

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5001  
ANSWERED ON 01/04/2025**

**CREATION OF JOBS UNDER MGNREGS**

**5001. DR. PRABHA MALLIKARJUN:**

**Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) the total number of jobs created under the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) during the last three years, State/UT-wise;**
- (b) the gender and age-wise number of people mapped in States during the last three years;**
- (c) whether the entire demand for jobs under the scheme have been fulfilled during such period, if so, the details thereof; and**
- (d) whether the Government is planning to bring an alternative scheme to the MGNREGS, ifso, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
(SHRI KAMLESH PASWAN)**

**(a): Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (Mahatma Gandhi NREGS) is a demand driven wage employment Scheme. State/Union Territory (UT)-wise persondays generated under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS during the last three financial years is given at Annexure-I.**

**(b): State/Union Territory (UT)-wise total number of workers who availed employment and the number of women who availed employment under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS during the last three financial years is given at Annexure-II.**

**State/Union Territory (UT)-wise details of age-wise workers who availed employment under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS during the last three financial years is given at Annexure-III.**

**(c): The details of households demanded employment and households offered employment under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS during the last three financial years is given below:**

<b>Financial Year</b>	<b>Households demanded employment (in crore)</b>	<b>Employment offered to households (in crore)</b>	<b>Percentage of household offered employment (%)</b>
<b>2021-22</b>	<b>8.05</b>	<b>8.02</b>	<b>99.55</b>
<b>2022-23</b>	<b>6.90</b>	<b>6.89</b>	<b>99.84</b>
<b>2023-24</b>	<b>6.52</b>	<b>6.51</b>	<b>99.85</b>

**(As per NREGASoft)**

**While the work demanded closely matches the work offered, the difference of work availed with the former is on account of lack of utilisation of such offering by workers. This could be on account of better employment opportunities elsewhere, illness or any other relevant factor.**

**(d): No such proposal is under consideration in the Ministry of Rural Development. The Government is focusing on strengthening MGNREGS through budgetary allocation of ₹86,000 crore for 2024-25, which is the highest ever allocation at the Budget Estimate (BE) stage since inception of the scheme.**

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**Annexure-I**

**Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 5001 dated 01.04.2025.**

<b>State/Union Territory (UT)-wise persondays generated under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS during the last three financial years.</b>				
<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>State/UTs</b>	<b>Persondays generated (in lakh)</b>		
		<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>	<b>2023-24</b>
1	Andhra Pradesh	2414.79	2395.36	2554.92
2	Arunachal Pradesh	158.69	151.07	160.35
3	Assam	915.85	786.74	874.22
4	Bihar	1802.75	2364.33	2205.13
5	Chhattisgarh	1692.27	1324.97	1276.61
6	Goa	0.95	0.94	0.43
7	Gujarat	568.01	465.99	492.75
8	Haryana	146.39	96.46	123.12
9	Himachal Pradesh	370.94	307.89	344.31
10	Jammu And Kashmir	406.18	308.68	374.73
11	Jharkhand	1132.20	914.86	1097.13
12	Karnataka	1632.10	1257.76	1384.54
13	Kerala	1059.66	965.78	994.59
14	Ladakh	19.27	19.56	20.24
15	Madhya Pradesh	2998.50	2258.98	1995.60
16	Maharashtra	825.30	787.84	1159.94
17	Manipur	303.31	73.87	146.08
18	Meghalaya	393.63	289.22	324.91
19	Mizoram	200.77	202.33	204.07
20	Nagaland	192.58	196.81	178.73
21	Odisha	1977.63	1850.87	1828.26
22	Punjab	331.43	321.14	350.80
23	Rajasthan	4242.67	3571.33	3751.60
24	Sikkim	34.34	32.47	34.32
25	Tamil Nadu	3457.26	3346.55	4087.02
26	Telangana	1457.93	1218.66	1208.58
27	Tripura	426.18	334.55	370.49
28	Uttar Pradesh	3255.23	3112.35	3452.17
29	Uttarakhand	243.18	206.40	196.87
30	West Bengal	3642.27	378.75	1.65
31	Andaman and Nicobar	1.14	1.29	1.24
32	Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu	0.00	0.00	0.41
33	Lakshadweep	0.01	0.05	0.04
34	Puducherry	6.15	8.30	21.89
	<b>Total</b>	<b>36309.53</b>	<b>29552.12</b>	<b>31217.71</b>

