

**Table 8.18: Total Fertility Rate (Children per women) across states and UTs of India**

States/UTs	NFHS-1 (1992-93)	NFHS-2 (1998-99)	NFHS-3 (2005-06)	NFHS-4 (2015-16)	NFHS-5 (2019-21)*
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Andhra Pradesh	2.6	2.3	1.8	1.8	1.7
Arunachal Pradesh	4.3	2.5	3.0	2.1	1.8
Assam	3.5	2.3	2.4	2.2	1.9
Bihar	4.0	3.5	4.0	3.4	3.0
Delhi	3.0	2.4	2.1	1.8	1.6
Goa	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.3
Gujarat	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.0	1.9
Haryana	4.0	2.9	2.7	2.1	1.9
Himachal Pradesh	3.0	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.7
Jammu and Kashmir	3.1	2.7	2.4	2.0	1.4
Karnataka	2.9	2.1	2.1	1.8	1.7
Kerala	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.6	1.8
Madhya Pradesh	3.9	3.3	3.1	2.3	2.0
Maharashtra	2.9	2.5	2.1	1.9	1.7
Manipur	2.8	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.2
Meghalaya	3.7	4.6	3.8	3.0	2.9
Mizoram	2.3	2.9	2.9	2.3	1.9
Nagaland	3.3	3.8	3.7	2.7	1.7
Odisha	2.9	2.5	2.4	2.1	1.8
Punjab	2.9	2.2	2.0	1.6	1.6
Rajasthan	3.6	3.8	3.2	2.4	2.0
Sikkim		2.8	2.0	1.2	1.1
Tamil Nadu	2.5	2.2	1.8	1.7	1.8
Tripura	2.7		2.2	1.7	1.7
Uttar Pradesh	4.8	4.0	3.8	2.7	2.4
West Bengal	2.9	2.3	2.3	1.8	1.6
Chhattisgarh			2.6	2.2	1.8
Jharkhand			3.3	2.6	2.3
Uttarakhand				2.1	1.9
Telangana				1.8	1.8
Andaman and Nicobar (UT)				1.4	1.3
Chandigarh (UT)				1.6	1.4
Dadra and Nagar Haveli & Daman Diu (UT)				2.1	1.8
Lakshadweep (UT)				1.8	1.4
Puducherry (UT)				1.7	1.5
Ladakh (UT)					1.3

Source : NFHS reports, MoH&amp;FW

Note: In NFHS-5, Jammu &amp; Kashmir is Union Territory excluding Ladakh (UT)

\* Survey done over two years,