Chapter 1

POPULATION

Population and related Statistics

This chapter presents the important statistics on population characteristics from a gender perspective. The rural urban classification has also been included here. This chapter contains the following tables:

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Some important findings

Population

- As per Census 2011, India's population was 121.06 Cr and the females constituted 48.5% of it. The average annual growth rate in population has declined from 1.95 in 2001 to 1.63 in 2011. Similar pattern is observed for females (1.99 -2001, 1.68 -2011) and for males (1.92 -2001, 1.58 -2011)

Sex ratio

- In 2011, the sex ratio (number of females per 1000 males) at all India level was 943 and the same for rural and urban areas are 949 and 929 respectively.
- The sex ratio for 0-19 age group was 908 while that of 60+ age group was 1033. The sex ratio in the economically active age group (15-59 years) was 944.
- The sex ratio was highest in Kerala (1084) followed by Puducherry (1037) and lowest in Daman & Diu (618) followed by Dadar & Nagar Haveli (774) and then Chandigarh (818).
- Over the last 60 years (Post Independence) considerable improvement in sex ratio was observed in Andaman & Nicobar Islands (40.16%), Delhi (13.02%), Assam (10.34%) and West Bengal (9.82%). However, the situation has worsened in the major States of Bihar (-8.21%) and Odisha (-4.23).

Mean age at Marriage

- The SRS 2014 showed that, the women's mean age at marriage at all India level was 22.3 years and the same in rural and urban areas are 21.8 years and 23.2 years respectively.
- The women's mean age at marriage has shown an increasing trend in all the major States and in 2014, the women's mean age at marriage was highest in Jammu & Kashmir (25.2 years) and lowest in Jharkhand (21 years).

Female headed households

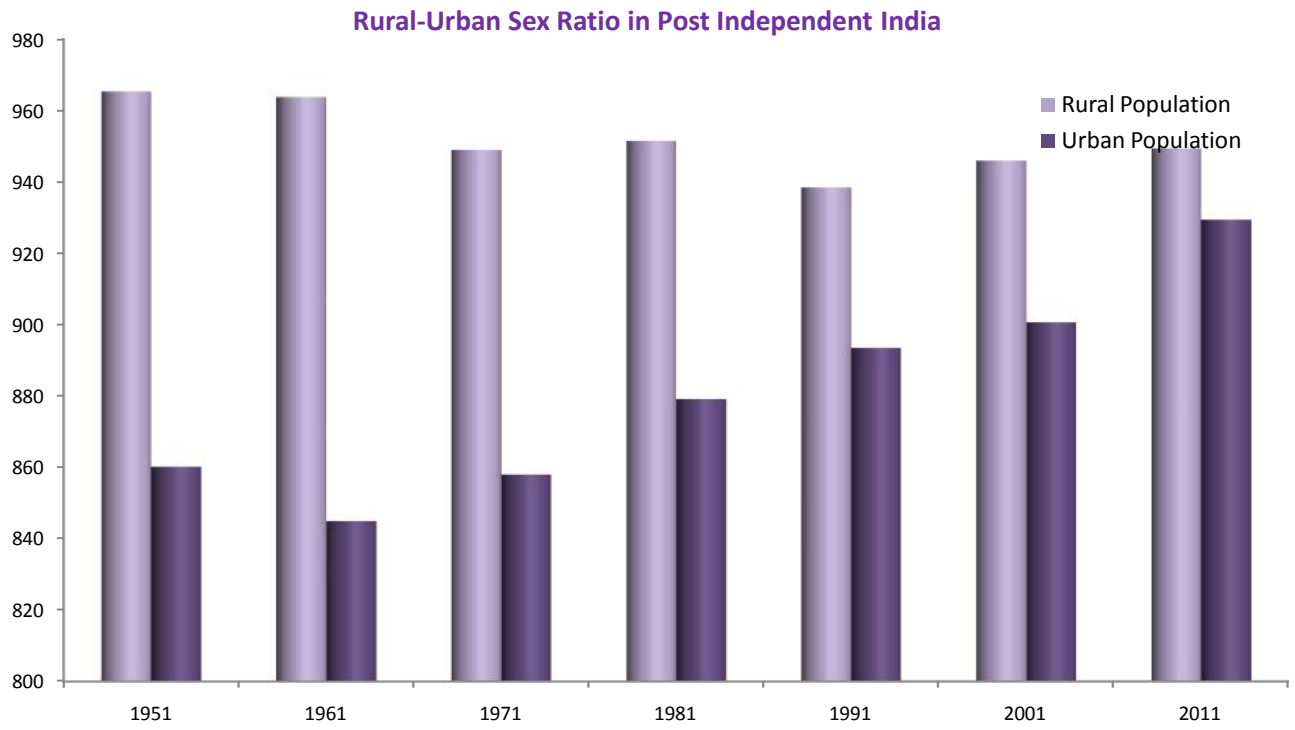
- In 2011-12, 11.5% households in rural areas and 12.4 households in urban areas are female headed households as compared to 9.7% and 10.6% respectively in 1993-94 as per National Sample Survey.

