INDIAN JUTE - AT A GLANCE

1. Average land area under Raw Jute (Jute + Mesta Cultivation) : 673 thousand hectares * (Average of last four years)

2. Average production of Raw Jute (Jute + Mesta) : 9,718 thousand bales of 180 Kgs each (Average of last four years) (17,49,240 MTs)

3. Number of composite Jute Mills : 104

4. State-wise distribution of composite Jute Mills : West Bengal 75

Andhra Pradesh 14
Bihar 4
U.P. 3
Assam 2
Orissa 3
Chhattisgarh 2
Tripura 1

5. Number of workers employed in composite jute mills : 46,487 approx (permanent workers) (as on 31st December 2022) 1,08,461 approx (other workers)

6. Average production of jute goods in composite jute mills : 1113.6 thousand tonnes per annum

(Average of last four years)

7. Average export of jute goods : 121.3 thousand M.T. per annum with [Average of last four years 2019-20 to 2022-23 (Oct 22)] value of Rs. 27687 million per annum

8. Average domestic demand for jute goods : 1051.4 thousand tonnes per annum

(Average of last four years)

9. Government of India-owned jute mills under control and management of National Jute Manufactures Corporation Ltd. : Alexander, Khardah, Kinnision, National, RBHM & Union (Presently, all six mills are Closed)

10. 100% export-oriented units (as on 31st March, 2023) : Cheviot Co. Ltd. (Falta SEZ)

11. Installed looms in jute mills (as on 31st March 2023) : 47,146 Hessian 14,795

 Sacking
 22,801

 CBC
 584

 Others
 8,966

12. Installed spindles in jute mills other than 100% export- : 7,60,624 Fine 6,19,802 Oriented units (as on 31st March 2023) Coarse 1,40,822

13. Installed capacity of composite jute mills other then 100%

Export oriented units. (on the basis of 305 working days per Year & JMDC (Productivity Norms) (as on 31st March 2023)

: 2,769 thousand tonnes per annum

^{*}As Per First Advance Estimates, DES, GoI (Source –CACP, Price Policy for Jute 2023-24 Season)