

**TABLE 156 : NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF POPULATION BELOW  
POVERTY LINE**

Year	State/Union Territory	Rural			Urban			Combined	
		No. of Persons (Thousands)	% of Persons	Poverty line (₹)	No. of Persons (Thousands)	% of Persons	Poverty line (₹)	No. of Persons (Thousands)	% of Persons
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2004-05 (Based on MRP Consumption)	Andhra Pradesh	18,000	32.30	433.43	5,500	23.40	563.16	23,510	29.60
	Arunachal Pradesh	320	33.60	547.14	60	23.50	618.45	380	31.40
	Assam	8,940	36.40	478.00	830	21.80	600.03	9,770	34.40
	Bihar	45,100	55.70	433.43	4,280	43.70	526.18	49,380	54.40
	Chhattisgarh	9,780	55.10	398.92	1,370	28.40	513.70	11,150	49.40
	Goa	180	28.10	608.76	170	22.20	671.15	340	24.90
	Gujarat	12,850	39.10	501.58	4,290	20.10	659.18	17,140	31.60
	Haryana	3,880	24.80	529.42	1,590	22.40	626.41	5,460	24.10
	Himachal Pradesh	1,430	25.00	520.40	30	4.60	605.74	1,460	22.90
	Jammu & Kashmir	1,160	14.10	522.30	290	10.40	602.89	1,450	13.10
	Jharkhand	11,620	51.60	404.79	1,600	23.80	531.35	13,210	45.30
	Karnataka	13,470	37.50	417.84	5,180	25.90	588.06	18,650	33.30
	Kerala	4,220	20.20	537.31	1,980	18.40	584.70	6,200	19.60
	Madhya Pradesh	25,440	53.60	408.41	6,130	35.10	532.26	31,570	48.60
	Maharashtra	27,780	47.90	484.89	11,460	25.60	631.85	39,240	38.20
	Manipur	670	39.30	578.11	230	34.50	641.13	900	37.90
	Meghalaya	290	14.00	503.32	120	24.70	745.73	410	16.10
	Mizoram	110	23.00	639.27	40	7.90	699.75	150	15.40
	Nagaland	150	10.00	687.30	20	4.30	782.93	170	8.80
	Odisha	19,880	60.80	407.78	2,280	37.60	497.31	22,160	57.20
	Punjab	3,670	22.10	543.51	1,690	18.70	642.51	5,360	20.90
	Rajasthan	16,640	35.80	478.00	4,350	29.70	568.15	20,980	34.40
	Sikkim	150	31.80	531.50	20	25.90	741.68	170	30.90
	Tamil Nadu	13,440	37.50	441.69	5,970	19.70	559.77	19,410	29.40
	Tripura	1,190	44.50	450.49	150	22.50	555.79	1,340	40.00
	Uttar Pradesh	60,050	42.70	435.14	13,010	34.10	532.12	73,070	40.90
	Uttarakhand	2,310	35.10	486.24	660	26.20	602.39	2,970	32.70
	West Bengal	22,750	38.20	445.38	6,080	24.40	572.51	28,830	34.20
	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	10	4.10	.	.	0.80	.	10	3.00
	Chandigarh	20	34.70	.	.	10.10	.	110	11.60
	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	110	63.60	.	.	17.80	.	130	49.30
	Daman and Diu	.	2.60	.	.	14.40	.	20	8.80
	Delhi	110	15.60	541.39	1,830	12.90	642.47	1,930	13.00
	Lakshwadeep	.	0.40	.	.	10.50	.	.	6.40
Puducherry	80	22.90	385.45	70	9.90	506.17	150	14.20	
<b>All India</b>		<b>325,810</b>	<b>42.00</b>	<b>446.68</b>	<b>81,410</b>	<b>25.50</b>	<b>578.80</b>	<b>407,220</b>	<b>37.20</b>

