

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE STATE LEVEL TECHNICAL COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON
13.02.2013 at APCOB, H.O., HYDERABAD**

The list of participants is enclosed to these proceedings.

The General Manager (L&A), APCOB welcomed the participants to State Level Technical Committee.

The Chief General Manager, APCOB in his opening remarks emphasized the need to review and moderate upon the scales of finance fixed by the respective DLTCs wherein the field level functionaries of Agriculture Department, Horticultural Department, Bankers and progressive farmers participated in the deliberations. The Chief General Manager brought to the notice of the Committee that as per the manual on crop loans, the scale of finance should be related to the cost of cultivation of crops and the Gross value of the yield so as to ensure that the farmer is left with some surplus after repayment of bank loan.

The Chief General Manager, APCOB requested the members, particularly participants from Agriculture Department, to make their suggestions, in moderating the Scales of Finance fixed by DLTC (District Level Technical Committee) of each district.

The State Level Technical Committee took up the review of Scales of Finance for each of the irrigated and un-irrigated crops, both for Khariff 2013 and Rabi 2013-14 District-wise as fixed by the DLTCs concerned. The Asst. General Manager, NABARD suggested to ensure that there are not many variations in scale of finance for the same crop among the districts of the same agro-climatic zone.

It was observed that some of the Districts, particularly, Kakinada had fixed Scales of Finance that were higher than those fixed in other Districts.

The Committee felt that there is demand for seed production for most of the crops in many districts of Andhra Pradesh and the DLTCs are accordingly requested to fix the scale of finance for seed production also which may be higher than the scales of finance suggested by the SLTC now.

The SLTC had detailed discussions on the cost of cultivation, yield and also value of gross yield etc. pertaining to all major crops and decided to recommend suggestive range of scales of finance taking the local factors into consideration.

Sl. No.	Crop (Irr: irrigated) (UI: un-irrigated)	SOF for 2012-13 (Rs. per acre)	Scales of finance suggested by SLTC for the year 2013-14 (Rs. Per acre)	Percentage increase over previous year's SOF
1	Paddy (Irr.)	22000	18000-24000	9.09%
2	Srivari & Direct sown	15000	16000-20000	33.33%
3	Jowar (Irr.)	10000	8000-12000	20%
4	Jowar (UI)	8000	8000-10000	25%
5	Bazra (Irr.)	7000	6000-7500	7.14%
6	Bazra (UI)	5500	5500-6000	9.09%
7	Raagi (Irr.)	7000	6000-8000	14.29%
8	Raagi (UI)	5000	5000-6000	20%
9	Maize (Irr.)	15000	15000-20000	33.33%
10	Maize (UI)	11000	11000-15000	36.36%
11	Pulses	5000-6000	6000-8000	33.33%
12	Rajma	7000	7000-8000	14.28%
13	Redgram (Irr.)	10000	10000-12000	20%
14	Redgram (UI)	8000	8000-10000	25%
15	Blackgram & Greengram	7000-9000	8000-10000	11.11%
16	Bengalgram	11000-12000	12000-14000	14.28%
17	Groundnut (Irr.)	13000-15000	14000-17000	13.33%
18	Groundnut (UI)	10000-12000	11000-14000	16.67%
19	Sugarcane (Pltn.)	50000	45000-55000	10%
20	Sugarcane (Ratoon)	30000	28000-35000	14.29%
21	Sunflower	9000-10000	10000-13000	30%
22	Mulberry	18000-18500	25000-30000	62.16%
23	Mulberry (for woven variety)	28000	30000	7.14%
24	Banana (Pltn.)	36000	35000-40000	11.11%
25	Banana (Ratoon)	25000	25000-30000	20%
26	Cotton (Irr.)	25000	22000-27000	8%
27	Cotton (UI)	22000	22000-25000	13.64%

Further, the SLTC decided to advise the DLTCs not to fix lower scales of finance for crops not being cultivated in their districts as it sends wrong signals/information to other districts which cultivate those crops.

The SLTC reviewed the Scales of Finance fixed by DLTCs for each crop district-wise and season-wise and approved the same with the following observations and advised for modification by the respective DLTCs in certain cases. Further, the CEOs/GMs of the DCCBs/Convenor of DLTCs are advised to convene the DLTC meeting immediately and get the suggestions approved by the DLTCs.

