

## 20.6. Number and Percentage of Population Below Poverty Line By States- 2004-05

( Based on MRP - Consumption)

States / Uts	Rural			Urban			Combined	
	No. of Persons (Lakh)	% of Persons	Poverty Line (Rs.per capita per month)	No. of Persons (Lakh)	% of Persons	Poverty Line (Rs.per capita per month)	No. of Persons	% of Persons
Andhra Pradesh	43.21	7.5	292.95	45.50	20.7	542.89	88.71	11.1
Arunachal Pradesh	1.47	17.0	N.A.	0.07	2.4	N.A.	1.54	13.4
Assam	41.46	17.0	387.64	0.93	2.4	378.84	42.39	15
Bihar	262.92	32.9	354.36	27.09	28.9	435	290.01	32.5
Chhattisgarh	54.72	31.2	322.41	16.39	34.7	560	71.11	32
Delhi	0.01	0.1	410.38	15.83	10.8	612.91	15.83	10.2
Goa	0.13	1.9	362.25	1.62	20.9	665.9	1.74	12
Gujarat	46.25	13.9	353.93	21.18	10.1	541.16	67.43	12.5
Haryana	14.57	9.2	414.76	7.99	11.3	504.49	22.56	9.9
Himachal Pradesh	4.10	7.2	394.28	0.17	2.6	504.49	4.27	6.7
Jammu & Kashmir	2.20	2.7	391.26	2.34	8.5	553.77	4.54	4.2
Jharkhand	89.76	40.2	366.56	10.63	16.3	451.24	100.39	34.8
Karnataka	43.33	12.0	324.17	53.28	27.2	599.66	96.60	17.4
Kerala	23.59	9.6	430.12	13.92	16.4	559.39	37.51	11.4
Madhya Pradesh	141.99	29.8	327.78	68.97	13.3	570.15	210.97	32.4
Maharashtra	128.43	22.2	362.25	131.40	29	665.9	259.83	25.2
Manipur	2.86	17.0	N.A.	0.14	2.4	N.A.	3.00	13.2
Meghalaya	3.32	17.0	N.A.	0.12	2.4	N.A.	3.43	14.1
Mizoram	0.78	17.0	N.A.	0.11	2.4	N.A.	0.89	9.5
Nagaland	2.94	17.0	N.A.	0.09	2.4	N.A.	3.03	14.5
Orissa	129.29	39.8	325.79	24.30	40.3	528.49	153.59	39.9
Punjab	9.78	5.9	410.38	3.52	3.8	466.16	13.30	5.2
Rajasthan	66.69	14.3	374.57	40.50	28.1	559.63	107.18	17.5
Sikkim	0.85	17.0	N.A.	0.02	2.4	N.A.	0.87	15.2
Tamil Nadu	56.51	16.9	351.86	58.59	18.8	547.42	115.10	17.8
Tripura	4.70	17.0	N.A.	0.14	2.4	N.A.	4.85	14.4
Uttar Pradesh	357.68	25.3	365.84	100.47	26.3	483.26	458.15	25.5
Uttarakhand	21.11	31.7	478.02	7.75	32	637.67	28.86	31.8
West Bengal	146.59	24.2	382.82	26.64	11.2	449.32	173.23	20.6
A & N Islands.	0.44	16.9	N.A.	0.27	18.8	N.A.	0.71	17.6
Chandigarh	0.04	3.8	N.A.	0.36	3.8	N.A.	0.40	3.8
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0.62	36.0	362.25	0.16	19.2	665.9	0.77	30.6
Daman & Diu	0.03	1.9	N.A.	0.14	20.8	N.A.	0.16	8
Lakshadweep	0.04	9.6	N.A.	0.05	16.4	N.A.	0.09	12.3
Pondicherry	0.58	16.9	N.A.	1.34	18.8	N.A.	1.92	18.2
<b>All India</b>	<b>1702.99</b>	<b>21.8</b>	<b>356.3</b>	<b>682.02</b>	<b>21.7</b>	<b>538.6</b>	<b>2385.01</b>	<b>21.8</b>

Note:i. 1.Poverty Ratio of Assam is used for Sikkim, Arunachal Pradesh, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Manipur,

Nagaland and Tripura.

2.Poverty Ratio of Tamil Nadu is used for Pondicherry and Andaman & Nicobar Islands.

3.Poverty Ratio of Kerala is used for Lakshadweep.

4.Poverty Ratio of Goa is used for Dadra & Nagar haveli, Daman and Diu.

5.Urban Poverty Ratio of Punjab is used for both rural and urban poverty of Chandigarh.

6.Poverty Line of Maharashtra and expenditure distribution of Goa is used to estimate poverty ratio of Goa

7.Poverty line is in Rupees per capita per month, 1 lakh is equivalent to 1000,000.

Note:ii. The percentage and number of poor in 2004-05 estimated from MRP consumption distribution of NSS 61st Round of consumer expenditure data are comparable with the poverty estimates of 1999-2000.

Source: Planning Commission, Government of India.