As per NREGASoft

**Annexure-II**

**Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 5001 dated 01.04.2025.**

State/Union Territory (UT)-wise total number of workers who availed employment and the number of women who availed employment under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS during the last three financial years.							
Sl. No.	State/UTs	2021-22		2022-23		2023-24	
		Total workers availed employment (in lakh)	Number of women availed employment (in lakh)	Total workers availed employment (in lakh)	Number of women availed employment (in lakh)	Total workers availed employment (in lakh)	Number of women availed employment (in lakh)
1	Andhra Pradesh	77.37	41.85	75.99	41.93	75.43	41.93
2	Arunachal Pradesh	2.79	1.25	2.88	1.33	2.82	1.33
3	Assam	39.88	19.33	34.30	16.96	33.48	17.03
4	Bihar	54.12	28.47	57.75	31.02	53.84	28.96
5	Chhattisgarh	55.06	28.15	47.19	24.70	44.14	23.36
6	Goa	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.03	0.02	0.02
7	Gujarat	18.44	8.71	16.31	7.91	15.12	7.27
8	Haryana	5.70	3.02	4.41	2.53	5.24	3.06
9	Himachal Pradesh	9.96	5.84	8.81	5.34	9.49	5.67
10	Jammu And Kashmir	10.85	3.78	9.89	3.29	9.93	3.48
11	Jharkhand	30.99	14.33	24.98	11.95	25.59	12.32
12	Karnataka	63.61	31.48	53.16	26.96	54.02	27.68
13	Kerala	18.99	15.65	17.59	14.68	16.62	13.85
14	Ladakh	0.37	0.23	0.39	0.24	0.37	0.23
15	Madhya Pradesh	95.69	41.40	75.50	32.99	63.73	28.64
16	Maharashtra	36.88	16.28	37.06	16.50	41.28	18.08
17	Manipur	5.94	3.09	3.75	1.99	5.03	2.72
18	Meghalaya	7.31	3.95	6.45	3.53	6.29	3.70
19	Mizoram	2.14	1.03	2.20	1.06	2.24	1.10
20	Nagaland	4.64	1.86	4.91	2.15	4.68	2.14
21	Odisha	55.53	25.85	51.75	24.63	49.91	24.18
22	Punjab	10.72	6.46	10.18	6.58	10.16	6.70
23	Rajasthan	100.86	61.13	88.07	55.12	86.97	55.01
24	Sikkim	0.75	0.38	0.71	0.37	0.70	0.37
25	Tamil Nadu	79.96	64.96	75.79	62.60	79.39	65.57
26	Telangana	48.78	27.43	45.45	26.03	40.62	23.62
27	Tripura	8.53	4.13	8.20	4.05	8.43	4.19
28	Uttar Pradesh	95.45	34.47	83.69	32.32	81.28	33.39
29	Uttarakhand	7.92	4.46	6.81	3.90	6.38	3.66
30	West Bengal	111.22	51.13	20.20	9.83	0.09	0.04
31	Andaman and Nicobar	0.06	0.03	0.05	0.03	0.05	0.03
32	Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.01
33	Lakshadweep	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
34	Puducherry	0.41	0.36	0.46	0.40	0.59	0.50
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1060.94</b>	<b>550.53</b>	<b>874.91</b>	<b>472.96</b>	<b>833.97</b>	<b>459.80</b>

(As per NREGASoft)

Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 5001 dated 01.04.2025.