1.1 : Trend in Population, Sex Ratio and Average Annual Growth Rate of Population of Post Indepenedent India

(Population In Millions)

Year	Rural Population			Sex Ratio	Urban Population			Sex Ratio	Total Population			Sex Ratio	Average Annual Growth Rate		
	Female	Male	Person		Female	Male	Person		Female	Male	Person		Female	Male	Person
1951	146.66	151.98	298.64	965	28.87	33.57	62.44	860	175.54	185.55	361.09	946	1.26	1.24	1.25
1961	176.79	183.51	360.30	963	36.15	42.79	78.94	845	212.94	226.29	439.23	941	1.93	1.98	1.96
1971	213.73	225.32	439.05	949	50.38	58.73	109.11	858	264.11	284.05	548.16	930	2.15	2.27	2.22
1981	255.37	268.50	523.87	951	74.59	84.87	159.46	879	329.96	353.37	683.33	934	2.23	2.18	2.20
1991	304.41	324.45	628.86	938	102.65	114.91	217.56	893	407.06	439.36	846.42	926	2.10	2.18	2.14
2001	360.95	381.67	742.62	946	135.57	150.55	286.12	900	496.45	532.16	1028.61	933	1.99	1.92	1.95
2011	405.83	427.63	833.46	949	181.62	195.49	377.11	929	587.45	623.12	1210.57	943	1.68	1.58	1.63

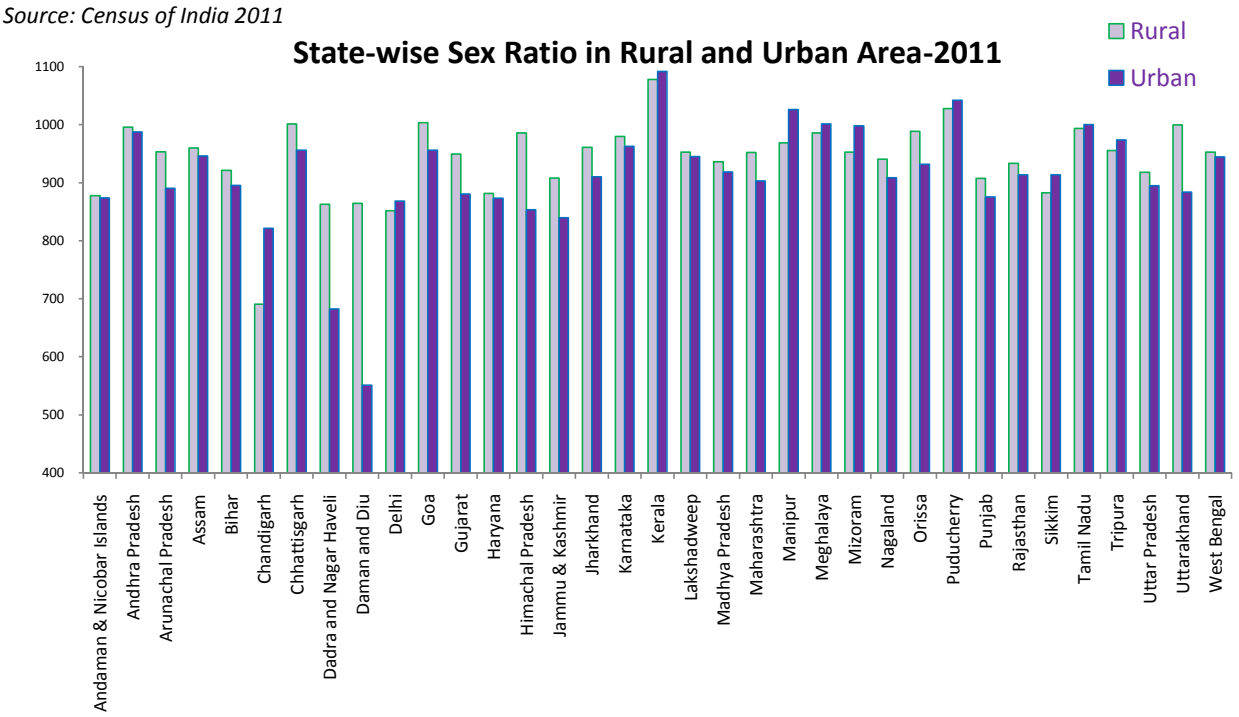
Source: Office of the Registrar General, India.
Notes:
Sex ratios have been calculated as the proportion of females to 1000 males.
Average Annual Growth Rate has been calculated using the formula 1/10 Ln(This year population / Population as reported in the last decade)*
2001 population exclude the estimated population of Paomata, Mao Maran and Purul sub-divisions of Senapati district of Manipur.
The population is as on 1st March of the year.



1.2 : State-wise Percent Share of Female Population in Total Population and Sex Ratio- 2011

