

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS
DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3058
TO BE ANSWERED ON 14th MARCH, 2018**

STATUS OF BHARAT NET PROJECT IN UTTAR PRADESH

†3058. SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Gram Panchayats connected with optical fibre under the Bharat Net project in the State of Uttar Pradesh, district-wise; and
- (b) the number of villages that are proposed to be connected with internet services under the said project in the financial year, 2018-19?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS &
MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)**

- (a) In Uttar Pradesh, as on 07.03.2018, a total of 27,170 Gram Panchayats (GPs) have been made Service Ready by providing connectivity on Optical Fibre Cable (OFC). The District-wise details of the Gram Panchayats, connected with optical fibre (Service Ready GPs) under the BharatNet project in the State, are given in **Annexure-I**.
- (b) BharatNet is broadband connectivity project to connect Gram Panchayats by Broadband. All the Gram Panchayats are proposed to be connected by broadband by March, 2019.

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Annexure-I

District/SSA-wise status of BharatNet in Uttar Pradesh (as on 07.03.2018)

S. No.	District Name	Service Ready GPs
1	AGRA	337
2	ALIGARH	502
3	ALLAHABAD	537
4	AMBEDKARNAGAR	612
5	AURAIYA	184
6	AZAMGARH	595
7	BAGHPAT	192
8	BAHRAICH	340
9	BALLIA	424
10	BALRAMPUR	155
11	BANDA	444
12	BARABANKI	563
13	BAREILLY	517
14	BASTI	363
15	BIJNOR	617
16	BUDAUN	651
17	BULANDSHAHR	854
18	CHANDAULI	242
19	CHHATRAPATI SHAHUJI MAHARAJ NAGAR	50
20	CHITRAKOOT	311
21	DEORIA	482
22	ETAH	376
23	ETAWAH	284
24	FAIZABAD	268
25	FARRUKHABAD	374
26	FATEHPUR	375
27	FIROZABAD	320
28	GAUTAM BUDHHA NAGAR	234
29	GHAZIABAD	361
30	GHAZIPUR	1052
31	GONDA	265
32	GORAKHPUR	470
33	HAMIRPUR	321
34	HARDOI	500
35	JALAUN	511

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S. No.	District Name	Service Ready GPs
36	JAUNPUR	632
37	JHANSI	154
38	JYOTIBA PHULE NAGAR	115
39	KANNAUJ	79
40	KANPUR DEHAT	187
41	KANPUR NAGAR	305
42	KANSHIRAM NAGAR	230
43	KAUSHAMBI	192
44	KHERI	481
45	KUSHINAGAR	65
46	LALITPUR	159
47	LUCKNOW	506
48	MAHAMAYA NAGAR	244
49	MAHARAJGANJ	134
50	MAHOBA	252
51	MAINPURI	342
52	MATHURA	445
53	MAU	589
54	MEERUT	252
55	MIRZAPUR	288
56	MORADABAD	674
57	MUZAFFARNAGAR	502
58	PILIBHIT	353
59	PRATAPGARH	610
60	RAE BARELI	515
61	RAMPUR	381
62	SAHARANPUR	449
63	SANT KABIR NAGAR	260
64	SANT RAVIDAS NAGAR	184
65	SHAHJAHANPUR	530
66	SHRAWASTI	142
67	SIDDHARTH NAGAR	163
68	SITAPUR	445
69	SONEBHADRA	49
70	SULTANPUR	375
71	UNNAO	501
72	VARANASI	703
	Total	27170