

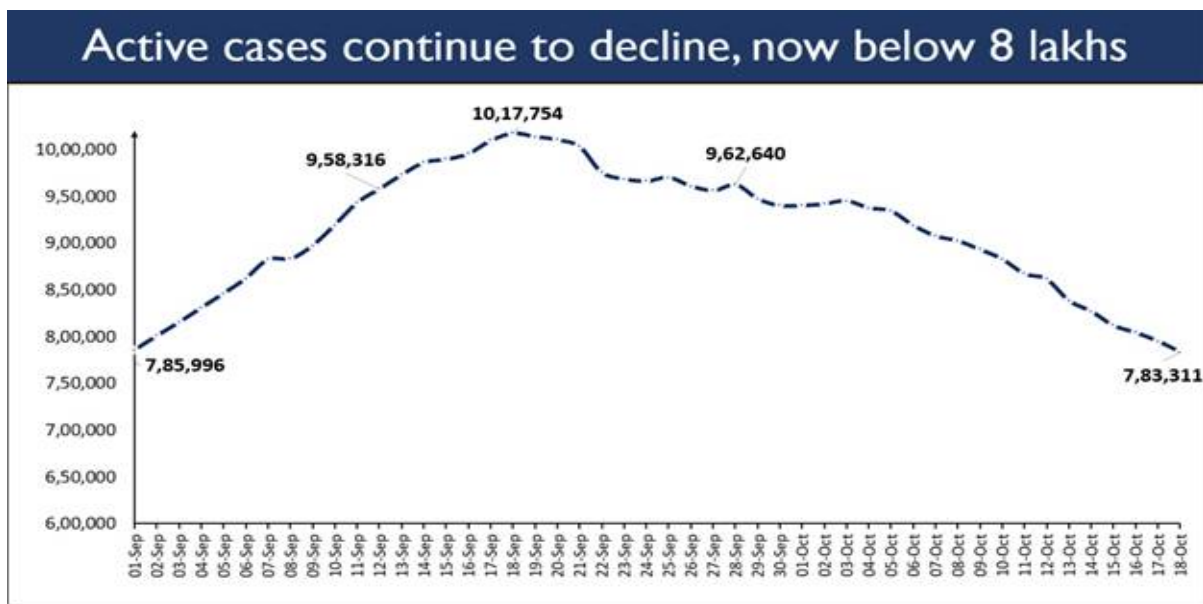
India on a steady trajectory of sustained fall in Active Cases

Number of Active Cases below 8 lakh for the second day

22 States/UTs have less than 20,000 Active Cases

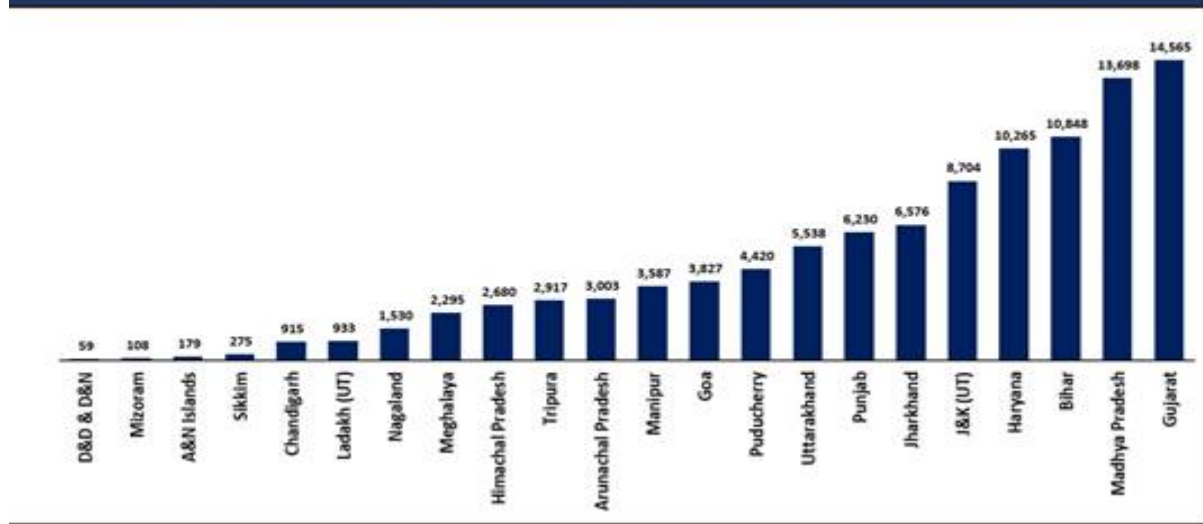
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India continues to report a trend of steadily declining active cases. The active cases are less than 8 lakh for the second consecutive day and stand at **7,83,311**. The active cases now comprise **10.45%** of the total positive cases of the country.