State/Union Territory	% Share of Women			Sex Ratio		
	Rural	Urban	Total	Rural	Urban	Total
Andaman & Nicobar Islands	46.74	46.63	46.69	877	874	876
Andhra Pradesh	49.89	49.68	49.82	996	987	993
Arunachal Pradesh	48.80	47.10	48.41	953	890	938
Assam	48.97	48.61	48.92	960	946	958
Bihar	47.94	47.23	47.86	921	895	918
Chandigarh	40.84	45.10	44.98	690	822	818
Chhattisgarh	50.03	48.87	49.76	1001	956	991
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	46.31	40.56	43.63	863	682	774
Daman and Diu	46.36	35.52	38.21	864	551	618
Delhi	45.99	46.48	46.47	852	868	868
Goa	50.08	48.86	49.32	1003	956	973
Gujarat	48.70	46.82	47.90	949	880	919
Haryana	46.85	46.61	46.77	882	873	879
Himachal Pradesh	49.64	46.04	49.28	986	853	972
Jammu & Kashmir	47.58	45.64	47.05	908	840	889
Jharkhand	49.01	47.64	48.68	961	910	948
Karnataka	49.48	49.05	49.31	979	963	973
Kerala	51.87	52.18	52.02	1078	1091	1084
Lakshadweep	48.78	48.58	48.63	952	945	946
Madhya Pradesh	48.34	47.87	48.21	936	918	931
Maharashtra	48.76	47.45	48.17	952	903	929
Manipur	49.21	50.64	49.63	969	1026	985
Meghalaya	49.64	50.03	49.72	986	1001	989
Mizoram	48.78	49.94	49.39	952	998	976
Nagaland	48.46	47.60	48.21	940	908	931
Orissa	49.71	48.23	49.46	989	932	979
Puducherry	50.68	51.03	50.92	1028	1042	1037
Punjab	47.57	46.67	47.23	907	875	895
Rajasthan	48.27	47.74	48.14	933	914	928
Sikkim	46.87	47.73	47.09	882	913	890
Tamil Nadu	49.83	50.00	49.91	993	1000	996
Tripura	48.86	49.33	48.98	955	973	960
Uttar Pradesh	47.85	47.21	47.71	918	894	912
Uttarakhand	49.99	46.92	49.06	1000	884	963
West Bengal	48.79	48.56	48.72	953	944	950
India	**48.69**	**48.16**	**48.53**	**949**	**929**	**943**

Source: Census of India 2011



1.3 : Year-wise State-wise Sex Ratio in post Independent India

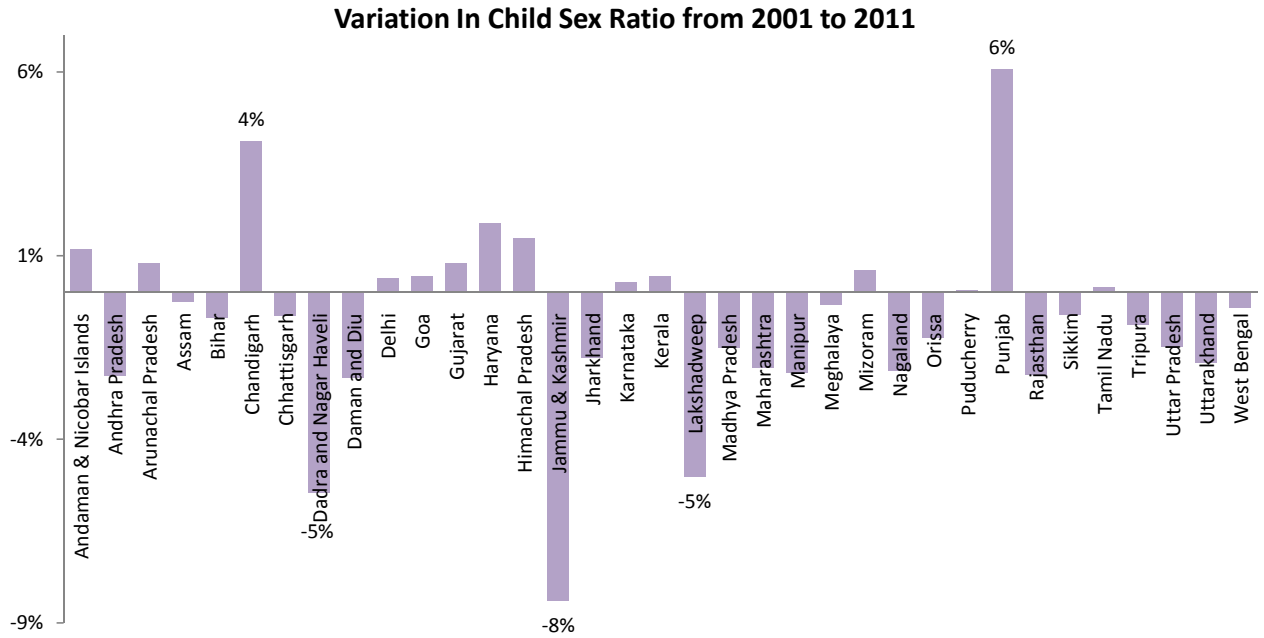
State/ Union Territory	1951	1961	1971	1981	1991	2001	2011	% Improvement over last 60 years
Andaman & Nicobar Islands	625	617	644	760	818	846	876	40.16
Andhra Pradesh	986	981	977	975	972	978	993	0.69
Arunachal Pradesh	NA	894	861	862	859	893	938	4.95
Assam	868	869	896	910	923	935	958	10.34
Bihar	1000	1005	957	948	907	919	918	-8.21
Chandigarh	781	652	749	769	790	777	818	4.69
Chhattisgarh	1024	1008	998	996	985	989	991	-3.26
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	946	963	1007	974	952	812	774	-18.19
Daman & Diu	1125	1169	1099	1062	969	710	618	-45.03
Delhi	768	785	801	808	827	821	868	13.02
Goa	1128	1066	981	975	967	961	973	-13.71
Gujarat	952	940	934	942	934	920	919	-3.44
Haryana	871	868	867	870	865	861	879	0.87
Himachal Pradesh	912	938	958	973	976	968	972	6.53
Jammu & Kashmir	873	878	878	892	896	892	889	1.78
Jharkhand	961	960	945	940	922	941	948	-1.30
Karnataka	966	959	957	963	960	965	973	0.72
Kerala	1028	1022	1016	1032	1036	1058	1084	5.48
Lakshadweep	1043	1020	978	975	943	948	946	-9.25
Madhya Pradesh	945	932	920	921	912	919	931	-1.49
Maharashtra	941	936	930	937	934	922	929	-1.23
Manipur	1036	1015	980	971	958	974	992	-4.22
Meghalaya	949	937	942	954	955	972	989	4.19
Mizoram	1041	1009	946	919	921	935	976	-6.27
Nagaland	999	933	871	863	886	900	931	-6.82
Odisha	1022	1001	988	981	971	972	979	-4.23
Puducherry	1030	1013	989	985	979	1001	1037	0.72
Punjab	844	854	865	879	882	876	895	6.06
Rajasthan	921	908	911	919	910	921	928	0.78
Sikkim	907	904	863	835	878	875	890	-1.88
Tamil Nadu	1007	992	978	977	974	987	996	-1.05
Tripura	904	932	943	946	945	948	960	6.20
Uttar Pradesh	908	907	876	882	876	898	912	0.49
Uttarakhand	940	947	940	936	936	962	963	2.46
West Bengal	865	878	891	911	917	934	950	9.82
India	**946**	**941**	**930**	**934**	**927**	**933**	**943**	**-0.32**

