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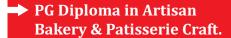


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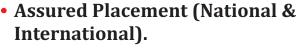




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DECLINE IN GROWTH RATE IN FOOD AND GROCERY RETAIL SECTOR



As per NAS 2019 estimates, the food processing sector (NIC 10 and 11) is growing at the annual average rate of 8.19% during the last five years ending 2017-18. Data on growth rate specific to retail (food & grocery) sector is not available.

For promoting growth in food processing sector, the Ministry of Food Processing Industries (MoFPI) is implementing an Umbrella Scheme-PRADHAN MANTRI KISAN SAMPADA YOJANA (PMKSY) with an outlay of ₹6,000 crore for its implementation during 2016-17 to 2019-20.

MoFPI is also implementing the scheme "Operation Greens" under the PMKSY since November 2018 for integrated development of value/supply chain exclusively of tomato, onion and potato (TOP) crops in selected States on pilot basis.

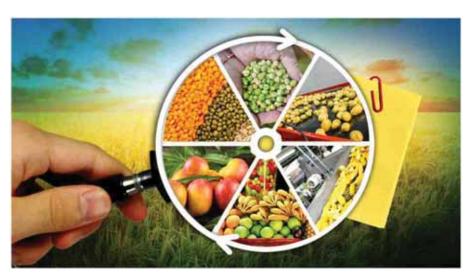
Government has taken a number of policy initiatives/measures/steps to promote food processing sector like permitting 100% FDI through automatic route in manufacturing of food products and 100% FDI under Government approval route for trading, including through ecommerce, in respect of food products produced and/or manufactured in India, creation of a special fund of ₹2000 crores in National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) to provide affordable credit to food processing industries, classification of food & agro-based processing units

and cold chain as agricultural activity for Priority Sector Lending (PSL), 100% exemption of income tax on profit for new food processing units, 100 percent income tax exemption from profit derived by FPOs having annual turnover

up to Rs.100 crore for activities such as post-harvest value addition to agriculture, 100% deduction of expenditure incurred on investment on establishment and operation of cold chain/warehousing facility for storage of agricultural

produce, concessional import duty for plant and machinery under project imports benefit scheme, import duty exemption on import of raw material under advance authorization scheme.

PRIVATE INVESTMENT IN AGRICULTURE AND AGRO PROCESSING INDUSTRY



The Government has been promoting private investment in agriculture through Public Private Partnership through schemes in the areas of Agriculture Marketing, Soil Health Card, Micro Irrigation etc. The Government of India has also circulated a Model Act-Agriculture Produce and Livestock Marketing (Promotion & Facilitation) Act, 2017 and Model Act-Agriculture Produce & Livestock Contract Farming and Services (Promotion & Facilitation) Act, 2018, with the aim to encourage farmers, providing additional

more investment in agriculture. This Ministry has also incorporated a "Framework for Supporting Public Private Partnership for Integrated Agricultural Development (PPPIAD)" under the Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana -Remunerative Approaches for Agriculture and Allied Sector Rejuvenation (RKVYRAFTAAR) in the scheme guidelines to facilitate integrated projects led by private sector players in the agriculture and allied sectors, with a view to aggregating

income and integrating the agriculture supply chain.

To promote food processing industries and attract investment into the sector, the Government has taken various steps/measures/policy initiatives which includes permission to 100% Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) through the automatic route in manufacturing of food products and 100% FDI under Government approval route for retail trading, including through e-commerce, in respect of food products produced and/or manufactured in India, creation of a special fund of Rs.2000 crore in National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) to provide affordable credit to food processing projects/units, bringing food & agro-based processing units, cold storage units/cold storage chains under the ambit of Priority Sector Lending (PSL), allowing 100 percent income tax exemption from profit derived from activities such as post-harvest value addition to agriculture by FPOs' having annual turnover up to Rs.100 crore, 100% income tax exemption for new

food processing units for a period of five years and lower income tax rate for subsequent five years, 100% deduction for capital expenditure incurred on setting up and operating of cold chain facility, concessional import duty for plant and machinery under project imports benefit scheme, import duty exemption on import of raw material under advance authorization etc.

