

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS

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**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1750**  
ANSWERED ON 10.12.2024

**PROJECTS UNDER SAGARMALA**

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Will the Minister of PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the salient features of the Sagarmala scheme along with the steps taken by Government to promote development in the country, through ports;
- (b) the number of projects so far undertaken along with funds sanctioned and projects executed under this project;
- (c) the details of the projects undertaken in Tamil Nadu, under Sagarmala scheme along with the status in respect of port modernisation and connectivity; and
- (d) the steps taken by Government to improve port infrastructure in the State of Tamil Nadu?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS  
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(a) to (b) Sagarmala is a flagship Central Sector Scheme of Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways to promote port-led development in the country. Under Sagarmala Scheme, Ministry provides financial assistance to State Governments / UTs for Port infrastructure projects, Coastal berth projects, Road & Rail projects, fish harbours, skill development projects, Coastal community development, International standard cruise terminal and unique and innovative projects such as Ro-Pax ferry services etc. State wise details of projects undertaken Sagarmala Scheme is annexed. [**Annexure-I**]

(c) & (d) Under Sagarmala Scheme, 22 project worth Rs. 1240 Cr. have been partially funded in the State of Tamil Nadu. The pillar wise details of projects(including port modernisation and connectivity pillar)in the state of Tamil Nadu is annexed. [**Annexure-II**]

## Annexure-I

State/UT	No. of Projects	Total Project Cost (₹ Cr)	Completed (₹ Cr)		Under Implementation (₹ Cr)		Under Development (₹ Cr)	
			No. of Projects	Total Project Cost	No. of Projects	Total Project Cost	No. of Projects	Total Project Cost
Andaman & Nicobar Islands	3	46	1	13	2	32	0	0
Andhra Pradesh	12	2,409	7	1,114	5	1,295	0	0
Goa	9	763	5	85	4	677	0	0
Gujarat	9	1,388	3	364	6	1,024	0	0
Karnataka	8	493	3	71	5	422	0	0
Kerala	8	273	6	134	2	139	0	0
Maharashtra	31	1,920	19	829	12	1,092	0	0
Odisha	6	350	1	4	5	346	0	0
Puducherry	2	30	1	27	1	2	0	0
Tamil Nadu	22	1,240	14	1,004	7	226	1	10
West Bengal	9	569	6	404	3	165	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>9,480</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>4,049</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>5,420</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>10</b>

**Annexure-II**

**Annexure – Details of number of projects, funds sanctioned and project status in the state of Tamil Nadu**

<b>Sr No</b>	<b>Name of Project</b>	<b>Implementing Agency</b>	<b>Pillar</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Project Cost (Rs. Cr)</b>
1.	Creation of Berthing facilities for tourist vessels at Agni Theertham, Tamil Nadu	Tamil Nadu Maritime Board	Coastal Shipping and IWT	Under Implementation	7.81
2.	Development and Operation of a full-fledged Truck Parking Terminal adjacent to NH7A opposite to Fisheries college at V.O. Chidambaranar	V. O. Chidambaranar Port Authority	Port Modernization	Completed	25.00
3.	Coastal berth with dredged depth of 10.0m to handle vessels up to 15000 DWT -length 150m at VoCPT	V. O. Chidambaranar Port Authority	Coastal Shipping and IWT	Completed	36.00
4.	Coastal Cargo Berth at ChPT	Chennai Port Authority	Coastal Shipping and IWT	Completed	80.00
5.	Construction of Breakwater both in North and South side of entrance channel- Berth-1- Berth-2 and Capital Dredging at Cuddalore Port -From entrance channel till cargo berths	Tamil Nadu Maritime Board	Port Modernization	Completed	135.00
6.	Development of paved storage yard at Chennai Port for handling export cargo	Chennai Port Authority	Port Modernization	Completed	54.00
7.	Construction of Bunker berth at Chennai Port	Chennai Port Authority	Port Modernization	Completed	44.00
8.	Construction of a fishing harbour at Poompuhar in	Fisheries Department,	Coastal Community Developme	Completed	148.00

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	Nagapattinam District in Tamil Nadu	GoTN	nt		
9.	Expansion of fishing harbour at Chinnamuttomin Kanyakumari District in Tamil Nadu	Fisheries Department, GoTN	Coastal Community Development	Completed	74.00
10.	Coastal Districts Skill Development Program - Phase I -Tamil Nadu	Ministry of Rural Development (DDU-GKY)	Coastal Community Development	Completed	2.94
11.	Construction of widening the Korampallam Surplus course bridge and rail over bridge -RoB including widening of road from western boundary to TTPS	V. O. Chidambaranar Port Authority	Port Connectivity	Completed	42.00
12.	Dredging the dock basin for coastal cargo berth at VOCPT - Dredging in front of dedicated coastal berth	V. O. Chidambaranar Port Authority	Port Modernization	Completed	98.00
13.	National Technology Center for Ports-Waterways and Coasts -New Campus	IIT Chennai	Coastal Community Development	Completed	77.03
14.	Coastal Districts Skill Development Program - Phase 2 -Tamil Nadu	Ministry of Rural Development (DDU-GKY)	Coastal Community Development	Under Implementation	10.67
15.	Fishing harbor at Mookaiyur in Ramanathapuram district in Tamil Nadu	Fisheries Department, GoTN	Coastal Community Development	Completed	113.90
16.	Fishing harbour at Kuthakal, Kunthukul - TN	Fisheries Department, GoTN	Coastal Community Development	Completed	74.00

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17.	Modern elevated steel bridge for safe transport of tourists from Vivekananda Rock to Thiruvalluvur statue	Tamil Nadu Maritime Board	Port Connectivity	Under Implementation	31.05
18.	Modernisation of Chennai Fishing Harbour Project	Chennai Port Authority	Coastal Community Development	Under Implementation	99.85
19.	Creation of additional berthing facilities at VilloondiTheertham, Tamil Nadu	Tamil Nadu Maritime Board	Coastal Shipping and IWT	Under Implementation	3.66
20.	Development of Buffer Parking yard for Trailers / Trucks at the backup areas of Berth No. 24B(BD-II) in Chennai Port Authority	Chennai Port Authority	Port Modernization	Under Implementation	52.85
21.	Upgradation of Nagapattinam Port Infrastructure for the passenger ferry service from Nagapattinam (India) to Kankesanthurai (Sri Lanka)	Tamil Nadu Maritime Board	Coastal Shipping and IWT	Under Development	10.47
22.	Extension of passenger berthing facility at Kanyakumari Port	Tamil Nadu Maritime Board	Coastal Shipping and IWT	Under Implementation	20.00

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