

SPECIAL PROVISIONS FOR WOMEN FARMERS IN NATIONAL SCHEMES

<i>Agri-Clinics & Agri-Business Centers (ACABC)</i>		
No	Scheme / Mission & Component	Provisions
a)	Provisions (where women get benefits either over & above/along with men)	
	Back-ended Composite Subsidy	44% Back-ended composite subsidy towards cost of project to women as compared to 36% to men
http://www.agriclinics.net/AboutScheme.aspx		

<i>Mass Media Support to Agricultural Extension</i>		
S.No	Scheme / Mission & Component	Provisions
a)	Provisions (where women get benefits either over & above/along with men)	
i)	Outreach to women	One day specially allocated to cover areas of core competence women farmers in programmes of All India Radio & Doordarshan
http://krishivistar.gov.in/MassMedia.aspx		

Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH)

S.No	Scheme / Mission & Component	Provisions
a)	Provisions (only for Women)	
i)	As Beneficiary	Specific coverage of Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe, and women beneficiaries for programmatic interventions. Assistance for horticulture mechanization also available grower associations/ farmer groups/ Self Help Groups/Women farmer groups having at least 10 members, who are engaged in cultivation of horticultural crops, provided the balance 60% of the cost of machines and tools is borne by such groups. SHM to enter in to MoU with such association /groups to ensure proper upkeep, running and maintenance of the machines and tools.
b)	Provisions (where women get benefits either over & above/along with men)	
1.	Procurement of Agricultural Machinery & Equipments (Subsidy Pattern)	
1.1)	Tractor	
i)	Tractor (upto 20 PTO HP)(Cost Norms - Rs.3.00 lakh/unit)	35% of cost, subject to a maximum of Rs. 1.00 lakh per unit for women as compared to 25% of cost,subject to a maximum of Rs.0.75 lakh/unit for men
ii)	Power Tiller	
	Power tiller (below 8 BHP) (Cost Norms- Rs.1.00 lakh per unit)	Subject to a maximum of Rs. 0.50 lakh/unit for women as compared to a maximum of Rs.0.40 lakh/unit for men
	Power tiller (8 BHP & above)(Cost Norms- Rs.1.50 lakh per unit)	Subject to a maximum of Rs. 0.75 lakh/unit for women as compared to a maximum of Rs.0.60 lakh/unit for men
iii)	Tractor/Power tiller (below 20 BHP) driven equipment	
	Land Development,tillage & seed bed preparation equipment (Cost Norms- Rs.0.30 lakh per unit)	Subject to a maximum of Rs.0.15 lakh/unit for women as Compared to a maximum of Rs.0.12 lakh/unit for men
	Sowing, planting reaping and digging equipment (Cost Norms- Rs.0.30 lakh per unit)	Subject to a maximum of Rs. 0.15 lakh/unit for women as compared to a maximum of Rs.0.12 lakh/unit for men
	Plastic mulch laying machine (Cost Norms -Rs.0.70 lakh per unit)	Subject to a maximum of Rs. 0.35 lakh/unit for women as compared to a maximum of Rs.0.28 lakh/unit for men