Source: Office of the Registrar General, India.

1.4 : Sex ratio in the Age-Group 0-6 Years by Residence : 2011

State/Union Territory	2001			2011		
	Rural	Urban	Total	Rural	Urban	Total
Andaman & Nicobar Islands	966	936	957	976	954	968
Andhra Pradesh	963	955	961	941	935	939
Arunachal Pradesh	960	980	964	975	957	972
Assam	967	943	965	964	944	962
Bihar	944	924	942	938	912	935
Chandigarh	847	845	845	871	880	880
Chhattisgarh	982	938	975	977	937	969
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	1003	888	979	970	872	926
Daman and Diu	916	943	926	932	894	904
Delhi	850	870	868	814	873	871
Goa	952	924	938	945	940	942
Gujarat	906	837	883	914	852	890
Haryana	823	808	819	835	832	834
Himachal Pradesh	900	844	896	912	881	909
Jammu & Kashmir	957	873	941	865	850	862
Jharkhand	973	930	965	957	908	948
Karnataka	949	940	946	950	946	948
Kerala	961	958	960	965	963	964
Lakshadweep	999	900	959	911	911	911
Madhya Pradesh	939	907	932	923	901	918
Maharashtra	916	908	913	890	899	894
Manipur	956	961	957	931	949	936
Meghalaya	973	969	973	972	954	970
Mizoram	965	963	964	966	974	970
Nagaland	969	939	964	933	973	943
Orissa	955	933	953	946	913	941
Puducherry	967	967	967	953	975	967
Punjab	799	796	798	844	852	846
Rajasthan	914	887	909	892	874	888
Sikkim	966	922	963	964	934	957
Tamil Nadu	933	955	942	936	952	943
Tripura	968	948	966	960	947	957
Uttar Pradesh	921	890	916	906	885	902
Uttarakhand	918	872	908	899	868	890
West Bengal	963	948	960	959	947	956
India	**906**	919	**934**	**923**	**905**	**918**

Source : Census 2001 and Census 2011



1.5 : State-wise sex ratio in various age-groups in India - 2011

State/Union Territory	Early Childhood (0-6)	Childhood (0-19)	Economically Active (15-59)	Old Age (60+)
Andaman & Nicobar Islands	968	948	856	792
Andhra Pradesh	939	940	995	1119
Arunachal Pradesh	972	978	918	917
Assam	962	951	956	971
Bihar	935	897	921	877
Chandigarh	880	807	800	926
Chhattisgarh	969	971	981	1159
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	926	846	694	1185
Daman and Diu	904	716	522	1331
Delhi	871	842	861	989
Goa	942	927	951	1200
Gujarat	890	876	914	1132
Haryana	834	817	888	1015
Himachal Pradesh	909	900	988	1062
Jammu & Kashmir	862	892	891	912
Jharkhand	948	931	943	994
Karnataka	948	938	966	1108
Kerala	964	963	1106	1226
Lakshadweep	911	995	928	971
Madhya Pradesh	918	912	918	1063
Maharashtra	894	887	918	1114
Manipur	930	952	1006	1004
Meghalaya	970	975	994	1075
Mizoram	970	969	978	998
Nagaland	943	937	935	875
Odisha	941	966	986	998
Puducherry	967	962	1037	1255
Punjab	846	811	914	985
Rajasthan	888	888	930	1102
Sikkim	957	968	868	813
Tamil Nadu	943	941	1008	1051
Tripura	957	962	952	1040
Uttar Pradesh	902	891	922	921
Uttarakhand	890	898	991	1039
West Bengal	956	949	940	1010
India	**918**	**908**	**944**	**1033**

