

INTEGRATED HORTICULTURE DEVELOPMENT SCHEME (IHDS)

IMPLEMENTATION GUIDELINES FOR 2021-22

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General guidelines:

- The beneficiary selection should be done mainly through Priority register and Uzhavan App
- Application Mela should be fixed in every block 7 days of communication of the targets
- The Joint / Deputy Director of Horticulture in the district is the implementing head in implementation of every component in the right direction
- 4. The Assistant Director of Horticulture in the block is the accepting authority for the selection of beneficiary in implementing the scheme
- 5. The Assistant Horticulture Officer and the Horticulture Officer of the block are jointly responsible for the selection of farmers ascertaining their social status / category, gender with all the eligibility norms
- 6. The selected farmers should have own land/ leased land (10 years registered lease) to the eligible extent to avail the benefit of the scheme.
- 7. The selected farmers should be an account holder with any of the nationalized /scheduled / co-operative banking organizations in order to facilitate the DBT (Direct Benefit Transfer) through Public Finance Management System (PFMS) of Government of India or through Electronic Clearing Service (ECS)
- 8. The selected farmer should have enrolled himself in the UIDAI (Unique Identification Authority of India) programme of Government of India and should link his Aadhar number with his bank account (Aadhar seeded beneficiary)
- 9. The selected beneficiary should produce evidence towards his residence proof apart from Aadhar ie., either ration card / Voter ID / Driving license / Passport / or any other proof of residence issued by the Competent Authority
- 10. Providing benefit to the same farmer should be avoided. The subsidy availed by the farmer in the previous years in all schemes should be verified before processing, to avoid repetition
- 11. Farmers have to make their own arrangement for transportation of planting material since no provision is available.
- 12. The due cash assistance should be extended to the beneficiary after getting satisfied with all the scheme activities in the field by adopting DBT method avoiding any other means of transaction
- 13. If the selected farmer does not adhere to the timeline, notice is to be issued to the concerned beneficiary followed by issuance of cancellation order.

- Justification for elimination should be recorded and new beneficiary should be selected following Uzhavan App and Priority Register
- 14. The planting material should be sourced only from the SHF. If it is not available in the SHF it should be sourced from any Government farms / SAUs / KVKs or any other accredited nursery in the country or by farmer himself with the supervision of the district officials to confirm its quality
- 15. The online billing for the planting materials should be done on the same day it was distributed to the farmers.
- 16. The assistance for the inputs like fertilizers, plant protection chemicals, etc should be provided as back ended subsidy to the concerned beneficiary
- 17. For infrastructure related projects, Joint Inspection Team should inspect and verify the infrastructure creation before release of the fund.
- 18. AHO/ DyHO/ HO/ ADH of their area should ensure the proper implementation of the scheme by field inspection at various stages
- 19. Field photos should be taken before, during and post implementation of the scheme in the field for all the components with same landmarks
- 20. The block officials should inspect the field, verify the Vouchers and Certify with page entry of various works submitted by the farmer and ensure that the items are found correct.
- 21. Follow up register should be maintained for each component and all the details should be recorded in this register.
- 22. Fund allocation to be made as 80% for General, 19% for SC and 1% for ST and over-all 30% for women farmers

III. Specific guidelines:

The project wise specific guidelines are as follows.

I Area expansion of Horticulture crops:

Implementing districts: Non-NHM districts viz. Kancheepuram, Chengalpet, Tiruvallur, Tiruvannamalai, Namakkal, Karur, Tiruvarur, Nagapattinam, Virudhunagar, Mayiladuthurai and Tuticorin

1. Promotion of Protray Vegetable seedlings:

- Promoting Vegetables like Brinjal, Green Chillies, Tomato, Cabbage, etc in protrays.
- Maximum eligibility 2 Ha per farmer
- Total cost Rs.50,000/Ha
- Subsidy 40% (Rs.20,000/Ha)

S.		Total	Subsidy	Farmer
No	Name of the Component	Cost	Cost	Contribution
INO		(Rs/Ha)	(Rs/Ha)	(Rs/Ha)
1	Vegetable seedlings – Rs.1/seedling	20000	20000	0
2	INM/IPM	9000	0	9000
3	Land Preparation, pitting, planting, irrigation & Inter- cultural operations	21000	0	21000
	Total	50000	20000	30000

- The assistance should be extended by distributing the required planting materials as portray seedlings only.
- The protray seedlings should be procured only from State Horticulture Farms.

