



List of chief ministers of Andhra Pradesh

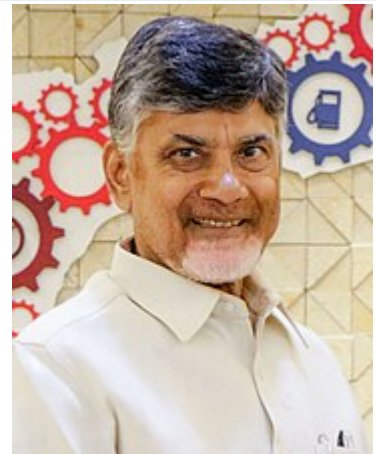


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The **Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh** is the chief executive of the Indian state of Andhra Pradesh. As per the Constitution of India, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh is the state's *de jure* head, but *de facto* executive authority rests with the chief minister. Following elections to the Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly, the governor usually invites the party (or coalition) with a majority of seats to form the government. The governor appoints the chief minister, whose council of ministers are collectively responsible to the assembly. Given that he has the confidence of the assembly, the chief minister's term is for five years and is subject to no term limits.^[1]

Andhra Pradesh was created in 1956 by the merger of the Telangana region of Hyderabad State into Andhra State. Two chief ministers each from the Indian National Congress party had served these predecessor states. The first Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh was Neelam Sanjiva Reddy, later the sixth President of India. Including him, 13 out of 16 chief ministers belonged to the Congress party. Among these is P. V. Narasimha Rao, who went on to become the ninth Prime Minister of India. The remaining three chief ministers were from the Telugu Desam Party, including N. Chandrababu Naidu, the longest-serving Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh (over eleven years). Naidu is also the current incumbent, serving since 8 June 2014, a few days after Telangana was officially carved out of Andhra Pradesh into a separate state.

Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh



Incumbent
N. Chandrababu Naidu
since 8 June 2014


Appointer	<u>Governor of Andhra Pradesh</u>
Inaugural holder	<u>Tanguturi Prakasam</u>
Formation	1 October 1953
Website	<u>Official website</u> (http://www.ap.gov.in)

Chief Ministers of Hyderabad State

Hyderabad State included nine Telugu districts of Telangana, four Kannada districts in Gulbarga division and four Marathi districts in Aurangabad division.




Map of southern India showing the Hyderabad State in yellowish green and Andhra State in blue before the reorganisation of 1956

No	Name	Portrait	Term of office		Party ^[a]		Days in office
1	<u>M. K. Vellodi</u>		26 January 1950	6 March 1952	<u>Indian National Congress</u>	rowspan=2 width=4px style="background-color: Template:Indian National Congress/meta/color"	770
2	<u>Burgula Ramakrishna Rao</u>		6 March 1952	31 October 1956		1701	

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Andhra State consisted of Kosta and Rayalaseema regions. This state was carved out of Madras state in 1953.

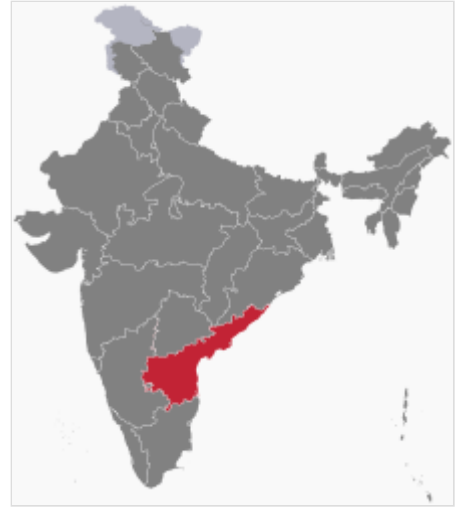
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1	<u>T. Prakasam</u>	File:Tanguturi Prakasam.jpg	1 October 1953	15 November 1954	Indian National Congress	width=4px style="background-color: Template:Indian National Congress/meta/color" 	410
–	<i>Vacant</i> ^[b] (President's rule)		15 November 1954	28 March 1955	N/A		135
2	<u>B. Gopala Reddy</u> MLA for Atmakur		28 March 1955	1 November 1956	Indian National Congress	width=4px style="background-color: Template:Indian National Congress/meta/color" 	584

