



## Railways' Work Under Mission Amrit Sarovar

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The **Indian Railways** has been integrated into the [Mission Amrit Sarovar](#) initiative to aid in **water conservation** by constructing and rejuvenating ponds across the country.

- Indian Railways will **desilt, excavate, or create water bodies** near railway lines in coordination with district authorities and the **Ministry of Rural Development**.

**About Mission Amrit Sarovar:** It was launched in **April 2022** to construct or rejuvenate **75 ponds per district**. As of **October 2024**, over **68,000 ponds** have been completed.

- It ensures long-term water availability through **community participation**, and climate resilience to secure **sustainable water resources**.
- It is an initiative of the **Ministry of Rural Development** and **Bhaskaracharya National Institute for Space Application and Geo-informatics (BISAG-N)** is the Mission's technical partner.
- It is implemented through convergence with schemes like [MGNREGA](#), [15th Finance Commission Grants](#), [PMKSY](#), and state programs.

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