The Government is implementing a scheme called the Pradhan Mantri Kisan Sampada Yojana (PMKSY) with the following scheme components viz; (i) Mega Food Parks, (ii) Integrated Cold Chain

and Value Addition Infrastructure, (iii) Infrastructure for Agroprocessing Clusters, (iv) Creation of Backward and Forward Linkages, (v) Creation / Expansion of Food Processing & Preservation Capacities, (vi) Food Safety and Quality Assurance Infrastructure, and (vii) Human Resources and Institutions with the objectives, inter alia, to create modern infrastructure and efficient value/supply chain with a view to encourage and facilitate food processing industries for preservation and processing of all agro and marine produce. The Government is also implementing the scheme

"Operation Greens" for integrated development of value/supply chain of tomato, onion and potato (TOP) crops in selected States on pilot basis from November, 2018. Under this schemes, financial assistance is provided as capital subsidy in the form of grants-in-aid to individuals, farmers, entrepreneurs, organizations such as Central and State PSUs/Joint Ventures/Farmer Producer **Organizations** (FPOs)/NGOs/Cooperatives/SH Gs/Public and Private Companies etc. for setting up of food processing industries/units/projects.

INFORMATION ON PACKAGED FOOD PRODUCTS



Under the Legal Metrology (Packaged Commodities) Rules, 2011 certain mandatory declarations are required to be made on all pre-packaged commodities in the interest of consumers like name and address of the manufacturer/packer/importer, country of origin, name of the commodity, net quantity, month and year of manufacturing, retail sale price in the form of Maximum Retail Price(MRP) Rs..... (inclusive of all taxes) and consumer care details etc.

The penalty provisions are made under section 36(1) of the Legal Metrology Act, 2009 for the violation in respect of the mandatory declarations on the label. For food products the provisions of the Food Safety & Standards Act, 2006 are also applicable.

Under the provisions of the Legal Metrology Act, 2009 and the Legal Metrology (Packaged Commodities) Rules, 2011, State Governments take action for violations of the Rules.

MEASURES ADOPTED FOR MSP FOR CROPS



This Ministry implements
Pradhan Mantri Annadata Aay
Sanrakshan Abhiyan (PMAASHA) to ensure Minimum
Support Price (MSP) to farmers
of notified oilseeds and pulses
qualifying Fair Average Quality
(FAQ) norms. PM-AASHA is an
umbrella scheme comprising of
Price Support Scheme (PSS),

Price Deficiency Payment
Scheme (PDPS) and Private
Procurement & Stockist Scheme
(PPSS). These schemes are
implemented at the request of
the State Governments / Union
Territories. PSS is implemented
for procurement of pulses,
oilseeds and copra at MSP,
whereas PDPS is implemented

for oilseeds. However, States/UTs may choose either PSS or PDPS in a given procurement season with respect to a particular oilseed crop for the entire State. PDPS does not involve any physical procurement but envisages direct payment of the difference between the MSP and the selling / modal price to preregistered farmers selling oilseeds of prescribed FAQ norms within the stipulated period in the notified market yard through a transparent auction process.

Besides, PPSS is also implemented for oilseeds on pilot basis and States have the option for implementation of PPSS in district/selected APMC(s) of district involving the participation of private stockist. However, if farmers gets better price in comparison to MSP, they are free to sell their produce in open market.

BUYING OF PALM OIL FROM MALAYSIA



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Directorate General of Foreign Trade has issued a Notification No. 39/2015-2020 dated8 th January 2020 amending the import policy of Refined Palm Oil (HS 15119010), Refined Palmolein (HS 15119020) and Other (HS 15119090) from 'Free' to 'Restricted'.

This notification is applicable on import from all countries. At present, there is no proposal to impose a restriction on import of any item from Malaysia.

Country needs 25 million tonnes of edible oils to meet its requirement at current consumption level of 19 kg per person per year. Out of the total requirement, 10.50 million tonnes is produced domestically from primary (Soybean, Rapeseed & Mustard, Groundnut, Sunflower, Safflower & Niger) and secondary sources (Oil palm, Coconut, Rice Bran, Cotton seeds & Tree Borne Oilseeds) and remaining 60%, is met through import.