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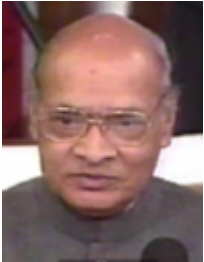
On 1 November 1956, Hyderabad State ceased to exist; its Gulbarga and Aurangabad divisions were merged into Mysore State and Bombay State respectively. Its remaining Telugu-speaking portion, Telangana, was added to Andhra State to form the new state of Combined Andhra Pradesh.,After 58 years state was Bifurcation Andhra Pradesh Reorganisation Act, 2014 June 2 2014 divided Andhra Pradesh & Telangana states .

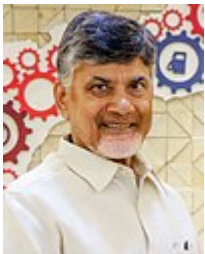





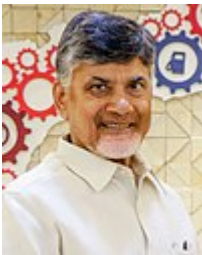
Map of India showing Combined Andhra Pradesh state after the States Reorganisation Act



Map of India highlighting Andhra Pradesh state following the secession of Telangana

No	Name	Portrait	Term of office		Party ^[a]		Days in office
1	<u>Neelam Sanjiva Reddy</u> MLA for <u>Kalahasti</u>		1 November 1956	11 January 1960	Indian National Congress	rowspan=5 width=4px style="background-color: Template:Indian National Congress/meta/color"	1167
2	<u>Damodaram Sanjivayya</u> MLA from <u>Kurnool</u>		11 January 1960	12 March 1962		790	
(1)	<u>Neelam Sanjiva Reddy</u> [2] MLA from <u>Dhone</u>		12 March 1962	20 February 1964		719	
3	<u>Kasu Brahmananda Reddy</u> MLA from <u>Narasaraopet</u>		21 February 1964	30 September 1971		2777	
4	<u>P. V. Narasimha Rao</u> MLA from <u>Manthani</u>		30 September 1971	10 January 1973		468	
–	<u>Vacant</u> ^[b] (President's rule)		11 Jan 1973	10 December 1973	N/A		335
5	<u>Jalagam Vengala Rao</u> MLA for <u>Vemsoor</u>		10 December 1973	6 March 1978	Indian National Congress	rowspan=5 width=4px style="background-color: Template:Indian National Congress/meta/color"	1547
6	<u>Marri Chenna Reddy</u> MLA from <u>Medchal</u>		6 March 1978	11 October 1980		950	
7	<u>Tanguturi Anjaiah</u> MLC, <u>Hyderabad</u>		11 October 1980	24 February 1982		501	
8	<u>Bhavanam Venkatarami Reddy</u> MLC, <u>Guntur</u>		24 February 1982	20 September 1982		208	

