

## **X. MISCELLANEOUS PUBLICATIONS**

**10.1.1.** Certain registered publications do not contain any public news or views and in terms of the definition in the Press & Registration of Books Act, 1867, they cannot be termed as ‘newspapers’ and all those registered publications which distribute their copies free of cost and/or circulate along with their other priced registered publications as supplements, are also covered under this category. Therefore, these publications have not been included in the general study of the Press in the preceding chapters. These publications are grouped as ‘Miscellaneous’ and fall under sixteen broad categories listed below:

- i) Astrological Magazines (AST)
- ii) Agriculture & Animal Husbandary (AAH)
- iii) Commerce & Industry (CAI)
- iv) Engineering & Technology (EAT)
- v) Finance & Economics (FAE)
- vi) Insurance Banking & Co-operation (IBC)
- vii) Literary & Culture (LAC)
- viii) Law & Public Administration (LAP)
- ix) Medicines & Health (MAH)
- x) Religion & Philosophy (RAP)
- xi) Social Welfare (SOW)
- xii) Fictional Magazines (FIC)
- xiii) Market Reports and Bulletins (MRB)
- xiv) Publicity Journal and House Organs (PHO)
- xv) School and College Magazines (SCM)
- xvi) Others (OTH)

**10.1.2.** Out of total registered publications fall under ‘Miscellaneous’ category, only 256 registered publications have submitted their Annual Statements for the year 2013-14.

**10.1.4** Among these 256 ‘Miscellaneous’ Publications which submitted their Annual Statements for the year 2013-14, 55 publications were from Religion & Philosophy, followed by Medicine & Health (32), Social Welfare (30), Literary & Culture (24), Agriculture & Animal Husbandary (19), Commerce & Industry (16), Astrology, Engineering & Technology, Finance & Economics (11) each and 18 publications were from others category. (Table 10.3)

### **LANGUAGE-WISE ANALYSIS**

**10.2.** ‘Miscellaneous’ publications were registered in the following principal languages of India, Bengali, English, Hindi, Gujarati, Kannada, Malayalam, Marathi, Odia, Punjabi Tamil Telugu and Urdu. Among the principal languages, the largest number of annual statements were received in English (103), followed by Hindi (79). A sizeable number of annual statements were received from Bilingual publications (22). (Table 10.1)

## PERIODICALS

**10.5.1** Periodicity wise, the annual statements received from 'Miscellaneous' publications were basically from Quarterlies (84) followed by Fortnightlies (66), Others (64), Annual (37), Monthlies (2) and Tri/ Bi-weeklies (05) and others (30). (Table 10.2)

**10.5.2** Language wise, English publications lead the 'Miscellaneous' publications with (103) followed by Hindi with (79) and Bilingual with (22). Among Regional Languages, the status of miscellaneous periodicals is in Tamil (9), Gujarati (9), Telugu (5), Marathi (7), Kannada (4), Malayalam (4), and Bengali (3) and so on, for the year 2013-14. (Table 10.3 & 10.4)

## STATE-WISE ANALYSIS

**10.6** A study of 'Miscellaneous' publications among the States & Union Territories reveal that Delhi with (64) such publications was at the top, followed by Maharashtra with (35), Uttar Pradesh with (27), Tamil Nadu with (18), Madhya Pradesh with (24), Karnataka with (11), Gujarat with (11) and Rajasthan with (13) publications. (Table 10.5)

## CIRCULATION

**10.7** Circulation data was furnished by 256 'Miscellaneous' publications in 2013-14. The total claimed circulation of 'Miscellaneous' publications was 1,05,00,710 copies in 2013-14. (Table 10.6)

**10.7.1** **Annals** were the highest circulated 'Miscellaneous' publications with claimed circulation 80,83,210 copies per publishing day followed by Fortnightlies with 16,00,855 copies, Quarterlies with 4,54,116 copies, Tri/ Bi-weeklies with 64,643 and Others with 2,96,929 copies per publishing day. (Table 10.6)

## FOREIGN MISSIONS PUBLICATIONS

**10.8.1** Among registered publications of 'Miscellaneous' category, 111 publications were registered by 28 foreign missions based in India. Among them nine were dailies, 24 Tri/Bi-weeklies, 8 weeklies, 24 fortnightlies, 33 monthlies, 7 quarterlies & 6 other periodicals. All these were registered from four metropolitan cities - Delhi (72), Mumbai (12), Kolkata (10) & Chennai (17).