	Self-propelled Horticulture Machinery (Cost Norms-Rs.2.50 lakh per unit)	Subject to a maximum of Rs. 1.25 lakh/unit for women as compared to a maximum of Rs. 1.00 lakh/unit for men
	Plant Protection equipment Manual sprayer:Knapsack/foot operated sprayer.Cost Norms -Rs.0.012 lakh/unit)	Subject to a maximum of Rs. 0.006 lakh/unit for Women as compared to a maximum of Rs.0.005 lakh/unit for men
	Plant Protection equipment Manual sprayer:Knapsack/foot operated sprayer.Cost Norms -Rs.0.012 lakh/unit)	Subject to a maximum of Rs. 0.006 lakh/unit for Women as compared to a maximum of Rs.0.005 lakh/unit for men
	Powered Knapsack sprayer/ Power Operated Taiwan sprayer (capacity 8 – 12 lts)(Cost Norms-Rs.0.062 lakh/unit)	Subject to a maximum of Rs. 0.031 lakh/unit for women as compared to a maximum of Rs.0.025 lakh/unit for men
	Powered Knapsack sprayer/ Power Operated Taiwan sprayer (capacity above 12 - 16 lts)(Cost Norms-Rs.0.076 lakh/unit)	Subject to a maximum of Rs. 0.038 lakh /unit for women as compared to a maximum of Rs.0.03 lakh/unit for men
	Powered Knapsack sprayer/ Power Operated Taiwan sprayer (capacity above 16/lit (Cost Norms-Rs.0.20 lakh/unit)	Subject to a maximum of Rs. 0.10 lakh/unit for women as compared to a maximum of Rs.0.08 lakh/unit for men
	Tractor mounted /Operated Sprayer (below 20 BHP) (Cost Norms -Rs.0.20 lakh/unit)	Subject to a maximum of Rs. 0.10 lakh/unit for women as compared to a maximum of Rs.0.08 lakh/unit for men
	Tractor mounted /Operated Sprayer (above 35 BHP) /Electrostatic Sprayer (Cost Norms-Rs.1.26 lakh/unit)	50% of cost, subject to a maximum of Rs. 0.63 lakh per unit for women as compared to 40% of cost,subject to a maximum of Rs.0.50 lakh/unit for men
	Eco Friendly Light Trap (Cost Norms-Rs.0.086 lakh/unit)	Subject of a maximum of Rs. 0.014 lakh/unit for women as compared to a maximum of Rs.0.12 lakh/unit for men
2.	Area expansion under Bamboo Mission (MIDH)	
	Forest areas / Public land (Through JFMC / Panchayati Raj Institutions / SHGs,Women group etc.	100% of cost in 3 installments (50:25:25) (Max. Subsidy per unit area Rs. 42,000/ha) both for women & men
3.	Coconut Development Board (CDB) under MIDH	
	Adoption of technologies (Back-ended credit capital subsidy).	33.3% of the project cost for women as compared to 25% of the cost for men
https://midh.gov.in/#		

National Mission for Sustainable Agriculture (NMSA)

S.No	Scheme / Mission & Component	Provisions
a)	Provisions (only for Women)	
	Soil & water conservation; Water use efficiency; Soil health management and Rain-fed Area Development	At least 50% of the allocation is to be utilized for small, marginal farmers of which at least 30% are women beneficiaries/farmers.
https://nmsa.dac.gov.in/frmComponents.aspx		

Sub-Mission on Agricultural Mechanization (SMAM)

.No	Scheme / Mission & Component	Provisions
a)	Provisions (only for Women)	
i)	Training Programme	Training Programmes on Gender friendly Equipment for Women farmers are to be conducted by Farm Machinery Training & Testing Institutes..
ii)	As Beneficiary	At least 30% allocation of the fund is to be made for women farmers.
b)	Provisions (where women get benefits either over & above/ along with men)	
iii)	Tractor	
	Tractor (08-20 PTO HP)	Rs. 1.00 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.75 lakh for men
	Tractor (Above 20-70 PTO HP)	Rs. 1.25 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 1.00 lakh for men.
iv)	Power Tillers	

	Power Tiller (below 8 BHP)	Rs. 0.50 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.40 lakh for men
	Power Tiller (8 BHP & above)	Rs. 0.75 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.60 lakh for men
v)	Rice Trans-planter	
	Self-Propelled Rice Trans-planter (4 rows)	Rs.0.94 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.75 lakh for men
	Self-Propelled Rice Trans-planter (i)above 4-8 rows (ii)above 8-16 rows	Rs. 2.0 lakh for women and men both
	Self- Propelled Machinery Reaper cum Binder	Rs. 1.25 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 1.00 lakh for men
vi)	Specialized Self Propelled Machinery	
	Reaper/Post Hole Digger/Augur/Pneumatic / other Planter	Rs. 0.63 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.50 lakh for men.
vii)	Self-Propelled Horticultural Machinery	
	Fruit Puckers/ Tree pruners/ Fruit Harvesters/ Fruit Graders /Track Trolley/ Nursery Media Filling Machine/Multipurpose Hydraulic System /Power operated horticulture tools for pruning, budding,grating, shearing etc	Rs. 1.25 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 1.00 lakh for men.
viii)	Land Development, tillage and seed bed preparation equipments	
	MB Plow/ Disc Plow/Cultivator/Harrow/leveler Blade /Cage wheel/Furrow opener/Ridger/Weed slasher/Laser Land Leveler/ Reversible Mechanical plough	Rs. 0.15 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.12 lakh for men (Below 20 BHP driven). Rs. 0.19 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.15 lakh for men (Above 20-35 BHP driven).
	Rotavator/Rotopuddler Reversible Hydraulic plough	Rs. 0.35 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.28 lakh for men (Below 20 BHP driven).

