

# Why Muslims in Maharashtra support MVA despite underrepresentation in Opp alliance

The community's priority: Defeat 'politics of polarisation,' elect Govt that 'emphasises physical safety'

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There is a sense of unease within the community regarding the limited political representation for Muslims in Maharashtra by the Maha Vikas Aghadi (MVA), the main opposition alliance against the BJP-led NDA government. The community's priority is to elect a government that emphasises physical safety and defies the politics of polarisation.

## 15 SEATS WHERE MUSLIMS COMPOSE OVER 30% OF THE POPULATION

Assembly seats in Maharashtra with a Muslim population of over 30% are highlighted in green in the table below. The total number of seats in the Maharashtra Legislative Assembly is 48.

Assembly Seat	Muslim Population (%)	Current Member
Amravati	32.5	BJP
Bhandara	31.8	BJP
Bhamburda	31.2	BJP
Bhamburda	30.8	BJP
Bhamburda	30.5	BJP
Bhamburda	30.2	BJP
Bhamburda	29.8	BJP
Bhamburda	29.5	BJP
Bhamburda	29.2	BJP
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Bhamburda	19.8	BJP
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Bhamburda	1.5	BJP
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## AYODHYA GETS READY FOR DIWALI

A team from Ayodhya is busy in the weeks before Diwali in Ayodhya, Uttar Pradesh. The city is preparing for the festival of lights with various activities and programs.

## UP couple found dead in car with gunshot wounds in Rajasthan

A couple from Uttar Pradesh was found dead in a car in Rajasthan. The police are investigating the case and have identified the victims.

## Death threat to Salman, MLA; Bandra man held

Salman Khan, an actor and politician, received a death threat. A man in Bandra was held in connection with the threat. The police are investigating the case.

## THE HAIK PROTESTS

# Govt probe indicts Dr Avik De: 'Terrorised students, manipulated examination process'

**BYRANA**

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## Elderly woman beaten to death by neighbours in Rajasthan's Dholpur

An elderly woman was beaten to death by her neighbours in Dholpur, Rajasthan. The police are investigating the case.

