

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 160
TO BE ANSWERED ON DECEMBER 11, 2018

METRO CITIES

No. 160. SHRI SISIR KUMAR ADHIKARI:

Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that population growth in all big metropolitan cities is in agglomerate phase;
- (b) if so, the top 15 fastest growing cities in the country;
- (c) whether it is also a fact that by 2035 the cities are projected to have double urbanisation against the present status thereof; and
- (d) if so, the plan of the Government for arranging adequate facilities and services to cope up with human overload thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS

(SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI)

(a):The decadal population growth of 53 Urban Agglomerations is at Annexure-1.

(b): The details of the top fifteen cities, in terms of decadal growth of population, during the period 2001-2011 is given at Annexure-2.

(c): No Madam.

(d): The Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs through its flagship programs viz. Swachh Bharat Mission(SBM), Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation(AMRUT), Smart Cities Mission(SCM), Pradhan MantriAwasYojana-Housing for All (Urban) (PMAY-HFA-U), Heritage City Development and Augmentation Yojana (HRIDAY), DeendayalAntyodayaYojana- National Urban Livelihood Mission (DAY-NULM) and Metro Rail projects, is extending financial assistance to the State Governments for provision of adequate facilities and services.

Annexure-I referred to in reply to Lok Sabha Question No. 160 for answer on 11.12.2018

Metropolitan Urban Agglomerations and Cities in India in 2011 and the Decadal Variations in Their Population Since 1951

