

TEXTILE AND APPAREL MANUFACTURING UNITS

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Will the Minister of TEXTILES वस्त्र मंत्री
be pleased to state :

- (a) the total number of textile and apparel manufacturing units that have been opened, closed, and remain operational during the last ten years, year-wise and State/UT-wise;
- (b) the employment generated by the textile sector during the said period, including State and gender-wise distribution;
- (c) whether the Government has identified any key barriers to global competitiveness; and
- (d) if so, the measures is being taken by the Government to support Medium, Small and Micro Enterprises (MSME) units in the textile sector?

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ANSWER

वस्त्र राज्य मंत्री (श्री पबित्र मार्घेरिता)
THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR TEXTILES
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(a): As per Annual Survey of Industries (ASI), M/o Statistics & Programme Implementation (MoSPI), the State/UT-wise total number of units, number of operational units and other units (Factories with fixed assets but not maintaining its staff and not having production for 3 years, or non-existence, or de-registration, or out of coverage etc.) under Textiles and Apparels sector during the period 2019-2023 is attached at Annexure – 1.

(b): The textile industry is one of the largest sources of employment generation in the country, estimated to be directly employing more than 45 million people. As per unit level dataset of Periodic Labour Force Survey, M/o Statistics & Programme Implementation, more than 50% estimated women are in the textile and apparel sector.

(c) & (d): The Government continuously engages with stakeholders to identify and resolve key trade barriers affecting Indian exports and to support MSMEs. In this context, the Government has taken several steps including following to address key barriers for global competitiveness.

i. The Government of India prioritises trade negotiations with several countries to get market access and tariff advantages for improving India's global competitiveness through improved access to international markets under mutually beneficial trade agreements for India's textiles exports including textiles.

ii. To provide access in the different country India has signed 16 FTAs including India-UK, India-Oman CEPA which was signed on December 2025 and India has recently concluded FTA with New Zealand and EU.

iii. The Interest Subvention for Pre- and Post-Shipment Export Credit intervention has been launched under the Export Promotion Mission – Niryat Protsahan to facilitate improved access to pre- and post-shipment rupee export credit for MSME exporters by reducing the cost of such credit and providing a rules-based and transparent interest-relief mechanism, with the objective of enhancing liquidity for MSME exporters and enabling them to meet working-capital requirements efficiently.

iv. Government is also implementing Rebate of State and Central Taxes and Levies (RoSCTL) scheme for Apparel/Garments and Made-ups in order to enhance competitiveness by adopting principle of zero-rated exports. Further, textiles products not covered under the RoSCTL scheme are covered under Remissions of Duties and Taxes on Exported Products (RoDTEP) along with other products.

v. The Government of India implements various schemes/initiatives to encourage and promote the textile sector including support to MSME. The major schemes/initiatives include PM Mega Integrated Textile Regions and Apparel (PM MITRA) Parks Scheme; Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme focusing on MMF Fabric, MMF Apparel and Technical; National Technical Textiles Mission (NTTM) focusing on Research Innovation & Development, Promotion and Market Development; SAMARTH-Scheme for Capacity Building in Textile Sector with the objective providing demand driven, placement oriented, skilling program; Silk Samagra-2 for comprehensive development of sericulture value chain; National Handloom Development Programme and Raw Material Supply Scheme to promote handloom sector and welfare of handloom weavers across the country; National Handicraft Development Program, etc.

vi. Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME) also implements various schemes and programmes aimed at promotion and development of MSME Sector, including Textiles sector. These schemes/ programmes include Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP), Credit Guarantee Scheme for Micro and Small Enterprises (CGTMSE), PM Vishwakarma etc.

Annexure - I

State	2014-15			2015-16			2016-17			2017-18			2018-19		
	Factories in Operation	Number of Factories	Others*	Factories in Operation	Number of Factories	Others*	Factories in Operation	Number of Factories	Others*	Factories in Operation	Number of Factories	Others*	Factories in Operation	Number of Factories	Others*
All India	20,204	28,600	8,396	20,417	27,866	7,449	21,039	27,762	6,723	21,546	28,456	6,910	22,184	29,030	6,846
Andhra Pradesh	494	563	69	423	536	113	477	569	92	450	552	102	522	611	89
Assam	29	30	1	27	28	1	35	35	0	35	35	0	42	49	7
Bihar	24	25	1	25	26	1	25	26	1	25	26	1	23	25	2
Chhattisgarh	11	12	1	20	20	0	20	21	1	19	20	1	20	20	0
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	228	308	80	170	319	149	236	317	81	243	301	58	183	263	80
Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu			0			0			0			0			0
Daman & Diu	62	131	69	82	121	39	69	126	57	96	123	27	55	88	33
Delhi	467	690	223	409	682	273	457	603	146	337	569	232	434	547	113
Goa	8	8	0	12	12	0	10	12	2	9	9	0	10	10	0
Gujarat	1,970	3,038	1,068	2,026	3,094	1,068	1,884	3,309	1,425	2,136	3,287	1,151	2,168	3,217	1,049
Haryana	1,084	1,418	334	1,036	1,371	335	1,147	1,458	311	1,183	1,563	380	1,448	2,326	878
Himachal Pradesh	113	117	4	99	115	16	84	96	12	84	104	20	64	93	29
Jammu & Kashmir	38	41	3	36	38	2	34	38	4	38	38	0	34	35	1
Jharkhand	4	4	0	4	4	0	4	4	0	5	5	0	8	9	1
Karnataka	844	1,195	351	837	1,238	401	844	1,272	428	937	1,269	332	894	1,252	358

