

9.3 SELECTED INDICATORS OF HUMAN DEVELOPMENT FOR MAJOR STATES *

State	Life expectancy at birth (years) @ (1991-95)	Literacy rate **			I.M.R.+	Death rate 1998 (Per thousand)	Birth rate
		Total	Male (Percent)	Female			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1. Andhra Pradesh	61.8	44.09	55.13	32.72	66	8.8	22.3
2. Assam	55.7	52.89	61.87	43.03	78	10.1	27.7
3. Bihar	59.3	38.48	52.49	22.89	67	9.4	31.1
4. Gujarat	61.0	61.29	73.13	48.64	64	7.8	25.3
5. Haryana	63.4	55.85	69.10	40.47	69	8.1	27.6
6. Karnataka	62.5	56.04	67.26	44.34	58	7.9	22.0
7. Kerala	72.9	89.81	93.62	86.17	16	6.4	18.2
8. Madhya Pradesh	54.7	44.20	58.42	28.85	97	11.2	30.6
9. Maharashtra	64.8	64.87	76.56	52.32	49	7.6	22.3
10. Orissa	56.5	49.09	63.09	34.68	98	11.1	25.7
11. Punjab	67.2	58.51	65.66	50.41	54	7.7	22.4
12. Rajasthan	59.1	38.55	54.99	20.44	83	8.8	31.5
13. Tamil Nadu	63.3	62.66	73.75	51.33	53	8.4	18.9
14. Uttar Pradesh	56.8	41.60	55.73	25.31	85	10.5	32.4
15. West Bengal	62.1	57.70	67.81	46.56	53	7.5	21.3
All India	60.3	52.21	64.13	39.29	72	9.0	26.4

* Major States include States with population of 10 million and above as per 1991 Census.

@ Data relate to average over 1991-95 as estimated by the Sample Registration System and centered at 1993.

** Relate to population aged 7 years and above for 1991 and excludes Jammu & Kashmir for All India.

+ Infant Mortality Rate.

Source: 1. The data on life Expectancy are taken from SRS Analytical Studies, Report No. 1 of 1998, whereas IMR, Death and Birth Rates are based on the provisional estimates for 1998 from SRS released by the Office of the Registrar General of India.

2. Literacy Rate is based on Final Population Total of 1991 Census, Series 1, Paper No.2 of 1992, Registrar General of India.