Source : Census 2011

1.6 : Sex Ratio of Adolescent, Youth & Reproductive Age group in India - 2011

States/UTs	Adolescent (10-19 years)			Youth (15-24 years)			Reproductive Age (15-44)		
	Total	Rural	Urban	Total	Rural	Urban	Total	Rural	Urban
Andaman & Nicobar	934	946	914	906	924	879	877	874	882
Andhra Pradesh	939	926	965	966	933	1032	991	983	1006
Arunachal Pradesh	983	971	1023	988	981	1007	950	966	906
Assam	938	937	949	985	984	994	977	975	987
Bihar	854	852	874	846	845	850	916	919	894
Chandigarh	756	653	759	749	573	755	798	615	804
Chhattisgarh	972	981	941	986	991	969	987	995	964
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	775	852	669	627	717	536	672	760	598
Daman & Diu	584	838	497	406	735	338	491	774	429
Delhi	821	791	822	829	822	829	864	865	864
Goa	914	941	898	872	924	843	937	963	922
Gujarat	869	908	813	881	925	827	907	936	873
Haryana	805	815	785	834	836	830	881	878	886
Himachal Pradesh	896	908	791	945	962	805	987	1004	862
Jammu & Kashmir	914	922	888	928	947	877	891	926	814
Jharkhand	910	910	910	918	919	915	943	952	920
Karnataka	928	915	952	931	905	973	964	965	963
Kerala	963	964	963	1008	999	1019	1118	1105	1131
Lakshdweep	1053	1230	1008	948	1014	931	933	946	929
Madhya Pradesh	902	910	880	881	878	888	918	916	921
Maharashtra	878	883	872	879	886	872	914	934	892
Manipur	966	954	998	1002	988	1042	1012	995	1054
Meghalaya	979	971	1011	1011	1012	1011	1003	1003	1005
Mizoram	969	941	996	993	973	1010	983	959	1004
Nagaland	935	927	954	957	954	964	957	972	923
Odisha	981	990	935	1006	1018	949	998	1007	959
Puducherry	960	961	959	1040	1035	1042	1054	1036	1062
Punjab	791	800	775	843	861	813	909	930	876
Rajasthan	886	891	872	891	889	896	927	928	925
Sikkim	970	960	1003	941	926	990	883	866	929
Tamil Nadu	937	919	958	984	953	1019	1014	1004	1025
Tripura	965	962	974	1003	1000	1013	966	956	993
Uttar Pradesh	882	885	873	871	874	861	918	924	901
Uttarakhand	904	935	831	952	1003	847	988	1035	898
West Bengal	942	941	945	952	944	972	960	956	969
INDIA	**898**	**901**	**892**	**908**	**907**	**910**	**945**	**949**	**935**

Source: Census 2011

1.7 Religion wise Sex Ratio among major States/UTs - Census 2011

State/Religion	Hindu	Muslim	Christian	Sikh	Buddha	Jain	Total
Andhra Pradesh	993	978	1059	869	950	960	993
Assam	958	955	985	750	958	916	958
Bihar	913	941	955	909	887	941	918
Chandigarh	803	721	954	940	956	966	818
Chhattisgarh	990	952	1029	906	1016	947	991
Delhi	865	855	1045	938	921	942	868
Gujarat	916	944	979	816	879	966	919
Haryana	876	895	924	903	833	923	879
Himachal Pradesh	975	856	848	925	955	910	972
Jammu & Kashmir	795	935	655	767	995	901	889
Jharkhand	935	943	1027	870	717	929	948
Karnataka	972	969	1050	803	740	952	973
Kerala	1077	1125	1051	755	946	1018	1084
Madhya Pradesh	929	945	1026	885	967	942	931
Maharashtra	928	911	1031	891	970	964	929
Odisha	977	956	1035	902	920	928	979
Punjab	879	862	913	906	935	912	895
Rajasthan	926	946	973	900	909	958	928
Tamil Nadu	992	1015	1035	805	872	957	996
Uttar Pradesh	907	937	950	885	920	921	912
Uttarakhand	976	901	944	912	675	934	963
West Bengal	948	951	1020	859	1001	958	950
INDIA	**939**	**951**	**1023**	**903**	**965**	**954**	**943**

Source : Census 2011

1.8 : Sex Ratio at Birth based on Civil Registration System

State/Union Territory	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Andaman & Nicobar Islands	949	961	973	934	954	934	947	1031
Andhra Pradesh	974	986	985	983	983	985	954	955
Arunachal Pradesh	854	875	806	792	897	819	978	993
Assam	834	853	931	1244	920	872	909	902
Bihar	n.a.	NA	715	323	NA	NA	924	868
Chandigarh	860	872	867	878	835	887	904	870
Chhattisgarh	919	886	924	906	915	895	925	934
Dadra & Nagar Havelli	917	946	928	905	960	954	876	890
Daman & Diu	908	916	934	912	857	886	961	916
Delhi	848	1004	915	901	893	886	895	896
Goa	947	931	921	908	934	929	946	947
Gujarat	879	883	905	902	901	902	901	886
Haryana	860	854	853	838	833	832	840	843
Himachal Pradesh	903	904	922	911	918	916	906	896
Jammu & Kashmir	922	906	918	917	913	NA	923	914
Jharkhand	865	878	864	865	NA	847	885	886
Karnataka	1004	1047	1011	1025	983	971	943	926
Kerala	944	952	942	939	939	955	942	948
Lakshadweep	911	934	866	1015	897	NA	969	1043
Madhya Pradesh	905	913	938	922	897	912	904	908
Maharashtra	n.a.	870	868	854	861	894	901	911
Manipur	913	950	934	770	816	797	700	684
Meghalaya	864	959	948	912	942	947	978	968
Mizoram	938	942	949	948	972	968	954	963
Nagaland	823	802	883	871	873	873	873	860
Odisha	919	935	925	911	902	896	886	880
Puducherry	950	923	927	917	912	909	910	911
Punjab	820	820	822	824	852	844	876	880
Rajasthan	832	785	861	839	911	861	859	799
Sikkim	981	951	955	961	947	974	956	968
Tamil Nadu	935	928	933	935	905	904	853	834
Telangana	n.a.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	954	961
Tripura	n.a.	NA	NA	996	982	980	1055	882
Uttar Pradesh	n.a.	NA	NA	NA	NA	930	883	881
Uttarakhand	869	860	855	858	869	847	843	865
West Bengal	918	914	929	931	924	926	913	897
India	**903**	**904**	**898**	**857**	**909**	**908**	**898**	**887**

