

## Supply of Fertilizers

### Nutrient Based Subsidy Policy (NBS Policy):

Department of Fertilizers (DoF), Government of India communicated the New Nutrient Based Subsidy Policy effective from 1.4.2010 and continued in the year 2022-23 also.

### Salient features of NBS Policy:

- **Products covered:** The NBS is applicable to DAP, MOP, MAP, TSP, 15 grades of Complex fertilizers, Ammonium Sulphate (of GSFC & FACT) and SSP.
- **Subsidy Applicable:** The primary nutrients of N, P, K and Sulphur (S) are eligible for subsidy. (The per Kg subsidy N- Rs. 98.02/-, P -Rs. 66.93 /-, K- Rs. 23.65 /-, S- Rs. 6.12 /-) for the year 2022-23 ( from 1<sup>st</sup> Oct'22 upto 31<sup>st</sup> Mar'2023) under NBS Scheme.
- Additional per Tonne subsidy is given for fertilizers carrying other secondary and micro nutrients. This is to encourage balanced use of fertilizers. The per MT additional subsidy on Boron (B) - Rs. 300/- & Zinc (Zn)- Rs. 500/-.  
**Secondary Nutrients:** Calcium (Ca) & Sulphur (S)  
**Micro Nutrients:** Zinc Nutrients:(Zn), Boron (B), Manganese, (Mn), Iron (Fe), Copper (Cu) & Molybdenum (Mo)
- \*The Department of Fertilizers (DoF) fixes the subsidy of fertilizers and the companies will decide the MRPs.
- **\*Printing on the Bags:** The fertilizer companies required to print the Maximum Retail Prices (MRP) along with the applicable subsidy on the fertilizer bags clearly. Any sale above the printed MRP will be punishable under Essential Commodities Act.
- \*All the Fertilizer Inspectors will ensure compliance of the above item.
- \*The distribution and movement of fertilizers along with import of finished fertilizers, fertilizer inputs and production by indigenous units will continue to be monitored through the online web based "Integrated Fertilizer Monitoring System (iFMS)".
- Manufacturers / Marketers / Importers of P&K fertilizers, including manufacturers of SSP, are required to ensure that fertilizers are transported up to the retail point on Freight on Road (F.O.R.) delivery basis.
- There would be no separate subsidy on sale of customized fertilizers and Mixture Fertilizers.

- The Payment of subsidy to the manufacturers / Importers of P&K fertilizers shall be released as per the procedure and terms & Conditions mentioned in the Department Notification No.D(FA)/ CCEA / 2011 dated 25.10.2012 and D(FA)/2016/DBT dated 17.03.2017, as amended from time to time.

**Supply Plan of Fertilizers: -**

The product-wise monthly allocations to the States i.e., supply plans will be decided and communicated to the States by the Department of Fertilizers (DoF), Government of India and in turn to the districts from the State head Office as being done now.

**District-wise DoF allotment for Kharif 2022 & Rabi 2022-23 : -**

**Kharif 2022:**

<b>New Dist</b>	<b>Urea</b>	<b>DAP</b>	<b>MoP</b>	<b>SSP</b>	<b>Complex</b>	<b>Total</b>
Srikakulam	32494	15122	6027	715	6570	60928
Vizianagaram	37813	11719	5249	1598	6981	63360
Manyam	27183	9242	6581	2965	7889	53859
Alluri Seetha Rama Raju	8063	2967	922	255	3094	15301
Visakhapatnam	1828	770	200	13	363	3175
Anakapalle	31423	5308	3379	515	4052	44677
Kakinada	31097	7564	5394	3083	11620	58759
Konaseema	22315	3546	8988	2395	14071	51315
East Godavari	33101	4855	10664	6098	17777	72495
West Godavari	22279	2261	9329	5324	19967	59159
Eluru	40076	10225	21797	19483	37518	129098
Krishna	50809	10153	7862	7478	30732	107034
NTR	38957	7530	4867	7040	32927	91321
Guntur	31677	13634	2196	3707	21103	72315
Bapatla	27504	10644	1846	4008	17121	61123
Palnadu	42744	17528	3010	3052	46917	113251
Prakasam	15030	7480	1276	2291	26738	52816
SPSRNellore	31855	7034	5498	3779	18067	66232
Kurnool	68946	14179	5762	2036	108966	199889
Nandyal	59108	24013	8677	3525	94770	190093
Anantapur	32825	14034	7666	3354	44424	102303
Sri Satyasai	12501	4988	1411	2116	7344	28360
YSR Kadapa	39239	7453	4879	4109	33264	88944
Annamayya	20180	5780	3159	3245	11535	43900
Chittoor	17270	3840	1092	898	6271	29371
Tirupathi	23685	3131	3269	1917	10920	42922
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>800000</b>	<b>225000</b>	<b>141000</b>	<b>95000</b>	<b>641000</b>	<b>1902000</b>