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1. Provisional Selection List No. KP/2024/10000  
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The provision / revised provisional selection list for the posts of (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) (g) (h) (i) (j) (k) (l) (m) (n) (o) (p) (q) (r) (s) (t) (u) (v) (w) (x) (y) (z) (aa) (ab) (ac) (ad) (ae) (af) (ag) (ah) (ai) (aj) (ak) (al) (am) (an) (ao) (ap) (aq) (ar) (as) (at) (au) (av) (aw) (ax) (ay) (az) (ba) (bb) (bc) (bd) (be) (bf) (bg) (bh) (bi) (bj) (bk) (bl) (bm) (bn) (bo) (bp) (bq) (br) (bs) (bt) (bu) (bv) (bw) (bx) (by) (bz) (ca) (cb) (cc) (cd) (ce) (cf) (cg) (ch) (ci) (cj) (ck) (cl) (cm) (cn) (co) (cp) (cq) (cr) (cs) (ct) (cu) (cv) (cw) (cx) (cy) (cz) (da) (db) (dc) (dd) (de) (df) (dg) (dh) (di) (dj) (dk) (dl) (dm) (dn) (do) (dp) (dq) (dr) (ds) (dt) (du) (dv) (dw) (dx) (dy) (dz) (ea) (eb) (ec) (ed) (ee) (ef) (eg) (eh) (ei) (ej) (ek) (el) (em) (en) (eo) (ep) (eq) (er) (es) (et) (eu) (ev) (ew) (ex) (ey) (ez) (fa) (fb) (fc) (fd) (fe) (ff) (fg) (fh) (fi) (fj) (fk) (fl) (fm) (fn) (fo) (fp) (fq) (fr) (fs) (ft) (fu) (fv) (fw) (fx) (fy) (fz) (ga) (gb) (gc) (gd) (ge) (gf) (gg) (gh) (gi) (gj) (gk) (gl) (gm) (gn) (go) (gp) (gq) (gr) (gs) (gt) (gu) (gv) (gw) (gx) (gy) (gz) (ha) (hb) (hc) (hd) (he) (hf) (hg) (hh) (hi) (hj) (hk) (hl) (hm) (hn) (ho) (hp) (hq) (hr) (hs) (ht) (hu) (hv) (hw) (hx) (hy) (hz) (ia) (ib) (ic) (id) (ie) (if) (ig) (ih) (ii) (ij) (ik) (il) (im) (in) (io) (ip) (iq) (ir) (is) (it) (iu) (iv) (iw) (ix) (iy) (iz) (ja) (jb) (jc) (jd) (je) (jf) (jg) (jh) (ji) (jj) (jk) (jl) (jm) (jn) (jo) (jp) (jq) (jr) (js) (jt) (ju) (jv) (jw) (jx) (jy) (jz) (ka) (kb) (kc) (kd) (ke) (kf) (kg) (kh) (ki) (kj) (kk) (kl) (km) (kn) (ko) (kp) (kq) (kr) (ks) (kt) (ku) (kv) (kw) (kx) (ky) (kz) (la) (lb) (lc) (ld) (le) (lf) (lg) (lh) (li) (lj) (lk) (ll) (lm) (ln) (lo) (lp) (lq) (lr) (ls) (lt) (lu) (lv) (lw) (lx) (ly) (lz) (ma) (mb) (mc) (md) (me) (mf) (mg) (mh) (mi) (mj) (mk) (ml) (mm) (mn) (mo) (mp) (mq) (mr) (ms) (mt) (mu) (mv) (mw) (mx) (my) (mz) (na) (nb) (nc) (nd) (ne) (nf) (ng) (nh) (ni) (nj) (nk) (nl) (nm) (nn) (no) (np) (nq) (nr) (ns) (nt) (nu) (nv) (nw) (nx) (ny) (nz) (oa) (ob) (oc) (od) (oe) (of) (og) (oh) (oi) (oj) (ok) (ol) (om) (on) (oo) (op) (oq) (or) (os) (ot) (ou) (ov) (ow) (ox) (oy) (oz) (pa) (pb) (pc) (pd) (pe) (pf) (pg) (ph) (pi) (pj) (pk) (pl) (pm) (pn) (po) (pp) (pq) (pr) (ps) (pt) (pu) (pv) (pw) (px) (py) (pz) (qa) (qb) (qc) (qd) (qe) (qf) (qg) (qh) (qi) (qj) (qk) (ql) (qm) (qn) (qo) (qp) (qq) (qr) (qs) (qt) (qu) (qv) (qw) (qx) (qy) (qz) (ra) (rb) (rc) (rd) (re) (rf) (rg) (rh) (ri) (rj) (rk) (rl) (rm) (rn) (ro) (rp) (rq) (rr) (rs) (rt) (ru) (rv) (rw) (rx) (ry) (rz) (sa) (sb) (sc) (sd) (se) (sf) (sg) (sh) (si) (sj) (sk) (sl) (sm) (sn) (so) (sp) (sq) (sr) (ss) (st) (su) (sv) (sw) (sx) (sy) (sz) (ta) (tb) (tc) (td) (te) (tf) (tg) (th) (ti) (tj) (tk) (tl) (tm) (tn) (to) (tp) (tq) (tr) (ts) (tt) (tu) (tv) (tw) (tx) (ty) (tz) (ua) (ub) (uc) (ud) (ue) (uf) (ug) (uh) (ui) (uj) (uk) (ul) (um) (un) (uo) (up) (uq) (ur) (us) (ut) (uu) (uv) (uw) (ux) (uy) (uz) (va) (vb) (vc) (vd) (ve) (vf) (vg) (vh) (vi) (vj) (vk) (vl) (vm) (vn) (vo) (vp) (vq) (vr) (vs) (vt) (vu) (vv) (vw) (vx) (vy) (vz) (wa) (wb) (wc) (wd) (we) (wf) (wg) (wh) (wi) (wj) (wk) (wl) (wm) (wn) (wo) (wp) (wq) (wr) (ws) (wt) (wu) (wv) (ww) (wx) (wy) (wz) (xa) (xb) (xc) (xd) (xe) (xf) (xg) (xh) (xi) (xj) (xk) (xl) (xm) (xn) (xo) (xp) (xq) (xr) (xs) (xt) (xu) (xv) (xw) (xx) (xy) (xz) (ya) (yb) (yc) (yd) (ye) (yf) (yg) (yh) (yi) (yj) (yk) (yl) (ym) (yn) (yo) (yp) (yq) (yr) (ys) (yt) (yu) (yv) (yw) (yx) (yy) (yz) (za) (zb) (zc) (zd) (ze) (zf) (zg) (zh) (zi) (zj) (zk) (zl) (zm) (zn) (zo) (zp) (zq) (zr) (zs) (zt) (zu) (zv) (zw) (zx) (zy) (zz)

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**EXTRACT OF CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER AND HALF-YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2024**

Particulars	Quarter ended		Half-year ended		Year ended
	30 Sep 2024	30 Sep 2023	30 Sep 2024	30 Sep 2023	
Revenue	1,100	1,050	2,150	2,100	8,500
Operating Profit	250	240	480	470	1,800
Profit Before Tax	230	220	450	440	1,700
Profit After Tax	180	170	350	340	1,300
EPS	18	17	35	34	130
Dividend	10	10	20	20	80
Net Debt	1,500	1,500	3,000	3,000	12,000
Equity	1,000	1,000	2,000	2,000	8,000
Capital Employed	1,000	1,000	2,000	2,000	8,000
Operating Assets	1,200	1,200	2,400	2,400	9,600
Operating Liabilities	1,000	1,000	2,000	2,000	8,000
Net Assets	200	200	400	400	1,600

Figures are in INR Crores unless otherwise stated. All figures are subject to audit. The figures are preliminary and subject to final audit. The figures are preliminary and subject to final audit. The figures are preliminary and subject to final audit.

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