

# Guide to download Microdata

Step I : Please visit at url <http://mospi.gov.in/> to select the type of data required.

The screenshot shows the MOSPI website homepage. At the top, there is a navigation menu with links: Home, About Us, Projects, Events, Statistics, Acts/Rules, Public Document/Tender, and RTI. Below the navigation is a large banner with COVID-19 messages in Hindi: "कोरोना से बचें हाथ धोएं बार बार", "सही से मास्क पहनें", "निभाएं दो गज की दूरी", and "जब तक दवाई नहीं तब तक ढिलाई नहीं".

Below the banner are three key statistics:

- Gross Domestic Product 2019-20: 4.2%
- Index of Industrial Production November 2020: -1.9%
- Consumer Price Index December 2020: 4.59%

To the right of these statistics is a profile of Rao Inderjit Singh, Minister of State for Statistics and Programme Implementation (Independent Charge) and Minister of State for Planning (Independent Charge).

Below the statistics and profile, there are several news items under "What's New" and a "Quick Links" section. The "Quick Links" section includes:

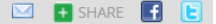
- Annual Survey of Industries
- Consumer Price Index
- Data Innovation Lab
- Employee Corner
- Index of Industrial Production
- Micro Data Catalogue** (highlighted with a red box)
- NSDPI/SDDS

At the bottom of the page, there is a footer with the following text: "h, 2020 is now released and the same is available at <https://mospi.gov.in/>", "NSS 78th Round has been extended for three months beyond December, 2020.", "National Accounts Compilation Methodology is now available at National Accounts Division Channel.", and "Link to Old MoSPI website."



## National Data Archive

An online microdata library



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The Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation, Government of India, has been disseminating microdata from its surveys and censuses since long. This web-based survey cataloging system is powered by the [National Data Archive](#) (NADA) software developed by the [International Household Survey Network](#) (IHSN). This system serves as a portal for researchers to browse, search, and download relevant census or survey documents and metadata.

The Microdata Archive provides web based access to the complete metadata of over 143 surveys and censuses conducted under the National Sample Survey (NSS) programme, Annual Survey of Industries (ASI) and the Economic Census currently available with the Ministry. Efforts are on to include metadata of surveys conducted by the State Governments and other government agencies.

The metadata now provided in the archive includes, survey methodology, sampling procedures, questionnaires, instructions, survey reports, classifications, code directories etc. Importantly the archive provides all details of the data files that are disseminated to users along with case summaries.

OR

Step I : Visit url <http://microdata.gov.in/nada43/index.php/catalog/central/about> to select the type of data required.

# Central Data Catalog

COLLECTIONS

DATASETS

## NATIONAL COLLECTION



### Annual Survey of Industries

Annual Survey of Industries covers the manufacturing units in the registered sector. It provides comprehensive information relating to input, output, value added, employment, assets etc of the registered factories.



### Household Consumer Expenditure

These are surveys to capture household expenditure on consumption of various items in both quantitative and value terms. There are both annual and quinquennial surveys.



### Economic Census

Economic Census (EC) is the complete count of all establishments (i.e. units engaged in production and/or distribution of goods and services not for the purpose of sole consumption) located within the geographical boundaries of the country.



### Enterprises Surveys

These studies cover unorganised sectors like trade, manufacturing and services and provide data on input, output, value added, employment and related variables.



### Employment and Unemployment

The basic objective of the employment-unemployment surveys NSSO is to get estimates of the employment and unemployment characteristics at national and state level. The studies include both thin sample and large sample surveys. Related subjects like informal sector, migration etc are also included.

Step II : Select **Collections** to explore catalogs in it. Let us select Employment and Unemployment collection.

# Employment and Unemployment

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[Visit catalog »](#)

Step III : Click on **Datasets** or **Visit Catalog** tab. List of Catalog will display as shown below.

## Employment and Unemployment

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Found **10** studies out of **10**



Sort results by: **Country** ▲ | [Year](#) | [Title](#) | [Popularity](#)

Showing **1-10** of **10** studies



### Employment and Unemployment, July 2011- June 2012, NSS 68th Round

**India, 2011-2012**

By: National Sample Survey Office - NSSO

Created on: Jan 18, 2018   Last modified: Feb 20, 2019   Views: 1109391



### Employment and Unemployment, July 2009 - June 2010, 66th Round

**India, 2009-2010**

By: National Sample Survey Office - NSSO

Created on: Jan 18, 2018   Last modified: Jan 18, 2018   Views: 20347



### Employment, Unemployment and Migration Survey, July 2007 - June 2008, NSS 64th Round


**India, 2007-2008**

By: National Sample Survey Office - M/o Statistics and Programme Implementation (MOSPI),  
Government of India (GOI)

Created on: Jan 18, 2018   Last modified: Jan 18, 2018   Views: 9313

Step IV : Select desired Study to view/download Microdata /Metadata.