The oilseed production of the country has been growing impressively. Despite this, there exists a gap between the demand and supply of oilseeds, which has necessitated sizeable quantities of imports.

The major challenges in oilseed production is largely rain-fed conditions (70% area), high seed cost (Groundnut and Soybean), small holding with limited resources, low seed replacement rate and low productivity.

To increase domestic availability and reduce import dependency, a National Mission on Edible Oils (NMEO) is proposed for next five years (2020-21 to 2024-25).

NMEO covering three Sub-Missions to increase production of oilseeds and edible oils from (i) Primary Sources (Annual Crops, Plantation Crops and Edible TBOs), (ii) Secondary Sources (Rice bran oil and Cotton seed oil) and (iii) Consumer Awareness for maintaining edible oil consumption constant at 19.00 kg per person per annum.

The proposed mission will aim to increase production from 30.88 to 47.80 million tonnes of oilseeds which will produce 7.00 to 11.00 million tonnes of edible oils from Primary

Sources by 2024-25.
Similarly edible oils from secondar y sources will be doubled from 3.50 to 7.00 million tonnes.

- Crop diversification in different reasons
- Promotion of community based oil extraction unit
- Value addition and promotion of export
- Promotion of rice bran and cotton seed oil



The following action point will be initiated for increasing production and productivity of oilseeds and promotion of Secondary Sources of Edible oils:

- Increasing seed replacement rate and varietal replacement rate
- Promotion of oilseed in rice fallow/ potato areas
- Promotion of oilseeds through intercropping
- Extending oilseed cultivation in nontraditional area
- Targeting 100 low productivity districts

 Consumer awareness for judicious consumption of oils for good health

The above strategies will deliberate the following output by the end of 2024-25:

- Oilseed production will be increased from 30.88 to 47.80 million tonnes
- Productivity will be increase from 1263 to 1587 kg per ha
- Reduction in import dependence from 60% to 45%
- Edible oil production will be 18.00 million tonne from 10.50 million tonnes.

STORAGE CRISIS IN FOOD CORPORATION OF INDIA



Against total stocks of 565.11 LMT (as on 01.01.2020) with Central Pool, the total storage capacity available with Food Corporation of India (FCI), Central Warehousing Corporation (CWC) and the State Agencies (both owned and hired capacity) including Covered and Plinth (CAP) storage, was 758.46 LMT (as on 31.12.2019).

Under Open Market Sales Scheme (Domestic) [OMSS(D)], FCl sells excess stock of foodgrains out of Central Pool in the open market at predetermined prices. The prices and the quantity of foodgrains to be offloaded under OMSS (D) are decided by Government taking into consideration MSP, Economic cost, procurement incidentals, surplus stocks etc.

Depending on requirement in specific areas and for modernization of the storage facilities, the Government implements the following schemes for construction of godowns and silos for storage of Central Pool Stocks in the country:

- I. Private Entrepreneurs Guarantee (PEG) Scheme: Under this Scheme, which was formulated in 2008, storage capacity is created by private parties, Central Warehousing Corporation (CWC) and State Government Agencies for guaranteed hiring by FCI. As on 31.12.2019, a total capacity of 143.63 LMT has been created. Under this scheme, no funds are allocated by Government for construction of godowns and full investment is done by the private parties/CWC/State Agencies.
- ii. Central Sector Scheme (erstwhile Plan Scheme): This scheme is implemented in the North Eastern States along with a few other States. Funds from annual budgetary allocation are released by the Government of India to FCI and also to the State Governments for construction of godowns. A total capacity of 1,84,175 MT has been completed by **FCI** and State Governments during the 12th Five Year Plan (2012-17). This scheme has been extended from 01.04.2017 to 31.03.2022. A capacity of 51,925 MT has been created by FCI & State Governments from 01.04.2017 to 31.12.2019.

