

Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana

Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY) was launched in 2015-16 with an aim to enhance physical access of water on farm and expand cultivable area under assured irrigation, improve on farm water use efficiency, introduce sustainable water conservation practices etc. Under PMKSY, major and medium irrigation/ multipurpose irrigation projects are being funded under PMKSY-AIBP and Repair, Renovation and Restoration (RRR) of Water Bodies, surface Minor Irrigation (SMI) projects and Command Area Development & Water Management (CADWM) projects are being funded under PMKSY – Har Khet Ko Pani (HKKP).

The Union Finance Minister announced in his Budget Speech 2016-17 creation of a dedicated Long Term Irrigation Fund (LTIF) in National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) with an initial corpus of about Rs.20,000 Crore to be contributed through budgetary resources of Government of India, market borrowings to be raised by NABARD, etc. In turn, the Union Cabinet has approved the proposal of Ministry of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation (MoWR, RD & GR) [now the Ministry of Jal Shakti, Department of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation (MoJS, DoWR, RD & GR)] for establishment of a Mission for completion of prioritized irrigation projects and funding arrangements. The LTIF would be utilized by the Central and State Government to bridge the requirement of funds for completion of the identified irrigation projects, including their Command Area Development (CAD) works.



Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme

Central Government launched the Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme (AIBP) in the year 1996-97 to provide Central Assistance (CA) to Major/Medium Irrigation (MMI) projects in the country, with the objective to accelerate implementation of such projects which were in advanced stage of completion. After the launch of PMKSY, the AIBP became a part of the PMKSY.

Under PMKSY-AIBP, 99 projects have been prioritized for implementation. The progress of the projects in physical as well as financial terms is monitored through the field units of CWC and Nodal Officer nominated for each of the 99 priority projects regularly in the Management Information System(MIS) developed for this purpose.

The Government of India has identified NWDA to act as an Agency for borrowing resources from out of LTIF, as also to release funds as Central Assistance (CA) to the State Governments towards the identified irrigation projects to complete the Projects in a time bound manner. Accordingly, a Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) made on the 06.09.2016. The MoA was made between the Secretary, MoWR, RD & GR, GoI (as the first party), NWDA (as the second party) and NABARD (as the third party).

Management of loans received from NABARD under PMKSY-AIBP

It is decided to manage the loans received from NABARD as given below:

- Release of CA to States after receiving approval from NABARD
- Processing of proposals through Project Monitoring Unit
- Preparation of payment of loan plan for each Financial year
- Third party monitoring visits through Project Monitoring Unit
- Updation in MIS system through Project Monitoring Unit

Establishment of Project Monitoring Unit

NWDA has signed a contract agreement in October 2017 with M/S WAPCOS Limited for "Establishment of Project Monitoring Unit (PMU) and the PMU has been set up by M/S WAPCOS. A consultancy Monitoring Committee (CMC) was also constituted vide NWDA letter dated 03.05.2018 to monitor the progress of the assignment to the PMU under the chairmanship of Chief Engineer (HQ), NWDA, New Delhi.

The PMU established under NWDA to work in coordination with Ministry of Jal Shakti, NABARD and M/S WAPCOS and release CA as and when due to the concerned State(s).

Release of Fund under PMKSY-AIBP to various States up to 31.03.2025 (Rs. in Crores)				
S. No.	Distribution of funds to different States	Fund released upto 2022-23	Fund released during year 2023-24	Total fund released upto 31.03.2025
1	Andhra Pradesh	91.8100	0.00	91.8100
2	Assam	7.5500	0.00	7.5500
3	Bihar	146.0633	0.00	146.0633
4	Chhattisgarh	62.7896	0.00	62.7896
5	Goa	3.8400	0.00	3.8400
6	Gujarat	5635.4553	0.00	5635.4553
7	J & K	46.2522	0.00	46.2522
8	Jharkhand	756.7300	0.00	756.7300
9	Karnataka	1183.3170	0.00	1183.3170
10	Kerala	2.69	0.00	2.6900
11	Madhya Pradesh	811.1150	0.00	811.1150
12	Maharashtra	1796.7866	0.00	1796.7866
13	Manipur	228.3540	0.00	228.3540
14	Odisha	1340.8247	0.00	1340.8247
15	Punjab	277.9460	0.00	277.9460
16	Rajasthan	509.9450	0.00	509.9450
17	Telangana	673.8640	0.00	673.8640
18	Uttar Pradesh	1553.9120	0.00	1553.9120
	TOTAL A	15129.2447	0.00	15129.2447
Name of Projects				
1.	Polavaram Project	10650.1600		10650.1600
2.	North Koel Project	721.2200		721.2200
	TOTAL B	11371.3800	0.0000	11371.3800
	Grand Total (A+B)	26500.6247	0.0000	26500.6247

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