

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO- 4103
ANSWERED ON 24/03/2023

CONSTRUCTION OF NEW SEA PORTS

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Will the Minister of PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS be pleased to state:
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- (a) the number of new sea ports constructed and the capacity of the old ones expanded in the country so far since 2020; and
- (b) the increase in import-export capacity of the country, due to the capacity expansion and new construction, State-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS
(SHRI SARBANANDA SONOWAL)

(a) & (b) No new Major Port has been constructed after the year 2020. There are 12 Major Ports in the country which are governed by Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways. The capacity of major ports in the country has increased from 1534.91 MTPA in FY 2019-20 to 1597.59 MTPA in FY, 2021-22. In addition to 12 Major Ports, there are Non-Major Ports which are under jurisdiction of respective State Maritime Board/State Government. The capacity of non major ports in the country has increased from 991.67 Million Tonnes Per Annum (MTPA) in FY 2019-20 to 1007.40 MTPA in FY 2021-22. The total capacity added in Major and Non-Major Ports in the country since 2020 is 78.41 MTPA. State-wise detail is at annexure.

ANNEXURE

Increase in Capacity of Major and Non-Major Ports in the country since 2020, State-wise

| Maritime State | Increase in Capacity of Major and Non-Major Ports in the country since 2020 (In MTPA) |
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| West Bengal | 10.2 |
| Odisha | 35.75 |
| Andhra Pradesh | 1 |
| Kerala | 0.83 |
| Karnataka | 2.23 |
| Goa | 8.91 |
| Maharashtra | 12 |
| Gujarat | 7.5 |
