

## FOOD SECURITY IN INDIA- ISSUES AND CHALLENGES

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### ABSTRACT

Food security has 3 crucial and closely related components, that are an availability of food, get entry to food, and absorption of food. Food protection is, as a result, a multi-dimensional idea and extends beyond the production availability, and call for food. There has been a particular and widespread paradigm shift in the idea of food security from mere macro degree availability and stability to micro stage family meals insecurity, and additionally from an assessment of power consumption to measures and signs of malnutrition.

This which means of meals security has developed over a time frame. As an idea, meals security originated inside the mid-Seventies, inside the wake of worldwide food disaster. The preliminary focus of attention becomes assuring the accessibility and to a few diploma the rate stability of primary foodstuffs on the worldwide and countrywide degree.

In FAO file on *The State of Food Insecurity, 2001*”, meals security is defined as a “ --- situation that exists while each person, at all times, have bodily, social and monetary get admission to to sufficient, secure and nutritious meals that meets their nutritional needs and meals choices for an lively and healthful life”. This turned into then broadened to incorporate the call for the aspect of meals protection in the early eighties. During the nineties, issues such as food protection, nutrition, nutritional needs, and food choices had been also taken into consideration the critical components of meals safety.

This paper is centered on several foods protection problems accepted within the Indian situation. Data are taken from relevant assets to evaluation the gravity of the food protection troubles in India. It also covered the several development programmes taken up through the Indian authorities to counter diverse food safety issues along with numerous schemes and yojanas. India’s biggest venture nonetheless remains to ensure meals and dietary security to its hundreds.

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