

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
DEPARTMENT OF FERTILIZERS

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2071 TO BE ANSWERED ON: 31.07.2026

Requirement of Fertilizers

2071. Shri Jai Prakash:
Shri Govind Makthappa Karjol:

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has made any assessment regarding the requirement, availability, allocation and supply of major fertilizers, namely Urea, DAP, MOP and NPK for the current Kharif and Rabi season;

(b) if so, the details of production, imports, fertilizer stocks and distribution of the said fertilizers during the current year, fertilizer-wise;

(c) whether any shortage of fertilizers has been reported from any State during the current financial year and if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor, State-wise and year-wise, State/district-wise and year-wise particularly in the State of Karnataka; and

(d) the details of corrective measures taken by the Government to ensure timely availability of fertilizers to farmers and to prevent shortage, hoarding black marketing and diversion of fertilizers, State-wise?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS

(SMT. ANUPRIYA PATEL)

(a) to (d) To ensure adequate availability of fertilizers and prevent any shortage during each cropping season, the Government undertakes the following measures across the country:

I. Before the commencement of each cropping season, Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare (DA&FW), in consultation with all the State Governments, assesses the State-wise & month-wise requirement of fertilizers. On the basis of requirement projected by DA&FW, Department of Fertilizers (DoF) allocates adequate quantities of fertilizers to States by issuing monthly supply plan and continuously monitors the availability.

II. The movement of all major subsidized fertilizers is monitored throughout the country by an on-line web-based monitoring system called integrated Fertilizer Management System (iFMS).

III. The gap between demand (requirement) and production for Urea & other fertilizer is met through imports. The import for the season is also finalized well in advance to ensure timely availability.

IV. The State Governments are regularly advised to coordinate with manufacturers and importers for streamlining the supplies through timely placement of indents.

V. Regularly coordination is done with the Ministry of Railways for giving sufficient rakes, priority to fertilizers and for timely evacuation of rakes for States.

VI. The distribution of fertilizers within the State at district level is done by the concerned State government.

Accordingly, the available of fertilizers, viz. Urea, DAP, MOP and NPKS has remained adequate during the Rabi 2025-26 and ongoing Kharif 2026 season. The State-wise information regarding the requirement, availability, sales and closing stock of said fertilizers during the said seasons is placed at **Annexure**.

Further, the details regarding the production and import of fertilizers during the Rabi 2025-26 and ongoing Kharif 2026 (up to June) are as under:

Production of Fertilizers (Fig. in LMT)				
YEAR	Season	Urea	DAP	NPKS
2025-26	Rabi	148.78	19.00	65.00
2026-27 (Upto June, 2026)	Kharif	71.55	9.84	20.76
MOP is not produced domestically and is 100% imported.				

Import of fertilizers (Urea, DAP, MOP and NPK) from Rabi 2025-26 and Kharif 2026 (till Jun-26)					
<i>Qty. in LMT</i>					
Year	Cropping Season	Urea	As Reported by the Companies		
			DAP	MOP*	NPK
2025-26	Rabi	63.71	23.68	17.09	16.89
2026-27 (Till Jun-26)	Kharif	25.08	7.11	6.09	4.91
MOP includes both Agriculture and Industrial use*					

Further, Fertilizers are declared as an essential commodity under the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 and notified under Fertilizer Control Order, 1985. State Governments are empowered to take action against persons involved in black-marketing and diversion of fertilizers, as per provisions of EC Act.

Besides, Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare (DA&FW) in consultation with the State Governments is regularly monitoring the enforcement action taken by

State Governments against the cases of Black marketing, diversion and other malpractices on weekly basis.

Accordingly, information received from the DA&FW regarding the action taken by the State Governments to check black marketing and other malpractices during the Kharif 2026 season, for the period from April 2026 to July 2026 (till 24.07.2026), is placed at **Annexure-B**.