		Rs. 0.44 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.35 lakh for men (Above 20-35 BHP driven)
	Chisel Plough	Rs. 0.08 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.06 lakh for men (Below 20 BHP driven). Rs. 0.10 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.08 lakh for men (Above 20-35 BHP driven)
ix)	Sowing, Planting, Reaping and Digging Equipment	
	Post Hole digger/Potato Planter/Potato Digger /Ground nut digger/Strip till drill/Tractor drawn reaper/Onion harvester /Rice straw Chopper/Zero till seed cum fertilizer drill/ Raised Bed Planter/Sugar cane cutter/Stripper/Planter/Seed drill/Multi crop planter / Zero-till multi crop planter/Ridge furrow planter	Rs. 0.15 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.12 lakh for men (Below 20 BHP driven). Rs. 0.19 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.15 lakh for men (Above 20 - 35 BHP driven) .
	Turbo Seeder/Pneumatic Planter/Pneumatic vegetable transplanter /Pneumatic vegetable seeder/Happy seeder/Plastic Mulch Laying Machine	Rs. 0.35 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.28 lakh for men (Below 20 BHP driven). Rs. 0.44 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.35 lakh for men (Above 20-35 BHP driven)
	Chisel Plough	Rs. 0.08 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.06 lakh for men (Below 20 BHP driven). Rs. 0.10 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.08 lakh for men (Above 20 BHP driven)
x)	Inter Cultivation Equipment	
	Grass Weed Slasher/ Rice Straw Chopper/Power Weeder (engine operated below 2bhP)	Rs. 0.15 lakh for women as

		<p>compared to Rs. 0.12 lakh for men (Below 20 BHP driven). Rs. 0.19 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.15 lakh for men (Above 20-35 BHP driven).</p>
xi)	Equipment for Residue management / Hay and Forage Equipments	
	Sugarcane thrash Cutter /Coconut Frond Chopper/Rake/Balers/ Straw reaper	<p>Rs. 0.15 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.12 lakh for men (Below 20 BHP driven). Rs. 0.19 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.15 lakh for men (Above 20 BHP driven).</p>
xii)	Harvesting & Threshing Equipments	
	Ground Nut Pod Stripper/Thresher/Multicrop Threshers/Paddy Thresher/Brush Cutter	<p>Rs. 0.2 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.16 lakh for men (Operated by engine/electric motor below 3 HP and by power tiller and tractor below 20 BHP) Rs. 0.25 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.2 lakh for men (Operated by engine/ electric motor 3-5 HP and by power tiller and tractor below 35 BHP)</p>
	Chaff Cutter (Operated by engine/electric motor below 3bhp and by power tiller and tractor of below 20 BHP tractor)	<p>Rs. 0.2 lakh for women as compared to Rs.0.16 lakh for men (Operated by engine /electric motor below 3 HP and by power tiller and tractor below 20 BHP). Rs. 0.25 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.2 lakh for</p>

