

***Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana-
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Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana - Remunerative Approaches For The Agriculture & Allied sectors Rejuvenation

- ◆ Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY) is a Centrally Sponsored Scheme intended to develop Agriculture and Allied sectors in a holistic manner. The funds are allotted by the Central and State Government in the ratio of 60:40.
- ◆ Govt. of India has modified the name of RKVY as RKVY-RAFTAAR i.e., RKVY- Remunerative Approaches For The Agriculture & Allied sectors Rejuvenation from 2018-19 onwards.

Objectives

RKVY-RAFTAAR aims at making farming a remunerative economic activity through strengthening the farmers' effort, risk mitigation and promoting agri-business entrepreneurship.

- ◆ To strengthen the farmers' efforts through creation of required pre and post-harvest agri-infrastructure that increases access to quality inputs, storage, market facilities etc and enables farmers to make informed choices.
- ◆ To provide autonomy, flexibility to states to plan and execute schemes as per local farmers' needs.
- ◆ To promote value chain addition linked production models that will help farmers to increase their income as well as encourage production/productivity
- ◆ To mitigate risk of farmers with focus on additional income generation activities - like integrated farming, mushroom cultivation, bee keeping, aromatic plant cultivation, floriculture etc.
- ◆ To attend national priorities through several sub-schemes.
- ◆ To empower youth through skill development, innovation and agri-entrepreneurship based agri-business models that attract them to agriculture.

Funding pattern

A. Regular RKVY-RAFTAAR -70 percent total of annual outlay

- Infrastructure and assets : 50 percent (of 70 percent) - (pre-harvest infrastructure- 20 percent, post-harvest infrastructure- 30 percent)
- Value addition linked production projects (agri-business models) : 30 percent (of 70 percent) of regular RKVY outlay.
- Flexi funds : 20% (of 70%) of regular RKVY-RAFTAAR outlay.

States can use Flexi funds for supporting any project as per their local needs preferably for innovative activities in agriculture and allied sectors.

B.RKVY-RAFTAAR special sub-schemes –20 percent of total annual outlay

- ◆ Based on national priorities as notified by Govt. of India from time to time for development of region and problem specific areas.

C. Innovation and agri-entrepreneur development -10 percent of total annual outlay

- ◆ For encouraging innovation and agri-entrepreneurs through skill development and financial support. It will support incubates, incubation centers, KVKs, awards etc. These funds will be with Central Govt. (DAC&FW) including 2% of administrative costs at the Centre.

Departments involved in RKVY-RAFTAAR

- ◆ Agriculture & Allied sectors i.e., Agriculture, Horticulture, Animal Husbandry, Fisheries, Sericulture, ANGRAU, Dr. YSR Horticulture University, Sri Venkateswara Veterinary University will implement RKVY – RAFTAAR during 2018-19.

Sanction Authority

- ◆ The State Level Sanction Committee headed by Chief Secretary, Govt. of A.P. & Spl. Chief Secretary (Agriculture) as Member Secretary will sanction projects under RKVY-RAFTAAR. State Agriculture Department is the nodal Department.

Status under RKVY during 2017-18

- ◆ Govt. of India has allocated an amount of Rs. 344.18 Crores for implementation of various projects of Agriculture & Allied sectors under Normal RKVY and Rs. 5.63 Crores for sub schemes i.e. Crop Diversification Programme (CDP) and Additional Fodder Development of Programme (AFDP) during 2017-18.

S.No.	Particulars	Allocation (Rs. in Crores)			Releases (Rs. in Crores)		
		Central	State	Total	Central	State	Total
1	Normal RKVY	206.51	137.67	344.18	206.51	137.67	44.18
2	Sub schemes						
	a CDP	2.10	1.40	3.50	1.050	-	-
	b AFDP	1.28	0.85	2.13	0.640	-	-
	Sub schemes total	3.38	2.25	5.63	1.690	-	-
	GRAND TOTAL	209.89	139.92	349.81	208.20	137.67	344.18

- ◆ An amount of Rs. 344.18 Crores has been released during 2017-18 for implementing Normal RKVY. An amount of Rs. 172.089 Crores has been incurred by different sectors during 2017-18 under Normal RKVY. The 2nd installment amount of Rs. 172.09 Crores has been released at the flag end of the year i.e., March,2018.

Action Plan 2018-19

- GoI has allocated an amount of Rs.325.07 Cr. (Centre Rs.195.04 Cr.+ State Rs.130.03 Cr.) under RKVY-RAFTAAR for the year 2018-19.
- Agriculture & allied sectors have proposed projects worth of Rs.325.07 Cr. The State Level Sanction Committee headed by Chief Secretary, Govt. of A.P. will approve sector wise projects under RKVY-RAFTAAR for the year 2018-19

S.No.	Sector	No. of projects	Proposed outlay (Rs. in Crores)
1	Agriculture	3	128.32
2	Horticulture	3	40.40
3	ANGRAU	12	18.31
4	Animal Husbandry	9	51.65
5	Sericulture	3	8.35
6	Dr. YSRHU	7	7.80
7	Fisheries	6	20.21
8	APDDCF Ltd.	12	18.38
9	SV. Vet University	3	9.34
10	APSSDC Ltd.	1	19.15
11	APSSCA	1	3.15
	Total	60	325.07

Agriculture Sector projects:

- ◆ It is proposed to implement 3 No. of projects under Agriculture sector with an outlay of Rs.128.32Cr. which is as detailed below:

S.No.	Name of the Project	Unit	Phy.	Fin. (Rs. in Crores)
1	Rodent Control programme	Lakh Ha.	14.48	1.79
2	Farm Mechanization Strategies to adapt to the Emergent situations in Agriculture	Nos.	938	60.52
3	Promotion of Organic farming (ZBNF)	No. of clusters	131	63.61
	Administrative Expenses			2.40
	Total			128.32

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