

Share of Cooperatives in National Economy

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At present, no separate database is maintained for assessing the contribution of cooperative sector in national and state level Gross Domestic Product (GDP). Therefore, information on contribution of cooperatives sector in percentage of GDP is not available. However, as per the Statistical Profile-2018 on Indian Cooperative Movement published by National Cooperative Union of India (NCUI) in 2018, the estimated percentage share of Cooperatives in various Sectors in National Economy is as follows:

PERCENTAGE SHARE OF COOPERATIVES IN NATIONAL ECONOMY

Cooperative Sector	Percentage (%)
Total Agricultural Credit Disbursed by Cooperatives (2016-2017)	13.40
Short Term Agricultural Credit Disbursed by Cooperatives to Small and Marginal Farmers	19.13
Kisan Credit Cards Issued by Cooperatives Banks + Regional Rural Bank (as at end- March 2017)	67.30
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Fertiliser Distributed (2016-2017) Estimated	35.00
Fertiliser Production Capacity (5.35 Million Tonnes for the year 2016-2017)	24.92
Fertiliser Production (51.62 Million Tonnes for the year 2016-17)	28.80
Capacity of Fertiliser Products (10.77 Million Tonnes for the year 2016-2017)	20.32
Installed Capacity of Fertiliser Manufacturing Units (3.638 Million Tonnes, N Nutrient, As on 31.03.2017)	25.60
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Installed Number of Sugar Factories (284 as on 31.3.2017)	38.63
Sugar Produced (5.654 Million Tonnes as on 31.3.2017)	30.60
Capacity Utilisation of Sugar Mills (As on 31.3.2017)	46.14
Liquid Milk Marketed out of total Milk Procured by Cooperatives	84.17
Milk procurement to total production (2016-17)	9.50
Milk procurement to marketable surplus (2016-17)	17.50
PACS having Storage facility (at village level) (2016-17)	55.50
Total Storage Capacity of Cooperative Sector (2016-17) 22.77 Million MT	14.79
Fishermen in Cooperatives (active)	20.05
Wheat Procurement (4.4 Million Tonnes during 2017-18)	13.30

Paddy Procurement (7.5 Million Tonnes during 2016-17)	20.40
Retail Fair Price Shops (Rural + Urban)	20.30
Spindleage in Cooperatives (3.56 Million - As on 31.3.2018)	29.34
Direct Employment Generated by Cooperatives	13.30
Self-employment Generated for persons	10.91

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As per DoE OM No. 48(06)/PF-II/2016 dt. 12.09.2017 registration of all the Central Sector Schemes and all of their implementing agencies at all levels of PFMS is mandatory and use of EAT module by all these implementing agencies. The PFMS/EAT module ensures complete tracking of funds up to last mile and also ensure Just in Time release of funds.

This was stated by the Minister of Cooperation, Shri Amit Shah in a written reply to a question in the Lok Sabha.

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