Name of the Crop (Irr :irrigated) (UI: un-irrigated)	(SOF)Scales of finance suggested by the SLTC for the year 2013-14 (Rs. per acre)	Observation of SLTC
Paddy Srivari	Rs.18000 - Rs. 24000 Rs.16000 - Rs. 20000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In case of Kakinada, the Scales of Finance fixed for Paddy is on a high side and is advised to place the same before the DLTC for review. • In case of Anantapur, the Scales of Finance fixed is on a lower side and is advised to place the same before the DLTC for reconsideration of their decision. • In case of Krishna, the Scales of Finance fixed for Srivari is on a high side and is advised to place the same before the DLTC for review.
MILLETS		
Jowar	Irr: Rs.8000 – Rs. 12000 UI: Rs.8000 - Rs. 10000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In case of Vizianagaram, Hyderabad, Kakinada, Chittoor and Srikakulam districts the scales fixed by DLTC are found to be low and hence are advised to place the same before the DLTC for reconsideration of their decision.
Bazra	Irr: Rs.6000 – Rs. 7500 UI: Rs. 5500 - Rs. 6000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The DLTC Khammam has fixed higher Scales of Finance and is advised to place the same before the DLTC for review and reconsideration.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The DLTC Vizianagaram, Kakinada (Irrigated) and Chittoor (Un-irrigated) have fixed Scales of finance at a lower side and are advised to place the same before the DLTC for reconsideration.
Raagi	Irr: Rs.6000 – Rs. 8000 UI: Rs. 5000 - Rs. 6000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Mahabubnagar DLTC has fixed the SOF on a higher side and is advised to place the same before DLTC for review. The Kakinada DLTC has fixed SOF on a lower side and is advised to place before DLTC for reconsideration.
Maize	Irr: Rs.15000 - Rs. 20000 UI: Rs. 11000- Rs. 15000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Chittoor DLTC has fixed SOF on a lower side and hence is advised to place before DLTC for review.
Korra	Rs. 7000	---
Pulses	Rs. 6000- 8000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The DLTCs Srikakulam, Eluru & Krishna which have fixed higher Scales of finance are advised to place before respective DLTCs for review.
Rajma	Rs. 7000 -Rs. 8000	
Redgram	Irr: Rs.10000 – Rs. 12000 UI: Rs. 8000 - Rs. 10000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Mahabubnagar DLTC fixed SOF on a higher side and is advised for reconsideration by the DLTC.
Blackgram	Rs. 8000 - Rs. 10000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The DLTC Anantapur has fixed low SOF and is advised to get it reviewed by the DLTC.
Greengram	Rs. 8000 - Rs. 10000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The DLTC Karimnagar has fixed low SOF and is advised to place it before the DLTC for review.
Bengalgram	Rs.12000 – 14000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Officer from Agriculture Department indicated that Bengal gram is mainly a Rabi crop. Prakasam DLTC has fixed higher Scale of finance and Vizianagaram

		and Anantapur districts have fixed lower SOF, hence are advised to review the SOF by placing before DLTC again.
OIL SEEDS		
Sunflower	Rs.10000 – Rs.13000/-	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kurnool & Karimnagar DLTCs have fixed higher SOF and Anantapur DLTC has fixed lower SOF and hence are advised to place the same for review by DLTC.
Groundnut	Irr: Rs.14000 – Rs. 17000 UI: Rs. 11000 -Rs. 14000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In respect of Kadapa, Kurnool , Adilabad, Khammam & Warangal districts, the SOF fixed are on a higher side and are advised for review by the respective DLTCs.
Seasamum/Gingelly	Rs.7000 – Rs. 8000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Vizianagaram, Eluru, Nellore, Kakinada & Guntur districts have fixed lower SOF and Medak fixed higher SOF and are advised for reconsideration by DLTC.
Kusumalu	Rs.6000 – Rs. 8000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Medak DLTC has fixed higher SOF and is advised to review.
Oil palm Intercrop cultivation	Rs.20000 – Rs. 26000 Rs.22000 – Rs. 23000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In case of intercrop cultivation (like mixing Oil palm with Coco) separate range is fixed
Castor	Rs.8000 – Rs. 11000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Mahabubnagar DLTC fixed a higher SOF and is advised for review. • The Guntur fixed lower SOF and is advised for reconsideration.
COMMERCIAL CROPS		
Tobacco (Virginia) Tobacco (Natu)	Rs.50000 – Rs. 60000 Rs.23000 – Rs. 30000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The DLTC Vizianagaram is advised to place the same before DLTC for review as the SOF fixed is very low. • The DLTCs Kakinada and Prakasam have fixed higher SOF and are advised to place the same before DLTC for review.
Chillies	Rs.35000 – Rs. 50000	---