NA : Not Available

Source : Civil Registration System, O/o Registrar General of India

1.9 Sex ratio at birth (female per 1000 male) for bigger States Based on SRS

States	Total		Rural		Urban	
	2011-13	2012-14	2011-13	2012-14	2011-13	2012-14
Andhra Pradesh*	916	919	912	917	928	925
Assam	920	918	922	919	906	908
Bihar	911	907	912	909	894	889
Chhattisgarh	970	973	977	982	927	921
Delhi	887	876	894	899	886	873
Gujarat	911	907	925	917	884	890
Haryana	864	866	867	869	855	859
Himachal Pradesh	943	938	946	940	902	901
Jammu & Kashmir	902	899	903	899	894	897
Jharkhand	913	910	923	918	854	867
Karnataka	958	950	966	957	942	936
Kerala	966	974	961	970	983	985
Madhya Pradesh	920	927	918	925	929	934
Maharashtra	902	896	892	888	916	908
Odisha	956	953	960	957	928	922
Punjab	867	870	861	863	878	881
Rajasthan	893	893	898	896	874	880
Tamil Nadu	927	921	932	923	921	918
Uttar Pradesh	878	869	877	866	887	882
Uttarakhand		871		879		848
West Bengal	943	952	939	949	962	964
India	**909**	**906**	**910**	**907**	**906**	**905**

* Andhra Pradesh includes Telangana

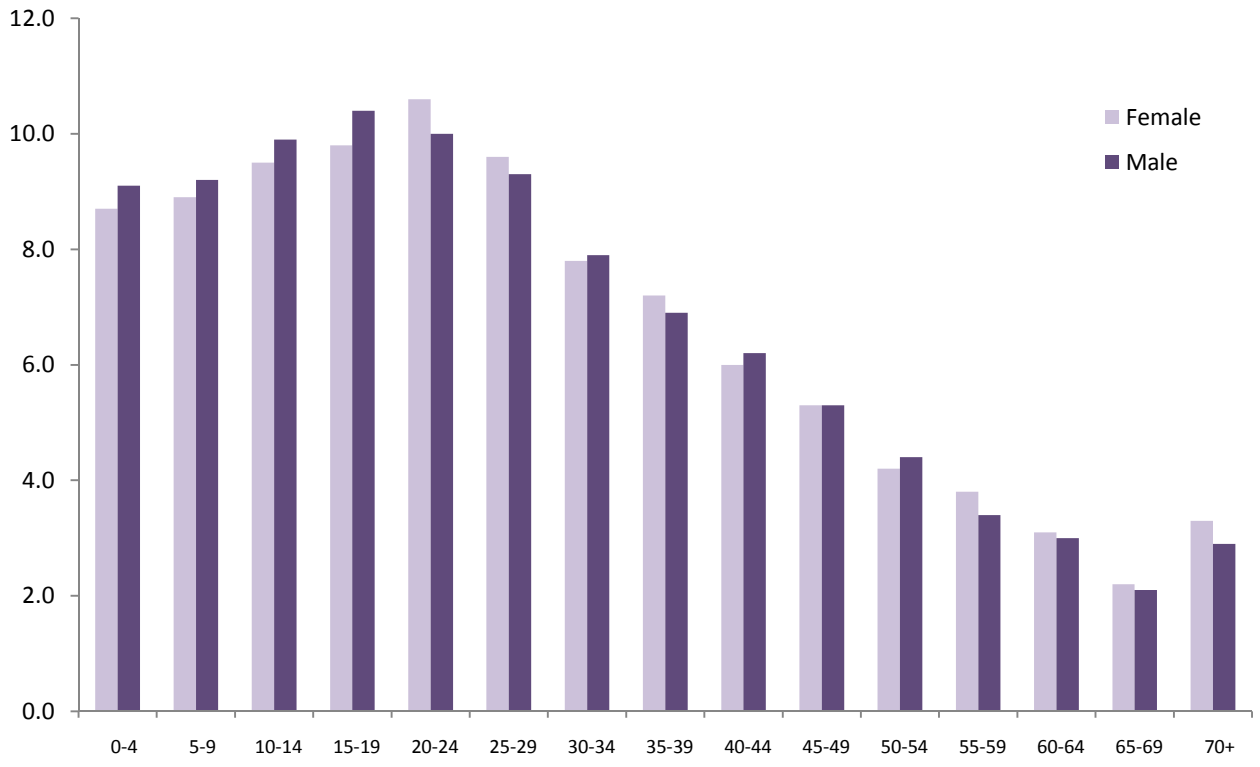
Source : Sample Registration System, O/o Registrar General of India

