

MANUAL

THE RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT, 2005



Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture
(Department of Agriculture & Cooperation)
SOIL AND LAND USE SURVEY OF INDIA
I.A.R.I. Buildings, New Delhi -110012

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The right to information became an act as on 15th June 2005 after getting an assent of the His Highness the President of India and published for general information in the Gazette of India dated 21st June, 2005 making it obligatory to all public authorities to maintain all its records duly catalogued and indexed in a manner and the form which facilitates the right to the information under this act and ensure that all records that are appropriate to be computerized within reasonable time and subject to availability of resources, computerized and connected through a network all over the country on different systems, so that access to such records is facilitated.

(i) THE PARTICULARS OF THE ORGANISATION, FUNCTIONS AND DUTIES:

All India Soil & Land Use Survey (renamed as Soil & Land Use Survey of India) established in 1958 under Ministry of Agriculture, Government of India is a premier institution in the field of soil survey and land resource mapping in the country. The Organisation is engaged in conducting soil survey of various kinds and intensities to provide sound data base for land based developmental programmes to the State user departments and other Government/Quasi Government/Non-Government organizations. This is the subordinate department of Natural Resource Management Division, Department of Agriculture and Cooperation, Ministry of Agriculture (Government of India). The organization operates from its Head Quarter at New Delhi through 7 Centres located at Bangalore, Kolkata, Nagpur and North (Noida), Ahmedabad, Hyderabad and Ranchi.

The mandate of the organization is to provide detailed scientific database on soil and land characteristic to the various **State User Departments for planning and implementation of soil and water conservation in the Watershed base Programme** for Natural Resources Management.

Department of Agriculture and Cooperation, Ministry of Agriculture has entrusted the responsibility of generation of soil and land resources data base through standard soil survey and mapping of the Soil & Land Use Survey of India (SLUSI). The objectives and responsibilities of the organization are

1. Rapid reconnaissance surveys to identify and demarcate sub-watersheds yielding high sediment load/runoff in the River Valley and Flood Prone Catchments (RVP/FPR) including Non-RVP Catchment using advanced technology.
2. Detailed soil surveys in priority sub-watersheds for some special development programmes in ravenous areas, saline-alkali lands, rehabilitation, etc., to provide detailed data on the characteristics, classification and properties of soils and site characteristics of the terrain and interpretations for different land uses for preparation and implementation of the watershed management plan and various other purposes.
3. District-wise mapping of degraded lands using remote sensing techniques.
4. Development and promotion of advanced techniques of aerial photo interpretation and remote sensing for increased efficiency and accuracy in the soil surveys, priority delineation, assessment of land use problems, land degradation, etc.

5. Coordination of soil survey activities with states and other Central Soil Survey Organisation, participation in national level soil correlation, classification, interpretation and uniformity in procedures and presentation of soil survey reports.
6. Collaboration with Department of Space for application of remote sensing in soil and land resource mapping.
7. Development of map library (Digital Spatial Data Base) using GIS for all catchments including RVP/FPR catchment.
8. Development of Digital Microwatershed Watershed Atlas of India using GIS.
9. Biannual Short Course Training Programme for the officers of State User Departments.
10. Soil and land resource mapping using Remote Sensing techniques.
11. Development of Soil Information System using GIS and RDBMS.
12. Hoisting of GIS based Web Services on watershed, soil and land information.

A Remote Sensing Centre was established with the assistance of FAO/UNDP at Headquarters during 1982 (now shifted to NOIDA). Presently, the Remote Sensing Centre of Soil and Land Use Survey of India is located at C-4, Sector-1, NOIDA. It has requisite infrastructure and equipment support for both visual and digital image analysis of the remote sensing data and generation of spatial and non-spatial digital database under GIS environment. The centre is equipped with a number of advanced hardware and software. IRS and PAN Digital Data and False Colour Composites (FCC) paper prints, covering major part of the country are available with the Remote Sensing Centre.

Under a collaborative project between DAC (SLUSI) and NIC for development of Digital Spatial Data Base for GIS based applications under G2G domain for planning purposes and hoisting of GIS based Web services, the following additional Hardware and Software has been installed in the Remote Sensing Centre. A 10 MBPS leased line between SLUSI and NIC has also been set up by Railtel.

SLUSI has created digital spatial data base on watersheds, soil and land information to hoist GIS based Web services for which necessary infrastructure for Information Communication Technology (ICT) has been created in the organization. This set up will function as a Mirror Server for day to day updating of spatial data base which is hooked with National Server commissioned at National Informatics Centre, New Delhi. The development of digital spatial data base of SLUSI is aimed at GIS applications under G2G domain for online planning besides exchange and sharing of spatial data base with other government departments.

