

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT & GANGA REJUVENATION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2003

ANSWERED ON 11.12.2025

FLOOD MANAGEMENT SCHEMES

†2003. SHRI KAUSHALENDRA KUMAR: SHRI DINESH CHANDRA YADAV:
 SHRI GIRIDHARI YADAV:

Will the Minister of **JAL SHAKTI** be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the funds released to Bihar for flood management schemes during the last five years, year-wise; and
- (b) the details and current status of the schemes being implemented by the Government for cleaning the Ganga and to address the problem of siltation along with the funds spent thereon so far?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI

(SHRI RAJ BHUSHAN CHOUDHARY)

(a) The details of fund released to State Government of Bihar for flood management projects under the Flood Management and Border Area Programme (FMBAP) during the last five years (FY 2020-21 to 2024-25) is given below (all amounts are in crore):

2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25
42.49	0	88.96	74.59	32.51

(b) The Government of India launched the Namami Gange Programme (NGP) in 2014-15 for rejuvenation of river Ganga and its tributaries for five years, up to March 2021 and has been further extended to March 2026. Under the Namami Gange Programme, a diverse and holistic set of interventions for cleaning and rejuvenation of river Ganga have been taken up, that includes wastewater treatment, solid waste management, riverfront management (ghats and crematoria), ensuring e- flow, rural sanitation, afforestation, biodiversity conservation, public participation, etc. As of October 2025, a total of 513 projects (including sewerage infrastructure projects) have been sanctioned at a cost of 42,019 crore, out of which 344 projects have been completed. Majority of the projects pertain to creation of sewage infrastructure as the untreated domestic/industrial wastewater is the main source of pollution in the river. Under the Programme, a total of 216 number of sewerage infrastructure projects costing 34,809 crores have been taken up for remediation of polluted river areas with treatment capacity of 6,561 Million Liters per Day (MLD), out of which, 138 STP projects with a capacity of 3,806 MLD have been completed and made operational.

During the period FY 2014-15 to 30 November 2025, the National Mission for Clean Ganga (NMCG) has disbursed Rs.20,430 crore to various agencies for implementation of projects/interventions to rejuvenate river Ganga and its tributaries under the Namami Gange Programme.
