

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3969
TO BE ANSWERED ON 12TH AUGUST, 2026

MSP OF SHREE ANNA

3969 SHRI ALOK SHARMA:

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) the quantity of coarse grains (Shree Anna) procured by the Government at the Minimum Support Price (MSP) during the last five years and the quantity distributed through the Targeted Public Distribution System (TPDS) and other welfare schemes, year-wise;

(b) whether the Government has taken any special steps to enhance the procurement and distribution of Shree Anna (coarse grains) through the Public Distribution System (PDS) and if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has encouraged the States to include Shree Anna (coarse grains) in the Public Distribution System (PDS);

(d) if so, the details of procurement and distribution of Shree Anna in the State of Madhya Pradesh, district-wise; and

(e) whether millets such as bajra, jowar, ragi, kodo, kutki and other small-grained millets are also being procured and distributed under the Public Distribution System (PDS) with a view to promoting their production and if so, the details thereof?

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(a): State-wise, year-wise coarse grains (Shree Anna) procured by the Government at the Minimum Support Price (MSP) during the last five years is at **Annexure I**.

State-wise quantity of coarse grains distributed through the Targeted Public Distribution System (TPDS) and Other Welfare Schemes(OWS) during last five years is at **Annexure II**.

(b) & (c): Government of India has taken following steps to increase Millets procurement and distribution:

- i. Distribution period/Shelf life of millets has been increased from earlier 3 months to 6-10 months.
- ii. Provision has been made for inter-state transportation of surplus millets through FCI.
- iii. Administrative charges on acquisition stage has been increased from 1% to 2% of MSP.
- iv. Government has expanded scope of procurement of millets by States/ UTs by including minor millets: Foxtail Millet (Kangani/Kakun), Proso Millet (Cheena), Kodo Millet (Kodo), Little Millet (Kutki), Buck-wheat (kuttu) and Ameranthus (Chaulai) under MSP scheme on the MSP of Ragi upto KMS 2028-29.

(d): Govt. had conveyed the approval for procurement of 50,000 MT of Jowar and 1,50,000 MT of Bajra to State Govt. of Madhya Pradesh in KMS 2025-26 (Kharif). District-wise details of procurement of Shree Anna in Madhya Pradesh for the year 2025-26 is at **Annexure III**.

District-wise details of distribution of Shree Anna in Madhya Pradesh for the year 2025 is at **Annexure IV**.

(e): Procurement of coarse grains is regulated by guidelines for allocation, distribution, and disposal of coarse grains (Jowar, Bajra, Maize & Ragi) and 6 minor millets{Foxtail Millet (Kangani/Kakun), Proso Millet (Cheena),Kodo Millet (Kodo), Little millet (Kutki),Buck-wheat (kuttu), Ameranthus (Chaulai)} procured by the States. Under these guidelines, States are allowed to procure these commodities in Decentralized Procurement mode from farmers at Minimum Support Price (MSP) for distribution under Targeted Public Distribution System (TPDS)/Other Welfare Schemes(OWS).

Annexure-I referred to in the reply to Part (a) of Unstarred Question No. 3969 in the Lok Sabha on 12.08.2026.

Annexure-I

STATEMENT SHOWING PROCUREMENT OF COARSEGRAINS (as on- 05.08.2026)														
													Qty in Metric Tons	
KMS	COMMODIT Y	Andhra Pradesh	Gujara t	Haryan a	Karnata ka	Madhya Pradesh	Mahar ashtra	Uttar Pradesh	Odisha	Uttara khand	Tamil Nadu	Total Procureme nt	MSP (Rs./qtl)	MSP Value (in crore)
2020-21	JOWAR			0	80722	29582	17784	0				128088	2620	335.59
	JOWAR(Rabi)			0	0	0	18384	0				18384	2620	48.17
	BAJRA		11515	150000	0	195351	5005	0				361871	2150	778.02
	MAIZE		4133		0	0	88283	106413				198829	1850	367.83
	MAIZE(Rabi)				0	0	6486	0				6486	1850	12.00
	RAGI				474098	0	0	0	20252			494350	3295	1628.88
	Total		15648	150000	554820	224933	135942	106413	20252			1208008		
2021-22	JOWAR				103920	32393	20262	0				156575	2738	428.70
	JOWAR(Rabi)				0	0	0	0				0	2738	0.00
	BAJRA		7284		0	5400	567	0				13251	2250	29.81
	MAIZE		389		0	0	19615	2763				22767	1870	42.57
	MAIZE(Rabi)				0	0	0	0				0	1870	0.00
	RAGI				404784	0	253	0	32302			437339	3377	1476.89
	Total		7673		508703	37793	40697	2763	32302			629931		
2022-23	JOWAR		0		76897	258	1378	0				78533	2970	233.24
	JOWAR(Rabi)	3621	685		0	0	2358	0				6664	2970	19.79
	BAJRA		766	81147	0	0	10	43437				125360	2350	294.60
	BAJRA(Rabi)		56645		0	0	0	0				56645	2350	133.12
	MAIZE		0		0	0	48	0				48	1962	0.10
	MAIZE(Rabi)		197		0	0	12877	0				13074	1962	25.65
	RAGI	4	0		454404	0	636	0		1186	515	456745	3578	1634.23
	Total	3625	58293	81147	531301	258	17308	43437		1186	515	737069		
2023-24	JOWAR	24466			85402		462	13340				123670	3180	393.27
	JOWAR(Rabi)	4903	2946		105019		86624.9					199493	3180	634.39
	BAJRA		33359	231334				355038				619731	2500	1549.33
	BAJRA(Rabi)		76726									76726	2500	191.82
	MAIZE						25	4451				4476	2090	9.35