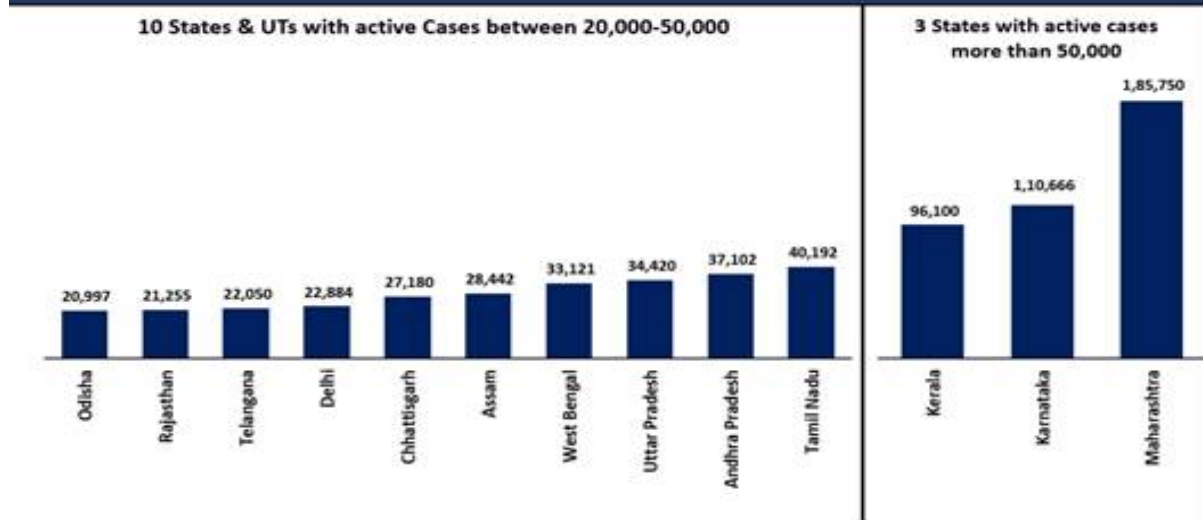
Following the national trend, 22 States/UTs have less than 20,000 active cases.

22 States & UTs have less than 20,000 active cases



13 States/UTs have more than 20,000 but less than 50,000 active cases, while 3 States/UTs have more than 50,000 active cases.

