

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF SHIPPING

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3058**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON 17<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2015**

**DRY BULK COMMODITIES**

3058. SHRI ANURAG SINGH THAKUR:

Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

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- (a) the details of amount of dry bulk commodities and percentage thereof handled by non-mechanised facilities at various ports in the country;
- (b) the steps taken by the Government to shift to mechanized or optimized facilities;
- (c) the details of availability and utilisation of port owned equipments at various ports in the country; and
- (d) whether these are as per the latest norms prescribed in this regard and if not, the reasons therefor and the steps taken in this regard?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING  
(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

- (a) Madam, the amount of dry bulk cargo and percentage thereof handled by non-mechanised facilities at various major ports in the country is enclosed at **Annexure**.
- (b) The Government has taken up mechanisation projects in major ports for mechanised handling of cargo to bring efficiency in port operations.
- (c)&(d): Major Ports mostly have equipments provided through outsourcing and these equipments are as per prescribed norms.

**ANNEXURE**

**DRY BULK COMMODITIES AND PERCENTAGE  
(2013-2014 to 2014-2015)**

PORT	DRY BULK - NON-MECHANISED (In 000 Tonnes)		TRAFFIC TOTAL (In 000 Tonnes)		PERCENTAGE SHARE OF DB(Non-Mechanised) OUT OF TOTAL TRAFFIC HANDLED BY PORTS	
	2014-15	2013-14	2014-15	2013-14	2014-15	2013-14
<b>Kolkata</b>	2723	1143	15283	12874	17.82	8.88
<b>Haldia</b>	14721	11024	31010	28511	47.47	38.67
<b>Paradip</b>	24508	24631	71011	68003	34.51	36.22
<b>Visakhapatnam</b>	20374	21870	58004	58503	35.13	37.38
<b>Kamarajar</b>	0	0	30251	27337	0.00	0.00
<b>Chennai</b>	6134	5966	52541	51105	11.67	11.67
<b>V.O.Chidambaranar</b>	11666	9611	32414	28642	35.99	33.56
<b>Cochin</b>	434	218	21595	20887	2.01	1.04
<b>New Mangalore</b>	7747	8069	36566	39365	21.19	20.50
<b>Mormugao</b>	1664	1503	14711	11739	11.31	12.80
<b>Mumbai</b>	15023	14125	61660	59184	24.36	23.87
<b>J.N.P.T.</b>	653	701	63801	62333	1.02	1.12
<b>Kandla</b>	25030	21659	92497	87004	27.06	24.89
<b>All Ports</b>	<b>130677</b>	<b>120520</b>	<b>581344</b>	<b>555487</b>	<b>22.48</b>	<b>21.70</b>

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