**The addresses of Headquarter & Centres of
SOIL AND LAND USE SURVEY OF INDIA (SLUSI)**

Headquarter/ Centre	Name of the Officer	Designation	Address	Phone /Fax	E-mail
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(ii) **THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES:**

Sl.No	Posts	Sanctioned strength	Duties and Responsibilities	Powers
Group "A"				
1.	Chief Soil Survey Officer	1	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. To function as Head of the Department of the Soil & Land Use Survey of India.2. To exercise, supervision and control the overall technical and administrative work of the organization.3. Planning, implementation and review of the soil survey programmes and allied activities of the organization. Technical guidance in field work, soil survey data documentation, development of spatial and non-spatial data base using Remote Sensing (RS) Geographical Information System (GIS) & Global Positioning System (GPS).4. Planning in organizing and conducting conferences, seminars and workshops to undertake technical deliberations on soil survey activities.5. Coordination of soil survey activities with different user agencies of the country.6. Liaison on administrative matters with ministry and line departments.	Delegated as per Finance Rule Statutory powers decided/revised by the Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare
2.	Sr. Soil Survey Officer	1	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Planning, implementation, coordination and review on various soil and land use survey programs in consultation with HOD.2. Preparation of plan for soil survey work to be undertaken in next field season with the approval of HOD.3. Report finalization and to assist Chief Soil Survey Officer in developing technical innovation, guidelines & working manuals.4. Technical work for improvement of land based management activities under the supervision of HOD/CSSO.5. Other official duties and responsibilities assigned by CSSO time to time.	Delegated as per Rules by the Chief Soil Survey Officer
3.	Soil Survey Officer	7	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Administration and Technical Head of Regional Centre.2. Planning, guidance and supervision of Soil Survey activities and finalization of soil legend.3. Planning and guidance to technical officers for using latest	Delegated as per finance Rule

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			<p>technology of Geo-informatics in the field of soil survey and land use planning to generate spatial & non-spatial database on soil and land resources.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. To supervise & guide in preparation, editing and finalization of Soil Survey project reports as well as publication. 5. To plan and supervise the updating of old soil survey maps as per user requirements. 6. To interact, prepare and development of user based projects. 	Statutory power decided/revised by the Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare and delegated by the Chief Soil Survey Officer.
4.	Sr. System Analyst	1	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Supervision and handling of spatial & non-spatial database using RS, GIS & RDBMS for management & monitoring of soil and land use programmes. 2. To maintain database for Soil & land use characteristics and its retrieval for utilization under various developmental plans. 3. Development of suitable software on soil and land based studies as per user requirement. 4. Handling & maintenance of ICT equipments. 5. Design, Development, Management, upload and updating of generated database on website time to time. 	
5.	Assistant Soil Survey Officer	21	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To carryout and correlate soil survey work, preparation of taxonomic unit, mapping legend and guidance to field parties. 2. To analyze and interpret spatial and non-spatial database using RS & GIS techniques. 3. To Guide and assist FO/AFO's in "On Screen" interpretation of satellite data for soil survey and land management activities using GIS and Global Positioning System (GPS). 4. Review of soil survey work and editing of soil survey reports. 5. To initiate User based studies and research work pertaining to Soil & Land based developmental programmes. 6. To maintain RS, GIS Laboratory and satellite data. 7. To discharge administrative work assigned by soil survey officer as and when required. 	

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			8. To assist soil survey officers in all technical activities.	
6.	Cartographic Officer	4	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Responsible for all types of Cartographic work, maintenance of cartographic laboratory and storage & maintenance of all types of digital and non-digital data and maps including toposheets etc. related to cartography. 2. Guidance and supervision in base map preparation using “On Screen” digitization technique and final map composition in GIS. 3. Checking symbolization and generation of final digital soil maps. 4. Planning and implementation of digital spatial data development program using GIS technique. 5. Improvements, alterations and modification of Cartographic procedures using GIS technique in consultation with Soil Survey Officer. 	
7.	Assistant Soil Chemist	4	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Analysis Soil and water samples using standard techniques. 2. Technical guidance to laboratory personnel and maintenance of Soil analytical laboratory. 3. Interpretation and correlation of analytical data for characterization of soil series. 4. Supervision & maintenance of laboratory instruments, glass wares and chemicals etc. 5. Assist soil survey officer in implementation of new techniques in soil analysis and other works assigned by soil survey officer. 	
Total Group “A” Post		39		
Group “B”				
1.	Administrative Officer	1	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To assist Head of the Office in general administration. 2. To organize and supervise administrative procedural matters including appointments, accounts, audit and stores. 3. To initiate and pursue all cases of promotion, administration reviews, 	

