

# **Incentive Assistance to Scheduled Tribe Farmers to Increase the Area, Production and Productivity of Sugarcane Farming**

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## **Objectives (Incentive Assistance to Scheduled Tribe Farmers to Increase the Area, Production and Productivity of Sugarcane Farming)**

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## **Benefits (Incentive Assistance to Scheduled Tribe Farmers to Increase the Area, Production and Productivity of Sugarcane Farming)**

- ■ Name of Component Standard of Assistance Minimum Time Limit (in Years) for Reclaiming Benefits Assistance for sugarcane Sowing ■10,000/
- per Hectare Every year 10% assistance for excellent production 10% extra benefit per metric ton for production exceeding 70 metric Tons/Hectares. Every year Note: This scheme covers a cultivation area of 500 hectares of sugarcane for Scheduled Tribe farmers.

## **Eligibility (Incentive Assistance to Scheduled Tribe Farmers to Increase the Area, Production and Productivity of Sugarcane Farming)**

- The applicant must be a farmer. The applicant must be from Gujarat state. The applicant must belong to the Scheduled Tribe category. The applicant must be a householder. The farmer must be engaged in sugarcane cultivation. Farmers applying for the 10% incentive must demonstrate excellent production using high quality seeds, agricultural inputs, and modern farming practices.

## **Application Process (Incentive Assistance to Scheduled Tribe Farmers to Increase the Area, Production and Productivity of Sugarcane Farming)**

- Step 1: The applicant may visit and apply online at I-Khedut Portal: <https://ikhedut.gujarat.gov.in/> ■
- Step 2: On the home page, click on 'Schemes' and then click on 'Agricultural Schemes'.
- Step 3: Now select the scheme, click on the 'Apply' button and an application page will open.
- Step 4: Click on "Apply New" button and submit a new application.
- Step 5: Click on the "Update Application" button to add corrections to the application.
- Step 6: Once the application is done, confirm it.

- Step 7: Take a print out of the confirmed application.
- Step 8: Printout of the online application should be, signed/thumbprinted, and necessary documents submitted at the concerned office.
- Step 9: Applicant can also check their Application Status/View/Print/Upload Application details from the below link: [https://ikhedut.gujarat.gov.in/public/frm\\_Applicant\\_Corner.aspx](https://ikhedut.gujarat.gov.in/public/frm_Applicant_Corner.aspx) ■ Contact Us: Click here .
- Note: Mandatory Registration: In the application, the farmer must specify the name of the Sugar Co-operative Society where they want to register their sugarcane crop cultivation in their district.
- Approval Process: Applications are verified and approved by the competent authority based on eligibility.
- Communication of Approval: Selected applicants will be notified via SMS, email, or written communication.
- Field Verification: Random verification of sugarcane cultivation is conducted by District Extension Staff.
- Fund Disbursement: Once approved, the assistance amount is directly transferred to the farmer's bank account through the nodal agency.

### **Documents Required (Incentive Assistance to Scheduled Tribe Farmers to Increase the Area, Production and Productivity of Sugarcane Farming)**

- Caste Certificate. 8-A Copy (Land ownership document). Bank Passbook and Cancelled Cheque. Aadhaar Card Copy. Undertaking Form (in case of joint ownership). Physical Disability Certificate (if applicable).

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