9	<u>Kotla Vijaya Bhaskara Reddy</u> MLA from <u>Kurnool</u>		20 September 1982	9 January 1983		111	
10	<u>N. T. Rama Rao</u> MLA from <u>Tirupati</u>		9 January 1983	16 August 1984	<u>Telugu Desam Party</u>	rowspan=3 width=4px style="background-color: <u>Template:Telugu Desam Party/meta/color</u> "	585
11	<u>Nadendla Bhaskara Rao</u> MLA from <u>Vemuru</u>		16 August 1984	16 September 1984		31	
(10)	<u>N. T. Rama Rao [2]</u> MLA from <u>Hindupur</u>		16 September 1984	2 December 1989		1903	
(6)	<u>Marri Chenna Reddy [2]</u> MLA from <u>Sanathnagar</u>		3 December 1989	17 December 1990	<u>Indian National Congress</u>	rowspan=3 width=4px style="background-color: <u>Template:Indian National Congress/meta/color</u> "	379
12	<u>N. Janardhana Reddy</u> MLA from <u>Venkatagiri</u>		17 December 1990	9 October 1992		662	
(9)	<u>Kotla Vijaya Bhaskara Reddy [2]</u> MLA from <u>Panyam</u>		9 October 1992	12 December 1994		794	
(10)	<u>N. T. Rama Rao [3]</u> MLA from <u>Hindupur</u>		12 December 1994	1 September 1995	<u>Telugu Desam Party</u>	rowspan=2 width=4px style="background-color: <u>Template:Telugu Desam Party/meta/color</u> "	263
13	<u>N. Chandrababu Naidu</u> MLA from <u>Kuppam</u>		1 September 1995	14 May 2004		3178	
14	<u>Y. S. Rajasekhara Reddy</u> MLA from <u>Pulivendla</u>		14 May 2004	2 September 2009	<u>Indian National Congress</u>	rowspan="3" width="4px" style="background-color: <u>Template:Indian National Congress/meta/color</u> " 	1938

15	<div>K. Rosaiah</div> <div>MLC, <u>Guntur</u></div>		3 September 2009	24 November 2010		448	
16	<div>N. Kiran</div> <div>Kumar Reddy</div> <div>MLA from <u>Pileru</u></div>		25 November 2010	1 March 2014		1193	
–	<div><i>Vacant</i>^[b]</div> <div>(President's rule)</div>		1 March 2014	8 June 2014	N/A		98
After Bifurcation New Andhra Pradesh							
(1)	<div>N.</div> <div>Chandrababu</div> <div>Naidu [2]</div> <div>MLA from <u>Kuppam</u></div>		8 June 2014	<i>Incumbent</i>	<div>Telugu</div> <div><u>Desam</u></div> <div><u>Party</u></div>	<div>width=4px</div> <div>style="background-</div> <div>color:</div> <div>Template:Telugu</div> <div>Desam</div> <div>Party/meta/color"]</div>	3593

Living former Chief Ministers

As of 8 April 2024, three former Chief Ministers are alive, the oldest being Konijeti Rosaiah (2009–2010, born 1933). The most recent Chief Minister to die was N. Janardhana Reddy (1990–92), on 9 May 2014.

Name	Term as Chief Minister	Date of birth
<u>Nadendla Bhaskara Rao</u>	1984	23 June 1936
<u>K. Rosaiah</u>	2009-10	4 July 1933
<u>N. Kiran Kumar Reddy</u>	2010-14	13 September 1960

See also

- List of Chief Ministers of Telangana

Notes

Footnotes

- ↑ This column only names the chief minister's party. The state government he headed may have been a complex coalition of several parties and independents; these are not listed here.

- b. President's rule may be imposed when the "government in a state is not able to function as per the Constitution", which often happens because no party or coalition has a majority in the assembly. When President's rule is in force in a state, its council of ministers stands dissolved. The office of chief minister thus lies vacant, and the administration is taken over by the governor, who functions on behalf of the central government. At times, the legislative assembly also stands dissolved.^[2]

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2. Amberish K. Diwanji. "A dummy's guide to President's rule (<http://www.rediff.co.in/news/2005/mar/15spec1.htm>)". Rediff.com. 15 March 2005.

External links

- Official Website of the Office of the Chief Minister (<https://web.archive.org/web/20111211150742/http://cm.ap.gov.in/>)
 - Andhra Pradesh State Government's Web Site (<http://www.aponline.gov.in/APPortal/index.asp>)
 - List on Worldstatesmen.org (http://www.worldstatesmen.org/India_states.html)
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