

A Study on Socio Economic Conditions of Farmers in Kurnool District

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ABSTRACT

The present study is on the socioeconomic conditions of farmers in Kurnool district of Andhra Pradesh. The sample data is collected through a survey by building a questionnaire. The sample size is 100 farmers. The study reveals about socio economic of the farmer based on education level, type of family, the main source of income, and annual income of the family. The study also did on a number of crops growing in a year, main crop that grows in a year, the kind of seeds using, kind of fertiliser using, irrigation facilities and etc. 52% of the farmers are taking the land on lease. 63% of the farmers are owning two wheeler. 49% of the farmers are purchasing inputs from direct purchase which means from the dealer. 48% of the farmers are purchasing the inputs through cash. 73% of the farmers are showing positive intense towards farming. 69.86% of the farmers are saying the reason for farming is mainly inheritance. 40.71% of the farmers are saying reason for not liking farming is mainly risky. 59% of the farmers grow two crops in a year, 58% of the farmers are using hybrid variety of seeds. 58% of the farmers are using only chemical fertiliser.

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