

Vote counting in progress in Nagaland



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Amid an unprecedented security measures counting of votes begins in [Nagaland](#) on Saturday morning simultaneously along with [Tripura](#) and [Meghalaya](#).

Counting officials have unsealed the electronic voting machines at 8 in the morning in presence of the candidates and observers where the counting is in progress at 349 tables in 17 centres and the initial [trends](#) are available by 9.30 in the morning.

Altogether 227 candidates are contesting the election for 59 seats while NDPP [leader](#) and chief ministerial candidate Neiphu Rio has been declared uncontested in the 60 member assembly. The newly floated party has fielded 40 candidates leaving 20 to its partner BJP.

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