State/Union Territory (UT)-wise details of age-wise workers availed employment under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS during the last three financial years.							
Sl. No.	State/UTs	FY 2021-22					
		Age-wise workers availed employment					
		18-30	31-40	41-50	51-60	61-80	Greater than 80
1	Andhra Pradesh	401018	1444671	2059167	1958733	1725494	147003
2	Arunachal Pradesh	53096	68994	66046	51028	35764	2507
3	Assam	404654	1169344	1310939	776165	300019	8722
4	Bihar	805539	1600769	1591796	956145	439699	17103
5	Chhattisgarh	445768	1883024	1709983	1013115	446655	8301
6	Goa	28	388	1216	1149	690	7
7	Gujarat	239162	536793	544370	356904	148787	2267
8	Haryana	59530	172913	177245	109209	49320	1507
9	Himachal Pradesh	49685	237749	296009	214156	184009	12697
10	Jammu And Kashmir	98577	325909	337469	217500	101331	2395
11	Jharkhand	633199	928598	837964	500403	191309	6162
12	Karnataka	472517	1690626	1892946	1459437	812689	16862
13	Kerala	25021	216985	518681	593157	531325	13826
14	Ladakh	946	7853	12053	9554	6789	262
15	Madhya Pradesh	1363510	2869500	2701688	1709129	868870	43744
16	Maharashtra	259936	1065730	1163520	781043	406360	10353
17	Manipur	37412	139935	163917	128727	116070	7651
18	Meghalaya	105219	217053	175397	128712	96424	7905
19	Mizoram	13732	58414	62888	37125	36144	5298
20	Nagaland	24203	110693	124275	102187	95528	6929
21	Odisha	522459	1446209	1757791	1179938	610620	30468
22	Punjab	72471	251098	306274	239732	190414	12160
23	Rajasthan	1190490	2977900	2731144	1845341	1254323	72571
24	Sikkim	2868	19352	23140	15386	12054	648
25	Tamil Nadu	271799	1551650	2598296	2005611	1519613	48979
26	Telangana	311344	841410	1190230	1153957	1196036	182256
27	Tripura	31555	229041	258493	188488	133083	11763
28	Uttar Pradesh	1033665	2802839	3151240	1828811	701929	12513
29	Uttarakhand	54541	197762	244508	166420	121489	4051
30	West Bengal	668933	2753841	3278021	2701996	1642372	76491
31	Andaman And Nicobar	171	1572	2141	1169	584	16
32	Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu	0	0	0	0	0	0
33	Lakshadweep	1	8	11	2	2	0
34	Puducherry	843	8685	13674	10600	7055	173
	<b>Total</b>	<b>9653892</b>	<b>27827308</b>	<b>31302532</b>	<b>22441029</b>	<b>13982850</b>	<b>773590</b>

**State/Union Territory (UT)-wise details of age-wise workers availed employment under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS during the last three financial years.**

SI No	State/UTs	FY 2022-23					
		Age-wise workers availed employment					
		18-30	31-40	41-50	51-60	61-80	Greater than 80
1	Andhra Pradesh	426154	1442219	1963936	1884855	1739438	141271
2	Arunachal Pradesh	63255	68371	64970	50571	37476	2094
3	Assam	318336	906431	1116602	734660	338055	10821
4	Bihar	1012265	1704941	1613433	990312	441250	12938
5	Chhattisgarh	363696	1510637	1551036	900602	388651	5271
6	Goa	29	358	1265	1316	878	16
7	Gujarat	208721	460375	482365	321589	144465	2356
8	Haryana	27939	123429	145628	95987	46490	1399
9	Himachal Pradesh	50425	213209	263287	188961	154727	8743
10	Jammu And Kashmir	75729	277351	314131	215048	103198	2003
11	Jharkhand	520332	745996	679236	398585	149076	3223
12	Karnataka	446713	1445529	1580717	1188374	636062	11379
13	Kerala	18106	171769	447838	554937	549772	16201
14	Ladakh	865	7284	12311	10291	8106	319
15	Madhya Pradesh	920881	2137699	2181214	1448955	818287	36983
16	Maharashtra	268349	1013449	1191734	795303	424390	10537
17	Manipur	19624	80814	105313	84732	81646	5699
18	Meghalaya	90664	185011	158178	115343	90149	5431
19	Mizoram	13723	57750	64802	39128	38285	5820
20	Nagaland	24494	112162	133108	109460	105543	6742
21	Odisha	503849	1256638	1593650	1147903	645339	28595
22	Punjab	57127	223059	286536	237805	198626	15474
23	Rajasthan	1003594	2418941	2402007	1673530	1224451	70060
24	Sikkim	2555	16651	22761	15273	12205	616
25	Tamil Nadu	259222	1284127	2398341	1982479	1595850	59262
26	Telangana	262640	737015	1091917	1103029	1175832	174563
27	Tripura	28137	204377	253514	187877	134781	10846
28	Uttar Pradesh	937509	2318938	2718027	1695541	684005	10291
29	Uttarakhand	44171	154517	209194	150700	115152	4672
30	West Bengal	91690	437024	597480	529259	348021	16605
31	Andaman And Nicobar	191	1362	1897	1194	689	27
32	Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu	0	0	0	0	0	0
33	Lakshadweep	6	22	38	30	5	0
34	Puducherry	763	7946	14312	12246	9892	352
	<b>Total</b>	<b>8061754</b>	<b>21725401</b>	<b>25660778</b>	<b>18865875</b>	<b>12440792</b>	<b>680609</b>