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			<p>completion of probation periods and disciplinary action, court cases etc.</p> <p>4. Safe custody of ACR Dossier in respect of non-gazetted staff and other confidential files assigned to him.</p>	
2.	Field Officer	14	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To analyze and interpret remote sensing data for generating various thematic maps in GIS. 2. To carry out soil survey, collection of ancillary data, finalization of soil map and preparation of draft soil survey report. 3. Generation of spatial and non-spatial database for the preparation of soil survey projects/reports. 4. Correlation and Interpretation of morphological and soil analytical data for preparation of taxonomic unit in consultation with Asstt. Soil Survey Officer/Soil Survey Officer. 5. To guide and assist Assistant Field Officers (AFOs) for soil survey work and preparation of draft reports. 6. To assist senior officials in all types of technical work. 	
3.	Assistant Field Officer	136	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To study, analyze and interpret remote sensing data for pre- field and post- field mapping. 2. To carry out soil survey, collection of related data, preparation of soil maps and draft reports. 3. Generation of spatial and non-spatial data for draft report preparation as well as relevant thematic maps using GIS & RDBMS. 4. Soil & water samples analysis for their physico-chemical properties as per requirement. 5. Assist senior officials in all relevant technical work. 	
4.	Technical Officer	4	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To assist Assistant Soil Chemist in supervision and routine working in laboratory along with maintenance of soil analytical laboratory. 2. To carry out Soil & Water samples analysis for their physico-chemical properties using standard technique. 3. Interpretation of analyzed data or results. 4. Calculation, tabulation and data entry of soil analysis results. 5. Proper handling and maintenance of instruments, glass wares and chemicals etc. 	

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5.	Assistant Technical Officer	11	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To carry out physical and chemical analysis of soil & water samples using standard technique. 2. Calculation, tabulation and data entry of soil analysis results. 3. To assist Technical Officer and Assistant Soil Chemist in day to day laboratory work. 4. Proper maintenance of laboratory, instruments, glasswares & chemicals etc. 	
6.	Senior Cartographic Assistant	3	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Delineation and codification of watersheds upto micro-watershed level. 2. Preparation of digital base maps and map composition of thematic maps in GIS. 3. Maintenance of digital spatial data base in defined format and at specified location using GIS technique. 4. Scanning and digitization of old hard copy thematic maps using GIS. 5. Checking & supervision of maps generated by Junior Cartographic assistant and draftsmen. 6. Assist Cartographic officer in all cartographic work. 	
7.	Senior photographic Assistant	1	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Handling and operation of photographic camera. 2. Supervision of all photographic jobs involving processing and printing. 3. Assistance in printing and Xeroxing of report, other publications etc. 4. Other official work assigned by the Head of the Office. 	
8.	Office Superintendent	11	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Take up and supervise of the routine administrative work of the Headquarter Office/regional Centre. 2. Maintenance of all service matters of the staff of the Headquarter/Regional Centre. 3. Handling specific cases and preparation of notes involving knowledge of rules and regulations. 4. To initiate and pursue all cases of promotion, administration reviews, completion of probation periods and disciplinary action, court cases, Audit etc. 	

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			5. Supervision & managing online information related to accounts and administration 6. To assist soil survey officers in all administrative activities.	
9.	Stenographer Gr. I	5	1. Giving secretarial support to discharge instruction relating to administrative and technical work. 2. Assist Head of Office/Head of Department in administrative work as and when required.	
10.	Jeep Driver Spl. Grade	4	1. Maintenance and technical support to drivers for upkeep of vehicles and driving the vehicles. 2. Driving of vehicles.	
Total Group "B" Post		190		
Group "C"				
1.	Senior Accountant	1	1. Supervision and maintenance of all types of accounts related works and records/register. 2. Managing of online information related to accounts of organization.	
2.	Stenographer Gr. II	1	1. Discharge duties as per the instruction of Head of Office/Head of Department related to technical and administrative work.	
3.	Upper Division Clerk	14	1. Maintenance of store, vehicle, preparation of bills. 2. Preparation of all types of bills. 3. Handling of cash and accounts related register such as (PBR) 4. Maintenance of file and register related to administration and accounts. 5. All types of typing work.	
4.	Lower Division Clerk	13	1. Diary dispatch and maintenance of service postage stamp accounts. 2. Preparedness of all types of bills, handling of cash and maintenance of cash related register and files. 3. All sorts of typing work. 4. To deal with routine establishment and administrative work.	
5.	Junior Cartographic Assistant	16	1. Preparation of digital drainage and hydrological units in catchment areas up to micro watersheds. 2. Assist in map composition including scale, legend, symbols etc. in	