Stocking Norms of foodgrains in Central Pool are as follows:

				(1	Figures in LMT)
As on	Operatio	Operational Stock		c Reserve	Grand Total
	Rice	Wheat	Rice	Wheat]
1st April	115.80	44.60	20.00	30.00	210.40
1st July	115.40	245.80	20.00	30.00	411.20
1st October	82.50	175.20	20.00	30.00	307.70
1st January	56.10	108.00	20.00	30.00	214.10

iii. Construction of Steel Silos: In addition to conventional godowns, Government of India has also approved an action plan for construction of steel silos in the country for a capacity of 100 LMT in Public Private Partnership (PPP) mode for modernizing storage infrastructure and improving shelf life of stored foodgrains. As on 31.12.2019, steel silos of 7.25 LMT capacity have been created.

In addition, godowns are hired under Private Warehousing Scheme (PWS) to address immediate/urgent requirement of storage space. Godown under PWS can be hired after hiring all the capacity available with CWC/SWCs/State Agencies/PEG capacity available with them.

The details of food subsidy released to FCI during last 3 years and current year (in Rs Cr) is as follows:

Year	FCI
2016-17	1,03,334.61*
2017-18	1,01,981.69**
2018-19	1,40,098.00***

2019-20 (as on 03-02-2020) 1.19.164.02

*including National Small Savings Scheme (NSSF) loan of Rs 25,000 Cr.

**including NSSF loan of Rs 40,000 Cr.

***including NSSF loan of Rs 70,000 Cr.

BLUE REVOLUTION THROUGH CSS



The Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying since 2015-16 has been implementing Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS) on Blue Revolution: Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries with a total central outlay of Rs.3000 crore for development of fisheries. The CSS is being implemented in all the States and Union Territories to supplement their efforts by

providing financial assistance for development of fisheries sector in the country.

The Indian Council of
Agricultural Research (ICAR)
has eight fisheries research
institutes and thirty three
research centres which are
located at different strategic
location. The Institutes and
research centres of ICAR are
located in the States of Gujarat,
Maharashtra, Karnataka, Kerala,
Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh,

Odisha, West Bengal, Bihar, Uttar Pradesh, Punjab, Haryana, Uttarakhand, Madhya Pradesh and Assam and have been extending their services to different stakeholders of the country. Under the CSS. financial assistance is also provided to ICAR Institutes for various fisheries related activities like technology up gradation, fish disease surveillance and control programme, propagation of fisreries technologies and fish culture activities.

The fisheries developmental projects/activities taken up under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS) on Blue Revolution: Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries are furnished at Annexure-I. State-wise details of central funds released under the CSS for development of fisheries are furnished at Annexure-II.

PROMOTING QUALITY STANDARDS



The Quality Council of India (QCI) works for promotion of Quality Standards across various economic and social sectors such as manufacturing, education, health and environment.

The QCI has been established as a National body for Accreditation on recommendation of Expert Mission of EU after consultation in Inter-Ministerial Task Force, Committee of Secretaries and Group of Ministers through a Cabinet decision in 1996.

Accordingly, the QCI was set up through a PPP model as an independent autonomous organization with the support of Government of India and the Indian Industry represented by the three premier industry associations, (i) Associated Chambers of Commerce and Industry of India (ASSOCHAM), (ii) Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) and (iii) Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI).

The QCI is the umbrella organisation of five boards:

- NABL National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories;
- NABH- National Accreditation Board for Hospitals & Healthcare;
- 3. NABET- National Accreditation Board for Education and Training;
- 4. NABCB- National Accreditation Board for Certification Bodies; and
- 5. NBQP- National Board for Quality Promotion.

Besides carrying out accreditation, certification, empanelment and third-party assessment activities through its Boards, QCI is also involved in project initiation, planning & development and its successful execution for various ministries, Government departments and State Governments.

It carries out such activities through its five Boards and

three divisions under Special Projects namely:

- 1. [ZED] ZERO DEFECT ZERO EFFECT,
- 2. [PADD] Project Analysis and Documentation Division; and
- 3. [PPID] Project Planning & Implementation Division.

The projects are carried out as and when allotted by the concerned departments/ organizations and as per the scope, guidelines and timelines as agreed with the concerned organizations/ departments.

QCI operates its quality assurance activities in areas related to industry, education & training, laboratory, environment, health care, sports, etc. through its above five constituent Boards. The scope of each of the accreditation Boards of QCI is given below:

National Accreditation Board for Certification Bodies (NABCB)

National Accreditation Board for Certification Bodies provides accreditation to Certification and Inspection Bodies based on assessment of their competence as per the Board's criteria and in accordance with International Standards and Guidelines.