2. Promotion of Vegetables through seeds:

- Total cost Rs.25000/Ha
- Subsidy 40% (Rs.10000/Ha)
- Maximum eligibility 2 Ha per farmer
- Only crops like Bhendi, Radish, Greens, Lablab, etc. which are not suitable for protray production should be promoted through seeds.

S. No	Name of the Component	Total cost (Rs/Ha)	Subsidy (Rs/Ha)	Farmer Contribution (Rs/Ha)
1	Vegetable seeds	8000	8000	0
2	INM/IPM	4000	2000	2000
3	Land Preparation, pitting, planting, irrigation & Inter- cultural operations	13000	0	13000
	Total	25000	10000	15000

- In case of non-availability of the direct sown vegetable seeds in State
 Horticulture Farms, the seeds can be procured from other sources after
 ascertaining the quality.
- The assistance for the seeds and inputs like fertilizers, plant protection chemicals, etc should be provided as back ended subsidy to the concerned beneficiary.

3. Area Expansion of fruit crops

- Crops: Lime/lemons, Mango, Guava, Papaya, Pomegranate and Sapota
- Maximum eligibility 4.00 Ha per farmer

3.1. Area Expansion by Normal Planting in fruits

Crop 1. Lime/Lemons

- Total cost Rs.54980/Ha
- I year cost (60%) Rs.32988/Ha
- I year subsidy (40%) Rs.13195/Ha
- Spacing 4mx4.5m
- Population 555 plants per Ha

S. No	Name of the Component	Total cost (Rs/ Ha)	I year cost (Rs/Ha)	Subsidy (Rs/Ha)	Farmer Contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Cost of planting material @ Rs.25/ layer	18700	13875	13195	680
2	INM&IPM	16000	4000	0	4000
3	Land Preparation, pitting, planting, irrigation & Intercultural operations	20280	15113	0	15113
	Grand Total	54980	32988	13195	19793

Crop 2. Mango

- Total cost Rs.25500/Ha
- I year cost (60%) Rs.15,300/Ha
- Subsidy cost (40%) Rs.6120/Ha
- Spacing 10mx10m
- Population 100 plants per Ha

S. No	Name of the Component	Total cost (Rs/ Ha)	I year cost (Rs/Ha)	Subsidy (Rs/Ha)	Farmer Contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Supply of planting material - (Rs.60/ approach graft)	8100	6000	6000	0
2	INM&IPM	7200	3650	120	3530

	cultural operations Grand Total	25500	15300	6120	9180
3	Land Preparation, pitting, planting, irrigation & Inter-	10200	5650	0	5650

Crop 3: Guava

- Total cost Rs.38340/Ha
- I year cost (60%)- Rs.23,004/Ha
- I year subsidy 40% (Rs.9201/Ha)
- Spacing 6mx6m
- Population 277 plants per Ha

S. No	Name of the Component	Total cost (Rs/ Ha)	I year cost (Rs/Ha)	Subsidy (Rs/Ha)	Farmer Contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Supply of planting				
	materials- @ Rs.30/ layer	11220	8310	8310	0
2	INM&IPM	18780	9000	891	8109
	Land Preparation, pitting,				
3	planting, irrigation & Inter-				
	cultural operations	8340	5694	0	5694
	Grand Total	38340	23004	9201	13803

Crop 4: Papaya

- Total cost Rs.61655/Ha
- I year cost (75 %) Rs.46241/Ha
- I year subsidy (40%) (Rs.18496/Ha)
- Spacing 1.8mx1.8m
- Population 3086 plants per Ha