**10.8.2** Of the 111 registered foreign mission publications, 50 were published by the Embassy of Russia, 7 by USA, 5 by UK Embassy and 4 each by German, Bulgarian, Iraqi and Chinese embassies and the remaining 33 by other foreign missions. The titles and periodicity of foreign mission publications are as under:-

**Registered Publications of Foreign Missions  
(Language, Periodicity & Place of Publication)**

**I. ARAB LEAGUE**

1. Al-Arab, English Fortnightly, Delhi
2. Al-Arab, Hindi Fortnightly, Delhi
3. New Arab, English Monthly, Delhi

**II. ARAB REPUBLIC OF EGYPT**

1. Cairo, English Monthly, Delhi
2. United Arab Republic News, English Fortnightly, Delhi

**III. REPUBLIC OF AUSTRIA**

1. Austrian Economic News Bulletin,  
English Bimonthly, Mumbai

**IV. REPUBLIC OF BULGARIA**

1. News from Bulgaria, Urdu Fortnightly, Delhi
2. News from Bulgaria, Bengali Fortnightly, Delhi
3. News from Bulgaria, Punjabi Fortnightly, Delhi
4. News from Bulgaria, English Fortnightly, Delhi

**V. STATE OF CAMBODIA**

1. News from Kampuchea, English Bi-weekly, Delhi

**VI. REPUBLIC OF CANADA**

1. Canada, English Monthly, Delhi

**VII. PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA**

1. News from China, English Bi-weekly, Delhi
2. Cheen Ka Samachar, Hindi Quarterly, Delhi
3. News from China, English Weekly, Delhi
4. China Ka Samachar, Hindi Fortnightly, Delhi

**VIII. REPUBLIC OF CUBA**

1. Cuba, English Monthly, Delhi
2. Information from Cuba, English Monthly, Delhi

**IX. REPUBLIC OF SOUTH KOREA**

1. Korea Press Service, English Tri-weekly, Delhi
2. Korean news, English Monthly, Delhi
3. Pictorial kore, English Quarterly, Delhi

**X. DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF NORTH KOREA**

1. News from Democratic People's Republic of Korea, English Weekly, Delhi

**XI. GERMANY**

1. Ajker Germany, Bengali Bi-monthly, Calcutta
2. German Varta Vihar, Monthly, Mumbai
3. German News, English Monthly, Delhi
4. German Samachar, Hindi Monthly, Delhi

**XII. FRENCH REPUBLIC**

1. French Times, Monthly, Delhi

**XIII. REPUBLIC OF GHANA**

1. Ghana News, English Monthly, Delhi

**XIV. REPUBLIC OF HUNGARY**

1. News from Hungary, English Monthly, Delhi

**XV. REPUBLIC OF IRAQ**

1. News Bulletin, Embassy of Iraq, English Weekly, Delhi
2. Iraq News Bulletin, English Monthly, Delhi
3. News from Iraq, English Monthly, Delhi
4. Babylon, Multilingual Monthly, Delhi