Cotton	Irr: Rs.22000 – Rs. 27000 UI: Rs. 22000- Rs. 25000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The DLTCs Guntur, Prakasam & Adilabad have fixed higher SOF and are advised for review by the DLTC. • Nalgonda district has fixed low SOF and hence is advised for review by the DLTC.
Sugarcane (Plantation)	Rs.45000 – Rs. 55000	---
Sugarcane (Ratoon)	Rs.28000 – Rs. 35000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Nizamabad, Karimnagar & Kurnool districts have fixed lower SOF and are advised for review by the DLTCs concerned.
Mulberry (Sericulture) High Yield Variety:	Rs.25000 – Rs. 30000 Rs. 30000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The DLTCs Anantapur, Kurnool, Chittoor and Prakasam have fixed lower SOF. SLTC observed that it could be due to fixation of SOF for 2 crops instead of 4 crops and hence advised for review and reconsideration by the DLTCs.
Mesta/jute/Mulberry-VI/other varieties	Rs.10000 – Rs. 11000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The DLTC Guntur has fixed lower SOF for Mesta and is advised to place before the DLTC for revision of the SOF.
Beetle leaf	Rs.40000 – Rs. 50000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vizianagaram and Kurnool DLTCs have fixed low SOF and are advised to review.
Turmeric	Rs.45000 – Rs. 55000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visakhapatnam, Prakasam and Nalgonda DLTCs are advised to reexamine the SOF fixed.
VEGETABLES		
Tomato	Rs.18000 – Rs. 20000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Krishna, Kurnool and Chittoor DLTCs are advised to re-examine the SOF fixed.
Brinjal	Rs.15000 – Rs. 18000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nizamabad and Chittoor DLTCs to have a review of the SOF fixed.
Cabbage	Rs.16000 – Rs. 18000	---
Cauliflower	Rs.18000 – Rs. 20000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nizamabad DLTC to have a review of the SOF fixed.
Potato	Rs.28000 – Rs. 32000	---
Sweet potato	Rs.15000 – Rs. 16000	---

Tapioca / yam	—	As fixed by DLTCs.
Drumstick	Rs.12000 - Rs. 18000	—
Ginger	Rs.35000 - Rs. 40000	---
Garlic	—	As fixed by DLTCs.
Bhendi	Rs.14000 - Rs. 16000	—
Gherkins	Rs.20000 - Rs. 22000	—
Gourds	Rs.16000 - Rs. 18000	—
Carrot	Rs.18000 - Rs. 20000	—
Onion	Rs.18000 - Rs. 22000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Nalgonda DLTC which fixed low SOF & Guntur DLTC which fixed high SOF are advised to place before DLTC for review and reconsideration.
Curry leaf	Rs.25000 - Rs. 30000	—
Coriander	Rs.8000 - Rs. 11000	—
Vegetables (All vegetables)	Rs.15000 - Rs. 18000	—
FRUITS		
Banana (Plantation)	Rs.35000 - Rs. 40000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kadapa DLTC which has fixed high SOF is advised to review the same by DLTC. • Kakinada & Warangal DLTCs which have fixed high SOF are advised to place before the DLTC for review in respect of Tissue culture variety.
Banana (Ratoon)	Rs.25000 - Rs. 30000	
Tissue Culture:	Rs.65000 - Rs. 70000	
Citrus/Sweet Orange	Rs.25000 - Rs.30000	---
Cheeni	Rs.25000 - Rs.30000	---
Cashew nut	Rs.15000 - Rs.18000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Eluru, Visakhapatnam, Krishna DLTCs have fixed low SOF & Khammam DLTC has fixed high SOF and are advised for review and reconsideration by DLTCs.
Pomegranate	Rs.25000 - Rs. 30000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nalgonda has fixed low SOF and is advised to review.