S. No	Name of the Component	Total cost (Rs/ Ha)	I year cost (Rs/Ha)	Subsidy (Rs/Ha)	Farmer Contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Supply of planting material@				
'	Rs.10/ seedling	38580	30860	18496	12364
2	INM&IPM	16075	8381	0	8381
	Land Preparation, pitting,				
3	planting, irrigation & Inter-				
	cultural operations	7000	7000	0	7000
	Grand Total	61655	46241	18496	27745

Crop 5: Pomegranate

- Total cost Rs.48,000/Ha
- I Year cost (60%) Rs.28,800/Ha
- I year Assistance 40% (Rs.11,520/Ha)
- Spacing 5mx5m
- Population 400 plants per Ha

S. No	Name of the Component	Total cost (Rs/ Ha)	I year cost (Rs/Ha)	Subsidy (Rs/Ha)	Farmer Contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Supply of planting material - @Rs. 25/layer	13500	10000	10000	0
2	INM&IPM	15400	8000	1520	6480
3	Land Preparation, pitting, planting, irrigation & Inter- cultural operations		10800	0	10800
	Grand Total	48000	28800	11520	17280

Crop 6: Sapota

- Total cost Rs.45400/Ha
- I Year cost (60%)- Rs.27,240/Ha
- I year Assistance 40% (Rs.10896/Ha)
- Spacing 8mx8m
- Population 156 plants per Ha

S. No	Name of the Component	Total cost (Rs/ Ha)	I year cost (Rs/Ha)	Subsidy (Rs/Ha)	Farmer Contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Supply of planting material - Rs.40/graft	8424	6240	6240	0
2	INM&IPM	10000	7000	3000	4000
3	Land Preparation, pitting, planting, irrigation & Intercultural operations	26976	14000	1656	12344
	Grand Total	45400	27240	10896	16344

3.2. High density planting in fruits

Crop1: Mango (HDP)

- Total cost Rs.41,000/Ha
- I year cost (60%) Rs.24600/Ha
- Subsidy cost (40%) Rs.9840/Ha
- Spacing 5mx5m
- Population 400 plants per Ha

S. No	Name of the Component	Total cost (Rs/ Ha)	I year cost (Rs/Ha)	Subsidy (Rs/Ha)	Farmer Contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Supply of planting material - (Rs.60/ approach graft)	24000	24000	9840	14160
2	INM&IPM	17000	600	0	600
	Grand Total	41000	24600	9840	14760

Crop2: Guava (HDP)

- Total cost Rs.73330/Ha
- I year cost (60%) Rs.43998/Ha
- Subsidy cost (40%) restricted to Rs.17572/Ha
- Spacing 3mx3m
- Population 1111 plants per Ha

S.No.	Name of the component	Total cost (Rs./Ha)	I year cost (Rs/Ha)	Subsidy (Rs./Ha)	Farmer contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Cost of planting material @ Rs.30/ layer	33330	33330	17572	15758
2	INM/ IPM	40000	10668	0	10668
	Grand Total	73330	43998	17572	26426

5. Area Expansion of Spice crops

5.1. Seed spices & rhizomatic spices:

- Total cost- Rs.30,000/Ha
- Subsidy 40% (Rs.12,000/Ha)
- Maximum eligibility- 4 Ha per beneficiary

Crop 1. Seed spices – Chillies (Protray seedlings)

• Assistance for supply of chilli seedlings in portrays from State Horticulture Farms; assistance should not be extended for the seeds purchased.