**XVI. ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN**

1. Basheer, English Monthly, Delhi
2. Wehdat-I-Islam, Urdu Weekly, Delhi
3. Rah-E-Islam, English Monthly, Delhi

**XVII. STATE OF ISRAEL**

1. News from Israel, English Monthly, Mumbai
2. Israel Today, English Bimonthly, Mumbai

**XVIII. REPUBLIC OF ITALY**

1. Industrial & Trade News from Italy, English Monthly, Mumbai

**XIX. STATE OF KUWAIT**

1. Kuwait News, English Monthly, Delhi
2. Kuwait Samachar, Hindi Monthly, Delhi

**XX. STATE OF MONGOLIA**

1. Mongolia Today, English Monthly, Delhi

**XXI. KINGDOM OF NEPAL**

1. Nepal News, English Fortnightly, Delhi

**XXII. FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA**

1. News from Nigeria, English Monthly, Delhi

**XXIII. REPUBLIC OF POLAND**

1. Polish Facts on Life, English Monthly, Delhi
2. Polish Facts on Life, Hindi Quarterly, Delhi

**XXIV. RUSSIA**

1. News & Views from the Soviet Union, English Daily, Delhi
2. Soviet Features, English Daily, Delhi
3. Soviet Sangh ka Vichar Aur Samachar, Hindi Daily, Delhi
4. Soviet Review, English Bi-weekly, Delhi
5. Soviet Darpan, Hindi Bi-weekly, Delhi
6. Soviet Darpan, Punjabi Bi-weekly, Delhi
7. Soviet Jayaza, Urdu Bi-weekly, Delhi
8. Soviet Union De Samachar Te Vichar, Punjabi Bi-weekly, Delhi
9. Soviet Union Ki Khabren Aur Raen, Urdu Bi-weekly, Delhi
10. Youth Review, English Weekly, Delhi
11. Yuvak Darpan, Hindi Weekly, Delhi
12. Soviet Land, English Fortnightly, Delhi
13. Soviet Bhoomi, Hindi Fortnightly, Delhi
14. Soviet Desh, Urdu Fortnightly, Delhi
15. Soviet Desh, Punjabi Fortnightly, Delhi
16. Soviet Panorama, Bilingual Fortnightly, Delhi
17. Sputnik Junior, English Monthly, Delhi
18. Bal Sputnik, Hindi Monthly, Delhi
19. Soviet Lokhamale, Kannada Tri-weekly, Chennai
20. Soviet Okketada Samachar Veehare, Kannada Tri-weekly, Chennai
21. Soviet Union Vartakalum Abhiprayangalum, Malayalam Tri-weekly, Chennai
22. Soviet Sirappu Katturaikal, Tamil Tri-weekly, Chennai
23. Soviet Union Cheidikalum Karuthukalum, Tamil Tri-weekly, Chennai
24. Soviet Visheshengal, Malayalam Tri-weekly, Chennai
25. Soviet Union Varthalu Vyakhal, Telugu Tri-weekly, Chennai
26. Soviet Vyasawali, Telugu Tri-weekly, Chennai
27. Soviet Sameeksha, Kannada Bi-weekly, Chennai
28. Soviet Sameeksha, Malayalam Bi-weekly, Chennai
29. Soviet Palakani, Tamil Bi-weekly, Chennai
30. Soviet Sameeksha, Telugu Bi-weekly, Chennai
31. Soviet Desha, Kannada Fortnightly, Chennai
32. Soviet Nadu, Malayalam, Fortnightly, Chennai

33. Soviet Tamil Nadu, Tamil Fortnightly, Chennai
34. Soviet Bhoomi, Telugu Fortnightly, Chennai
35. News & Views from Soviet Union, English Daily, Mumbai
36. Soviet Union Samachar & Vichar, Gujarati Daily, Mumbai
37. Soviet Union Samachar & Vichar, Marathi Daily, Mumbai
38. Soviet Sameeksha, Gujarati Bi-weekly, Mumbai
39. Soviet Desh, Gujarati Fortnightly, Mumbai
40. Soviet Desh, Gujarati Monthly, Mumbai
41. Soviet Desh, Marathi Fortnightly, Mumbai
42. Soviet Union Sambad Aur Abhimat, Assamese Daily, Calcutta
43. Soviet Yuktarashtrar Sanghavadi Abhimat, Bengali Daily, Calcutta
44. Soviet Union Sambad-Abhimat, Oriya Daily, Calcutta
45. Soviet Samiksha, Bengali Bi-weekly, Calcutta
46. Soviet Desh, Assamese Fortnightly, Calcutta
47. Soviet Desh, Bengali Fortnightly, Calcutta
48. Soviet Desh, Oriya Fortnightly, Calcutta
49. Soviet Sameeksha, Oriya, Bi-weekly, Calcutta
50. News from Russia, English Weekly, Delhi