1.10 : Percentage Distribution of Population by Age-group and Sex

Age-Group	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
0-4	9.8	10.2	9.5	9.9	9.4	9.9	9.2	9.7	8.7	9.1
5-9	9.8	10.2	9.0	9.4	8.9	9.3	9.0	9.3	8.9	9.2
10-14	10.7	11.1	10.3	10.7	10.1	10.6	9.5	10.0	9.5	9.9
15-19	9.7	10.4	9.8	10.7	9.6	10.3	9.7	10.5	9.8	10.4
20-24	10.3	9.9	10.2	9.4	10.5	9.9	10.4	9.7	10.6	10.0
25-29	8.5	8.4	9.0	9.0	8.9	8.8	9.3	9.2	9.6	9.3
30-34	7.9	7.7	7.5	7.4	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.9
35-39	6.7	6.4	7.2	6.9	6.9	6.7	7.2	7.0	7.2	6.9
40-44	6.2	6.1	5.8	5.9	6.2	6.2	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.2
45-49	4.8	5.0	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.1	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.3
50-54	3.5	4.2	3.6	4.0	3.9	4.3	3.9	4.3	4.2	4.4
55-59	4.2	3.2	4.2	3.4	4.0	3.2	3.8	3.2	3.8	3.4
60-64	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.7	3.0	3.0	3.1	2.9	3.1	3.0
65-69	2.1	1.9	2.4	2.1	2.3	2.1	2.3	2.1	2.2	2.1
70+	3.1	2.7	3.3	2.9	2.9	2.4	3.4	2.8	3.3	2.9

Source: Sample Registration System, Office of the Registrar General, India.
Note: Total may not add up to 100 due to rounding off.

Age-Group, sex wise Percentage Distribution of Population in 2014



1.11 : Percent Distribution of Population in reproductive age group by Sex, Marital Status and Age-Group, 2014

Age-group		Males			Females			Total		
		Never Married	Married	W/D/S	Never Married	Married	W/D/S	Never Married	Married	W/D/S
Rural	15-19	10.6	0.3	0.0	8.7	1.5	0.0	9.7	0.9	0.0
	20-24	7.2	2.8	0.1	3.5	7.1	0.1	5.4	4.9	0.1
	25-29	3.0	6.1	0.1	0.8	8.2	0.1	1.9	7.1	0.1
	30-34	0.9	6.5	0.1	0.2	7.0	0.2	0.6	6.7	0.1
	35-39	0.3	6.1	0.1	0.1	6.5	0.3	0.2	6.3	0.2
	40-44	0.2	5.5	0.1	0.1	5.3	0.4	0.1	5.4	0.2
	45-49	0.1	4.8	0.2	0.1	4.5	0.5	0.1	4.7	0.3
Urban	15-19	9.1	0.2	0.0	7.9	0.9	0.0	8.5	0.6	0.0
	20-24	7.9	1.7	0.0	5.0	5.4	0.0	6.5	3.5	0.0
	25-29	4.4	5.4	0.0	1.7	8.7	0.1	3.1	7.0	0.1
	30-34	1.6	7.2	0.1	0.5	8.0	0.2	1.1	7.6	0.1
	35-39	0.6	7.0	0.1	0.2	7.3	0.3	0.4	7.1	0.2
	40-44	0.3	6.5	0.1	0.2	6.1	0.4	0.2	6.3	0.3
	45-49	0.2	5.5	0.2	0.1	5.1	0.5	0.2	5.3	0.3
Total	15-19	10.1	0.3	0.0	8.5	1.4	0.0	9.3	0.8	0.0
	20-24	7.5	2.5	0.0	4.0	6.6	0.1	5.8	4.4	0.1
	25-29	3.4	5.9	0.0	1.1	8.4	0.1	2.3	7.1	0.1
	30-34	1.1	6.7	0.1	0.3	7.3	0.2	0.7	7.0	0.1
	35-39	0.4	6.4	0.1	0.2	6.7	0.3	0.3	6.6	0.2
	40-44	0.2	5.8	0.1	0.1	5.5	0.4	0.2	5.7	0.3
	45-49	0.2	5.0	0.2	0.1	4.7	0.5	0.1	4.9	0.3

Source: Sample Registration System, Office of the Registrar General, India.

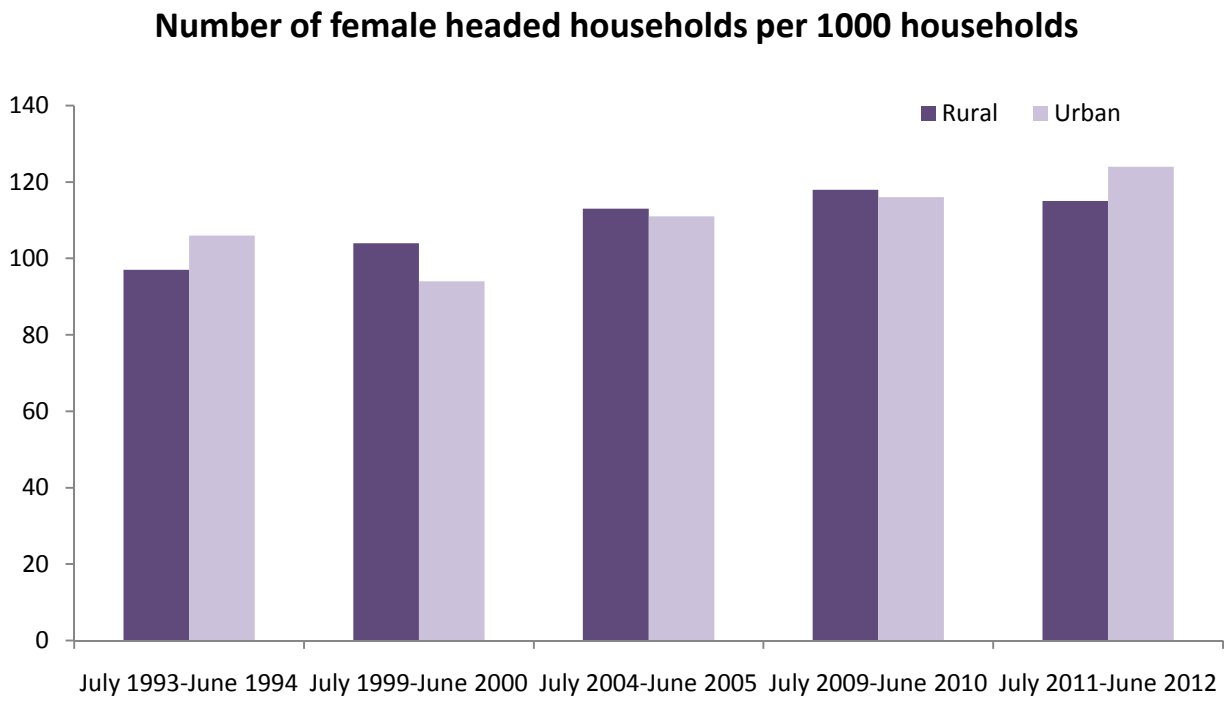
W/D/S: Widowed/Divorced/Separated.

