

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2333
ANSWERED ON 07.08.2026

INSTALLATION OF ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING STATIONS

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Will the Minister of Heavy Industries be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of electric vehicle charging stations installed in each State and Union Territory during the last five years;
- (b) the details of these stations categorised into fast-charging and slow-charging;
- (c) the agencies responsible for installing them (public sector, private sector or State implementing agencies); and
- (d) the number of charging stations installed under FAME-I, FAME-II and any other Central Government schemes in Punjab?

ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEAVY INDUSTRIES
(SHRI BHUPATHIRAJU SRINIVASA VARMA)

(a): As per information received from BHEL, a total of 52,718 EV charging stations are installed on pan India basis as on 29.07.2026. Details of State /UT-wise EVCS installed are provided at Annexure.

(b): The information regarding bifurcation of EV charging stations into fast-charging and slow-charging categories is not maintained centrally.

(c): Setting up of a charging station is an unlicensed activity and private players can install EV charging stations as per Ministry of Power (MoP) Guidelines dated September 17, 2024.

Under FAME-II scheme, responsible agencies are three Oil Marketing Companies namely IOCL, BPCL, HPCL and 5 entities namely REIL, CESL, KSEB, SMC, POWERGRID.

Under the PM E-DRIVE scheme, Government of India ministries, Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs), States/Union Territories and PSUs under them are eligible to submit EV PCS proposals to MHI. GoI ministries and States / UTs may appoint nodal agency(ies) to aggregate the demand for EV PCS. These eligible entities may choose to set up, operate, and maintain EV PCS on their own, or engage Charge Point Operators (CPOs) for the same.

(d): FAME-I: Out of 479 chargers installed under the scheme, no chargers were installed in Punjab. However, 48 charging stations were installed in Chandigarh under the FAME-I scheme (PIB 19.07.2022).

FAME-II: As per inputs received from the three OMCs as on 01.07.2026, a total of 439 EV Public Charging Stations (EV PCS) have been installed in Punjab under the FAME-II scheme. Further, 25 EV PCS have been installed in Chandigarh by other public sector entities.

PM E-DRIVE: Under the PM E-DRIVE scheme, no proposal from Punjab State is received as on 04.08.2026.

State / UT wise installed EV charging stations (EVCS) as on 29.07.2026

S. No.	Name of the State/ UT	No. of installed EVCS
1	Andaman And Nicobar Islands	9
2	Andhra Pradesh	1,976
3	Arunachal Pradesh	80
4	Assam	630
5	Bihar	1,044
6	Chandigarh	76
7	Chhattisgarh	717
8	Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu	32
9	Delhi	2,370
10	Goa	314
11	Gujarat	2,789
12	Haryana	2,291
13	Himachal Pradesh	256
14	Jammu And Kashmir	295
15	Jharkhand	525
16	Karnataka	6,805
17	Kerala	3,399
18	Ladakh	25
19	Lakshadweep	1
20	Madhya Pradesh	1,959
21	Maharashtra	6,985
22	Manipur	72
23	Meghalaya	124
24	Mizoram	40
25	Nagaland	53
26	Odisha	1,055
27	Puducherry	77
28	Punjab	1,548
29	Rajasthan	2,827
30	Sikkim	22
31	Tamil Nadu	3,839
32	Telangana	3,739
33	Tripura	75
34	Uttar Pradesh	4,493
35	Uttarakhand	410
36	West Bengal	1,766
Grand Total		52,718

Source: BHEL