NABCB is internationally recognized and represents the interests of the Indian industry at international forums through

membership and active participation. NABCB is a member of International Accreditation Forum (IAF) & **Pacific Accreditation** Cooperation (PAC) as well as signatory to their Multilateral Mutual Recognition Arrangements (MLAs / MRAs) for Quality Management Systems, Environmental Management Systems, Food Safety Management Systems, Product Certification, Global G.A.P. and Information Security Management Systems. NABCB is also a signatory to PAC MLA for Energy Management Systems.

NABCB is a Full Member of International Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation (ILAC) & Asia Pacific Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation (APLAC) and a signatory to their MRAs for Inspection. NABCB accreditations are internationally equivalent and facilitates global acceptance of certifications / inspections by its accredited bodies.

National Accreditation Board for Hospitals & Healthcare Providers (NABH)

National Accreditation Board for Hospitals & Healthcare Providers (NABH) operates accreditation programme for healthcare organisations. The board is structured to cater to much desired needs of the consumers and to set benchmarks for progress of healthcare organizations.

The Board while being supported by all stakeholders

including industry, consumers, government, operates within the overall internationally accepted benchmarks of quality. NABH is an Institutional Member of the International Society for Quality in Health Care (ISQua).

It is also a member as well as on the Board of Asian Society for Quality in Healthcare (ASQua).

National Accreditation Board for Education and Training (NABET)

National Accreditation Board for Education and Training (NABET) has set up an established mechanism for overall quality assurance in sectors such as services, education-formal and nonformal, industry and environment.

For focused strategic direction it performs its activities through five distinct verticals namely; Formal Education Excellence Division (FEED), Skills Training, Skill Certification, Environment & MSME.

The activities of the Board are accreditation of Certification Bodies that are working in the domain of personnel certification, certification of training providers and educational organizations.

NABET works with many Central Government ministries, state governments and sector specific associations/chambers to help them create structures and standards in their services, training institutions and other regulatory processes through third party accreditation mechanism. With the aim to add creative value to the services, education and training-learning ecosystem NABET works as per International standards and protocols.

NABET is a member of International Accreditation Forum (IAF) & Pacific Accreditation Cooperation (PAC).

National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration of Laboratories (NABL)

National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration of Laboratories (NABL) grants Accreditation (Recognition) of technical competence of a testing, calibration, medical laboratory, Proficiency Testing Provider (PTP) and Reference Material Producer (RMP) for a specific scope following international standards.

NABL has Mutual Recognition Arrangements (MRA) with Asia Pacific Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation (APLAC) and is also signatory to International Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation (ILAC).

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S. No	Project Name	Start Date	End Date
1.	Design Innovation Centres	28th December 2019	21st February 2020
2.	Ayushman Bharat	12 June 2019	June 2022
3.	National Highways Excellence Awards 2019	16th August 2019	February 2020
4.	Swachh Bharat Mission	January 2018	March 2020
5.	Third Party Sampling, Testing and Analysis of Coal	9 August 2017	September 2022
6.	Third Party Testing of Fisheries for Formaldehyde	June 2019	December 2020
7.	Government e-Marketplace (PMU)	January 2018	December 2020
8.	Government e-Marketplace (Vendor Assessment)	June 2019	September 2022
9.	Public Perception Survey	August 2019	February 2020
10.	High End Cleanliness Assessment at 8 Yatradhams across Gujarat	October 2019	September 2020
11.	Atal Innovation Mission	June 2019	January 2020
12.	Third party evaluation for the TEQIP Phase III	December 2019	March 2020

APEDA ORGANIZES FIRST EVER AWARENESS PROGRAMME ON AGRI EXPORTS IN A&N ISLANDS

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AGRI export action plan for A&N ISLANDS being finalized

An awareness programme was organized by Agriculture and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority (APEDA), Ministry of Commerce and Industries, Government of India along with the Directorate of Industries of the Andaman & Nicobar Islands (A&N Islands) in Port Blair on 31st January, 2020 to examine ways to promote the exports of agri products and implementation of the Agri Export Policy in the Islands.