S.N o.	U.A / City (as per 2011 Census)	Population						Decadal Growth (%)						
		1951	1961	1971	1981	1991	2001	2011	1951- 61	1961-71	1971- 81	1981-91	1991-01	2001-11
1	Agra U.A	375665	508680	634622	747318	948063	1,331,339	1,746,467	35.41	24.76	17.76	26.86	40.43	31.18
2	Ahmadabad U.A	877329	1206001	1760950	2557560	3312216	4,525,013	6,352,254	37.46	46.02	45.24	29.51	36.62	40.38
3	Allahabad U.A	332295	430730	513036	650070	844546	1,042,229	1,216,719	29.62	19.11	26.71	29.92	23.41	16.74
4	Amritsar U.A	336114	390055	454805	594844	708835	1,003,917	1,183,705	16.05	16.6	30.79	19.16	41.63	17.91
5	Asansol U.A	156165	256426	318477	502558	763939	1,067,369	1,243,008	64.2	24.2	57.8	52.01	39.72	16.46
6	Aurangabad UA	66636	97701	165253	316421	592709	892,483	1,189,376	46.62	69.14	91.48	87.32	50.58	33.27
7	Bangalore U.A	786343	1206961	1664208	2921751	4130288	5,701,446	8,499,399	53.49	37.88	75.56	41.36	38.04	49.07
8	Bhopal U.A	102333	222948	384859	671018	1062771	1,458,416	1,883,381	17.87	72.62	74.35	58.38	37.23	29.14
9	Chennai U.A	1542333	1944502	3169930	4289347	5421985	6,560,242	8,696,010	26.08	63.02	35.31	26.41	20.99	32.56
10	Coimbatore U.A	287334	448201	736203	920355	1100746	1,461,139	2,151,466	55.99	64.26	25.01	19.6	32.74	47.25
11	Chandigarh UA	NA	99262	232940	422841	575829	808,515	1,025,682	NA	34.67	81.52	36.18	40.41	26.86
12	Delhi U.A	1437134	2359408	3647023	5729283	8419084	12,877,470	16,314,838	64.17	54.57	57.09	46.95	52.96	26.69
13	Dhanbad U.A	73602	230394	458016	685240	815005	1,065,327	1,195,298	13.03	98.8	49.61	18.94	30.71	12.20
14	Durg Bhilai nager UA	20249	133230	245124	490214	685474	927,864	1,064,077	57.96	83.99	99.99	39.83	35.36	14.68
15	Faridabad (M. Corp.)	37393	59039	122817	330864	617717	1,055,938	1,404,653	57.89	108.03	169.4	86.7	70.94	33.02
16	Greater Mumbai U.A	3216904	4515495	6591667	9421962	12596243	16,434,386	18,414,288	40.37	45.98	42.94	33.69	30.47	12.05
17	Ghaziabad UA	43745	70438	137033	287170	511759	968,256	2,358,525	61.02	94.54	109.56	78.21	89.20	143.58
18	Gwalior UA	241577	300587	406140	555862	717780	865,548	1,101,981	24.43	35.12	36.86	29.13	20.59	27.32
19	Hyderabad U.A	1135758	1254759	1815117	2607770	4344437	5,742,036	7,749,334	10.48	44.66	43.67	66.6	32.17	34.96
20	Indore U.A	310859	394941	560936	829327	1109056	1,516,918	2,167,447	27.05	42.03	47.85	33.73	36.78	42.88
21	Jabalpur U.A	256998	367014	534845	757303	888916	1,098,000	1,267,564	42.81	45.73	41.59	17.38	23.52	15.44
22	Jaipur (M. Corp.)*	304380	410376	636768	1015160	1518235	2,322,575	3,073,350	34.82	55.17	59.42	49.56	52.98	32.33
23	Jamshedpur U.A	218162	328044	440426	680054	829171	1,104,713	1,337,131	50.37	34.26	54.41	21.93	33.23	21.04
24	Jodhpur UA	180717	224760	317612	506345	666279	860,818	1,137,815	24.37	41.31	59.42	31.59	29.20	32.18
25	Kanpur U.A	705383	971062	1275242	1639064	2029889	2,715,555	2,920,067	37.66	31.32	28.53	23.84	33.78	7.53
26	Kochi U.A	211729	333882	554298	824926	1140605	1,355,972	2,117,990	57.69	66.02	48.82	38.27	18.88	56.20
27	Kolkata U.A	4669559	5983669	7420300	9194018	11021918	13,205,697	14,112,536	28.14	24.01	23.9	19.88	19.81	6.87
28	Kota MC	65107	120345	212991	358241	537371	703,150	1,001,365	84.84	76.98	68.20	50.00	30.85	42.41
29	Kozhikode UA	178187	299610	458016	546058	801190	880,247	2,030,519	68.14	52.87	19.22	46.72	109.87	130.68
30	Kannur UA	82471	169335	135967	417185	463962	498,207	1,642,892	105.33	80.29	206.83	11.21	107.38	229.76
31	Kollam UA	66126	123291	166079	258552	362572	380,091	1,110,005	86.45	34.70	55.68	40.23	104.83	192.04
32	Lucknow U.A	496861	655673	813982	1007604	1669204	2,245,509	2,901,474	31.96	24.14	23.79	65.66	34.53	29.21
33	Ludhiana (M. Corp.)	153795	244032	401176	607052	1042740	1,398,467	1,613,878	58.67	64.39	51.32	71.77	34.11	15.40
34	Madurai U.A	370791	490882	708445	906945	1085914	1,203,095	1,462,420	32.39	44.32	28.02	19.73	10.79	21.55
35	Meerut U.A	245179	294853	383106	542998	849799	1,161,716	1,424,908	20.26	29.93	41.74	56.5	36.7	22.66
36	Malappuram UA	10357	12276	47736	93745	142204	170,409	1,698,645	18.53	88.86	96.38	51.69	19.83	896.80
37	Nagpur U.A	449099	643659	866076	1219461	1664006	2,129,500	2,497,777	43.32	34.56	40.8	36.45	27.97	17.29
38	Nashik U.A	156888	215576	271681	443003	725341	1,152,326	1,562,769	37.41	26.03	63.06	63.73	58.87	35.62
39	Patna U.A	326163	414811	551210	918903	1099647	1,697,976	2,046,652	27.18	32.88	66.71	19.67	54.41	20.53
40	Pune U.A	608634	790798	1135034	1722186	2493987	3,760,636	5,049,968	29.93	43.53	51.73	44.82	50.79	34.28
41	Rajkot U.A	132069	194145	300612	445076	654490	1,003,015	1,390,933	47	54.84	48.06	47.05	53.25	38.68
42	Ranchi UA	106849	140253	266545	502771	614795	863,495	1,126,741	31.26	90.05	88.63	22.28	40.45	30.49
43	Raipur U.A	89804	139792	205986	338245	462694	700,113	1,122,555	55.66	47.35	64.21	36.79	51.31	60.34
44	Surat U.A	237394	317519	493001	923865	1518950	2,811,614	4,585,367	33.75	55.27	87.4	64.41	85.1	63.09
45	Srinagar UA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	988,210	1,273,312	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	28.85
46	Thrissur UA	75342	73038	102198	239614	275053	330,122	1,854,783	96.94	39.92	34.46	14.79	20.02	461.85
47	Thiruvananthapuram UA	191343	297819	435473	520125	826225	889,635	1,687,406	55.65	46.22	19.44	58.85	107.67	89.67
48	Tiruchirappalli UA	294233	338881	464624	609548	711862	866,354	1,021,717	15.17	37.11	31.19	16.79	21.70	17.93
49	Vadodara U.A	211407	309716	473197	782403	1126824	1,491,045	1,817,191	46.5	52.78	65.34	44.02	32.32	21.87
50	Varanasi U.A	369799	505952	635175	797162	1030863	1,203,961	1,435,113	36.82	25.54	25.5	29.32	16.79	19.20
51	Vijayawada U.A	186394	269536	395084	613722	845756	1,039,518	1,491,202	44.61	46.58	55.34	37.81	22.91	43.45
52	Visakhapatnam U.A	108042	211190	363467	603630	1057118	1,345,938	1,730,320	95.47	72.1	66.08	75.13	27.32	28.56
53	Vasi Virar City MC	19640	28238	44909	52398	83734	174,396	1,221,233	43.78	59.04	16.68	59.80	208.27	600.26
Total (1-53)		23158670	32046785	45530417	65619137	89519796	121,057,926	160,725,506	38.38	42.07	44.12	36.42	35.23	32.77
Urban Pop of India**		61986496	78343288	108255756	156419768	215771612	286,119,689	377,105,760	26.39	38.18	44.49	37.94	32.60	31.80