13 States & UTs have more than 20,000 active cases



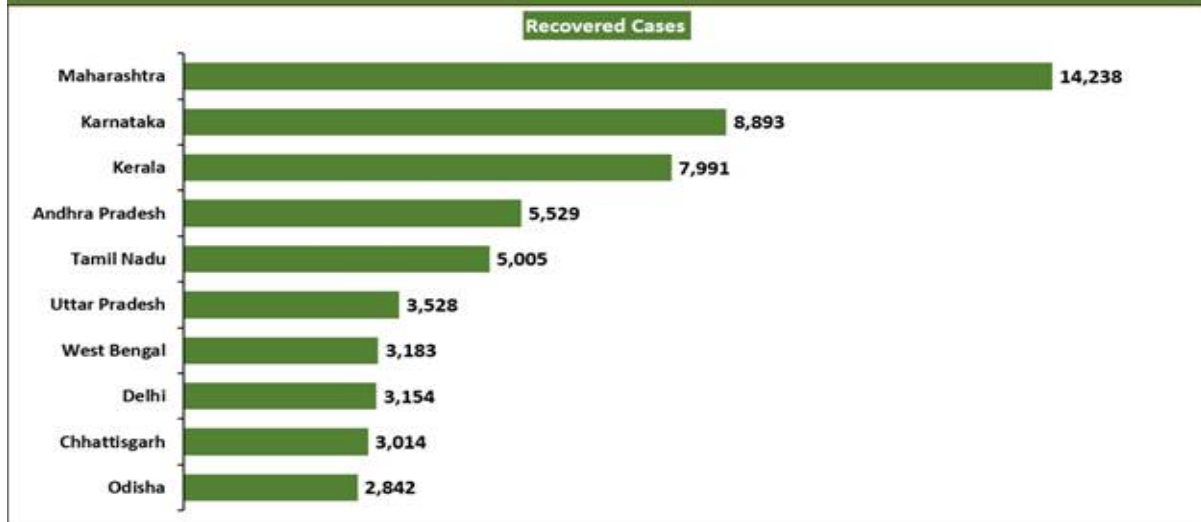
The declining trend of the active cases is complemented by the unbroken rising number of recovered cases. The total recovered cases stand at **65,97,209**. The gap between Recovered cases and Active cases has crossed **58 lakh (58,13,898)**. The national Recovery Rate has further improved to **88.03%**.

72,614 COVID patients have recovered and discharged in the last 24 hours whereas the new confirmed cases stand at **61,871**.

79% of the new recovered cases are observed to be concentrated in 10 States/UTs.

Maharashtra has contributed the maximum with more than 14,000 single day recovery.

79% of new recovered cases in the 10 States & UTs



61,871 new confirmed cases were recorded in the last 24 hours.

79% of the new cases are from 10 States and UTs.

Maharashtra continues to be the State reporting a very high number of new cases with more than 10,000 cases followed by Kerala with more than 9,000 cases.

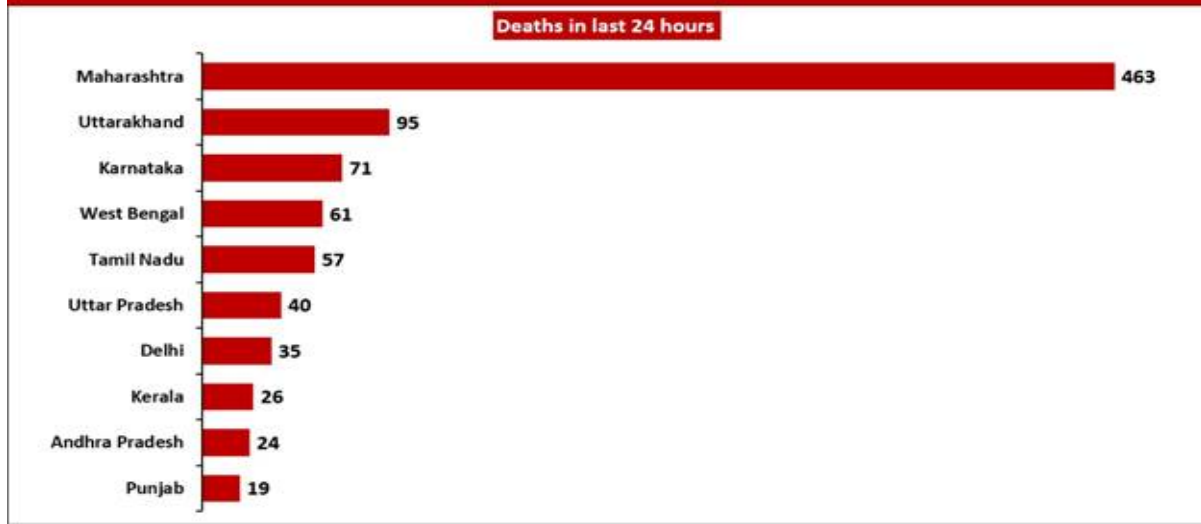
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1033 case fatalities have been reported in the past 24 hours.

Of these, ten States/UTs account for **nearly 86%**. More than **44%** of new fatalities reported are from Maharashtra (463 deaths).

86% of new deaths in the 10 States & UTs



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