APEDA has facilitated in developing the draft state Agri Export action plan, which is now being finalized. The Union Territory of A&N Islands has designated department of agriculture as the State nodal agency and deputed Joint

Director Department of Agriculture as nodal officer for implementation of the Agri Export Policy in a focused

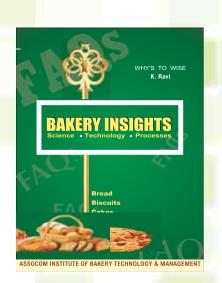
The programme held at Port Blair last week was attended by around 100 participants including concerned Government agencies and some exporters from other States. Secretary Industries, A&N Islands, Dr. Pooja Joshi along with senior officials from APEDA. Director of Industries A&N Islands, NABARD, Central Island Agricultural Research Institute, an ICAR Institute, Spices Board attended the awareness programme. Detailed presentations were also made on activities of the organizations attending the workshop.

The presentation made by APEDA elaborated on the potential of exports from the

island, export requirements, financial assistance schemes provided and the activities to be carried out for the implementation of the Agri Export Policy.

Exporters from Chennai and Jharkhand elaborated on the export requirements of products from the area like fruits, vegetables and dried flowers. The exporters also shared their experiences and assured the participants of providing linkages for exports. Export prospects of spices, coconut products and fisheries were also discussed.

The A&N Islands have the advantage of being on the sea route to the South East Asian Nations and can directly export the agri products from the islands to these countries. In the awareness programme, it was informed by the local administration that plans have been drawn to establish transshipment ports in the Islands to promote direct export from Islands.



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39 MEGA FOOD PARKS AND 298 INTEGRATED COLD CHAIN PROJECTS SANCTIONED UNDER PRADHAN MANTRI KISAN SAMPADA YOJANA (PMKSY)



The Ministry of Food Processing Industries (MoFPI) has sanctioned 39 Mega Food Parks and 298 Integrated Cold Chain Projects throughout the country to fill in the gaps across the value chain and establishing the Cold Chain Grid.

The MoFPI is focusing on building cold chain infrastructure across the country, for seamless transfer of perishables from production to consumption areas, through the Pradhan Mantri Kisan Sampada Yojana (PMKSY), which comprises of component schemes namely (i) Integrated Cold Chain and Value Addition

Infrastructure, (ii) Mega Food
Park, (iii) Creation of Backward
& Forward Linkages, (iv)
Creation/ Expansion of Food
Processing and Preservation
Capacities (v) Agro Processing
Clusters and (vi) Operation
Greens. These schemes aim at
arresting post-harvest losses of
horticulture and nonhorticulture produce by
encouraging the creation of cold
storages/ primary processing/
and transportation facilities
across the country.

A State/ UT-wise list showing the approved Cold Chain and Mega Food Park projects as on date under the PMKSY is placed below:

S.No.	State / UT	Cold Chain project	Mega Food Park project	Total Projects
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	1	-	1
2	Andhra Pradesh	15	3	18
3	Arunachal Pradesh	1	1	2
4	Assam	2	1	3
5	Bihar	5	1	6
6	Chhattisgarh	3	1	4
7	Gujarat	19	2	21
8	Haryana	12	2	14
9	Himachal Pradesh	16	1	17
10	Jammu & Kashmir	7	1	8
11	Karnataka	14	2	16
12	Kerala	5	2	7
13	Madhya Pradesh	8	2	10
14	Maharashtra	64	3	67
15	Manipur	1	1	2
16	Mizoram	2	1	3
17	Nagaland	1	1	2
18	Odisha	5	2	7
19	Punjab	20	3	23
20	Rajasthan	11	1	12
21	Tamil Nadu	18	-	18
22	Telangana	11	2	13
23	Tripura	-	1	1
24	Uttar Pradesh	21	2	23
25	Uttarakhand	24	2	26
26	West Bengal	12	1	13
	TOTAL	298	39	337

SAMPLING OF FOOD ITEMS FOR QUALITY CHECKS

State-wise information of such cases based on reports received by Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) from States/UT Governments for the financial year 2018-19 is given below:



