584
Neemuch	2,45,965	4,40,165	4,51,537
Niwari	23,993	59,848	54,161
Panna	29,896	93,272	93,031
Raisen	2,75,222	4,32,294	4,34,049

Rajgarh	4,54,793	16,96,856	17,07,193
Ratlam	3,26,853	6,54,557	6,86,352
Rewa	50,064	1,86,856	2,23,407
Sagar	3,19,369	6,38,593	6,33,785
Satna	91,266	2,05,822	2,44,970
Sehore	6,95,523	10,23,993	9,98,157
Seoni	1,37,990	2,29,461	2,50,599
Shahdol	25,417	2,04,756	1,48,491
Shajapur	3,70,628	10,65,697	10,60,642
Sheopur	30,308	53,653	52,581
Shivpuri	1,66,599	2,47,440	2,22,198
Sidhi	5,429	33,071	35,868
Singrauli	1,864	20,065	12,661
Tikamgarh	56,677	1,96,684	1,82,569
Ujjain	9,47,153	12,23,664	12,34,655
Umaria	23,067	1,01,199	91,316
Vidisha	5,81,085	10,39,125	10,17,411
Total	92,64,214	1,77,30,553	1,77,82,489