S. No	Name of the Component	Total cost (Rs/Ha)	Subsidy (Rs./Ha)	Farmer Contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Hybrid Vegetable seedlings	12000	12000	0
2	INM/IPM	9000	0	9000
3	Land Preparation, planting, irrigation & Inter- cultural operations	9000	0	9000
	Grand Total	30000	12000	18000

Crop 2: Seed spices- Coriander (seeds)

S.No	Name of the component	Total cost (Rs/Ha)	Subsidy (Rs./Ha)	Farmer Contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Supply of Hybrid seed-Coriander 20kg/ha	8000	8000	0
2	INM/IPM	8000	2000	6000
3	Land Preparation, planting, irrigation & Inter- cultural operations	14000	2000	12000
	Total	30000	12000	18000

Crop 3: Rhizomatic spices-Turmeric:

S. No	Name of the component	Total cost (Rs/Ha)	Subsidy (Rs./Ha)	Farmer Contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Supply of Seed Turmeric- 2000kg/ ha	40000	12000	28000
2	INM/IPM	10000	0	10000
3	Land Preparation, planting, irrigation & Inter- cultural operations	14000	0	14000
	Total	64000	12000	52000

Crop 4: Rhizomatic spices-Ginger:

S. No	Name of the component	Total cost (Rs/Ha)	Subsidy (Rs./Ha)	Farmer Contribution (Rs./Ha)
I	Supply of Seed Ginger- 1500kg/ ha	30000	12000	18000
2	INM/IPM	10000	0	10000
3	Land Preparation, planting, irrigation & Inter- cultural operations	14000	0	14000
	Total	54000	12000	42000

• Assistance should be provided to farmer as back ended subsidy after confirming its quality for turmeric and ginger.

5.2.Perennial spices:

- Total cost- Rs.50,000/Ha
- Subsidy 40% (Rs.20,000/Ha)
- Maximum eligibility- 4 Ha per beneficiary

Crop 1: Pepper

- Spacing 3mx3m
- Population-pepper(1110 plants per Ha) & standard-silver oak(555 plants per ha)

S. No.	Name of the component	Total cost (Rs./Ha)	Subsidy (Rs./Ha)	Farmer contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Supply of planting materials and standard - Cost of pepper and silver oak	9990	9990	0
2	Land Preparation, pitting, planting, irrigation & Inter- cultural operations	30010	7010	23000
4	INM& IPM inputs	10000	3000	7000
	Total	50000	20000	30000

Crop 2: Curry leaf

- Spacing 1.2mx1.5m
- Population 5,555 plants per Ha

S. No.	Name of the component	Total cost (Rs./Ha)	Subsidy (Rs./Ha)	Farmer contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Cost of planting material (5555 @ Rs.10 = Rs.55,550) limited to 50,000	50000	20000	30,000
	Total	50000	20000	30000

6. Area Expansion of Flower crops

6.1.Loose flowers:

- Maximum eligibility- 4 Ha per beneficiary
- Total cost Rs.40000/Ha
- Subsidy 40% (Rs.16000/Ha)

Crop 1: Jasmine

- Spacing 1.25mx1.25m
- Population 6400 plants per Ha

S. No	Name of the component	Total cost (Rs./Ha)	Subsidy (Rs./Ha)	Farmer contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Cost of planting material(6400 @ Rs.10 = Rs.64,000) limited to 40,000	40000	16,000	24,000
	Total	40,000	16,000	24,000

Crop 2: Crossandra:

- Spacing 60cm x 60cm
- Population 27,777 plants per Ha

S.No	Name of the Component	Total cost (Rs./Ha)	Subsidy (Rs./Ha)	Farmer contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Supply of planting material- Cost of planting material 27,777 @ Rs.10 is Rs. 2,77,770 (limited to Rs. 40,000)	40000	16000	24000
	Total	40000	16000	24000

Crop 3: Marigold (portrays):

- Spacing 45cm x 35 cm
- Population -63492plants per Ha

S.No	Name of the Component	Total cost (Rs./Ha)	Subsidy (Rs./Ha)	Farmer contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Supply of planting material- Cost of planting material 63492@ Rs.4 is Rs.2,53,968 (limited to Rs. 40,000)	40000	16000	24000
	Total	40000	16000	24000

