GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
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RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 806
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09/02/2024

AREA UNDER ORGANIC FARMING

806.   SHRI TIRUCHI SIVA:

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

(a)   the detailed break-up of the area under organic farming in the country, State-wise;

(b)   the achievements of Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojana (PKVY) since its inception in 2019, the details thereof, State-wise; and

(c)   the details of the clusters formed under PKVY till date, in the State of Tamil Nadu?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

(SHRI ARJUN MUNDA)

(a):   The State-wise detailed break-up of the area under organic farming (National Programme for Organic Production (NPOP) + Participatory Guarantee System (PGS)- India certification) since 2015-16 is at **Annexure-I.**

(b) & (c):   Government of India has been promoting Organic farming in the country through dedicated scheme namely Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojana (PKVY) since 2015-16. The scheme provides end to end support to organic farmers i.e. from production to certification and marketing. Trainings and capacity buildings as well as post harvest management support including processing, packing and marketing are made integral part of the scheme to encourage organic farmers.

Since 2015-16, under PKVY, 14.13 lakh ha area has been covered under organic farming by developing 46925 clusters involving 16.19 lakh farmers. In addition, 8 states developed their own brands for organic products.

The State- wise details of clusters formed including the State of Tamil Nadu under PKVY since 2015- 2016 is given at **Annexure-II.**

State-wise detailed breakup of area under organic farming (NPOP + PGS- certification) since 2015-16.

S. No.	State	Area (in ha)
1.	Andhra Pradesh	230916.02
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	13262.68
3.	Assam	27467.42
4.	Bihar	82347.58
5.	Chhattisgarh	95899.86
6.	Goa	22476.41
7.	Gujarat	937931.00
8.	Haryana	3294.76
9.	Himachal Pradesh	28385.50
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	37764.50
11.	Jharkhand	78059.87
12.	Karnataka	102915.56
13.	Kerala	105494.45
14.	Ladakh	10121.42
15.	Lakshadweep	2700.00
16.	Madhya Pradesh	1592937.11
17.	Maharashtra	1301474.15
18.	Manipur	11285.50
19.	Meghalaya	24909.04
20.	Mizoram	20740.94
21.	Nagaland	13033.17
22.	Delhi	10017.39
23.	Odisha	210879.48
24.	Pondicherry	181.51
25.	Punjab	16892.65
26.	Rajasthan	678679.80
27.	Sikkim	113475.28
28.	Tamil Nadu	66806.70
29.	Telangana	98274.22
30.	Tripura	20614.44
31.	Uttar Pradesh	207987.05
32.	Uttarakhand	200933.73
33.	West Bengal	22194.24
34.	Daman Diu & Dadar Nagar	11100.00
35.	Andaman & Nicobar	1360.00
36.	Chandigarh	1300.00
	Total	**6404113.43**

Source: NPOP (APEDA)
PGS (NCONF)

The state-wise details of clusters formed including Tamil Nadu under PKVY since 2015-16

S. No.	State	Clusters
1.	Andhra Pradesh	5300
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	19
3.	Assam	220
4.	Bihar	2480
5.	Chhattisgarh	1200
6.	Goa	504
7.	Gujarat	100
8.	Haryana	20
9.	Himachal Pradesh	285
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	258
11.	Jharkhand	1027
12.	Karnataka	1045
13.	Kerala	619
14.	Ladakh	250
15.	Lakshadweep	135
16.	Madhya Pradesh	3828
17.	Maharashtra	2108
18.	Manipur	30
19.	Meghalaya	45
20.	Mizoram	34
21.	Nagaland	24
22.	Delhi	500
23.	Odisha	1040
24.	Pondicherry	8
25.	Punjab	350
26.	Rajasthan	7400
27.	Sikkim	150
28.	**Tamil Nadu**	**322**
29.	Telangana	690
30.	Tripura	50
31.	Uttar Pradesh	8499
32.	Uttarakhand	7027
33.	West Bengal	670
34.	Daman Diu & Dadar Nagar	555
35	Andaman & Nicobar	68
36	Chandigarh	65
	Total	**46925**

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