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To All Members:

Dear Sir,

Reg : Progress of Sowing of Kharif (2014) Oilseed Crop as on 9th October, 2014

We reproduce here below the Agriculture Ministry report of Kharif oilseeds sowing data for week ending 9th October, 2014 vis a vis same period of the last year (2013) as under :

Area in Lakh Ha.

Item	Normal Area (5 Years Average)	Area sown as on			Coverage Area 2013	Coverage Area 2012	Changed Compared to 2013
		9.10.2014	1.10.2014	25.9.2014			
Groundnut	49.02	37.25	37.21	37.04	43.19	39.05	(-) 5.94
Soybean	95.70	110.22	110.22	110.22	122.20	107.03	(-) 11.98
Sunflower	5.13	2.05	2.05	2.00	2.43	2.79	(-) 0.38
Sesamum	16.50	16.32	16.31	16.24	14.91	14.23	(+) 1.41
Niger	3.45	2.28	2.28	1.83	2.33	2.57	(-) 0.05
Castor	9.39	10.35	10.24	10.23	9.84	11.81	(+) 0.52
Total	179.19	178.48	178.32	177.56	194.91	177.49	(-) 16.42

Crop-wise Brief:

Groundnut : Area coverage during Kharif 2014 is lower by 5.94 lakh ha compared to corresponding period of Kharif 2013.

Soybean : Area coverage during Kharif 2014 is lower by 11.98 lakh ha compared to corresponding period of Kharif 2013.

Sunflower : Area coverage during Kharif 2014 is lower by 0.38 lakh ha compared to corresponding period of Kharif 2013.

Sesamum : Area coverage during Kharif 2014 is higher by 1.41 lakh ha compared to corresponding period of Kharif 2013.

Niger : Area coverage during Kharif 2014 is lower by 0.05 lakh ha compared to corresponding period of Kharif 2013.

Castor : Area coverage during Kharif 2014 is higher by 0.52 lakh ha compared to corresponding period of Kharif 2013.

We reproduce here below a State-wise Kharif Oilseeds sowing position as on 9th October, 2014.

This is for your kind information.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Dr. B. V. MEHTA
Executive Director

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STATEWISE AREA COVERED UNDER KHARIF OILSEEDS FOR WEEK ENDING AS ON 9th October, 2014

Area in Lakh Ha.

Sr. No	State	Groundnut		Soybean		Sunflower		Sesamum		Niger		Castor		Total	
		2014	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013
1.	Andhra Pradesh	7.55	8.96	0.01	--	0.07	0.08	0.24	0.28	--	--	0.46	0.45	8.33	9.77
2.	Telangana	0.10	0.16	2.71	2.84	0.03	0.01	0.04	0.03	--	--	0.66	0.83	3.54	3.88
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
4.	Assam	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.01	--	--	--	--	--	0.01
5.	Bihar	0.01	0.02	--	--	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.03	--	--	0.01	0.01	0.05	0.07
6.	Chhattisgarh	0.52	0.55	1.47	1.58	--	--	0.38	0.41	0.69	0.56	--	--	3.06	3.10
7.	Gujarat	12.25	16.60	0.74	0.82	--	--	1.46	1.18	0.07	0.08	7.33	6.22	21.86	24.90
8.	Haryana	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.01	0.02	--	--	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.03
9.	Himachal Pradesh	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.09	0.09	--	--	--	--	0.09	0.09
11.	Jharkhand	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
12.	Karnataka	4.69	4.95	2.92	2.50	1.54	2.01	0.45	0.46	0.10	0.13	0.12	0.14	9.82	10.19
13.	Kerala	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
14.	Madhya Pradesh	2.35	2.23	55.46	63.80	--	--	3.61	2.86	0.75	0.73	--	--	62.17	69.62
15.	Maharashtra	1.94	1.96	38.01	39.17	0.27	0.24	0.28	0.23	0.20	0.22	0.17	0.15	40.86	41.98
16.	Odisha	0.90	0.84	--	--	--	--	1.26	1.47	0.47	0.61	0.07	0.07	2.71	2.99
17.	Punjab	0.03	0.03	--	--	0.11	--	0.05	0.06	--	--	--	--	0.19	0.09
18.	Rajasthan	4.12	4.18	8.21	10.59	--	--	4.42	3.95	--	--	1.49	1.92	18.24	20.64
19.	Tamil Nadu	1.79	1.69	--	--	0.01	0.07	0.13	0.17	--	--	0.04	0.04	1.97	1.96
20.	Uttar Pradesh	0.91	0.94	0.59	0.80	--	--	3.86	3.61	--	--	--	--	5.36	5.35
21.	Uttarakhand	0.06	0.06	0.10	0.06	--	--	0.01	0.04	--	--	--	--	0.17	0.16
22.	West Bengal	0.03	0.02	--	0.04	--	--	0.01	0.01	--	--	--	--	0.04	0.08
23.	Others	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total – All India		37.25	43.19	110.22	122.20	2.05	2.43	16.32	14.91	2.28	2.33	10.35	9.84	178.48	194.91

Source : Ministry of Agriculture, GOI
File : Kharif Crop Wise Summary