1.12 : Women's Mean Age at Marriage in Major States

Major States	Rural					Urban					Combined				
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Andhra Pradesh	20.0	20.0	20.3	20.3	21.5	21.7	21.7	21.3	21.8	22.5	20.6	21.6	20.6	20.7	21.8
Assam	21.1	21.2	21.2	21.1	22.1	24.5	23.3	23.1	23.4	23.9	21.6	21.5	21.4	21.4	22.5
Bihar	20.5	20.5	20.6	21.0	22.0	21.9	21.9	22.3	22.4	22.9	20.6	20.7	20.8	21.1	22.1
Chhattisgarh	-	-	20.4	20.0	21.9	-	-	22.0	21.7	23.0	-	-	20.6	20.3	22.2
Delhi	-	-	21.3	21.8	23.9	-	-	23.2	23.0	23.6	-	-	22.9	22.8	23.6
Gujarat	20.4	20.7	20.7	21.0	22.0	22.0	22.3	22.3	22.7	23.2	21.6	21.3	21.4	21.6	22.7
Haryana	20.3	20.7	20.7	20.7	22.1	21.4	21.7	22.1	22.4	22.6	20.7	21.0	21.1	21.1	22.3
Himachal Pradesh	22.0	22.2	22.2	22.4	23.0	24.8	24.1	24.3	24.0	24.4	22.2	22.4	22.4	22.5	23.1
Jammu & Kashmir	-	-	24.3	24.1	24.9	-	-	26.2	25.8	25.8	-	-	24.6	24.4	25.2
Jharkhand	-	-	20.0	20.2	20.6	-	-	21.4	21.9	22.6	-	-	20.2	20.5	21.0
Karnataka	20.5	20.6	20.9	20.9	22.0	22.2	21.9	22.5	22.2	22.9	21.1	21.0	21.4	21.3	22.4
Kerala	22.6	22.6	22.8	22.9	23.5	22.6	22.8	23.1	23.8	24.1	22.6	22.6	22.9	23.1	23.8
Madhya Pradesh	20.1	20.1	20.4	20.2	21.4	22.6	22.7	22.3	22.2	22.9	20.6	20.7	20.8	20.6	21.8
Maharashtra	19.8	20.7	20.1	20.4	21.4	22.7	22.5	22.2	22.5	23.0	20.6	21.7	20.7	21.1	22.2
Odisha	20.9	21.3	21.0	21.2	21.9	22.5	22.5	22.9	22.9	23.3	21.1	21.4	21.2	21.4	22.1
Punjab	21.7	22.2	22.4	22.5	23.5	23.1	22.8	23.1	22.9	23.4	22.1	22.4	22.6	22.7	23.5
Rajasthan	19.5	20.1	20.2	20.4	21.4	22.1	21.7	21.8	21.6	22.1	20.1	20.5	20.6	20.7	21.6
Tamil Nadu	21.8	22.0	22.0	22.1	22.9	23.0	23.1	23.0	22.8	23.7	22.3	22.4	22.4	22.4	23.3
Telangana	-	-	-	-	21.5	-	-	-	-	22.3	-	-	-	-	21.8
Uttar Pradesh	20.7	20.6	21.1	21.4	21.8	22.5	22.1	22.5	22.9	23.9	21.0	20.8	21.3	21.6	22.3
West Bengal	19.7	19.7	19.9	20.2	21.0	22.1	22.3	22.3	22.1	22.5	20.3	20.3	20.5	20.7	21.5
India	**20.5**	**20.7**	**20.8**	**21.0**	**21.8**	**22.4**	**22.7**	**22.4**	**22.5**	**23.2**	**21.0**	**21.2**	**21.2**	**21.3**	**22.3**

Source: Sample Registration System, Office of the Registrar General of India.

1.13 : Female Headed Households and their Average Size by Residence

Year	Sector	No. of female headed hhs per 1000 hhs	Household size
July 1993-June 1994	Rural	97	3.2
	Urban	106	3.2
July 1999-June 2000	Rural	104	3.5
	Urban	94	3.5
July 2004-June 2005	Rural	113	3.4
	Urban	111	3.5
July 2009-June 2010	Rural	118	3.2
	Urban	116	3.1
July 2011-June 2012	Rural	115	3.3
	Urban	124	3.2

Source: National Sample Survey Office.