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			<p>GIS.</p> <p>3. Scanning and digitization of old hard copy thematic maps using GIS.</p> <p>4. Preparation of location maps, base maps and other related maps required in reports and other publications.</p> <p>5. Assist to Senior Cartographic Assistant and Cartography Officer in preparation of digital maps.</p>	
6.	Draftsman	20	<p>1. Scanning and digitization of hard copy maps in GIS.</p> <p>2. Preparation of location maps, base maps and other related maps required in reports and other publications.</p> <p>3. Data entry work related to geographic text base numerical from source documents within time limits.</p> <p>4. Preparation of soil and land resource information and correct the data wherever necessary.</p> <p>5. Store the entered information in designated file, formats as per data development program.</p> <p>6. Assist to concerned officials/officers in all relevant works.</p>	
7.	Photographic Assistant	1	<p>1. Handling and operation of photographic cameras.</p> <p>2. All photographic jobs involving processing and printing.</p> <p>3. Printing and Xeroxing of reports, other publications etc.</p> <p>4. Assist to concerned officials/officers in all relevant works.</p>	
8.	Jeep Driver Gr.I	26	Maintenance, petty repairs, upkeep and driving of the vehicle.	
9.	Jeep Driver Gr.II	22	Maintenance, petty repairs, upkeep and driving of the vehicle.	
10.	Jeep Driver Ordinary Grade	9	Maintenance, petty repairs, upkeep and driving of the vehicle.	
Total Group "C"		123		
Group "C" (erstwhile Group D)				
11.	Multi Tasking Staff	95	<p>a) Field work assigned during soil survey.</p> <p>b) General cleanliness and upkeep of the Section or Unit.</p> <p>c) Carrying of files and other papers within the building.</p>	

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			d) Photocopying, sending of FAX etc. e) Other non-clerical work in the Section or Unit. f) Assisting in routine office work like diary, despatch etc., including working on computer. g) Delivering of dak (outside the building). h) Watch and Ward duties and open and closing of office rooms. i) Cleaning of rooms and dusting of furniture etc. j) Cleaning of building, fixtures etc. k) Driving of vehicles, if in possession of valid driving licence. l) Upkeep of parks, lawns, potted plants etc. m) Any other work assigned by the superior authority.	
Total Group "C" (erstwhile Group D)		95		
Grand Total		447		

(iii) THE PROCEDURE FOLLOWED IN THE DECISION MAKING PROCESS, INCLUDING CHANNELS OF SUPERVISION AND ACCOUNTABILITY

The procedure adopted in decision making involves the Ministry of Agriculture through the Joint Secretary, Government of India as Head of the NRM Division, the Chief Soil Survey Officer SLUSI and Head of the Centres. The supervision and accountability has been channelised accordingly. The supervision of technical activities is looked after by the Assistant Soil Survey Officers under careful guidance of the Soil Survey Officer and the Chief Soil Survey Officer.

(iv) THE NORMS SET FOR THE DISCHARGE OF FUNCTIONS:

The Centres /Remote Sensing Centre conduct different types of field surveys. The findings of soil survey are documented in the form of reports and maps. These maps, reports are made available to the user agencies free of cost or on payment basis with fixed price as approved by the Ministry of Agriculture.

1. Cost Norms for Soil Survey and Land Resource Mapping

S. No.	Kind of Survey	Cost of Survey
1.	Details Soil Survey	Rs.50/-per ha Plain Terrain Rs.90/- per ha Hilly Terrain
2.	Rapid Reconnaissance Survey	Rs.2.50/-per ha
3.	Land Degradation Mapping	Rs.1.50/-per ha
4.	Soil Resource Mapping (Reco.)	Rs.86,703/-per Toposheet (72,000 ha)
5.	Digitalization	Rs.2,000/-per Toposheet (72,000 ha)

2. Cost Norms for Soil Survey and Land Resource Mapping Report

S. No.	Kind of Survey	Cost of Report
1	Detailed Soil Survey	Rs. 2.00 per ha
2.	Rapid Reconnaissance Survey	Rs. 0.10 per ha
3	Land Degradation Mapping	Rs. 0.01 per ha

(v) THE RULES, REGULATIONS, INSTRUCTIONS, MANUALS AND RECORDS, HELD BY ORGANISATION:

Administrative functioning is controlled by Central Government Rules/Fundamental Rules/Civil Service Rules and Finance Rules etc. as applicable to the Government Establishment. However, the personal service information of officers/officials is proposed to be made available to the Ministry on instruction, the Centres of the Organisation, the institutions involved in decisions related to the service matters and the family matters of individual, if justified.

