

Table 2.6
Profession-wise Distribution of Suicides during 2022
(All India)

Sl. No.	Profession	Male	Female	Transgender	Total	Percentage Share
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1	House wife	-	25309	0	25309	14.8
2	Professionals/Salaried Persons (Total)	14395	1969	0	16364	9.6
	2.1 Government Servants (Total)	1878	288	0	2166	1.3
	2.1.1 Central/UT Govt. Servants	379	35	0	414	0.2
	2.1.2 State Govt. Servants	1084	155	0	1239	0.7
	2.1.3 Other Statutory Body/etc.	415	98	0	513	0.3
	2.2 Private Sector Enterprises	10275	1211	0	11486	6.7
	2.3 Public Sector Undertaking	2242	470	0	2712	1.6
3	Students	6930	6113	1	13044	7.6
4	Unemployed Persons	13273	2501	9	15783	9.2
5	Self-employed Persons (Total)	18357	1126	1	19484	11.4
	5.1 Business (Total)	12140	703	1	12844	7.5
	5.1.1 Vendor	5557	383	0	5940	3.5
	5.1.2 Tradesmen	3581	141	0	3722	2.2
	5.1.3 Other Business	3002	179	1	3182	1.9
	5.2 Other Self-employed Persons	6217	423	0	6640	3.9
6	Persons Engaged in Farming Sector	10471	819	0	11290	6.6
	6.1 Farmers/Cultivators	4999	208	0	5207	3.0
	6.1.1 who cultivate their own land with or without assistance of agricultural labourers	4261	157	0	4418	2.6
	6.1.2 who cultivate on leased land/work on lease/on other's land (known by different nomenclature) with or without assistance of agricultural labourers	738	51	0	789	0.5
	6.2 Agricultural Labourers	5472	611	0	6083	3.6
7	Daily Wage Earner	41433	3752	9	45194	26.4
8	Retired Persons	1208	104	0	1312	0.8
9	Other Persons	16657	6479	8	23144	13.5
10	Total	122724	48172	28	170924	100.0

Note 1:-Farmer/Cultivator' is those whose profession is farming and include those who cultivate on their own land as well as those who cultivate on leased land/other's land with or without the assistance of agricultural labourers.

Note 2:-This data depicts only profession of persons who have committed suicide and has no linkage whatsoever regarding cause of suicide.

Note 3: 'Agricultural labourer' person who primarily work in farming sector (agriculture/horticulture) whose main source of income is from agriculture labour activities. Figures of Daily Wage Earner excludes Agricultural labourer.

Note 4: 'Persons Engaged in Farming Sector' is placed separately after re-classification of 'Self-employed Persons'. Hence data on 'Self-employed Persons' exclude the figures of 'Farmers/Cultivators'

- As per data provided by States/UTs.