**State/Union Territory (UT)-wise details of age-wise workers availed employment under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS during the last three financial years.**

SI No	State/UTs	FY 2023-24					
		Age-wise workers availed employment					
		18-30	31-40	41-50	51-60	61-80	Greater than 80
1	Andhra Pradesh	416221	1372437	1947984	1881007	1785388	138341
2	Arunachal Pradesh	66957	66130	62528	47994	35672	1803
3	Assam	300886	839906	1075713	741679	369955	10000
4	Bihar	1109665	1513025	1441399	917571	393192	7070
5	Chhattisgarh	307565	1281367	1529104	895214	395800	5224
6	Goa	25	201	706	748	498	8
7	Gujarat	178504	410616	458976	308221	143192	1806
8	Haryana	34877	143539	173081	115669	55696	1508
9	Himachal Pradesh	48524	211871	284856	212545	180446	9595
10	Jammu And Kashmir	74903	273987	316408	217324	107064	2092
11	Jharkhand	590897	735710	676431	402940	150029	2458
12	Karnataka	402482	1398151	1634656	1239204	707874	10832
13	Kerala	14585	136235	397849	529001	564807	19145
14	Ladakh	790	6283	11682	10046	7499	216
15	Madhya Pradesh	756386	1738765	1915568	1268589	670715	15687
16	Maharashtra	329641	1051345	1357052	905378	470334	9245
17	Manipur	27689	105889	143283	113811	105470	7167
18	Meghalaya	84644	180680	159991	112388	85677	5383
19	Mizoram	13593	55365	66329	42089	40420	6253
20	Nagaland	23272	105567	132590	104069	99364	3389
21	Odisha	476918	1158255	1577932	1129461	629472	14518
22	Punjab	55023	212301	281622	241034	207514	18200
23	Rajasthan	955060	2307315	2433163	1684592	1242840	58301
24	Sikkim	2335	15095	22983	15866	12504	515
25	Tamil Nadu	301585	1242955	2461957	2120172	1739747	72722
26	Telangana	217921	621798	995667	1000007	1071557	155163
27	Tripura	27712	199111	269779	196264	140581	9320
28	Uttar Pradesh	923198	2191148	2615511	1682797	690881	8707
29	Uttarakhand	40583	136271	198656	144800	110653	4602
30	West Bengal	264	1770	2689	2494	2072	126
31	Andaman And Nicobar	137	1047	1826	1183	709	30
32	Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu	344	604	564	326	312	38
33	Lakshadweep	2	9	35	26	5	0
34	Puducherry	1286	10043	18511	15733	12644	488
	<b>Total</b>	<b>7784474</b>	<b>19724791</b>	<b>24667081</b>	<b>18300242</b>	<b>12230583</b>	<b>599952</b>

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