

Table 8.10: Labour Force Participation Rate (LFPR) (in per cent) according to current weekly status for different States (persons, 15 years and above)

States/UTs	2018				2019				2020				2021			
	April-June	July-Sept	Oct-Dec	Jan-March	April-June	July-Sept	Oct-Dec	Jan-March	April-June	July-Sept	Oct-Dec	Jan-March	July-Sept	Oct-Dec	Jan-March	July-Sept
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
Andhra Pradesh	40.0	40.0	39.4	38.2	37.6	39.1	39.0	39.4	37.6	38.6	39.0	40.1	38.6	39.0	40.1	38.6
Assam	36.6	37.0	35.0	35.4	35.0	36.4	36.7	36.9	35.9	35.6	36.2	37.2	35.6	36.2	37.2	35.6
Bihar	26.5	26.4	27.3	27.3	27.4	27.3	27.2	27.6	27.1	27.6	28.2	27.3	27.6	28.2	27.3	27.6
Chhattisgarh	37.6	39.5	38.2	36.0	36.2	37.4	37.1	38.8	35.4	37.1	37.3	36.6	37.1	37.3	37.1	37.1
Delhi	35.6	35.4	36.5	35.3	36.7	37.6	38.1	37.9	36.5	34.5	35.2	35.6	34.5	35.2	35.6	34.5
Gujarat	35.7	37.4	37.0	36.7	37.7	37.8	39.1	39.7	37.2	38.9	39.0	39.8	38.9	39.0	39.8	38.9
Haryana	33.9	36.0	36.6	36.4	36.9	36.0	36.8	37.4	36.1	35.2	35.7	34.5	35.2	35.7	34.5	35.2
Himachal Pradesh	39.9	39.7	40.6	40.2	40.3	39.1	43.1	41.8	42.2	43.1	41.4	43.3	43.1	41.4	43.3	43.1
Jammu & Kashmir	37.3	37.8	36.5	35.7	36.3	37.1	40.1	40.5	39.0	38.9	38.5	39.2	38.9	38.5	39.2	38.9
Jharkhand	29.0	29.8	30.1	30.4	29.9	30.6	34.1	34.9	32.3	32.9	33.0	33.2	32.9	33.0	33.2	32.9
Karnataka	36.4	36.2	37.2	37.3	37.6	38.2	38.4	38.0	37.3	38.9	38.9	39.7	38.9	38.9	39.7	38.9
Kerala	35.1	35.9	35.6	36.7	37.2	36.3	36.4	37.2	34.5	36.0	36.1	35.7	36.0	36.1	35.7	36.0
Madhya Pradesh	35.7	36.0	36.2	35.1	34.1	35.2	36.0	36.6	36.2	36.1	36.1	35.8	36.1	36.1	35.8	36.1
Maharashtra	36.3	37.1	37.5	37.7	37.3	38.1	38.3	38.6	36.6	38.2	38.2	38.5	38.2	38.2	38.5	38.2
Odisha	33.1	34.8	34.0	35.0	35.7	35.3	36.5	36.0	34.9	37.7	35.4	35.9	37.7	35.4	35.9	37.7
Punjab	37.4	38.0	37.2	38.3	38.3	38.7	39.4	38.9	37.1	36.5	38.2	38.6	36.5	38.2	38.6	36.5
Rajasthan	32.4	32.1	33.3	33.1	33.2	34.4	34.0	34.5	30.8	31.8	32.5	33.6	31.8	32.5	33.6	31.8
Tamil Nadu	39.2	39.3	39.3	39.9	39.6	41.0	41.5	41.9	39.8	41.9	42.2	42.4	41.9	42.2	42.4	41.9
Telangana	37.6	38.2	38.5	38.3	38.2	39.8	39.5	39.7	40.7	40.0	40.0	40.3	40.0	40.0	40.3	40.0
Uttarakhand	33.0	32.4	32.2	33.5	33.3	34.4	34.5	36.0	35.1	36.3	36.4	35.6	36.3	36.4	35.6	36.3
Uttar Pradesh	31.0	31.0	31.6	30.0	31.1	31.6	31.5	32.2	31.5	33.3	33.6	33.6	33.3	33.6	33.6	33.3
West Bengal	38.7	40.1	39.5	39.2	39.5	40.4	40.6	40.8	38.3	40.4	40.7	40.6	40.4	40.7	40.6	40.4
ALL INDIA	35.6	36.1	36.3	36.0	36.2	36.8	37.2	37.5	35.9	37.0	37.3	37.5	37.0	37.3	37.5	37.0

Source: Various rounds of quarterly Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS) bulletins, Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation

Note: LFPR is defined as the percentage of population in the labour force. Labour force comprises of persons who were either working (employed) or seeking work (unemployed).