

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
TEXTILES  
LOK SABHA**

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REVIVAL OF SICK TEXTILES MILLS

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**Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number of sick/loss making textiles mills in the country including Surat in Gujarat as on date, State-wise;
- (b) the steps taken by the Government to revive and make these mills economically viable; and
- (c) the provision of funds made for the purpose during the current financial year?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES(SMT. PANABAAGA LAKSHMI)

(a) to (c): The Government does not maintain data relating to textile industries earning profit, incurring loss and becoming sick. A list of Government and private sick mills State-wise is at Annexure-I. Government seeks to foster a policy regime, which facilitates growth and development of Indian industry. It has taken a number of steps to revive sick industrial units which, inter-alia, include, guidelines of the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) to banks, amalgamation of sick units with healthy units, setting up of Board for Industrial and Financial Reconstruction (BIFR) under the Sick Industrial Companies (Social Provisions) Act, etc. For restructuring of high cost debts of textiles units, in the organized sector, Ministry of Finance, Banking Division, in September 2003 introduced a Debt Restructuring Package to help textiles units overcome their unsustainable debt burden.

Annexure-I

List of Government and private sick mills (State-wise)

S.No.	State	Private mills	NTC mills
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1	Andhra Pradesh	53	6
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2	Assam	5	1
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3	Bihar	2	2
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4	Chandigarh	1	-
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5	Dadra Nagar Haveli	5	-
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6	Daman & Diu	1	-
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7	Delhi	46	-
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8	Goa	1	-
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9	Gujarat	122	11
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10	Haryana	26	-
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11	Himachal Pradesh	1	-
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12	Jharkhand	1	-
13	Karnataka	43	4
14	Kerala	14	5
15	Madhya Pradesh	31	6
16	Maharashtra	167	35
17	Orissa	6	1
18	Pondicherry	1	1
19	Punjab	38	4
20	Rajasthan	45	4
21	Tamil Nadu	176	13
22	Uttar Pradesh	40	11
23	Uttaranchal	5	-
24	West Bengal	38	12
25	Chhattisgarh	-	1
Total		868	117

Out of 868 textile cases, 62 textile cases have been declared no longer sick by BIFR and 21 textile cases have been dropped as network become positive. In respect of 64 textile cases, schemes / draft scheme have been prepared/sanctioned.