

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3322  
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NABARD AIDED RURAL ROADS  
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**Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

(a) the number of roads in the rural areas of country being constructed and the number of metalled roads proposed to be constructed with the help from National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD), State-wise; and

(b) the amount likely to be spent on the construction of each road?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI SURYAKANTA PATIL)

(a) National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) sanctions loan for metalled roads. The total number of Rural Road projects (Village Roads, Ordinary District Roads and Major District Roads) sanctioned so far under RIDF Tranche I to XI is 49,311. The total amount of loan sanctioned for all roads in the country so far is Rs.17,577.20 crore. State-wise details of number of projects and amount of loan sanctioned are given in the Annexure.

(b) The average cost of construction of road per kilometer for all States comes to Rs.8.69 lakh.

Annexure

**RURAL ROAD PROJECTS - STATE-WISE RIDF SANCTIONS (RIDF I to XI)**

(As on 31-03-2006)

S.NO. State Number of Projects RIDF Loan (Rs.  
in crore)

1	ANDHRA PRADESH	3,349	2,417.96
2	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	15	204.17
3	ASSAM	107	144.58
4	BIHAR	28	270.98
5	GOA	97	20.44
6	GUJARAT	4,673	637.74
7	HARYANA	191	350.86
8.	HIMACHAL PRADESH	359	571.55
9	JAMMU & KASHMIR	700	732.62
10	KARNATAKA	4,007	1,502.21
11	KERALA	750	481.9
12	MADHYA PRADESH	514	613.21
13	MAHARASHTRA	5,485	1,550.25
14	MANIPUR	0	0
15	MEGHALAYA	137	64.02
16	MIZORAM	5	61.08
17	NAGALAND	147	114.04
18	ORISSA	227	471.64
19	PUNJAB	553	536.49
20	RAJASTHAN	8,045	1,239.09
21	TAMILNADU	6,202	1,600.69
22	TRIPURA	0	0
23	UTTAR PRADESH	11,402	1,591.72
24	WEST BENGAL	1,115	1,517.70
25	SIKKIM	45	23.67
26	JHARKHAND	291	200.43
27	CHHATTISGARH	289	300.53
28	UTTARANCHAL	578	357.63
	TOTAL:	49,311	17,577.20