		men (Operated by engine / electric motor 3-5 HP and by power tiller and tractor below 35 BHP).
	Tractor (above 35 BHP) Driven Equipment	
xiii)	Land Development, tillage and seed bed preparation equipment	
	MB Plow/Disc Plow/Cultivator/ Harrow/ Leveler Blade/Cage Wheel/Furrow opener/Ridger/Reversible Mechanical plough	Rs. 0.44 Lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.35 lakh for men.
	Weed slasher /Laser and Leveller/Rotavator/Roto-puddler/Reversible Hydraulic plough/Sub-soiler/ Trench makers(PTO operated)/Bund former (PTO operated) /Power Harrow (PTO operated)/Backhoe Loader Dozer (Tractor operated)	Rs. 0.63 Lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.50 lakh for men.
xiv)	Sowing , Planting , Reaping and Digging Equipment	
	Zero till seed cum fertilizer drill/Raised Bed Planter/ seed drill/ Potato Digger/tractor drawn reaper/onion harvester	Rs. 0.44 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.35 lakh for men
	Post Hole digger/Potato Planter/Ground nut digger/Strip till drill/ Rice straw Chopper,Sugar cane cutter/Stripper/planter/multi crop planter /zero –till multi crop planter/Ridge furrow planter /Turbo Seeder/ Pneumatic Planter/Pneumatic vegetable trans-planter / Pneumatic vegetable seeder/Happy seeder/Cassava Planter/Manure spreader /Fertilizer Spreader	Rs. 0.63 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.50 lakh for men
xv)	Inter Cultivation Equipment	
	Grass/ Weed Slasher / Rice straw Chopper/ Weeder (PTO operated)	Rs. 0.63 Lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.50 lakh for men
xvi)	Harvesting & Threshing Equip. (Operated by engine/electric motor above 5 hp and tractor of above 35 BHP tractor)	
	Ground- Nut Pod Stripper/Thresher/ Multi crop Threshers / Paddy Thresher/ Chaff Cutter/ Forage/Harvester/Birds Scar	Rs. 0.63 Lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.50 lakh for men.
xvii)	Equipment for Residue mgmt./Hay and Forage Equipment	
	Sugarcane thrash Cutter/ Coconut Frond Chopper/ Hay Rake/ Balers (Round)/ Baler (Rectangular) Wood chippers/Sugarcane ratoon manager / Cotton stalk uprooter/ Straw reaper	Rs. 0.63 Lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.50 lakh for men.
	All manual/animal drawn equipment /implements / Tools	
xviii)	Land Develop., tillage and seed bed preparation equipment	
	MB Plow/ Disc Plow/Cultivator /Harrow/Leveler Blade/ Furrow	Rs. 0.10 Lakh for women as

	opener/Ridger/ Puddler	compared to Rs. 0.08 lakh for men.
xix)	Sowing & Planting Equipment	
	Paddy planter/ Seed cum fertilizer drill/Raised Bed Planter/Planter/ Dibbler/Equipment for raising paddy nursery	Rs. 0.10 Lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.08 lakh for men.
	Drum Seeder (Below 4 Row)	Rs. 0.015 Lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.012 lakh for men.
	Drum Seeder (Above 4 Row)	Rs. 0.019 Lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.015 lakh for men.
	Harvesting & Threshing Equipment	
	Ground Nut Pod Stripper/Thresher/Winnowing fan/Tree climber Horticulture Hand tools	Rs. 0.10 Lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.08 lakh for men
	Chaff Cutter (upto 3 feet)	Rs. 0.05 Lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.04 lakh for men.
	Chaff Cutter (above 3 feet)	Rs. 0.063 Lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.05 lakh for men.
xx)	Inter Cultivation Equipment	
	Grass Weed Slasher / Weeder/ Cono-weeder / Garden Hand Tools	Rs. 0.006 Lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.005 lakh for men
xxi)	Plant Protection Equipment	
	Manual sprayer:Knapsack /foot operated sprayer	Rs. 0.006 Lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.005 lakh for men.
	Powered Knapsack sprayer/Power Operated Taiwan sprayer (capacity 8-12lts)	Rs. 0.031 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.025 lakh
	Powered Knapsack sprayer/Power Operated Taiwan sprayer (capacity above 12-16lts)	Rs. 0.038 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.03 lakh