* Figures for 1951 to 1991 pertain to Jaipur U.A as given in "Census of India, 1991." Part II - A (II) - Towns and Urban Agglomerations classified by population in 1991 with variation since 1901"

** Excludes the figures of Jammu & Kashmir from 1901 - 1991, where census was not conducted in 1991. Also excludes the figures of Assam of 1981 where Census was not held in 1981

Source : 1. Census of India, 1991 : "Part II - A (II) - Towns and Urban Agglomerations classified by population in 1991 with variation since 1901"

Annexure-II referred to in reply to Lok Sabha Question No. 160 for answer on 11.12.2018

List of 15 fastest growing cities in India

S.N o.	U.A / City (as per 2011 Census)	State	Population 2001	Population 2011	Decadal Growth in % 2001-2011
1	Malappuram U.A	Kerala	1,70,409	16,98,645	896.8
2	VasalVirar City (M.Corp.)	Maharashtra	1,74,396	12,21,233	600.26
3	Thrissur U.A	Kerala	3,30,122	18,54,783	461.85
4	Kannur U.A	Kerala	4,98,207	16,42,892	229.76
5	Kollam U.A	Kerala	3,80,091	11,10,005	192.04
6	Ghaziabad U.A	Uttar Pradesh	9,68,256	23,58,525	143.58
7	Kozhikode U.A	Kerala	8,80,247	20,30,519	130.68
8	Thiruvananthapuram U.A	Kerala	8,89,635	16,87,406	89.67
9	Surat U.A	Gujarat	28,11,614	45,85,367	63.09
10	Raipur U.A	Chhattisgarh	7,00,113	11,22,555	60.34
11	Kochi U.A	Kerala	13,55,972	21,17,990	56.20
12	Bangalore U.A	Karnataka	57,01,446	84,99,399	49.07
13	Chennai U.A	Tamil Nadu	65,60,242	86,96,010	47.25
14	Vijayawada U.A	Andhra Pradesh	10,39,518	14,91,202	43.45
15	Indore U.A	Madhya Pradesh	15,16,918	21,67,447	42.88
