

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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INTEGRATED WATERSHED MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of projects sanctioned under Integrated Watershed Management Programme (IWMP) during each of the last three years, and the current year, State/UT- wise;
- (b) the total amount of funds sanctioned under the programme during the said period, State/UT-wise; and
- (c) the current status of these projects under IWMP, State/UT-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI UPENDRA KUSHWAHA)

- (a) & (b) The details of projects sanctioned and Central funds released under Integrated Watershed Management Programme (IWMP) during each of the last three years and the current year, state-wise/ year-wise are given at Annexure. No proposals for sanction of projects were received from Union Territories (UTs).
- (c) As per the Guidelines of the programme, the project duration varies from 4-7 years and the major activities are sequenced into (i) Preparatory Phase (1-2 years), (ii) Watershed Works Phase (2-3 years) and (iii) Consolidation and Withdrawal Phase (1-2 years). The projects sanctioned during last three years are in Preparatory/Works phase of implementation. New projects during the current financial year are yet to be sanctioned.