

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
WATER RESOURCES  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6845

ANSWERED ON:10.05.2000

ONGOING IRRIGATION PROJECTS

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**Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether a number of major and medium irrigation projects in the country which are still incomplete;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, project-wise and State- wise;
- (c) whether several projects are running behind their time schedule;
- (d) if so, the reasons therefor, project-wise;
- (e) the present status of each such project and the total amount spent thereon so far;
- (f) the estimated irrigation capacity likely to be achieved after completion of these projects; and (g) the time by which these projects are likely to be completed?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES

(SMT. BJOYA CHAKRAVARTY)

(a) to (g) Irrigation being a State subject, Irrigation projects are taken-up for implementation by the State Governments themselves out of their own resources and as per their own priorities. The normal completion period is 10-15 years in respect of major projects and 5-10 years in respect of medium irrigation projects. The completion period of any project depends on various factors such as its size, availability of land, obtaining clearances from various central appraising agencies by the State Governments, geological conditions etc. The equally important are the funds allotted by the State Governments to the individual projects. State-wise details of 155 Major and 234 medium irrigation projects which are at present under execution along-with their present status, total amount spent thereon and the estimated irrigation capacity likely to be achieved after their completion is given in the Statement enclosed.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (g) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.6845 FOR ANSWER IN THE LOK SABHA ON 10.05.2000 REGARDING ONGOING IRRIGATION PROJECTS.

(Rs. in Crore) (In Thousand Hectares)

Name of State	No. of Projects (Major)	Latest Estimated Cost (IX Plan)	Upto the end of VIII Plan	Exp. cost in IX Plan	Spillover Potential upto the end of VIII Plan	Ultimate Potential created upto the end of VIII Plan	Target Potential created in IX Plan
1.Andhra Pr.	12	10130.44	4754.95	5375.49	1882.54	1165.65	675.21
2.Assam	4	432.82	211.48	221.34	167.89	71.40	3.00
3.Bihar	14	7365.53	2105.27	5260.26	1275.94	99.60	305.86
4.Goa	1	678.59	258.65	419.94	46.06	8.27	16.22
5.Gujarat	9	23300.92	6522.47	16777.85	2107.01	271.51	-

6.Haryana	5	1013.51	725.67	287.84	801.00	242.00	69.00
7.Himachal Pr.	1	150.78	7.47	143.31	24.76	-	2.70
8.J & Kashmir	1	151.18	122.84	28.34	66.78	52.88	13.90
9.Karnataka	14	11190.19	5131.64	6058.55	1718.89	1036.61	737.37
10. Kerala	7	1879.50	942.41	937.09	343.34	112.20	140.64
11.Madhya Pr.	23	10729.65	3131.15	7598.50	2552.25	665.70	300.15
12.Maharashtra	36	12958.17	5374.43	7583.74	2517.14	1013.52	943.66
13. Manipur	2	491.65	225.85	265.80	44.67	5.10	-
14. Meghalaya	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15. Nagaland	1	111.02	2.95	108.07	10.00	-	-
16. Orissa	5	4953.85	1156.55	3797.30	1066.68	169.54	500.55
17. Punjab	-(1-IS)	3379.53	2704.93	674.60	478.00	-	348.00
18. Rajasthan	6	4692.81	2346.01	2346.80	1348.41	600.07	413.34
19.Tamil Nadu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20. Tripura	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21.Uttar Pr.	18	7359.44	3339.74	4019.70	4226.67	1611.27	926.37
22.West Bengal	3	2037.41	933.83	1098.58	1558.24	982.61	25.00
Total :	162	103186.89	39003.29	64183.60	22236.27	8107.93	5420.97

Note : 7 Major Projects (6 in Gujarat & 1 in U.P.) have been completed during IX Plan.

(Rs. in Crore) (In Thousand Hectares)

Name of State of Projects (Medium)	No. of Estimated Projects	Latest Upto the end of VIII Plan	Exp. cost in IX Plan	Spillover cost in IX Plan	Ultimate Potential upto end of VIII Plan	Potential created upto the end of VIII Plan	Target for Potential created in IX Plan
1.Andhra Pr.	20	623.34	323.51	299.79	138.03	51.95	102.73
2.Assam	9	155.92	99.72	56.20	76.58	42.87	1.00
3.Bihar	29	1065.18	429.37	635.81	171.52	15.88	89.50
4.Goa	1	40.00	2.40	37.60	11.20	-	-
5.Gujarat	9	337.53	260.02	77.51	51.32	30.34	-
6.Haryana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7.Himachal Pr.	1	11.30	11.26	0.04	2.41	2.41	-
8.J & Kashmir	9	223.55	55.88	167.67	37.76	6.87	28.94
9.Karnataka	15	943.67	510.72	432.95	76.29	23.72	62.45
10.Kerala	5	478.93	150.56	328.37	55.00	5.00	4.30
11.Madhya Pr.	32	1012.09	733.15	278.94	245.44	103.20	77.30
12.Maharashtra	66	2076.06	1021.98	1054.08	325.81	6.40	156.40
13.Manipur	2	66.58	56.50	10.08	1.54	2.00	-
14.Meghalaya	1	17.81	8.14	9.67	5.15	-	-
15.Nagaland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16.Orissa	10	499.95	410.23	89.72	108.22	55.75	65.02
17.Punjab	1	88.49	0.20	88.29	88.29	-	-
18.Rajasthan	6	240.24	127.22	113.02	44.29	10.70	31.72
19.Tamil Nadu	2	103.75	29.53	74.22	6.74	-	6.72
20.Tripura	3	154.00	92.96	61.04	26.72	2.60	24.10
21.Uttar Pr.	2	54.81	39.99	14.82	7.65	3.88	3.77
22.West Bengal	17	90.42	60.78	29.64	37.63	35.39	2.24

Total : 240      8283.62    4424.12 3859.50 1517.59 398.96    656.21

Note : 6 Medium Projects in Gujarat have been completed during IX Plan.