	MAIZE(Rabi)						56					56	2090	0.12
	RAGI	376	0.75		226576		189	0.7		1889	1889	230920	3846	888.12
	Total	29745	113032	231334	416997		87357	372830		1889	1889	1255073		
2024-25	JOWAR		27		115352	908	937	46942				164166	3371	553.40
	JOWAR(Rabi)	35402	5300		78676		131311					250689	3371	845.07
	BAJRA		3818	156000				101311				261129	2625	685.46
	BAJRA(Rabi)		82223									82223	2625	215.84
	MAIZE						1					1	2225	0.00
	MAIZE(Rabi)		118				51	19312				19481	2225	43.35
	RAGI	205	5		346079		233		40000	3139	4050	393711	4290	1689.02
	RAGI (Rabi)	902										902	4290	3.87
	Total	36509	91491	156000	540107	908	132533	167565	40000	3139	4050	1172302		
2025-26*	JOWAR				140199	397	5518	43562				189676	3699	701.61
	JOWAR(Rabi)	49852	7525		81620		142297					281294	3699	1040.51
	BAJRA		14472	233				213973				228678	2775	634.58
	BAJRA(Rabi)		113796									113796	2775	315.78
	MAIZE		564				100511	13209				114284	2400	274.28
	MAIZE(Rabi)		11870				42467	22719				77056	2400	184.93
	RAGI		13		569331		462			5386	8000	583192	4886	2849.48
	RAGI (Rabi)	5322										5322	4886	26.00
	Total	55174	148240	233	791150	397	291255	293463	0	5386	8000	1593298		
*2025-26 procurement is still going on														

Annexure-II referred to in the reply to Part (a) of Unstarred Question No. 3969 in the Lok Sabha on 12.08.2026.

Annexure II

The State-wise detail of Coarse Grain distributed (in MT) for last five years is as follows:

Sr. no.	State Name	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
1	ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS	-	-	-	-	-
2	ANDHRA PRADESH	-	-	17,005.11	27,278.26	28,005.24
3	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	-	-	-	-	-
4	ASSAM	-	-	0.10	0.36	0.10
5	BIHAR	-	-	-	-	-
6	CHHATTISGARH	-	-	0.04	-	-
7	DADAR & NAGAR HAVELI & DAMAN & DIU			-	-	-
8	DELHI		-	-	-	-
9	GOA	-	-	-	-	-
10	GUJARAT	-	7,835.34	56,788.20	1,51,579.14	91,429.14
11	HARYANA	95,162.48	59,977.47	41,036.66	3,44,817.46	2,17,421.96
12	HIMACHAL PRADESH	-	-	-	-	-
13	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	-	-	-	-	-
14	JHARKHAND	-	-	-	-	-
15	KARNATAKA	5,15,858.29	4,74,203.00	4,12,824.28	4,01,444.45	5,46,203.66
16	KERALA	-	-	487.30	15.74	0.01
17	LADAKH	-	-	-	-	-
18	LAKSHADWEEP	-	-	-	-	-
19	MADHYA PRADESH	1,97,027.83	28,856.05	2,814.01	-	839.76
20	MAHARASHTRA	62,699.14	30,967.93	16,732.28	61,265.09	1,43,109.20
21	MANIPUR	-	-	-		
22	MEGHALAYA	-	-	-	-	-
23	MIZORAM	-	-	-	-	-
24	NAGALAND	-	-	-	-	-
25	ODISHA	-	-	-	-	-
26	PUDUCHERRY					-
27	PUNJAB	-	-	-	-	-
28	RAJASTHAN	-	-	-	-	-
29	SIKKIM	-	-	-	-	-
30	TAMIL NADU	-	-	4,307.42	2,836.77	2,585.36
31	TELANGANA	-	-	-	-	-
32	TRIPURA	-	-	-	-	-
33	UTTAR PRADESH	98,492.50	2,634.21	3,341.93	3,71,394.16	1,67,490.29
34	UTTARAKHAND	-	-	45.21	0.14	2,460.95
35	WEST BENGAL	-	-	-	-	-
	Grand Total	9,69,240.24	6,04,474.00	5,55,382.54	13,60,631.57	11,99,545.67

Annexure-III referred to in the reply to Part (d) of Unstarred Question No. 3969 in the Lok Sabha on 12.08.2026.

Annexure III

The district-wise details of Procurement of Coarse Grains(Jowar) in the State of Madhya Pradesh for the year KMS 2025-26 (in MT) is as follows:

S.No	District	Total Procurement in (MT)
1	<u>Barwani</u>	282.55
2	<u>Narsinghpur</u>	114.65
<u>Total</u>		397.20

Annexure-IV referred to in the reply to Part (d) of Unstarred Question No. 3969 in the Lok Sabha on 12.08.2026.

Annexure IV

The district-wise details of distribution of Coarse Grains in the State of Madhya Pradesh for the year 2025 (in MT) is as follows:

Districts	AAY	PHH
BARWANI	18.39	77.37
BETUL	145.08	582.78
HOSHANGABAD	0	0.03
INDORE	0.01	0.04
PANDHURNA	0.01	0
SINGRAULI	0	16.03
Grand Total	163.49	676.25
