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Punjab's stubble machines: busy for a month, idle for the rest of the year

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A HAPPY Seeder costing Rs 1.7 lakh to Rs 1.8 lakh is typically used for only about 150 hours in a year. A Super Seeder, which costs around Rs 2.4 lakh, fares only marginally better, recording about 180 hours of annual use.

For machinery bought to tackle stubble burning, these figures point to a new problem for Punjab: ensuring that the equipment already deployed is used enough to make the centres operating it financially viable.

After spending years building an extensive network of crop residue management (CRM) machinery and custom hiring centres (CHCs), Punjab now faces the challenge of making this infrastructure economically sustainable.

A study on the commercial sustainability of CHCs providing CRM services in the state has found that low utilisation, a short operating season, and high running costs are undermining their viability.

Punjab's CRM programme has created a substantial machinery base to address stubble burning. But the study suggests that expanding this base is not enough.

Unless centres can use equipment for significantly more hours, reduce costs, and find business beyond a few weeks of the year, the machinery network remains an expensive seasonal arrangement.

The study is authored by former Punjab Agriculture Commissioner Dr B S Sidhu and published by Kissan Vikas Chamber Punjab (KVCP). It says a CHC needs around 600 to 800 operational hours annually to become financially viable. Centres operating below this threshold find it difficult to recover their operating costs.

Most CRM machines' demand is concentrated in the 30 to 40 days between paddy harvesting and wheat sowing. For the rest of the year, the equipment remains largely idle even as owners have to bear costs such as depreciation, interest, insurance and maintenance.

The study estimates annual utilisation of a Happy Seeder at around 150 hours, a Super Seeder at 180 hours and a Smart Seeder at about 200 hours.

Balers, which are used to collect and manage crop residue, record higher utilisation of around 300 hours.

Running costs add to the pressure.

The study says, "Fuel accounts for an estimated 50 to 60 per cent of the operating expenses of CRM machinery, with labour, repairs, and maintenance adding to the burden. High fuel consumption and rising costs leave little room for operators whose machines are hired out for only a limited number of days."

The study points out that the financial performance of CHCs varies according to their operating model. Cooperative and institutional centres may have relatively lower margins but benefit from more stable cash flows. Private entrepreneurs operating on a hire-only basis can have higher margins because they have greater flexibility in setting prices. Centres that use machinery both for their own farming and for hiring out, however, may struggle to recover the full cost through rental income.

The study cites the example of an FPO in Ludhiana's Lapran to show how a different approach can improve utilisation. Its major machines record close to 1,200 operating hours annually, while its operations cover around 900 to 1,000 hectares. The FPO generates hiring revenue of about Rs 90 lakh through an integrated baler-based system involving residue collection, aggregation and logistics.

The model flags the need to diversify the use of machinery across crops and seasons, strengthen repair and maintenance facilities, improve operator skills and aggregate demand across villages. Leasing and cluster-based operations could help centres increase the hours for which machines remain in use. Developing biomass value chains could provide another source of revenue, particularly for centres equipped to handle baling and transportation.

The report recommends moving away from an approach that "measures success primarily through the number of machines distributed or centres established. Incentives, it suggests, should increasingly be linked to performance and actual utilisation. A tiered system of CHCs, with different scales of operation and service capabilities, could also help match investment with local demand".

MANDIS IN MAJHA, DOABA ACHIEVE 95% TARGET

Panicked farmers sell paddy below MSP fearing slump in procurement

Commission agents report distress sales of Rs 300–Rs 350 per quintal below MSP in Gurdaspur, including Batala

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SEVERAL MANDIS in Punjab's Majha and Doaba regions have reportedly achieved 90-95 per cent of their allotted paddy procurement targets, and fearing that government purchases will stop once the quotas are exhausted, farmers are selling their produce to private buyers below the minimum support price (MSP).

In parts of Gurdaspur, Amritsar and Tarn Taran districts, farmers are selling paddy to private buyers for Rs 300 to Rs 350 per quintal — below the MSP of Rs 2,461 per quintal.