#### **XXV. KINGDOM OF SWEDEN**

1. Swedish Trade News, English Quarterly, Delhi

#### **XXVI. UNITED KINGDOM**

1. British Industrial News, English Fortnightly, Delhi
2. Spectrum British Services News, English Monthly, Delhi
3. Economic Digest British Review, English Quarterly, Delhi
4. British Deputy High Commissioner, Tamil Fortnightly, Chennai
5. British Vaijnanik Avam Samiksha, Hindi Quarterly, Delhi

#### **XXVII. SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM**

1. Vietnam, English Tri-weekly, Delhi
2. News from Vietnam, English Weekly, Delhi

#### **XXVIII. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

1. Span, English Monthly, Delhi
2. U.S.A. Commercial News Letter, English Monthly, Delhi
3. American Review, English Quarterly, Delhi
4. Sojourner, English Monthly, Calcutta
5. American Labour News, English Monthly, Delhi
6. Span, Urdu, Half Yearly, Delhi.
7. Span, Hindi, Half Yearly, Delhi.

**TABLE 10.1**  
**'MISCELLANEOUS' PUBLICATIONS PUBLISHED DURING 2013-14**  
**(LANGUAGE & PERIODICITY-WISE)**

LANGUAGE	BI/TRI-WEEKLY	FORTNIGHTLY	MONTHLY	QUARTERLY	ANNUAL	OTHERS	Total
BENGALI	0	1	0	2	0	0	3
BILINGUAL	0	1	0	11	6	4	22
ENGLISH	2	20	2	25	16	38	103
GUJARATI	0	5	0	0	4	0	9
HINDI	1	26	0	31	1	20	79
KANNADA	0	0	0	2	2	0	4
MALAYALAM	0	1	0	1	2	0	4
MARATHI	0	0	0	3	4	0	7
MULTILINGUAL	0	3	0	3	0	0	6
ODIA	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
OTHERS	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
PUNJABI	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
TAMIL	0	6	0	1	1	1	9
TELUGU	0	1	0	3	1	0	5
URDU	0	1	0	1	0	0	2
Total	3	66	2	84	37	64	256

**TABLE 10.2**  
**'MISCELLANEOUS' PUBLICATIONS PUBLISHED DURING 2013-14**  
**(CATEGORY & PERIODICITY-WISE)**

Periodity	A A H	AS T	CA I	EA T	FA E	FI C	IB C	LA C	LA P	MA H	MR B	OT H	P H O	RA P	SCM	S O W	Tot al
ANNUAL	0	10	0	0	2	0	1	3	2	1	1	11	2	3	0	1	37
BI/TRI- WEEKL Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	3
FORTNI GHTLY	4	0	7	1	4	1	0	5	8	10	0	0	0	18	1	7	66
MONTH LY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
OTHERS	11	0	6	5	3	0	0	4	1	8	1	2	2	11	1	9	64
QUARTE RLY	4	1	3	5	2	0	0	12	2	13	2	3	2	23	0	1	84
Total	19	11	16	11	11	1	1	24	15	32	4	18	6	55	2	3	256

**TABLE 10.3**  
**'MISCELLANEOUS' PUBLICATIONS PUBLISHED DURING 2013-14**  
**(CATEGORY & LANGUAGE-WISE)**

PERIODICITY	AAH	A	C	EA	F	FI	I	L	L	M	M	OT	P	R	SC	SO	Total
		ST	AI	T	A	C	B	A	A	A	R	H	H	A	M	W	
BENGALI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
BILINGUAL	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	1	3	0	9	0	3	22
ENGLISH	10	3	10	11	10	0	1	1	13	12	3	13	4	5	1	6	103
GUJRATI	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	1	9
HINDI	7	1	2	0	0	1	0	9	2	14	0	0	1	28	0	14	79
KANNADA	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4
MALAYALAM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	4
MARATHI	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	7
MULTILINGUAL	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	6
ODIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
OTHERS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
PUNJABI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
TAMIL	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	3	9
TELUGU	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	5
URDU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
TOTAL	19	11	16	11	11	1	1	24	15	32	4	18	6	55	2	30	256

