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Rabi MSP for Season 2027-28

GEC-III. VRRR result.

Rs 2,610

**WHEAT MSP PER
QUINTAL**

**Rs 1.86
lakh cr**

GEC-III OUTLAY

135 GW

RE EVACUATION

Original concept illustration | Figures from cited sources

Agriculture

Rabi MSP approved.

Energy

GEC-III approved.

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Editor's briefing and contents

Rabi crop support prices, a renewable transmission scheme and a liquidity auction result lead this edition.

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Reading guide

3 verified stories, each linked to its source. Earlier developments are explicitly carried forward. Not every possible update is covered. The separate 6-question test uses this same dataset. Original practice, not an actual previous-year paper.



Banking and RBI

RBI overnight VRRR auction of 30 September 2026: result

30 September 2026 | Reserve Bank of India

The RBI's result for the Overnight Variable Rate Reverse Repo (VRRR) auction held on 30 September 2026 showed a notified amount of Rs 2,00,000 crore, with offers of Rs 85,424 crore all accepted.

The cut-off rate and the weighted average rate were both 5.24 per cent.

Key facts

Auction date: 30 September 2026

Notified amount: Rs 2,00,000 crore

Accepted: Rs 85,424 crore

Cut-off rate: 5.24 per cent

Exam takeaway: Offers fell short of the notified amount, so all were accepted.

One-minute recall: RBI VRRR result (30 September 2026).

Reserve Bank of India

Government Schemes

Cabinet approves Rabi MSP for Marketing Season 2027-28

30 September 2026 | Press Information Bureau

PIB said the Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs (CCEA), chaired by the Prime Minister, approved the increase in Minimum Support Prices for all mandated Rabi crops for Marketing Season 2027-28 on 30 September 2026.

The highest absolute increase is for Safflower at Rs 675 per quintal, followed by Rapeseed and Mustard at Rs 413. Wheat MSP rises by Rs 25 to Rs 2,610 per quintal, Gram by Rs 83 to Rs 5,958, Lentil by Rs 390 to Rs 7,390 and Barley by Rs 136 to Rs 2,286.

Key facts

Wheat MSP: Rs 2,610 per quintal (up Rs 25)

Safflower MSP: Rs 7,215 (up Rs 675)

Gram MSP: Rs 5,958 (up Rs 83)

Lentil MSP: Rs 7,390 (up Rs 390)

Exam takeaway: MSP is fixed for six Rabi crops: wheat, barley, gram, lentil, rapeseed and mustard, and safflower.

One-minute recall: Rabi MSP 2027-28 (PIB, 30 September 2026).

Press Information Bureau

Cabinet approves Green Energy Corridor Phase-III with Battery Energy Storage

30 September 2026 | Press Information Bureau

PIB said the Union Cabinet approved the Green Energy Corridor Phase-III (GEC-III) scheme on 30 September 2026 to strengthen the Intra-State Transmission System and enable evacuation of up to 135 GW of renewable energy, with deployment of 50 GWh of Battery Energy Storage Systems (BESS).

The scheme is targeted to be set up by FY 2032-33 with a total outlay of Rs 1,86,405 crore, comprising Rs 1,36,378 crore for transmission and Rs 50,000 crore for BESS, and total Central Financial Support of Rs 54,082 crore.

Key facts

Outlay: Rs 1,86,405 crore

Renewable energy evacuation: up to 135 GW

BESS: 50 GWh

Central Financial Support: Rs 54,082 crore

Exam takeaway: Greenfield projects use Tariff Based Competitive Bidding; brownfield works use Cost Plus Basis.

One-minute recall: GEC-III (PIB, 30 September 2026).

Press Information Bureau

Rapid revision and vocabulary

RBI VRRR result (30 September 2026).

Rabi MSP 2027-28 (PIB, 30 September 2026).

GEC-III (PIB, 30 September 2026).

MSP: Minimum Support Price.

CCEA: Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs.

BESS: Battery Energy Storage System.

InSTS: Intra-State Transmission System.

TBCB: Tariff Based Competitive Bidding.

Rapid-revision prompts

What is MSP?

What is BESS?

What is the Green Energy Corridor?

Sources and publication information

Every figure comes from the linked source page for that story. Where an official page was not read, the story names the publication that reported it. Items we could not verify, or whose outcome was not settled, were left out. This edition has 3 stories because that is what we could verify for the day.

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