# India - Employment and Unemployment, July 2011- June 2012, NSS 68th Round



Reference ID	DDI-IND-MOSPI-NSSO-68-10-2013	CREATED ON	Jan 18, 2018
Year	2011 - 2012	LAST MODIFIED	Feb 20, 2019
Country	India	PAGE VIEWS	1109392
Producer(s)	National Sample Survey Office - NSSO		
Sponsor(s)	Govt. of India - - Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation - -		
Collection(s)	<a href="#">Employment and Unemployment</a>		

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Step V : Click on **GET MICRODATA** tab. If user is already registered, enter username/ Password else click on **Register** for registration.

To access public access files, please login or register to continue.

## Log in

Email Address:

Password:



Type the text in the box

Login

Register

[Forgot password](#)

# User Registration

First Name \*


Last Name \*

Email Address \*

Country \*

Password \*

Password Confirm \*



Type the text in the box

Step VI : Fill all mandatory fields for registration.

## Register

Your account has been created but before you can login, we need to confirm your email address. We have emailed you the instructions to activate your user account.

Step VII : Confirmation mail will be sent to the user.

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Step VIII : Once user is created, enter login/ password.

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	Collection(s)	Employment and Unemployment		
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Step IX : Fill out the application to access the required dataset and click on **Submit** button after agreeing the data access agreement.



# Application for Restricted Access Dataset

Fields marked with \* are mandatory.

The information provided on this page will be kept confidential and will be used for internal purposes only.

Category Of Applicant	Select Category ▼
Designation	<input type="text"/>
Postal Address	<input type="text"/>
Telephone Number	<input type="text"/>
Website	<input type="text"/>
Estimated Number of Users of requested data	<input type="text"/>
Type of Dataset	Select Dataset ▼
Applicant First name	Anil
Last name	Chopra
E-mail	chopra.anil@nic.in
Dataset requested	125 - Survey on Unincorporated Non-Agricultural Enterprises (Excluding Construction) July-June 2010-11, NSS 67th Round 2011

**\* Intended use of the data:**

Please provide a short description of your research project (project question, objectives)

**Data Access Agreement**

1. Access to requested data will be limited to the applicant, and in case of application made on behalf of an organization, to bonafide users in the organization.
2. The data will be only for the stated purpose(s). Data will not be used for proprietary or law-enforcement purposes.
3. No attempt will be made to identify any individual person, family, business, enterprise, etc. If such a unique disclosure occurs inadvertently, the identification will not be revealed to anyone nor any use will be made of the identity of any person/ entity discovered, and full details in such cases will be reported to Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation (MoSPI).
4. The applicant will implement security measures to prevent unauthorized access to data acquired.
5. Any books, articles, papers, theses, reports, publications, etc. that employ data obtained under this request, will cite the data source in accordance with the established norms/practices.
6. An electronic copy of all reports and publications based on the requested data will be sent to the ( Email ).
7. MoSPI bear no responsibility for use of the data or for any interpretation based on it.


By continuing past this point to the data retrieval process, you signify your agreement to comply with the above-stated terms and conditions and give your assurance that the use of statistical data obtained from the National Data Archive will conform to widely-accepted standards of practice and legal restrictions that are intended to protect the confidentiality of respondents.

I agree

Submit

Step X : Download the selected dataset(s).

# India - Employment and Unemployment, July 2011- June 2012, NSS 68th Round



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Year 2011 - 2012  
Country India  
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Sponsor(s) Govt. of India - -  
Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation - -  
Collection(s) [Employment and Unemployment](#)





















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## Data Files

 Block_1-2_Sample_data	 257.04 KB
 Block_3_Sample_data	 263.81 KB
 Block_4_Sample_data	 1.07 MB
 Block_5_1_Sample_data	 1.01 MB
 Block_5_2_Sample_data	 22.5 KB
 Block_5_3_Sample_data	 1.43 MB
 Block_6_Sample_data	 414.58 KB
 Block_7_Sample_data	 231.66 KB
 Block_8_Sample_data	 4.96 MB
 Test	 41.13 MB

## Step XI : Extracting data in desired format

- I. Extract files from downloaded .rar file (compressed file).
- II. Click on [Autorunpro.exe](#) and the home-page opens up.
- III. Using the navigation frame appearing on the left-hand side, navigate through the metadata or microdata.
- IV. Export data onto formats like STATA, SPSS, SAS, DBF, ASCII etc. Scroll down [Dataset](#) appearing on the left of the frame.
- V. Click on the [Data Files](#) to list all the data files under study.
- VI. Click on the hyper-link [Click here to access/export data files from Nesstar format](#) to open the file(s) in Nestar Explorer.
- VII. Scroll down the [Datasets](#) on the left frame appearing on the Nestar Explorer.
- VIII. Click on main menu [File](#) → [Export All Datasets](#) for exporting all / selected data file(s) in desired format in desired location.