



Food & Agriculture

❖ Reality

- ❖ Land is held or hoarded with Landlords, likewise produce is hoarded by middlemen. Government turning a mute spectator to this orchestrated drama.
- ❖ Improper farm policies & batil economic policies create artificial demand only pushing prices up
- ❖ More emphasis on cash crops instead of food crop

❖ Future

- ❖ Guarantee of Food is one of the primary responsibility of the State
- ❖ Hoarding will be classified as a greater theft with severe punishment
- ❖ Land cannot be held for more than 3 years if not been used. Unused 3 types of lands will be re-assigned to those who can use it. Imbalance in land ownership in Pakistan plays a major part in "maintaining poverty and food insecurity"
 1. Arable Crop Land
 2. Permanent Crop Land
 3. Permanent Grass Land
- ❖ Pakistan produces about 25 Million Tons of Wheat (More than whole of Africa and nearly equal to that of S.America). Similar facts on Sugar, Rice, Chickpea, Cotton etc. Enough to feed whole of Central Asia.
- ❖ Emphasis on cutting chemicals in Agri & Farm Sectors.
- ❖ 25 Million Cattle, 26 Million Buffalo, 25 Million Sheep, 60 Million Goats etc translate to corresponding to Meat, Milk, Beef, Egg etc. Enough to support the population of Pakistan and Afganistan.
- ❖ 4% of present forest cover to be enhanced to reap more benefits
- ❖ More emphasis on Food crops instead of Cash Crops. Cash crops will be cultivated only to the extend of sufficiency.
- ❖ Excess food over contingency levels will be donated in line with the Foreign Policy
- ❖ Canals will be strengthened and new check-dams will be built to increase water levels
- ❖ Agri & Farm Universities and Research Centers to be built
- ❖ Construction of new Dams will be a balance between energy needs and Argi/Farm & Potable needs

P.S : These have not been written by Subject Matter Experts. Any error noticed, kindly inform and correct it. Ummah has lots of Khair and we would greatly appreciate the correction and help. All of these will be implemented by technocrats and bureaucrats, only difference will be the new perspective.