The distress sales come amid the state's overall paddy arrivals reaching at around 56 per cent of the Centre's procurement target of 180 lakh tonnes (LMT).

Commission agents say fear drove anxious farmers to dispose of their produce by giving private buyers, including rice millers, an opportunity to bargain down prices.

Gurpal Singh Randhawa, district president of the Punjab Arhtiya Association in Batala, said distress sales were taking place in several mandis in Gurdaspur district, including Batala.

The price difference amounts to a loss of Rs 9,000 to Rs 10,500 on every 30 quintals sold below the MSP.

Maninder Behal, district president of the Punjab Arhtiya Association in Amritsar, said several mandis in the district had already completed their allotted targets, leaving farmers worried about whether their produce would be procured. He said panicked farmers were selling their crops at prices substantially below the MSP.

For the first time this season, Punjab has fixed mandi-wise procurement targets based on the average quantity procured at each purchase centre over the previous three years. The allocations were drawn up after the Centre set an overall procurement target of 180 LMT for Punjab. The Punjab Mandi Board directed mandis reportedly meeting the allotted procurement targets to cease procurement at purchase centres across Amritsar, Tarn Taran, Kapurthala and other districts.

Sources with the Mandi Board said the decision was taken on the recommendation of the Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs Department.

Reports indicate that at some places, procurement resumed after scrutiny.

Commission agents said the three-year average might not reflect this year's crop prospects. They demanded the state government to approach the Centre for a higher procurement target and clarify the arrangements for mandis, where arrivals exceeded their allocations.

Punjab Arhtiya Association president Ravinder Singh Cheema said the state government should build a case for raising the overall target, pointing to expectations of higher yields this season. "The state should conduct field trials to establish actual yields per acre and use the results to support its demand," he suggested. Cheema urged the government to take up the matter with the Centre and seek permission to procure beyond the existing target. "The association," he warned, "will approach the Punjab and Haryana High Court, if the government fails to address its concerns."

The possibility of arrivals exceeding the state's procurement target was flagged earlier this month. A senior official of the Punjab Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs Department estimated that non-Basmati paddy arrivals could reach around 192-200 LMT, if average yields touched 30 quintals per acre, against the Centre's 180-LMT target. An Agriculture Department official had separately said that calculations based on historical yields pointed to arrivals exceeding 186 LMT.

Rural watchman's monthly honorarium increased to Rs 15,221: Haryana CM Saini

Press Trust of India
Chandigarh, November 6

HARYANA CHIEF Minister Nayab Singh Saini on Friday announced an increase in the monthly honorarium of the Gramin Chowkidars (rural watchmen) from Rs 11,000 to Rs 15,221 ahead of Diwali.

Highlighting the increase in the honorarium, the chief minister said that in 2014, rural watchmen were receiving a monthly honorarium of only Rs 3,500, which has now increased more than fourfold.

Saini was speaking as the chief guest at the state-level Gramin Chowkidars Samman Samaroh held in Panchkula.

Haryana Development and Panchayats Minister Krishan Lal Panwar, Deputy Speaker of the Haryana Legislative Assembly Krishan Middha, Chairman of the Haryana Public Enterprises Bureau Mohan Lal Badoli, were among those present.

On the occasion, Saini extended his heartfelt greetings and best wishes to the people of the state on the festivals of Dhanteras and Diwali.

According to an official statement, Saini also made several significant announcements for Gramin Chowkidars.

These include an increase in the annual uniform allowance from Rs 4,000 to Rs 5,000; the annual allowance for essential equipment, including a lathi (baton), flashlight, whistle and umbrella, from Rs 1,000 to Rs 1,500; and the bicycle allowance from Rs 3,500 to Rs 5,000.

In another significant decision aimed at the welfare of Gramin Chowkidars, the chief minister announced that, for the first time in Haryana's history, they would be covered under the Employees' State Insurance (ESI) Scheme, on the lines of the provisions applicable to water supply and sanitation workers.

