

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

(Based on URP - 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	64.7	11.2	292.95	61.4	28	542.89	126.1	15.8
Arunachal Pradesh	1.94	22.3	N.A.	0.09	3.3	N.A.	2.03	17.6
Assam	54.5	22.3	387.64	1.28	3.3	378.84	55.77	19.7
Bihar	336.72	42.1	354.36	32.42	34.6	435	369.15	41.4
Chhattisgarh	71.5	40.8	322.41	19.47	41.2	560	90.96	40.9
Delhi	0.63	6.9	410.38	22.3	15.2	612.91	22.93	14.7
Goa	0.36	5.4	362.25	1.64	21.3	665.9	2.01	13.8
Gujarat	63.49	19.1	353.93	27.19	13	541.16	90.69	16.8
Haryana	21.49	13.6	414.76	10.6	15.1	504.49	32.1	14
Himachal Pradesh	6.14	10.7	394.28	0.22	3.4	504.49	6.36	10
Jammu & Kashmir	3.66	4.6	391.26	2.19	7.9	553.77	5.85	5.4
Jharkhand	103.19	46.3	366.56	13.2	20.2	451.24	116.39	40.3
Karnataka	75.05	20.8	324.17	63.83	32.6	599.66	138.89	25
Kerala	32.43	13.2	430.12	17.17	20.2	559.39	49.6	15
Madhya Pradesh	175.65	36.9	327.78	74.03	42.1	570.15	249.68	38.3
Maharashtra	171.13	29.6	362.25	146.25	32.2	665.9	317.38	30.7
Manipur	3.76	22.3	N.A.	0.2	3.3	N.A.	3.95	17.3
Meghalaya	4.36	22.3	N.A.	0.16	3.3	N.A.	4.52	18.5
Mizoram	1.02	22.3	N.A.	0.16	3.3	N.A.	1.18	12.6
Nagaland	3.87	22.3	N.A.	0.12	3.3	N.A.	3.99	19
Orissa	151.75	46.8	325.79	26.74	44.3	528.49	178.49	46.4
Punjab	15.12	9.1	410.38	6.5	7.1	466.16	21.63	8.4
Rajasthan	87.38	18.7	374.57	47.51	32.9	559.63	134.89	22.1
Sikkim	1.12	22.3	N.A.	0.02	3.3	N.A.	1.14	20.1
Tamil Nadu	76.5	22.8	351.86	69.13	22.2	547.42	145.62	22.5
Tripura	6.18	22.3	N.A.	0.2	3.3	N.A.	6.38	18.9
Uttar Pradesh	473	33.4	365.84	117.03	30.6	483.26	590.03	32.8
Uttarakhand	27.11	40.8	478.02	8.85	36.5	637.67	35.96	39.6
West Bengal	173.22	28.6	382.82	35.14	14.8	449.32	208.36	24.7
A & N Islands.	0.6	22.9	N.A.	0.32	22.2	N.A.	0.92	22.6
Chandigarh	0.08	7.1	N.A.	0.67	7.1	N.A.	0.74	7.1
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0.68	39.8	362.25	0.15	19.1	665.9	0.84	33.2
Daman & Diu	0.07	5.4	N.A.	0.14	21.2	N.A.	0.21	10.5
Lakshadweep	0.06	13.3	N.A.	0.06	20.2	N.A.	0.11	16
Pondicherry	0.78	22.9	N.A.	1.59	22.2	N.A.	2.37	22.4
All India	2209.24	28.3	356.3	807.96	25.7	538.6	3017.2	27.5

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 URP c distribution of NSS 61st Round of consumer expenditure data are comparable with the poverty estimates of 1993-94.

Source: Planning Commission, Government of India.