Annexure-A

Annexure referred to in reply of part (a) to (d) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Quesiton No. 2071 for answering on 31.07.2026

STATE WISE REQUIREMENT, AVAILABILITY, SALES & CLOSING STOCK OF FERTILIZERS DURING THE RABI 2025-26

fig. in LMT

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Annexure-A

Annexure referred to in reply of part (a) to (d) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Quesiton No. 2071 for answering on 31.07.2026

STATE WISE REQUIREMENT, AVAILABILITY, SALES & CLOSING STOCK OF FERTILIZERS DURING THE ONGOING KHARIF 2026 (FROM 01.04.26 TO 26.07.26)

fig. in LMT

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Annexure-B

Annexure referred to in reply of part (a) to (d) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Quesiton No. 2071 for answering on 31.07.2026

Cumulative Statement from April 26 to July 26 (as on 24.07.2026)

Action taken by the State Government to check black marketing, hoarding, quality check, diversion etc during the Kharif season from April 2026 to July 2026 as on date (24.07.2026)

		Black Marketing			Hoarding			Sub Standard Quality			Diversion			Conviction with details*	Quantity of material seized (in terms of Bag)	Total		
States	No. of inspections /raids	Show cause notice issued	No. of licenses cancelled/sus pended	FIR registered	Show cause notice issued	No. of licenses cancelled/su pended	FIR registered	Show cause notice issued	No. of licenses cancelled/sus pended	FIR registered	Show cause notice issued	No. of licenses cancelled/sus pended	FIR registered			Show cause notice issued	No. of licenses cancelled/sus ended	FIR registered
Andaman & Nicobar Islands	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NIL	0	0	0	0
Andhra Pradesh	5270	4	4	0	94	66	4	37	0	0	0	0	0	NIL	0	135	70	4
Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NIL	0	0	0	0
Assam	3204	6	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	NIL	0	16	4	0
Bihar	15074	652	627	57	1	149	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	NIL	0	653	776	72
Chhattisgarh	5143	209	48	5	34	9	2	63	0	1	0	0	1	NIL	30029	306	57	9
Dadar & Nagar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NIL	0	0	0	0
Delhi	150	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NIL	0	0	0	0
Goa	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NIL	0	0	0	0
Gujarat	7563	39	0	1	4	3	0	17	0	8	1	0	5	NIL	0	61	3	14
Haryana	494	8	7	0	22	31	6	9	6	0	3	6	2	NIL	0	42	50	8
Himachal Pradesh	56	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NIL	0	0	0	0
Jammu & Kashmir	9147	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	NIL	1562	0	0	1
Jharkhand	633	10	0	0	25	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	NIL	0	35	2	1
Karnataka	15702	2132	2	0	0	0	0	76	0	0	5	0	6	NIL	4208	2213	2	6
Kerala	630	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	2	0	0	NIL	2202	8	0	0
Madhya Pradesh	1021	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	9	23	22	0	NIL	0	23	22	13
Maharashtra	40574	850	575	17	728	222	1	563	426	39	16	20	7	NIL	0	2157	1243	64
Manipur	61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NIL	0	0	0	0
Meghalaya	330	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NIL	0	0	0	0
Mizoram	97	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NIL	0	0	0	0
Nagaland	92	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NIL	0	0	0	0
Odisha	9716	0	2	0	0	0	1	4	2	0	0	0	0	NIL	120	4	4	1
Puducherry	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NIL	0	0	0	0
Punjab	1859	10	0	0	0	0	0	51	7	4	49	0	8	NIL	0	110	7	12
Rajasthan	8280	712	20	1	139	28	3	121	0	1	167	1	6	NIL	4288	1139	49	11
Tamilnadu	5377	0	0	0	138	0	6	221	0	0	118	0	2	NIL	0	477	0	8
Telangana	11658	28	9	6	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	2	1	NIL	0	31	13	7
Tripura	964	0	0	0	165	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NIL	0	165	0	0
Uttar Pradesh	9896	1092	363	25	46	58	2	87	69	5	23	58	6	NIL	3826	1248	548	38
Uttarakhand	351	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NIL	0	0	0	1
West Bengal	15601	5	2	0	264	16	0	35	0	0	0	0	0	NIL	0	304	18	0
Total	169031	5757	1659	117	1666	584	40	1290	512	67	414	113	46	0	46235	9127	2868	270

* - Details to be submitted- case number, year of FIR and year of filing of case and date of order									
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Above data has been compiled as reported by states

