

13. Scales of Finance for the year 2019-20- Proceedings of State Level Technical Committee

The State Level Technical Committee (SLTC) meeting was held on 23.01.2019 at APCOB, Vijayawada and reviewed the Scales of Finance for Khariff and Rabi 2019-20.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE STATE LEVEL TECHNICAL COMMITTEE MEETING OF ANDHRA PRADESH HELD ON 23.01.2019 AT APCOB, VIJAYAWADA

The State Level Technical Committee (SLTC) meeting was held on 23.01.2019 at 10:00 A.M., in the APCOB Head Office, Vijayawada, to review and finalize the Scales of Finance for various crops for the year 2019-20. The meeting was chaired by Sri A.K. Bhavani Shankar, Managing Director APCOB. The representatives from the offices of CC & RCS, SLBC, NABARD and Agriculture University, the Director of Agriculture, Horticulture, Sericulture, Fisheries, Director of Sugars, Senior Officers from SBI, Andhra Bank, Indian Bank, Saptagiri Grameena Bank, Syndicate Bank, APCOB Officers and Progressive Farmer have taken part in the meeting.

The General Manager (L&A), APCOB welcomed the Managing Director and all the participants to the meeting. The MD, APCOB explained the steps and procedure involved in fixation of the Scales of Finance & the role of SLTC in the process and requested all the members to share their valuable information, to make suggestions in moderating the Scales of Finance fixed by the DLTCs (District Level Technical Committees) of the districts.

It was also decided to introduce Scales of Finance for the crops under Zero Budget Natural Farming (ZBNF) method of cultivation. The crop-wise scales of finance for agriculture crops under ZBNF cultivation were suggested by the Dy. Director of Agriculture (ZBNF), RySS. The committee took up the review of Scales of Finance for each of the irrigated and un-irrigated crops, both Khariff 2019 and Rabi 2019-20 District-wise, fixed by the DLTCs concerned. The SLTC had detailed deliberations on the costs involved like cost of cultivation and gross value of yield etc., pertaining to all major crops and taking all the factors into consideration, recommended the Scales of Finance for the year 2019-20 as follows:

Scales of Finance for the year 2019-20

(Amount in Rs. per acre)

S. No.	Crop	2018-19	2019-20
1	Paddy	28000-30000 (Khariff) 28500-30500 (Rabi)	29400-33000 (Khariff) 30000-34000 (Rabi) 40000-42000 (Seed)
2	SRI Paddy	27500-29500	28000-30000 (Khariff) 29000-31000 (Rabi)
3	Jowar	10500-13500 (Irr) 10000-12000 (UI) 18000 (Seed)	12000-15000 (Irr) 11000-13500 (UI) 18000 (Seed)
4	Bazra	7000-9000	7500-13000 (Irr) 7000-9500 (UI)

6	Maize	25000-30000	27000-32000 (Irr) 16000-20000 (UI)
7	Korra	7500-8500	9000-12000 (Irr) 7000-8000 (UI)
8	Pulses (not covered under S. No. 8-12 – Horsegram, Cowpea etc.)	9000-11000	10000-12000
9	Red Gram	12000-15000 (Irr) 11000-14000 (UI)	13000-18000 (Irr) 12000-16000 (UI)
10	Black Gram	11000-13000	12000-14000
11	Green Gram	11000-13000	12000-14000
12	Bengal Gram	16000-18000	20000-22000
13	Sunflower	12000-16000	13000-17000
14	Groundnut	21000-23000 (Irr) 17000-19000 (UI)	22000-25000 (Irr) 18000-20000 (UI)
15	Seasamum/ Gingelly	8000-9000	9000-10000
16	Safflower/ Kusumallu	5500-6500	5500-6500
17	Oil Palm	36000-40000	36000-40000
18	Oil Palm with intercrop		50000
19	Castor	11000-13000	12000-14000
20	Tobacco (Virginia)	70000	70000
21	Tobacco (Natu)	36000	36000
22	Chillies (Green)	45000-65000	49500-65000
23	Chillies (Red)	60000-80000	66000-88000
24	Cotton	31000-36000 (Irr) 29000-34000 (UI)	31000-36000 (Irr) 31000-35000 (UI)
25	Sugarcane (Plntn)	60000-62000	62000-65000
26	Sugarcane (Ratn)	50000-52000	52000-55000
27	Mulberry (Normal & V1 Variety)	55000	55000-60000
28	Mulberry (working capital)		85000-90000
29	Mesta	10000	10000
30	Areca Nut	37000-40000	38000-42000
31	Betel Leaf	55000-60000	60000-65000
32	Aizwan	9000-10000	9000-10000
33	Turmeric	70000-80000	70000-80000
34	Tomato	25000-30000	25000-30000
35	Tomato (Hybrid)	55000-65000	65000-70000
36	Tomato (Trellis)		55000-60000
37	Brinjal	30000-35000	35000-40000
38	French Beans	18000-20000	35000-40000