Under this scheme, rural watchmen and their families will have access to medical treatment in case of illness. They will also receive benefits in the event of an accident or disability.

He further announced that every rural watchman would now also be covered under the Haryana Labour Welfare Fund. This will enable them to avail financial assistance under various government welfare schemes for the education and marriage of their children, as well as to meet other family-related needs.

Saini announced that all these benefits would come into effect with immediate effect.

Una farmers grow potatoes using stubble; eliminate need for tillage, irrigation

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IN HIMACHAL Pradesh's Una district, the traditional practice of leaving fields uncultivated after the paddy harvest and incurring high tilling and irrigation costs before the next sowing is undergoing a significant shift.

Farmers are now planting potatoes immediately after the paddy harvest, leveraging the existing soil moisture without the need for tillage. Instead of using soil to cover the potatoes, they use paddy stubble, achieving excellent yields. This innovative agricultural technique offers farmers a way to cultivate a second crop at a significantly lower cost.

Efforts are underway by the Agricultural Research Sub-Centre, Akhrot, to introduce this method to farmers' fields. As part of this initiative, potatoes have been successfully planted using the 'zero-tillage' method in a field belonging to Ranjana Devi in Nandpur, said a spokesperson of the centre.

A key feature of this technique is that there is no need to till the field after the paddy harvest. Potatoes are planted by utilising the residual moisture already present in the soil. The leftover paddy stubble is used as mulch, which helps retain soil moisture while ensuring the effective use of agricultural residue.

Ranjana Devi on Friday said she received training in zero-tillage potato cultivation from the Agricultural Research Sub-Centre, Akhrot. She also visited the research centre's farm to gain a deeper understanding of the technique.

Following this, she adopted the method in her own fields this year. She is now facilitating the use of this technique in the fields of other farmers as well, encouraging them to adopt this new approach.

Punjab farm fire cases reach 2,787, with 586 incidents from Tarn Taran

Press Trust of India
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THE NUMBER of farm fire incidents in Punjab between September 15 and November 5 this year has reached 2,787, with Tarn Taran recording 586 cases and Ferozepur 361, official data said on Friday.

On November 4, stubble burning cases stood at 2,347, the data showed.

Till Thursday, there were 221 farm fire incidents in Amritsar, 216 in Bathinda, 240 in Sangrur and 156 in Patiala.

So far, the authorities have imposed fines totalling over Rs 46 lakh as environmental compensation in 914 cases of stubble burning, with over Rs 24 lakh already recovered.

Officials registered 710 FIRs related to stubble burning incidents, including 294 in Tarn Taran under Section 223 (disobedience of orders promulgated by a public servant) of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita.

The annual farm fire monitoring period begins on September 15, two weeks before paddy procurement starts on October 1.

Taking a serious view of the "very high" number of farm fires in Punjab, the Commission for Air Quality Management (CAQM) on Wednesday met with senior bureaucrats and police officers from 12 districts to review steps to prevent stubble burning.

Rajesh Verma, the chairperson of CAQM in NCR and adjoining areas, presided over the meeting via video conferencing with the state's secretary, environment; secretary, agriculture and deputy commissioners (DCs) and senior superintendents of police (SSPs) from 12 districts.

The commission directed that the monitoring and enforcement drive be intensified and that nodal officers be held accountable for failing to monitor and prevent farm fires.

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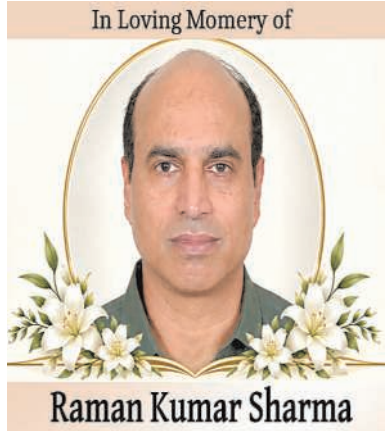
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