Guava	Rs.15000 - Rs.20000	—
Watermelon	Rs.15000 - Rs.18000	—
Papaya, Papaya (Thaiwan)	Rs.45000 - Rs.50000 Rs.45000 - Rs.50000	—
Grapes	Rs.210000 - Rs.215000	—
Sapota	Rs.15000- Rs.18000	—
Ber	Rs.20000 - Rs.22000	—
Mango	Rs.18000 - Rs.22000	—
Coconut Inter-crop with coco.	Rs.15000 - Rs.20000 Rs.25000 - Rs.30000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Srikakulam DLTC is advised to review the SOF for Coconut & Coco / pepper.
FLORICULTURE		
Marigold	Rs.15000 - Rs.20000	---
Chrysantham	Rs.20000 - Rs.25000	---
Tuberose	Rs.40000 - Rs.45000	---
Crossandra	Rs.15000 - Rs.18000	---
Floriculture	Rs.30000 - Rs.32000	---
PISCICULTURE		
Prawn / pisci / fish culture Scampy	Rs. 60000 - Rs. 80000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The DLTC Kakinada has fixed SOF on a higher side and is advised for review and reconsideration.
Vennamai / Litopeneous	Rs. 400000 - Rs. 450000	
Brackish water	Rs. 120000 - Rs. 200000	---
Fish feed	Rs. 160000 - Rs. 170000 (depending on species)	---
Fish culture	Rs. 60000 - Rs. 100000	---
Pungasius	Rs. 200000 - Rs. 270000	---
NURSERY		
Mango, sapota, coconut (for 40 saplings)	Rs. 60000 - Rs.75000	---
Mixed nursery (ornamental)	Rs. 320000 per acre	---

MEDICINAL, AROMATIC & OTHER PLANTS		
Coccina	Rs.10000- Rs.15000	---
Coccina pendal	Rs.30000- Rs.35000	---
Fig	Rs.10000- Rs.20000	---
Soyabean	Rs.8000- Rs.11000	---
Mint	Rs.15000- Rs.18000	---
Pineapple	Rs.10 000- Rs12000	---
Geranium	Rs. 26000-28000	---
Kalamegh/nelavemu	Rs.8000- Rs.10000	---
Tamarind	Rs.12000- Rs.15000	---
Jetropa,	Rs.10000- Rs.12000	---
Alovera/Kalabandha	Rs.15000- Rs.17000	---
Med. & aromatic plants	Rs.20000- Rs.25000	---
Coleus/p.bhedi,	Rs.17000- Rs.18000	---
Vasa,	Rs.25000 - Rs.26000	---
Ashwagandha,	Rs.9000 - Rs.10000	---
Amla,	Rs.20000-Rs.26000	---
Lemon grass,	Rs.15000- Rs.20000	---
Palmarosa,	Rs.15000- Rs.20000	---
Niger,	Rs. 4000 - Rs. 5000	---
Fodder cultivation,	Rs. 8000 - Rs. 15000	---
Euclyptus/Causirina	Rs. 45000 - Rs. 50000	---
Sugarcane (Eksali)	Rs. 20000 - Rs. 30000	---
Rose	Rs.42000- Rs.45000	---
Jasmine	Rs.13000- Rs.15000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kadapa & Hyderabad DLTCs have fixed high SOF and hence advised to review and reconsider.
Custard apple,	Rs.25000- Rs.30000	----

HYBRID VARIETIES		
Tomato, Bhendi, Cotton, Paddy, Maize, Wheat, Jowar, Bazra etc.		The SLTC decided to adopt the SOF for Hybrid varieties as fixed for normal varieties in the pre-pages.
Mango (High density) 70 - 75 trees	Rs. 23000 - Rs. 25000	---

For All the crops including plantation crops and pisciculture, the Scales of finance approved by the respective DLTCs and also as per the modifications suggested by the SLTC in this proceedings may be adopted.

**Sd/-
GENERAL MANAGER (L&A)**



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The Chief Executive Officers /
General Managers of all DCCBs.

Sir,

Sub: State Level Technical Committee (SLTC) – Fixation of Scales
of Finance for the year 2013-14 – Communication of
proceedings – Reg.

The State Level Technical Committee (SLTC) meeting was held on 13.02.2013 in APCOB, Head Office, Hyderabad and reviewed the Scales of Finance for Kharif and Rabi 2013-14.

A copy of the proceedings of the SLTC is enclosed for perusal and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

**Dy. General Manager
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4. The Commissioner & Director of Agriculture, AP, Hyderabad.
5. The Commissioner of Horticulture, AP, Hyderabad.
6. The Commissioner of Fisheries, AP, Hyderabad.
7. The Director of Sericulture Dept., AP, Hyderabad.
8. Medicinal & Aromatic Plants Boards, Tilak Road, Abids, Hyderabad.
9. Directorate of Sugar & Commissionerate of Cane, Fateh Maidan, Khairtabad, Hyd.
10. The Convenor, SLBC, Andhra Bank, Hyderabad.
11. AP Agrl. University, RR'nagar, Hyd.
12. The AGM (Agrl.) State Bank of India.
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14. Lead Dist. Managers of 22 Districts.
15. The CGM of APCOB.
16. The GMs of APCOB.
17. The Director, CTI, RR'ngr., Hyderabad.
18. DGMs of APCOB.
19. EA to President / MD.

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