Crop 4 : Rose

- Spacing 2m x 1m
- Population –5,000 plants per Ha

S.No	Name of the Component	Total cost (Rs./Ha)	Subsidy (Rs./Ha)	Farmer contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Supply of planting material – 5,000@ Rs.10 is Rs.50,000 (limited to Rs. 40,000)	40000	16000	24000
	Total	40000	16000	24000

Crop 5: Ixora

- Spacing 2m x 2 m
- Population –2500 plants per Ha

S.No.	Name of the Component	Total cost (Rs./Ha)	Subsidy (Rs./Ha)	Farmer contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Supply of planting material@ Rs.10/cutting	25000	16000	9000
2	Land Preparation, pitting, planting, irrigation & Inter-cultural operations	10000	0	10000
3	INM& IPM	5000	0	5000
	Total	40000	16000	24000

6.2.Bulbous flower crops (Tuberose):

- Total cost Rs.1,50,000/Ha
- Subsidy 40% (Rs.60,000/Ha) as back-ended assistance
- Maximum eligibility 4 Ha per farmer

S.No	Name of the component	Total cost (Rs./Ha)	Subsidy (Rs./Ha)	Farmer contribution (Rs./Ha)
1	Supply of planting material @ Rs.10/cutting	50,000	50000	0
2	Land Preparation, pitting, planting, irrigation & Inter- cultural operations	60000	7000	53000
3	INM& IPM	40000	3000	37000
	Grand Total	150000	60,000	90000

II. Protected cultivation (Poly house and Shadenet)

- Implementing districts: Non-NHM districts viz. Chengalpet, Kancheepuram,
 Tiruvallur, Tiruvannamalai, Namakkal, Karur, Tiruvarur, Nagapattinam,
 Mayiladuthurai, Virudhunagar and Tuticorin
- Structural standards as per MIDH norms
- Transaction through DBT method only
- All the general guidelines prescribed to be observed.
- Eligibility upto 4000 sq.m per farmer
- Payment should be made only after completion work and getting satisfactory report from JIT.
- Joint Inspection Team constituting of the concerned Joint/ Deputy Director of Horticulture as a head of the team, the Expert form TNAU/KVK, Engineers from AED and Concern block Assistant Director Horticulture should inspect and verify the infrastructure creation before release of the fund.

1. Poly green house

• 50% Back ended subsidy extended as tabulated below:

SI. No.	Item	Estimated unit cost (Rs. per sq. m)	Subsidy cost (Rs. per sq. m)
	Green Houses (Naturally		
	ventilated system/ Tubular		
	system)unit : Sq.m	1060	530
1	1. upto 500	935	467.5
	2. 500 to 1008	890	445
	3. 1008 to 2080	844	422
	4. 2080 to 4000		

2. Shade net house (tubular structure)

50 % back ended subsidy extended as Rs.355 per Sq.M

S.No.	Specifications	Size	Cost norms
1	Area of Shade Net House (Ground Level)	500-4000Sq.mt	
2	Main poles and frames	60 mm G.I pipe	
3	Lengthwise & Breadthwise	48 mm G.I pipe	
4	Lengthwise	42 mm G.I pipe	

5	ShadeNet		50% shade	Rs. 710/Sq.M 50%	
	Drip	Irrigation	System/	Yes	of the cost limited to
	Fogging/Misting			4000Sq.M/beneficiary	

III: Post harvest management

1. Low-cost Onion Storage structures

- Total cost Rs.7000/- for constructing 1 MT capacity of onion storage structure
- Subsidy 50 % subsidy (Rs.3500/MT)
- Eligibility 5 MT (Rs.17,500/-) to 50 MT (Rs.1,75,000/-) per farmer as subsidy as per requirement
- Extended as back ended subsidy. Transaction should be in DBT method only.
- Payment should be made only after completion work and getting satisfactory report from JIT.
- Joint Inspection Team constituting of the concerned Joint/ Deputy Director of Horticulture as a head of the team, concerned block Assistant Director Horticulture and concerned Block Horticulture Officer from other block should inspect and verify the onion storage structure creation before release of the fund.