**TABLE 10.4**  
**'MISCELLANEOUS' PUBLICATIONS PUBLISHED DURING 2013-14**  
**(LANGUAGE & PERIODICITY-WISE)**

Language	BI/TRI-WEEKLY	WEEKLY	MONTHLY	QUARTERLY	ANNUAL	OTHERS	Total
BENGALI	0	1	0	2	0	0	3
BILINGUAL	0	1	0	11	6	4	22
ENGLISH	2	20	2	25	16	38	103
GUJARATI	0	5	0	0	4	0	9
HINDI	1	26	0	31	1	20	79
KANNADA	0	0	0	2	2	0	4
MALAYALAM	0	1	0	1	2	0	4
MARATHI	0	0	0	3	4	0	7
MULTILINGUAL	0	3	0	3	0	0	6
ODIA	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
OTHERS	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
PUNJABI	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
TAMIL	0	6	0	1	1	1	9
TELUGU	0	1	0	3	1	0	5
URDU	0	1	0	1	0	0	2
Total	3	66	2	84	37	64	256

**TABLE 10.5**  
**NUMBER OF 'MISCELLANEOUS' PUBLICATIONS DURING 2013-14**  
**(State/U.T's & Language-wise)**

State/U.T's	BE NG AL I	BILI NGU AL	EN GL IS H	GUJ AR ATI	HI N DI	KAN NAD A	MALA YALA M	MA RA THI	MULTIL LINGUAL	O DI A	OT HE RS	PU NJ AB I	T A M IL	TE LU GU	UR DU	Total
ANDHRA PRADESH	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	8
ASSAM	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
BIHAR	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
CHATTISG ARH	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4
DELHI	0	8	39	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	64
GUJARAT	0	1	0	7	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
HARYANA	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
HIMACHAL PRADESH	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
JHARKHAN D	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
JAMMU & KASHMIR	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
KARNATAK A	0	4	5	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
KERALA	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
MAHARASH TRA	0	1	17	2	4	2	0	7	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	35
MADHYA PRADESH	0	1	1	0	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24
ODISHA	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
PUNJAB	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
RAJASTHA N	0	0	1	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
TAMIL NADU	0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	8	0	0	18
UTTAR PRADESH	0	1	11	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	27
UTTARANC HAL	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
WEST BENGAL	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Total	3	22	103	9	79	4	4	7	6	1	1	1	9	5	2	256

**Table 10.6**  
**CIRCULATION OF 'MISCELLANEOUS' PUBLICATIONS DURING 2013-14**  
**(Language & Periodicity-wise)**

Language	BI/TRI-WEEKLY	FORT-NIGHTLY	MONTHLY	QUARTERLY	ANNUAL	OTHERS	Total
BENGALI	0	10407	0	500	0	0	10907
BILINGUAL	0	7000	0	34106	7350	18538	66994
ENGLISH	9643	115977	957	174886	949703	111016	1362182
GUJARATI	0	20417	0	0	426214	0	446631
HINDI	55000	1107400	0	196283	796898	165025	2320606
KANNADA	0	0	0	6000	112852	0	118852
MALAYALAM	0	12102	0	1174	43700	0	56976
MARATHI	0	0	0	3000	5673058	0	5676058
MULTILINGUAL	0	25761	0	7992	0	0	33753
ODIA	0	0	0	475	0	0	475
OTHERS	0	0	0	0	0	550	550
PUNJABI	0	4391	0	0	0	0	4391
TAMIL	0	221067	0	400	34265	1800	257532
TELUGU	0	52000	0	1800	39170	0	92970
URDU	0	24333	0	27500	0	0	51833
Total	64643	1600855	957	454116	8083210	296929	1,05,00,710