**Rabi 2022-23 :**

<b>District wise Fertilizer Qtys - Rabi 2022-23(MTs)</b>							
<b>Name of the District</b>	<b>DoF Allotments - Rabi 2022-23(MTs)</b>						
	<b>Urea</b>	<b>Complex</b>	<b>DAP</b>	<b>SSP</b>	<b>MoP</b>	<b>Others</b>	<b>Total</b>
Srikakulam	24670	6543	4304	1341	3776	806	<b>41439</b>
Vizianagaram	19843	5959	2644	846	3004	728	<b>33024</b>
ParvathipuramManyam	15861	5424	2510	1814	3562	522	<b>29693</b>
Alluri Sitharama Raju	5187	2601	874	1201	501	1340	<b>11703</b>
Visakhapatanam	2302	730	358	80	293	90	<b>3854</b>
Anakapalli	12714	2844	2187	756	2378	659	<b>21538</b>
Kakinada	36728	26922	9985	3615	7031	1381	<b>85662</b>
Konaseema	31596	26714	5954	2409	8495	1489	<b>76657</b>
East Godavari	47041	34631	6164	7052	11419	2002	<b>108309</b>
West Godavari	36884	35714	6082	4408	9752	1236	<b>94076</b>
Eluru	57632	63109	14995	16000	23810	2970	<b>178516</b>
Krishna	25327	20947	2773	4244	7074	964	<b>61328</b>
NTR	34911	34631	4927	3533	6331	1114	<b>85447</b>
Guntur	50145	38555	8350	1086	4214	1551	<b>103901</b>
Bapatla	50512	63979	15636	2764	6422	1702	<b>141015</b>
Palnadu	70223	124675	19596	2104	7795	2633	<b>227025</b>
Prakasam	38584	85882	13890	3185	7932	4009	<b>153482</b>
SPSRNellore	84897	66835	18554	8742	13206	3278	<b>195512</b>
Kurnool	21858	58058	5456	808	4209	2080	<b>92469</b>
Nandyal	42397	89613	13701	1096	6896	2290	<b>155993</b>
Anantapur	24351	46183	9038	2235	6485	2377	<b>90669</b>
Sri Sathya Sai	9669	11026	3626	3756	1411	918	<b>30407</b>
YSR	27749	43205	5740	2521	6827	1639	<b>87681</b>
Annamayya	14685	13088	5458	3766	3122	1534	<b>41653</b>
Chittoor	19212	11782	4934	2772	2352	1222	<b>42274</b>
Tirupati	60023	36352	7265	2864	9705	1464	<b>117673</b>
Total:.	<b>865000</b>	<b>956000</b>	<b>195000</b>	<b>85000</b>	<b>168000</b>	<b>42000</b>	<b>2311000</b>

**Note: The districtwise company wise Fertilizer Stock position and Sales can be monitored in IFMS Portal([www.dbtfert.nic.in](http://www.dbtfert.nic.in))**

**DBT****Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) Division:**

The Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) Division is headed by Additional Secretary who is assisted by a Director (DBT). The work entrusted to Direct Benefit Transfer Division is implementation of DBT in Fertilizers; all DBT related activities in the country, Coordination with NIC, Administration of DBT PMU/State & District Coordinators, IFMS related activities etc.

The Government has introduced Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) system for fertilizer subsidy payments. Under the fertilizer DBT system, 100% subsidy on various fertilizer grades shall be released to the fertilizer companies, on the basis of actual sales made by the retailers to the beneficiaries. Sale of all subsidized fertilizers to farmers/buyers will be made through Point of Sale (PoS) devices installed at each retailer shop and the beneficiaries will be identified through Aadhaar Card, KCC, Voter Identity Card etc.

#### **Salient features of DBT in Fertilizer:**

- The DBT model in fertilizers is different from the conventional system of DBT being implemented in LPG.
- Under DBT system in fertilizer subsidies, the farmers/beneficiaries will continue to receive Urea at statutory subsidised prices and P&K fertilizers at subsidized prices in the market.
- The fertilizer companies, which used to receive subsidy on receipt of fertilizers at the district, will now get subsidy after the retailers sell the fertilizers to farmers/beneficiaries through Point of Sale (PoS) machines through biometric authentication.

#### **Dr. YSR RBKs - A Game Changer in Fertilizer Supplies at Panchayat Level**

- The Govt of A.P with the vision of doubling of farmers income through various initiatives have established 10,778 Government owned and Government operated Rythu Bharosa Kendras (RBKs) at all the village secretariats across the State.
- The Rythu Bharosa Kendra (RBK) is a common platform to integrate different line functions and is highly necessitated to excel and accelerate Government services qualitatively and quantitatively. Further, RBK is a most novel, effective and efficient platform for knowledge dissemination & assimilation and also to provide farmers with pre-tested & certified quality assured inputs and allied services.
- Integrated holistic approach of Seed to Sale Concept is being adopted for sustainability of RBKs in extending services to the farmers viz., supply of pre-tested quality assured Agri-inputs, technology transfer & procurement of produce etc.