Technical work involving soil survey(Field survey), generation of maps (hard copy/GIS/computerized format) and generation of soil survey reports is based on soil survey manual(SLUSI and USDA), Soil Taxonomy, advanced software and soil analysis manual.

Soil Survey Reports and Soil Survey maps are generated and documented by the organization.

The list of the Reports published (Up to March 2015) so far by this Organization is furnished as under:

S. No.	Type of Survey	No. of Reports
1.	Detailed Soil Survey	1053
2.	Rapid Reconnaissance Survey	379
3.	Soil Resource Mapping (District wise)	45
4.	Land Degradation Mapping (District wise)	65

(vi) STATEMENT OF THE CATEGORIES OF DOCUMENTS HELD:

The soil survey reports, soil survey maps, soil and land use maps include documents that are generated and held by the organization. Satellite Imageries of different scales, Survey of India Topographic maps and Aerial Photographs used as base maps/ data base are procured and maintained by the Organization. Besides, service records, finance records, store records etc. also make the part of documents that are held by the Organization. Prior permission of the competent authority is essential even to consult the documents that are restricted in nature.

(vii) PARTICULARS OF ARRANGEMENT THAT EXIST FOR CONSULTATION:

The Organization, being survey and reporting institution as a subordinate office of National Resource Management Division, Ministry of Agriculture, is not directly responsible for formulating policy. The institution implements the policy and programme of database generation of the Ministry of Agriculture.

(viii) STATEMENT OF BOARDS, COUNCILS, COMMITTEES AND OTHER BODIES

No such body has been constituted for advice to this organization. The institution implements the spirit of the Ministry.

(ix) DIRECTORY OF OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES:

Public Information Officer should provide the information as per service records maintained by the respective centres.

(x) MONTHLY REMUNERATION RECEIVED BY OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES:

The Public Information Officer will consult the Pay Bill Register to provide the information of the concerned centres.

(xi) BUDGET ALLOCATED , PROPOSED EXPENDITURES AND REPORT ON DISBURSEMENTS MADE:

The budget allocated under Plan and Non-Plan along with expenditure is given below:

(Rs. in Lakhs)

S.No.	Particulars	Budget Provision		Actual during the month of March,2015		Progressive Total (since April 2014)	
		Plan	Non-Plan	Plan	Non-Plan	Plan	Non-Plan
1.	Staff	1770.00	262.00	57.56	3.01	1591.37	240.75
2.	Capital	-	-	-	-	-	-
	TOTAL	1770.00	262.00	57.56	3.01	1591.37	240.75

(xii) SUBSIDY PROGRAMMES:

Not applicable

(xiii) CONCESSIONS, PERMITS/AUTHORISATION:

Not Applicable

(xiv) DETAILS OF THE INFORMATION IN AN ELECTRONIC FORM:

The Electronic content of the organization available in the website namely <http://slusi.dacnet.nic.in>

(xv) PARTICULARS OF FACILITIES AVAILABLE FOR OBTAINING INFORMATION:

Facility of public library is not available. However, the information on reports /maps is available in INFO-SLUSI and Annual Reports published and updated by this organization.

(xvi) NAME, DESIGNATIONS AND OTHER PARTICULARS OF THE PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICERS OF SOIL & LAND USE SURVEY OF INDIA (SLUSI)

1. Dr. Munish Kumar, Soil Survey Officer, Headquarter, I.A.R.I. Pusa, New Delhi.
2. Dr. S. Roy Chaudary, Soil Survey Officer, Kolkata Centre
3. Sh.Ravindra Kulkarni, Soil Survey Officer, Nagpur Centre
4. Sh. Pankaj Laghate, Soil Survey Officer, Bangalore Centre

5. Sh. Dinesh Patel, Soil Survey Officer, Ranchi Centre
6. Sh. R.L.Meena , Senior Soil Survey Officer, NOIDA Centre
7. Sh. Mahesh Chand, Soil Survey Officer, Hyderabad Centre
8. Dr S.P.Singh, Soil Survey Officer, Ahmadabad Centre

(xvii) OTHER INFORMATION:

The information of activities of the Organization can be sought from Compendium on Soil and Land Resource Database,INFO-SLUSI and Annual Reports updated from time to time by the Organization.

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