41	Potato	35000-40000	35000-40000
42	Tapioca	15000-17000	15000-17000
43	Yam	105000-110000	105000-110000
44	Ginger	42000-45000	42000-45000
45	Cabbage	25000-30000	25000-30000
46	Cauliflower	25000-30000	36000
47	Ladies Finger	18000-24000	20000-25000
48	Ladies Finger (Hyb)		25000-30000
49	Gherkins	20000-22000	22000-25000
50	Baby Corn	8000-9000	27000-32000 (Irr) 16000-20000 (UI)
51	Gourds	18000-20000	18000-20000
52	Carrot	20000-25000	20000-25000
53	Onion	20000-25000	30000-35000
54	Curry Leaf	32000-34000	35000-36500
55	Coriander	8000-11000	13000-15000
56	Vegetables (not covered above)	20000-25000	25000-30000
57	Vegetables cultivated under Shade Nets		140000 (per 1000 Sq. mts.)
58	Banana (Plantation)	50000-60000	55000-65000
59	Banana (Ratoon)	35000-45000	38000-50000
60	Banana (Tissue Culture)	80000-85000	85000-90000
61	Citrus/Acid Lime/ Sweet Orange	30000-35000	35000-40000
62	Cashew Nut	18000-20000	20000-22000
63	Pomegranate	55000-60000	56000-60000
64	Guava	30000-35000	30000-35000
65	Guava (High Density)		72000-75000
66	Watermelon	20000-25000	25000-30000
67	Muskmelon	35000-40000	40000-45000
68	Papaya	45000-50000	50000-55000
69	Papaya (Taiwan)		63000-68000
70	Grapes	60000	80000-82000
71	Sapota	20000-22000	22000-25000
72	Ber	20000-22000	25000-26000
73	Coconut		25000-30000
74	Coconut intercrop with Coco	25000-30000	32000-40000
75	Coco*		22000-25000
76	Mango	22000-25000	25000-30000
77	Custard Apple*		15500-16000

79	Nursery – Mixed/Ornamental	900000-1500000	900000-1500000
80	Marigold	25000-30000	30000-35000
81	Tuberose	50000-55000	50000-55000
82	Chrysanthemum	25000-30000	35000-40000
83	Crossandra	20000-25000	25000-30000
84	Jasmine	30000-35000	35000-40000
85	Rose	22000-25000	25000-30000
86	Rose (New Variety)	42000-45000	45000-50000
87	Floriculture		35000
88	Fodder Cultivation	15000-20000	20000-25000
89	Prawn Culture – Scampi@	80000-100000	300000
90	Brackish Water@	200000	300000
91	L. Vannamei@	400000-480000	500000
92	Fish Culture@	200000-240000	300000
93	Pangassius@	240000	430000
94	Tilapiaculture@	240000-280000	300000
95	Crab Culture@	120000-160000	180000
96	Seabass Culture@	240000-280000	375000
97	Polyculture@		175000
98	Fig	20000-24000	20000-24000
99	Soya Beans	9000-12000	9000-12000
100	Pineapple	18000-20000	18000-20000
101	Coleus	17000-18000	17000-18000
102	Kalamegh (Nelavemu)	8000-10000	8000-10000
103	Tamarind	12000-15000	12000-15000
104	Jatropha	10000-12000	10000-12000
105	Aloevera/ Kalabanda	15000-17000	20000-22000
106	Aromatic and Medicinal Plants	20000-25000	22000-25000
107	P. Bhendi	17000-18000	17000-18000
108	Vasa	25000-26000	25000-26000
109	Aswagandha	9000-10000	15000
110	Lemon Grass	15000-20000	15000-20000
111	Palmarosa	15000-20000	15000-20000
112	Niger	4000-5000	5000
113	Amla*		21000-22000
114	Coffee*		18000

*New crop; @ Per acre per crop;

- Scales of Finance for Agriculture Crops under ZBNF cultivation for the year 2019-20 are as under:

S. No.	Crop	Amount in Rs. per Acre
1	Paddy (Common)	23100
2	Paddy (Grade A)	23100
3	Jowar	6450
4	Bajra	7000
5	Raagi	6800
6	Maize	14550
7	Red Gram	9210
8	Black Gram	7450
9	Green Gram	7170
10	Bengal Gram	9860
11	Groundnut	10020
12	Sesamum	7785
13	Cotton	19620

Note:

- The SLTC recommended to display the Scales of Finance in the notice boards of all the branches of all the banks.
- The Scale of Finance for vegetables under Shade Net cultivation (S. No.57) is mainly for cultivation of Capsicum, Cucumber and Tomato.
- The committee further resolved to request the conveners of the DLTCs to adopt these Scales of Finance as fixed by the SLTC and also to place the same before their District Consultative Committee (DCCs) for its adoption/information.
- The DCCBs are further requested to furnish a copy of the details of the Scales of Finance adopted by them.

