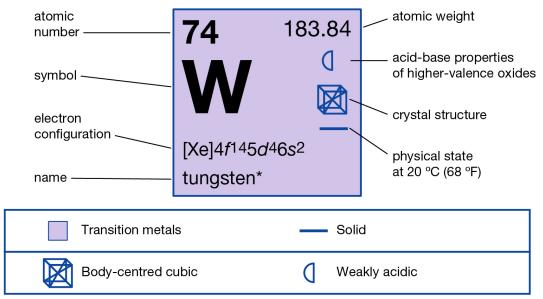


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Tungsten in Rajasthan

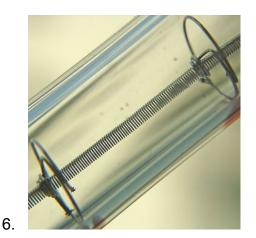
Tungsten*



*Also called wolfram.

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- 2. Tungsten is a greyish-white lustrous metal, which is a solid at room temperature.
- 3. Use: filaments in light bulbs.
- 4. Tungsten is a metal of strategic importance.
- 5. The chief source of Tungsten are wolframite [(Fe,Mn,)WO4], and scheelite (CaWO4).





7. Deposits (Rajasthan)

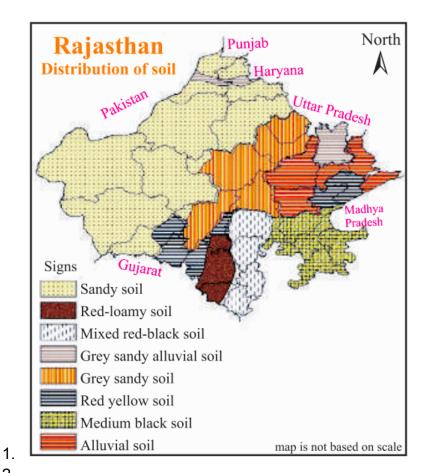
- a. The State has about 23.92 million tonnes of tungsten ore which is about 27% of total country's resources.
- b. Important deposits occur near Degana, district Nagaur & near Balda and Uduwaria, district Sirohi.
- c. **Degana & Balda** were the only operative mines producing meager quantities of concentrate. However, owing to economic non viability they have been closed down.

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Deposits	District
Degana	Nagaur
Balda Khera-Uparla, Dewa-Ka-Bera	Sirohi



Soil in Rajasthan



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3. Red-Yellow Soil

- a. The soil is found in the western parts of Sawai Madhopur, Sirohi, Rajsamand, Udaipur and Bhilwara districts.
- b. Characteristics
 - i. This soil is suitable for groundnut and cotton cultivation.
 - ii. This soil lacks fertile elements.
 - iii. It is made up of the disintegrated materials of granite, schist and gneiss rocks.
 - iv. It lacks calcium and nitrogen.
 - ٧. Red and yellow colour of this soil is due to its iron content.

4. Laterite Soil

a. It is found in **Dungarpur**, central and southern part of Udaipur and southern Rajsamand districts.



- b. This soil is composed of the disintegrated materials of old crystalline and metamorphic rocks.
- c. Characteristics
 - i. It lacks nitrogen, phosphorus, humus content etc.
 - ii. The colour of this soil is red due to the presence of iron content.
 - iii. Maize, rice and sugarcane are cultivated in this soil.

5. Mixed Red and Black Soil

- a. It is found in Banswara, eastern Udaipur, Dungarpur, Chittorgarh and Bhilwara districts.
- b. Characteristics
 - It lacks calcium, nitrogen and phosphorus but contains sufficient potash.
 - ii. It has a larger proportion of clay.
 - iii. Cotton, sugarcane, maize etc. are cultivated in this fertile soil.

Cryptocurrency

- 1. Cryptocurrency is a digital currency that is implemented using BlockChain Technology.
- 2. RBI banned it 2 years before but the Supreme Court overruled the RBI order and directed the Government and RBI to make sound policy for the Cryptocurrency.





Important Governors of Rajasthan

- 1. 1st governor of Rajasthan:
 - a. Gurumukh Nihal Singh (1/11/1956-15/4/1962)
- 2. Women Governors of Rajasthan:
 - a. Pratibha Patil (2004-07)
 - i. Resignation
 - b. Prabha Rao (2007-10)
 - i. Died
 - c. Margrett Alva (2012-2014)
- 3. Present Governor of Rajasthan:
 - a. Kalraj Mishra(9/9/2019- continue)
 - i. Previous Post:
 - 1. Governor of Himachal Pradesh(2019)
 - 2. Member of Lok Sabha(2014-19)
 - ii. Book: Judicial accountability



Rajya Sabha Members from Rajasthan

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S.No.	Name	Party	Term
1.	Sh. Omprakash Mathur	ВЈР	05.07.2016 - 04.07.2022
2.	Sh. K.J. Alphons	ВЈР	10.11.2017 - 04.07.2022
3.	Sh. Ramkumar Verma	ВЈР	05.07.2016 - 04.07.2022
4.	Sh. Harshvardhan Singh Dungarpur	ВЈР	05.07.2016 - 04.07.2022
5.	Dr. Kirodi Lal	ВЈР	04.04.2018 - 03.04.2024
6.	Sh. Manmohan Singh	INC	19.08.2019 - 03.04.2024
7.	Sh. Bhupender Yadav	ВЈР	04.04.2018 - 03.04.2024
8.	Sh. Neeraj Dangi	INC	22.06.2020 - 21.06.2026
9.	Sh. Rajendra Gehlot	ВЈР	22.06.2020 - 21.06.2026
10.	Sh. K.C. Venugopal	INC	22.06.2020 - 21.06.2026

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Qualification For the Judge of High Court

Qualification:

- 1. He should be a citizen of India
- 2. He should have held a judicial office in the territory of india for 10 years;
 - a. Or
 - i. He should have been an advocate of the High court(or HC in succession) for 10 years.



3. The Constitution has not prescribed a minimum age for appointment as a judge of HC.