- Supply of Fertilizers across the table by pre-positioning of the fertilizers at RBK Godowns in the Villages duly adopting the DBT guidelines using iFMS android 3.1.
- Each RBK is provided with a digital kiosk through which the agri inputs will be indented by the farmers assisted by Village Agricultural Assistant (VAA).
- In each Gram Panchayat, a village volunteer is attached to the VAA to assist in input sale transactions.
- To reduce the cost on logistics, Retail Fertilizer Licenses were issued to all the RBKs to get Fertilizer stocks on FOL.
- Facilitated the Integrated Laboratory Services for quality testing of various Agri inputs. To facilitate the farmers to access quality fertilizers in the villages, the fertilizers are made available to the farmers at RBKs.
- Already fertilizers are being supplied to the RBKs without any brand preference, Hence they are being identified as brand neutral input stores.

### **Impact of RBKs in Fertilizer Sales;**

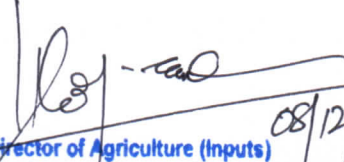
- Supply of Pre-tested, certified, Quality Assured Inputs at farmer's doorsteps.
- Pre-tested quality input supply and technology transfer – twin objectives.
- Stabilization of Market Operated Prices
- Avoiding linkage of products
- Supply at fair prices at farmer doorsteps.
- No hoarding, price escalation and panic situation.
- Saving of cost towards logistics / transport.
- Brand neutral outlets / farmer preferred brands

### **Targets assigned for the year 2022-23;(Qty in MTs)**

S. No	District	Kharif 2022					Rabi 2022-23				
		UREA	DAP	MOP	NPKS	Total	UREA	DAP	MOP	NPKS	Total
1	Srikakulam	5720	2420	880	1980	11000	6020	2000	840	2140	11000
2	Vizianagaram	5200	2200	800	1800	10000	5020	2000	840	2140	10000
3	P Manyam	4160	1760	640	1440	8000	2700	1000	400	900	5000
4	ASR	1040	440	160	360	2000	1080	400	160	360	2000
5	Visakhapatnam	1560	660	240	540	3000	810	300	120	270	1500

6	Anakapalle	3120	1320	480	1080	6000	1620	600	240	540	3000
7	Kakinada	4160	1760	640	1440	8000	7560	2800	1120	2520	14000
8	Konaseema	3120	1320	480	1080	6000	5400	2000	800	1800	10000
9	East Godavari	4160	1760	640	1440	8000	8100	3000	1200	2700	15000
10	West Godavari	3120	1320	480	1080	6000	6480	2400	960	2160	12000
11	Eluru	4680	1980	720	1620	9000	5400	2000	800	1800	10000
12	NTR	3120	1320	480	1080	6000	5400	2000	800	1800	10000
13	Krishna	3640	1540	560	1260	7000	6320	2200	840	1640	11000
14	Guntur	5200	2200	800	1800	10000	10420	4000	1640	3940	20000
15	Bapatla	5200	2200	800	1800	10000	8480	3000	1160	2360	15000
16	Palnadu	4160	1760	640	1440	8000	16200	6000	2400	5400	30000
17	Prakasam	4160	1760	640	1440	8000	6820	2800	1040	1840	12500
18	SPSR Nellore	5200	2200	800	1800	10000	14850	5500	2200	4950	27500
19	Kurnool	5200	2200	800	1800	10000	5240	2400	880	1480	10000
20	Nandyal	4680	1980	720	1620	9000	6480	2400	960	2160	12000
21	Anantapur	4160	1760	640	1440	8000	4500	1600	640	1440	8180
22	Sri Satya Sai	4160	1760	640	1440	8000	2780	800	360	1160	5100
23	YSR	4680	1980	720	1620	9000	6480	2400	960	2160	12000
24	Annamayya	4160	1760	640	1440	8000	5440	1600	640	1540	9220
25	Chittoor	3120	1320	480	1080	6000	5400	2000	800	1800	10000
26	Tirupati	3120	1320	480	1080	6000	7000	2800	1200	3000	14000
<b>Total:</b>		<b>104000</b>	<b>44000</b>	<b>16000</b>	<b>36000</b>	<b>200000</b>	<b>162000</b>	<b>60000</b>	<b>24000</b>	<b>54000</b>	<b>300000</b>

**Note: The district wise Fertilizer Stock position and Sales can be monitored in CMAID app(<https://markfer.ap.gov.in>)**

  
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