Annual Public Laboratory Testing Report/Data for the year 2018-19

			Total number		Break up of Non Conforming Samples		No. of Cases Launched		No. of Convictions / Penalties		
S. No.	Name of State/UT	No. of Samples Analyse d	of	Unsaf e	Sub Standard	Labelling defects/ Misleadi ng/ Miscella neous		Civil	Convic tions	Number of cases in which penalties imposed	Amount of penalty raised in Rupees
11 1	Andaman & Nicobar Island	268	11	0	11	0	1	90	1	89	1274000
T) 1	Andhra Pradesh	4715	692	149	244	299	104	456	29	344	10691300
1.3	Arunachal Pradesh	291	11	1	3	7	1	7	0	6	21000
4	Assam	515	111	46	48	17	7	14	0	5	77000
5	Bihar	4135	372	110	151	111	25	146	0	30	1065000
6	Chandigarh	315	30	3	16	11	37	21	30	15	335000
7	Chhattisgarh	988	208	16	141	51	23	27	17	8	995000
IX I	Dadara& Nagar Haveli	58	6	0	2	4	0	6	0	6	63000
9	Daman & Diu	145	4	0	1	3	0	4	0	0	0
10	Delhi	2461	485	96	148	241	29	110	38	31	4716001
11	Goa	1550	88	6	45	37	1	9	0	17	866000
12	Gujarat	9884	822	47	432	343	22	353	22	237	19589004
13	Haryana	2929	737	95	459	183	47	488	5	242	5116860
TT /I I	Himachal Pradesh	229	43	6	20	17	4	10	4	35	965500
	Jammu & Kashmir	3600	1416	44	732	640	10	698	1	466	5718800
16	Jharkhand	499	208	44	101	63	10	71	0	22	485000
17	Karnataka	3945	456	100	120	236	71	249	0	146	950800

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18	Kerala	4378	781	201	321	259	102	565	2	339	11117000
19	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1711	Madhya Pradesh	7063	1369	44	651	674	114	1095	8	557	1,82,28,200
21	Maharashtra	4742	1036	278	633	125	957	910	18	529	11996269
22	Manipur	388	56	0	28	28	0	16	0	12	689000
23	Meghalaya	81	3	3	0	0	1	0	0	3	193700
24	Mizoram	124	27	2	7	18	0	0	0	0	0
25	Nagaland	202	175	0	175	0	0	63	0	63	37500
26	Odisha	327	91	22	44	25	38	123	0	3	220000
27	Puducherry	2037	39	0	39	0	0	0	0	7	
28	Punjab	11920	3961	92	2015	1854	45	1840	3	1762	15703200
29	Rajasthan	5760	2147	208	1272	667		657	141	686	2017000
30	Sikkim	182	17	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	0
31	Tamil Nadu	5730	2601	728	813	1060	666	1718	306	1485	50111950
32	Telangana	1760	168	23	86	59	33	191	3	15	248000
33	Tripura	192	8	2	6	0	0	3	0	0	0
34	Uttar Pradesh	22583	11817	1404	7907	2506	451	8524	73	5526	158981003
35	Uttarakhand	755	35	0	25	10	8	28	0	28	2853000
36	West Bengal	1,708	384	130	157	97	6	58	0	20	453000
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Source: States/UTs,

The implementation and enforcement of Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 primarily rests with the State/UT Governments. FSSAI has been impressing upon the States/UTs the need for strengthening regulatory infrastructure at State/UT level, including need for addressing shortage of regulatory staff and placement of full time officers, improvement in sampling and testing facilities etc. through

quarterly meetings of Central Advisory Committee, regular video conference with officials of food safety departments of the State/UT Governments and periodical interactions between Officers of FSSAI and State/UTs at highest level.

Separately, under a Central Sector Scheme for "Strengthening of Food Testing System in the Country", the FSSAI has released a sum of Rs.269.69 Crore for the upgradation of 38 State Food Testing Labs in 29 States/UTs by way of improvement of physical infrastructure, purchase of high end equipments and setting up of microbiological laboratories. 54 Mobile food testing laboratories, called Food Safety on Wheel, have also been delivered to 32 States/UTs.



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