Kerala	404	453	49	413	441	28	450	456	6	441	472	31	420	471	51
Madhya Pradesh	163	210	47	198	205	7	210	228	18	207	216	9	187	206	19
Maharashtra	2,158	2,954	796	2,161	2,941	780	1,901	2,859	958	1,843	2,809	966	1,712	2,751	1,039
Manipur			0	3	3	0	3	3	0	3	3	0	3	3	0
Mizoram			0			0			0			0			0
Nagaland	2	4	2			0			0			0			0
Odisha	42	43	1	42	42	0	37	38	1	36	36	0	35	37	2
Puducherry	40	41	1	28	30	2	25	26	1	25	26	1	23	26	3
Punjab	1,173	1,630	457	1,197	1,699	502	1,362	1,640	278	1,263	1,625	362	1,289	1,645	356
Rajasthan	1,281	1,487	206	1,288	1,486	198	1,344	1,455	111	1,336	1,515	179	1,407	1,516	109
Tamil Nadu	7,382	11,363	3,981	7,500	10,411	2,911	8,039	10,143	2,104	8,394	10,511	2,117	8,916	10,700	1,784
Telangana	284	291	7	286	305	19	233	309	76	268	325	57	239	304	65
Tripura	3	3	0	3	3	0	4	4	0	4	4	0	3	3	0
Uttar Pradesh	1,259	1,787	528	1,399	1,899	500	1,392	1,887	495	1,411	2,159	748	1,360	2,013	653
Uttarakhand	61	63	2	47	49	2	47	51	4	51	52	1	28	31	3
West Bengal	575	687	112	648	747	99	662	776	114	665	799	134	654	773	119
Grand Total	40,407	57,196	16,789	40,836	55,731	14,895	42,074	55,523	13,449	43,090	56,909	13,819	44,365	58,054	13,689

State	2019-20			2020-21			2021-22			2022-23			2023-24		
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All India	22,137	29,569	7,432	22,412	29,999	7,587	22,774	30,210	7,436	23,101	30,672	7,571	23,838	31,176	7,338
Andhra Pradesh	473	583	110	385	546	161	357	524	167	368	477	109	356	451	95
Assam	37	38	1	34	36	2	33	36	3	31	31	0	33	36	3
Bihar	24	25	1	21	22	1	21	22	1	17	22	5	18	20	2
Chhattisgarh	22	22	0	25	25	0	27	27	0	27	27	0	30	31	1
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	185	278	93			0			0			0			0
Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu			0	259	353	94	265	356	91	236	400	164	241	328	87
Daman & Diu	87	119	32			0			0			0			0
Delhi	383	511	128	321	511	190	336	478	142	266	466	200	325	400	75
Goa	9	10	1	9	9	0	9	9	0	10	10	0	9	9	0
Gujarat	2,485	3,450	965	2,478	3,439	961	2,347	3,318	971	2,544	3,481	937	2,736	3,806	1,070
Haryana	1,261	1,905	644	1,422	2,014	592	1,351	1,979	628	1,242	1,811	569	1,336	1,790	454
Himachal Pradesh	74	92	18	87	87	0	67	91	24	80	110	30	62	91	29
Jammu & Kashmir	35	36	1	35	41	6	34	35	1	30	35	5	34	35	1
Jharkhand	12	13	1	25	26	1	18	20	2	22	22	0	20	22	2
Karnataka	861	1,290	429	871	1,247	376	887	1,190	303	853	1,260	407	887	1,293	406
Kerala	476	495	19	445	501	56	465	479	14	447	498	51	458	471	13
Madhya Pradesh	218	227	9	226	250	24	230	247	17	224	237	13	215	230	15
Maharashtra	1,686	2,692	1,006	1,843	2,774	931	1,823	2,762	939	1,899	2,760	861	1,924	2,675	751
Manipur	3	3	0	4	4	0	4	4	0	6	6	0	6	6	0
Mizoram	60	60	0	60	60	0	60	60	0	58	58	0	58	58	0

Nagaland			0			0			0			0			0
Odisha	35	35	0	35	35	0	33	38	5	30	35	5	30	32	2
Puducherry	27	31	4	33	33	0	30	31	1	27	34	7	27	29	2
Punjab	1,277	1,634	357	1,246	1,646	400	1,337	1,659	322	1,440	1,722	282	1,423	1,717	294
Rajasthan	1,463	1,608	145	1,466	1,648	182	1,571	1,725	154	1,633	1,779	146	1,597	1,839	242
Tamil Nadu	8,498	11,075	2,577	8,586	11,293	2,707	8,771	11,460	2,689	8,483	11,432	2,949	8,503	11,467	2,964
Telangana	172	279	107	203	285	82	153	194	41	168	198	30	203	264	61
Tripura	3	3	0	1	3	2			0			0			0
Uttar Pradesh	1,481	2,149	668	1,465	2,142	677	1,830	2,551	721	2,081	2,764	683	2,546	3,091	545
Uttarakhand	52	53	1	28	37	9	31	37	6	44	46	2	43	51	8
West Bengal	740	851	111	797	928	131	678	869	191	828	945	117	715	926	211
Grand Total	44,276	59,136	14,860	44,822	59,994	15,172	45,542	60,411	14,869	46,195	61,338	15,143	47,673	62,344	14,671

Source : Annual Survey of Industries (E-Sankhyiki Portal), MoSPI;

Note-1: Others* - Factories with fixed assets but not maintaining its staff and not having production for 3 years, or non-existence, or de-registration, or out of coverage etc.

Note-2: The above data pertains to the data coverage of the Annual Survey of Industries which extends to the entire Factory Sector comprising industrial units (called factories) registered under the Sections 2(m)(i) and 2(m)(ii) of the Factories Act, 1948, wherein a 'Factory', which is the primary statistical unit of enumeration for the ASI,
