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## Sub: 3.81 crore passengers have travelled in Chennai Metro Rail from 29<sup>th</sup> June 2015 to 14<sup>th</sup> May 2019 - Reg

**CMRL** commenced its Metro Train operations from 29<sup>th</sup> June 2015 and has become the lifeline for the people of Chennai. Come rain or shine, CMRL has always endeavored to provide the people of Chennai a safe, efficient and a reliable travel partner for its loyal commuters.

As part of providing world class infrastructure facilities to the people of Chennai, CMRL has come up with several efficient and sustainable initiatives to increase the patronage such as citing availability of parking space at Metro Stations and launching many last mile connectivity measures like Share Auto, Share Taxi services which are presently available at few metro stations will soon have at all 32 Metro stations.

An incremental increase in the ridership was witnessed by CMRL since the commencement of Metro Train operations.

So far a total of **3, 81, 03,799** passengers have travelled in Chennai Metro Between 29th June 2015 and 14<sup>th</sup> May 2019

The ridership details between 29<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2015 and 14<sup>th</sup> MAY 2019 are as follows:

JUNE 2015-DEC 2015	26,33,890
JAN 2016-DEC 2016	36,30,216
JAN 2017-DEC 2017	73,99,282
JAN 2018-DEC 2018	1,43,88,969
JAN 2019- 14 <sup>th</sup> MAY 2019	1,00,51,442
TOTAL	3,81,03,799

The ridership has touched to a mark of 1, 02,790 passengers on 26<sup>th</sup> April 2019. And a total of 92,917 passengers have travelled on 6<sup>th</sup> May 2019 and 95,119 passengers have travelled on 10<sup>th</sup> May 2019.

The ridership details from 1<sup>st</sup> JAN 2019 to 14<sup>th</sup> MAY 2019 are as follows:

JANUARY 2019	17,36,744
FEBRUARY 2019	23,61,287
MARCH 2019	23,88,319
APRIL 2019	24,30,713
1 <sup>ST</sup> to 14 <sup>th</sup> MAY 2019	11,34,379
TOTAL	1,00,51,442

CMRL wishes to thank all its passengers overwhelmingly welcoming and adopting Chennai Metro as a lifeline in public transport and also for cooperating in maintaining the Metro trains and stations clean and would expect the same continued support in future.

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