2. Functional infrastructure for Collection, sorting/grading, packing units, etc.

- Total cost Rs.15 lakh per unit
- Subsidy 40 % subsidy
- Subsidy amount Rs.6 lakh/unit
- Extended as credit linked back ended subsidy. Transaction should be in DBT method only.
- Payment should be made only after completion work and getting satisfactory report from JIT.
- Joint Inspection Team constituting of the concerned Joint/ Deputy Director of Horticulture as a head of the team, the Expert form TNAU/KVK, Engineers from AED, Concern block Assistant Director Horticulture and Banker should inspect and verify the infrastructure creation before release of the fund.

IV: Encouraging Homestead vegetable gardens

- Implementing districts: All districts of Tamil Nadu except Nilgiris
- Project specific documents: Any one of the ID/ Address proof/ Aadhar Card and beneficiary Photo

1. Distribution of Vegetable seed kits (Nos)

- **Subsidy:** 75% subsidy on the cost of seed kit containing 12 kinds of vegetable seeds
- Maximum permissible subsidy: 2 kits per family.
- Source of seed kit: Only from State Horticulture Farms

	S.No	Particulars	Cost (Rs.)	Subsidy (Rs.)	Beneficiary Contribution (Rs.)
F	1	Cost of seed kit	60/-	45/-	15/-

• The farmer contribution amount of Rs.15 is to be collected from the beneficiary and remitted to FRA account of the concerned SHF.

2. Vegetable Garden kits / Rooftop garden kits

• Each kit should contain the following items:

S. No.	Input	Quantity
1	Grow bags (6 bags)	6 Nos.
2	2Kg cocopeat bricks	6 Nos.
3	Vegetable Seeds (High yielding)	6 kinds
4	Azospirillum (Govt sources)	200 g
5	Phosphobacteria (Govt sources)	200 g
6	Trichoderma viride (Govt sources)	100 g
7	Pseudomonas (Govt sources)	100 g
8	Azadiractin (100 ml)	100 ml

- Total cost of each kit Rs.900
- **subsidy**: 75% subsidy (Rs.675)
- Each beneficiary is eligible for a maximum of 2 kits
- Can be promoted as rooftop gardens and home gardens

S.No	Particulars	Cost (Rs.)	Subsidy (Rs.)	Beneficiary Contribution (Rs.)
1	Cost of Vegetable Garden kit	900/-	675/-	225/-

 Rs.225 is to be collected from the beneficiary as contribution amount and remitted to FRA account of the concerned SHF

3. Nutrition garden kits (Nos)

- **Subsidy:** 75% subsidy on kit containing 8 kinds of plants viz, Moringa, Acidlime, Papaya, Curry leaf, Aloe vera, Thippili, Karpooravalli and Mint
- Maximum permissible subsidy: 1 kits per family.
- Source of seed kit: Only from State Horticulture Farms

S.No	Particulars	Cost (Rs.)	Subsidy (Rs.)	Beneficiary Contribution (Rs.)
1	Cost of seed kit	100/-	75/-	25/-

<u>V. Special techniques and systems for Horticultural crops - Support for Trellis/ staking/propping for Horticulture crops</u>

- Implementing districts: All districts
- Total Cost- Rs.50,000/ -
- Subsidy- 50%(Rs.25,000/-)
- Material to be used: Bamboo/Wooden/Iron Pole with Steel wire
- Maximum of 1 Ha per beneficiary as back ended subsidy
- Trellis: Pandal vegetables like Bitter gourd, Snake gourd, Ribbed gourd etc.
- Staking: Hybrid Vegetables like Tomato, cucumber etc.
- Propping Banana

VI: Horticulture crop incentive scheme for Vegetables including traditional vegetables

