

[Integrated Scheme for Export Promotion & Quality Improvement in Spices and Research and Development of Cardamom: Export Oriented Production: Large Cardamom Certified Nursery \(Unit\)](#)

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Benefits33.33% of the cost of production of planting material subject to a maximum of ₹ 3 per seedling for the General Category.75% of the cost of production of planting material @ ₹ 6.75 per seedling for SC/ST.

Time of PaymentPayment of subsidy will be in the succeeding year of planting the mother suckers/ seeds for multiplication in the nursery and satisfactory production of suckers/seedlings.

Mode of PaymentEligible assistance will be paid to beneficiaries through Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT), except for specific cases like QBG, weather-based insurance for cardamom (small), and distribution of polythene sheets.

EligibilityIndividual growers/farmers groups having suitable land and facility for irrigating the nursery.

Area of OperationSikkim, Darjeeling & Kalimpong districts of West Bengal & other NE States.

ModalitiesAllotment of units will be multiples of 500 with a minimum of 1000 nos. to a maximum of 5000 nos. per beneficiary.Farmers will start nursery follow-up visits will be conducted by the Field Staff and necessary technical guidance will be rendered for successful production of planting materials.Planting materials produced in the nurseries will be used for replanting / gap filling by the applicants and the balance will be supplied to the neighbouring/needy farmers at an optimum price not exceeding the market price. Designated Officials will conduct final inspections and recommend the eligible cases.

Application Process

Offline Step 1: Application SubmissionApplicants submit their applications with necessary document copies to Field Offices in major spice-growing regions of the country. The applications are entered into the system (GMS) and screened for eligibility based on criteria.

Step 2: Additional Document SubmissionApplicants may be required to submit extra documents if requested by the concerned officer, such as SC/ST certificates, legal heirship certificates, and more.

Step 3: Legal Entity Requirement for Farmers GroupsFarmer groups seeking assistance must be a legal entity (e.g., Reg. Society/FPC/FPO/SHG/SPS). An agreement must be executed with the Board in the prescribed format on a ₹ 200/- stamp paper.

Step 4: Inspection and RecommendationOfficers will issue a conditional permit order after preliminary inspection (if applicable). A final inspection will be conducted by the officer in charge upon successful completion of the activity or purchase of equipment. The date of successful completion communication will determine the "first-come-first-serve" criteria for recommending eligible cases for sanction. Eligible cases will be recommended to the appropriate authority for sanction.You need to sign in before applying for schemes[Cancel](#)[Sign In](#)Something went wrong. Please try again later.[Ok](#)It seems you have already initiated your application earlier.To know more please visit [Cancel](#)[Apply Now](#)[Documents Required](#)Parcha copy / Possession certificate Aadhar card Copy of SC/ST certificate (if applicable) Copy of Bank Passbook e) No Objection Certificate from panchayats if the Land is not in the beneficiary's name.

Frequently Asked QuestionsWho issues a conditional permit order, and when is it issued? Officers issue a conditional permit order after a preliminary inspection (if applicable), and a final inspection determines the date of successful completion for recommending eligible cases for sanction.What type of legal entity must farmer groups seeking assistance be? Farmer groups seeking assistance must be a legal entity (e.g., Reg. Society/FPC/FPO/SHG/SPS), and they must execute an agreement with the Board in the prescribed format on a ₹ 200/- stamp paper.How is the final inspection and eligibility recommendation process conducted?Designated officials will conduct a final inspection, and eligible cases will be recommended based on first-come-first-serve criteria.What is the primary purpose of the planting materials produced in the nurseries?These materials are used for replanting/gap filling by the applicants and may be supplied to neighboring/needy farmers at a reasonable price not exceeding the market rate.How are the units allotted to the beneficiaries?Allotment of units is in multiples of 500, with a minimum of 1000 units and a maximum of 5000 units per beneficiary.In which regions does this scheme operate?This scheme operates in Sikkim, Darjeeling & Kalimpong districts of West Bengal, and other Northeastern states.Who is eligible to participate in this scheme?Individual growers/farmer groups with suitable land and nursery irrigation facilities are eligible.How is the eligible assistance paid to the beneficiaries?Eligible assistance is paid to beneficiaries through Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT), with exceptions for specific cases.When is the subsidy payment made to the beneficiaries?Subsidy payment is made in the succeeding year after planting the mother suckers/seeds for multiplication in the nursery and satisfactory production of suckers/seedlings.What is the benefit provided to SC/ST for the cost of production of planting material? SC/ST beneficiaries receive 75% of the cost of production, equivalent to Rs 6.75 per seedling.What is the benefit provided to the General Category for the cost of production of planting material?General Category beneficiaries receive 33.33% of the cost of production per seedling, up to a maximum of Rs 3 per seedling.What documents are required to apply for this scheme?Required documents include Parcha copy/Possession certificate, Aadhar card, copy of SC/ST certificate (if applicable), copy of the Bank Passbook, and a No Objection Certificate from panchayats if the land is not in the beneficiary's name.What is the main objective of the Large Cardamom Certified Nursery scheme?The scheme aims to encourage farmers to produce quality and disease-free planting materials in their fields for replanting.Sources And ReferencesGuidelinesOkWas this helpful?News and UpdatesNo new news and updates availableShareSomething went wrong. Please try again later.OkYou need to sign in before applying for schemes[Cancel](#)[Sign In](#)Something went wrong. Please try again later.OkIt seems you have already initiated your application earlier.To know more please visit [Cancel](#)[Apply Now](#)[Check Eligibility](#)[Ministry Of Commerce And Industry](#)[Integrated Scheme for Export Promotion & Quality Improvement in Spices and Research and Development of Cardamom: Export Oriented Production: Large Cardamom Certified Nursery \(Unit\)](#)[Agriculture DBT](#)[Export Farmer Nursery Subsidy](#)[Sign in to apply](#)[Details](#)[Benefits](#)[Eligibility](#)[Application Process](#)[Documents Required](#)[Frequently Asked Questions](#)The scheme "Export Oriented Production: Large Cardamom Certified Nursery (Unit)" is a Sub-Scheme of the Integrated Scheme for Export Promotion & Quality Improvement in Spices and Research and Development of Cardamom by the Spice Board, Department of Commerce and Industry, Ministry of Commerce. The objective of this scheme is to promote farmers to produce quality and disease-free planting materials in their own fields for replanting.

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