	Powered Knapsack sprayer/Power Operated Taiwan sprayer (capacity above 16lts)	Rs. 0.10 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.08 lakh
	Tractor mounted /Operated Sprayer (below 20 BHP)	Rs. 0.10 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.08 lakh
	Tractor mounted /Operated Sprayer (below 35 BHP)	Rs. 0.13 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.10 lakh
	Eco Friendly Light Trap	Rs. 0.014 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.012 lakh
	Tractor mounted /operated sprayer (above 35 BHP)	Rs. 0.63 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.50 lakh
	Electrostatic Sprayer	Rs. 0.63 lakh for women as compared to Rs. 0.50 lakh
xxii)	Post Harvest Technology	
	Establishment of PHT units for transfer of primary processing technology, value -addition, low cost scientific storage, packaging units and technologies	Rs. 1.50 lakh/ unit for women as compared to Rs. 1.25 lakh/ unit for men.
https://farmech.dac.gov.in/SMAM/SMAM1.pdf		

Agricultural Insurance

S.No	Scheme / Mission & Component	Provisions
a)	Provisions (only for Women)	
		Ensuring maximum coverage of SC / ST / Women farmers with budget allocation and utilization for these category of farmers to be in proportion to their population in the respective state
b)	Provisions (where women get benefits either over & above/along with men)	
1)	Modified National Agricultural Insurance Scheme (MNAIS)	
	Insurance protection for notified food crops, oilseeds and annual horticultural /commercial crops .	Actuarial Premium rate notified crops subject maximum premium 11% & 9% for food & oilseeds crops of Kharif and Rabi seasons, respectively. For annual commercial /horticultural crops, apped at 13%. Subsidy up to 75% of premium is provided to all types of farmers

		<p>depending on the slab of premium.</p> <p>Upto 2% - Nil,</p> <p>More than 2–5% : 40% subject to minimum net premium of 2%</p> <p>More than 5–10% : 50% subject to minimum net premium of 3%</p> <p>More than 10–15% :60% subject to minimum net premium of 5%</p> <p>More than 15% : 75% subject to minimum net premium of 6%</p> <p>If the sowing is not done due to adverse weather / climate, claims / indemnity up to 25% of sum insured will be paid for prevented sowing/planting risk.</p> <p>When the crop yield is less than the guaranteed yield of notified crops,the indemnity payment equal to short fall in yield is payable to all insured farmers in the notified areas.</p> <p>When the crop yield is less than the guaranteed yield of notified crops, the indemnity payment equal to short fall in yield is payable to all insured farmers in the notified areas.</p> <p>However,on-account advance payment, up to 25% of likely claims will be paid as immediate relief in those notified areas where yield losses are at least 50% of Threshold Yield (TY).</p> <p>Besides,postharvest (upto2weeks) losses due to cyclone are also covered.</p> <p>Losses due to localized risks of hail storm and landslide are assessed on individual basis and claims to affected insured farmers are paid accordingly.</p>
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2)	Weather Based Crop Insurance Scheme(WBCIS) .	<p>Insurance protection notified food crops, oilseeds and horticultural commercial crops.</p> <p>Actuarial Premium rate for notified crops, subject to maximum premium up to 10 % & 8 % for food & oilseeds crops of Kharif and Rabi seasons, respectively and 12 % for annual commercial / horticultural crops. It is capped at 12%.</p> <p>Upto 2% - Nil,subsidy</p> <p>More than 2–5% : -25% subsidy subject to minimum net premium of 2%</p> <p>More than 5–10% : -40% subsidy subject to minimum net premium of 3%</p> <p>More than 10–15% :-50% subsidy subject to minimum net premium of 5%</p> <p>When the Weather indices (rainfall/temperature/relative humidity/wind speed etc) differ (less/ higher) from the Guaranteed Weather Index of notified crops,the indemnity payment equal to deviation / shortfall is payable to all insured farmers of notified crops in notified area.</p>
3)	Coconut Palm Insurance Scheme (CPIS).	<p>Premium rate per palm ranges from Rs.9.00 (in the age group of 4 to 15 years) to Rs. 14.00 (in the age group of 16 to 60 years).</p> <p>50-75 % subsidy of premium is provided to all types of farmers.</p> <p>When the Palm trees are damaged, the indemnity payment equal to sum insured / damage is payable to the insured farmers in notified areas.</p>