- Maximum eligibility- 2 Ha per beneficiary
- Maximum assistance Rs.15000/Ha
- To be extended as back ended subsidy
- Implementing districts: All districts
- The farmers availing the subsidy under crop Incentive scheme should not claim for the subsidy under Area expansion programme.
- The financial assistance should be disbursed to the beneficiary after verifying the adangal and e-adangal by adopting DBT
- Priority should be given to the traditional vegetable crops

VII: Cottage Mushroom units

- Implementing districts: All districts of Tamil Nadu
- Eligibility –A beneficiary is eligible for a maximum of 1 unit only
- **Total cost** Rs.1 lakh/ beneficiary
- **Subsidy %** 50%
- **Subsidy amount** Rs.50,000/ unit/ beneficiary

S.No	Items	
Α	Non Recurring Expenditure	
1	Building Cost: Mushroom thatched shed (600 Sq.ft)	63,000
2	Sprayer (1 no.)	3,000
3	Thermometer	1000
	Sub-total (A)	67,000
В	Recurring expenditure	
4	Paddy straw (100 Kg) @ Rs.5/kg	5,000
5	Cost of polythene bags @ Rs.150/kg	2,000
6	Cost of spawn @ Rs.70.00/kg (80 kg)	5,600
7	Labour wages for @ Rs.300.00/day for 2 persons (10 days)	6,000
8	Plant Protection (fumigants, fungicides)	3000
9	Miscellaneous charges (electricity, gunny bags, rope, racks, electricity, etc.)	11,400
	Sub-total (B)	33,000
	Total A + B	1,00,000

*The above cost is indicative and is suitable for oyster mushroom cultivation. This component can also be used to promote cultivation of button mushroom, etc. However, the maximum subsidy eligible should not exceed Rs.50,000/unit. The components and individual costs can vary based on the farmer's requirement, type of mushroom cultivated, package of practices to be followed and prevailing market rates.

- The financial assistance should be provided as back ended assistance to the beneficiary.
- Payment should be made only after completion work and getting satisfactory report from JIT.
- Joint Inspection Team constituting of the concerned Joint/ Deputy Director of
 Horticulture as a head of the team, concerned block Assistant Director
 Horticulture, concerned Block Horticulture Officer and One Assistant Director
 Horticulture from other block should inspect and verify the infrastructure
 creation before release of the fund.

VIII: Distribution of Horticulture tools and equipment (Nos)

• Implementing districts: All districts except Chennai

Cost norms and pattern of assistance

S.No	Component	Unit cost	Subsidy %	Subsidy cost per unit
1	Plastic crates (1 unit - 10 nos)	7,500	50%	3,750
2	Aluminium Ladders for Harvesting	20,000	50%	10,000
3	Nets for safe harvesting of fruits	500	50%	250
4	Headlights for flower picking	500	50%	250
5	Secateurs	400	50%	200

- To be extended as back ended subsidy to the beneficiary through DBT
- Maximum eligibility 1 unit per beneficiary
- One beneficiary can avail only one of the five components

IX.INM/IPM for Betel vine

- Implementing districts: All Betel vine growing farmers are eligible
- Maximum eligibility- 1 Ha per beneficiary
- Maximum assistance Rs.10,000/Ha
- To be extended as back ended subsidy

Documentation

- A spiral booklet must be maintained by the district officers for infrastructure based project and the various stages of the work should be recorded.
- Component wise success stories should be maintained in each block by recording the yield and income of the farmer in all stages and it should be sent to DH&PC.
- A follow up register should be maintained beneficiary-wise and the yield, income generated, etc and other parameters should be recorded
- The farmer should place display board in front of the field. The Emblem of Government of Tamil Nadu and IHDS should be indicated in the following format mentioned below.
- After erection of the board, a photograph with beneficiary farmer should be taken and affixed in the beneficiary/ Follow up register

Department of Horticulture& Plantation Crops Financial Assistance by IHDS – 2021-22



Farmer Name Component :

S/o Phy Area:

Village/Survey No Value of the Work: Rs

Block/District Assistance Given: Rs.