

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
AGRICULTURE  
LOK SABHA**

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SHEEP AND WOOL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME  
Gadhavi Shri Pushpdan Shambhudan

**Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:**

- (a) the aid granted under the integrated sheep and wool development programme to Gujarat during the last three years; and
- (b) the performance of Gujarat on production and development of wool during the said period?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE & MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (DR. AKHILESH PRASAD SINGH)

(a): An amount of Rs.64.84 lakh and Rs.34.50 lakh was provided as grant-in-aid to Gujarat Sheep and Wool Development Corporation by Central Wool Development Board (CWDB) under Integrated Sheep and Wool Development Programme (ISWDP) during 2002-03 and 2003-04 respectively. The ISWDP was subsumed in Sheep and Wool Improvement Scheme (SWIS) during 10th Plan under which grant to the tune of Rs.133.50 lakh and Rs.42.30 lakh was provided to Gujarat during 2003-04 and 2004-05 respectively.

(b): Estimates for wool production in 2004-05 are not available so far. During 2002-03 and 2003-04 wool production in the State of Gujarat had been 27.11 lakh kg and 27.80 lakh kg respectively.