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ISRO GENERATES GEOSPATIAL DATA FOR 232 TOWNS

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NEW DELHI: The Indian Space Research Organisation (Isro) has generated geospatial database for over 230 towns across the country as part of the government's Atal Mission for Rejivenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT) to help urban planners develop infrastructure projects in the coming years.

A senior official of Isro sald. The original plan was to generate data for 500 towns and out of this we have managed to submit database for 232 towns. The information generated by our satellites will help the government agencies plan dedicated infrastructure projects for these towns. This will include improving roads, railway and inland routes along with developing our local infrastructure, "the official said.

Isro officials said this project has multiple agencies that will be partnering with the Union ministry of housing and urban affairs (MoHUA).