

F. No 7-2/ (RTI)/2019-SDDS-ES  
Government of India  
Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare  
(Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare)  
Directorate of Economics & Statistics  
(SDDS Division)

539, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi

Dated: 18<sup>th</sup> August, 2022

**Subject: Application under Right to Information Act 2005.**

Please refer to your RTI application dated 10.8.2022 having registration no. DOEAS/R/E/22/00034 received via RTI Cell on 10.8.2022 seeking information on district-wise area, production and yield (APY) data of major crops at district / block / taluka level for the year 2017 to 2022 under Right to Information Act 2005.

2. In this regard it is informed that SDDS Division of Directorate Economics and Statistics (DES), compiles and disseminates District-wise Area, Production and Yield (APY) of agricultural crops grown in the country based on data supplied by designated State Agricultural Statistics Authorities (SASAs) for all the States / UTs in the country. The information on district-wise APY data is maintained by this division since 1998-99. The information sought by applicant on district-wise APY data of various major crop including Coimbatore, Tirupur , Erode and Nigiris districts of Tamilnadu State is available & uploaded till the year 2019-20 and the same may be accessed with the path [https://aps.dac.gov.in/APY/Public\\_Report1.aspx](https://aps.dac.gov.in/APY/Public_Report1.aspx) . However, information sought by applicant at Taluka / Block level is not maintained by this division.

3. Further, it is also stated that the collection and compilation of district-wise data on APY for the remaining years by the States / UTs are in progress and the same may be available in the public domain (<https://eands.dacnet.nic.in>) in due course.

4. First appeal, if any, against the reply may be made to the First Appellate Authority, S. Arputhaswamy, Adviser & Appellate Authority, Room No. 444, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi (e-mail: [arputhaswamy.s@nic.in](mailto:arputhaswamy.s@nic.in), Telephone No. 011-23384780) within 30 days of this receipt.



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