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Underscoring the vital role cooperatives and agriculture sectors can play in making the country Atmanirbhar, Prime Minister Narendra Modi at a recent webinar said various steps taken by his Government has ensured cooperative movement to spread across the country while the Budget allocation to agriculture sector has increased many-folds to touch Rs 1.25 lakh crore.

“The agricultural budget which was less than 25 thousand crores in 2014 has been increased to more than 1 lakh 25 thousand crores today... Every Budget in recent years has been called a budget for Gaon, Gareeb and Kisan”, the Prime Minister said while virtually addressing a post-budget webinar on Agriculture and Cooperatives on Friday.

He asserted that the goal of complete development cannot be achieved until the challenges related to the agriculture
