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Through E-mail

ALL MEMBERS,

SUB. : LATEST SOWING DATA OF KHARIF OILSEED CROPS AS ON 30.06.2016

Dear Sirs,

We are pleased to give below weekly status of Sowing of Kharif oilseed crops in India received from Director, Directorate of Oilseeds Development, Hyderabad, as on 30.06.2016 along-with comparative figures for last year on the same date.

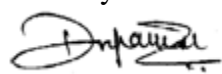
The sowing of Soybean as on 30.06.2016 stood at 18.863 lakh hectares, which was 36.887 lakh hectare on same date last year. Due to the late monsoon the sowing in major soybean growing areas i.e. Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra and Rajasthan started late. As of now the monsoon is active in these areas and sowing is in full swing.

We will keep you updated on weekly basis.

Thanking you,

Very truly yours,

The Soybean Processors Association of India



D.N. Pathak

Executive Director

CROP-WISE SUMMARY AS ON 30.06.2016

Area in Lakh Hectare

Crop	Normal area *	Average as on date #	AREA SOWN		Change over Average as on date	Change over 2014
			2016	2015	Absolute (+) (-)	Absolute (+) (-)
Groundnut	43.790	10.763	8.161	15.176	-2.602	-7.015
Soybean	104.369	21.929	18.863	36.887	-3.066	-18.024
Sunflower	2.630	0.404	0.550	0.354	0.146	0.196
Sesamum	16.178	1.109	0.890	1.340	-0.219	-0.450
Niger	3.190	0.027	0.019	0.063	-0.008	-0.044
Castor	12.512	0.496	0.228	0.416	-0.268	-0.188
Total	182.669	34.728	28.711	54.236	-6.017	-25.525

* Indicates Normal Area is average of 2011-12 to 2014-15 as per the Directorate of Economics & Statistics, Government of India, New Delhi.

Indicates Average as on date is derived by making average of area coverage under oilseeds for the corresponding week period of last five years from Kharif 2011 to 2015.

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STATE-WISE PROGRESS OF SOWING AS ON 30.06.2016

Area in Lakh Hectare

S.No.	State	Groundnut		Soybean		Sunflower		Sesamum		Niger		Castor		Total Oilseeds	
		2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015
1	Andhra Pradesh	2.308	1.590	0.001	0.000	0.005	0.005	0.216	0.150			0.040	0.031	2.570	1.776
2	Telangana	0.030	0.030	1.810	1.790		0.000	0.010	0.020			0.130	0.250	1.980	2.090
3	Arunachal Pradesh													0.000	0.000
4	Assam													0.000	0.000
5	Bihar	0.001				0.005	0.001	0.006	0.003			0.003		0.015	0.004
6	Chhattisgarh	0.010	0.020	0.090	0.160									0.100	0.180
7	Gujarat	1.082	8.790	0.013	0.408				0.241		0.004	0.006	0.027	1.101	9.470
8	Haryana	0.030												0.030	0.000
9	Himachal Pradesh													0.000	0.000
10	Jammu & Kashmir	0.007						0.010						0.017	0.000
11	Jharkhand													0.000	0.000
12	Karnataka	1.660	1.240	2.360	1.970	0.520	0.330	0.330	0.390	0.010	0.010	0.040	0.040	4.920	3.980
13	Kerala													0.000	0.000
14	Madhya Pradesh	0.140	0.340	10.470	18.090			0.010	0.020		0.030			10.620	18.480
15	Maharashtra	0.431	0.762	2.963	12.571	0.017	0.017	0.008	0.034	0.009	0.019		0.057	3.428	13.460
16	Odisha	0.290	0.040					0.099	0.232			0.003	0.005	0.392	0.277
17	Punjab													0.000	0.000
18	Rajasthan	1.740	2.145	0.780	1.898			0.117	0.168			0.003	0.003	2.640	4.214
19	Tamil Nadu	0.200	0.207			0.000	0.001	0.038	0.076				0.003	0.238	0.287
20	Uttar Pradesh	0.220	0.001	0.170				0.010						0.400	0.001
21	Uttarakhand			0.030										0.030	0.000
22	West Bengal	0.005	0.011					0.005	0.006					0.010	0.017
23	Others	0.007		0.176		0.003		0.031				0.003		0.220	0.000
	Total	8.161	15.176	18.863	36.887	0.550	0.354	0.890	1.340	0.019	0.063	0.228	0.416	28.711	54.236

Source : Directorate of Oilseeds Development, Hyderabad