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POVERTY LINE (Contd.)**

Year	State/Union Territory	Rural			Urban			Combined	
		No. of Persons (Thousands)	% of Persons	Poverty line (₹)	No. of Persons (Thousands)	% of Persons	Poverty line (₹)	No. of Persons (Thousands)	% of Persons
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2009-10 (Based on MRP Consumption)	Andhra Pradesh	12,790	22.80	693.80	4870	17.70	926.40	17,660	21.10
	Arunachal Pradesh	270	26.20	773.70	80	24.90	925.20	350	25.90
	Assam	10,530	39.90	691.70	1120	26.10	871.00	11,640	37.90
	Bihar	49,870	55.30	655.60	4480	39.40	775.30	54,350	53.50
	Chhattisgarh	10,830	56.10	617.30	1360	23.80	806.70	12,190	48.70
	Goa	60	11.50	931.00	60	6.90	1025.40	130	8.70
	Gujarat	9,160	26.70	725.90	4460	17.90	951.40	13,620	23.00
	Haryana	3,040	18.60	791.60	1960	23.00	975.40	5,000	20.10
	Himachal Pradesh	560	9.10	708.00	90	12.60	888.30	640	9.50
	Jammu & Kashmir	730	8.10	722.90	420	12.80	845.40	1,150	9.40
	Jharkhand	10,220	41.60	616.30	2400	31.10	831.20	12,620	39.10
	Karnataka	9,740	26.10	629.40	4490	19.60	908.00	14,230	23.60
	Kerala	2,160	12.00	775.30	1800	12.10	830.70	3,960	12.00
	Madhya Pradesh	21,690	42.00	631.90	4490	22.90	771.70	26,180	36.70
	Maharashtra	17,980	29.50	743.70	9090	18.30	961.10	27,080	24.50
	Manipur	880	47.40	871.00	370	46.40	955.00	1,250	47.10
	Meghalaya	350	15.30	686.90	140	24.10	989.80	490	17.10
	Mizoram	160	31.10	850.00	60	11.50	939.30	230	21.10
	Nagaland	280	19.30	1016.80	140	25.00	1147.60	410	20.90
	Odisha	13,550	39.20	567.10	1770	25.90	736.00	15,320	37.00
	Punjab	2,510	14.60	830.00	1840	18.10	960.80	4,350	15.90
	Rajasthan	13,380	26.40	755.00	3320	19.90	846.00	16,700	24.80
	Sikkim	70	15.50	728.90	10	5.00	1035.20	80	13.10
	Tamil Nadu	7,830	21.20	639.00	4350	12.80	800.80	12,180	17.10
	Tripura	540	19.80	663.40	90	10.00	782.70	630	17.40
	Uttar Pradesh	60,060	39.40	663.70	13730	31.70	799.90	73,790	37.70
	Uttarakhand	1,030	14.90	719.50	750	25.20	898.60	1,790	18.00
	West Bengal	17,780	28.80	643.20	6250	22.00	830.60	24,030	26.70
	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	.	0.40	.	.	0.30	.	.	0.40
	Chandigarh	.	10.30	.	90	9.20	.	100	9.20
	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	100	55.90	.	30	17.70	.	130	39.10
	Daman and Diu	20	34.20	.	50	33.00	.	80	33.30
	Delhi	30	7.70	747.80	2290	14.40	1040.30	2,330	14.20
	Lakshwadeep	.	22.20	.	.	1.70	.	.	6.80
Puducherry	.	0.20	641.00	10	1.60	777.70	10	1.20	
<b>All India</b>		<b>278,210</b>	<b>33.80</b>	<b>672.80</b>	<b>76470</b>	<b>20.90</b>	<b>859.60</b>	<b>354,680</b>	<b>29.80</b>

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POVERTY LINE (Concl.)**

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2011-12 (Based on MRP Consumption)	Andhra Pradesh	6,180	10.96	860.00	1,698	5.81	1009.00	7,878	9.20
	Arunachal Pradesh	425	38.93	930.00	66	20.33	1060.00	491	34.67
	Assam	9,206	33.89	828.00	921	20.49	1008.00	10,127	31.98
	Bihar	32,040	34.06	778.00	3,775	31.23	923.00	35,815	33.74
	Chhattisgarh	8,890	44.61	738.00	1,522	24.75	849.00	10,411	39.93
	Goa	37	6.81	1090.00	38	4.09	1134.00	75	5.09
	Gujarat	7,535	21.54	932.00	2,688	10.14	1152.00	10,223	16.63
	Haryana	1,942	11.64	1015.00	941	10.28	1169.00	2,883	11.16
	Himachal Pradesh	529	8.48	913.00	30	4.33	1064.00	559	8.06
	Jammu & Kashmir	1,073	11.54	891.00	253	7.20	988.00	1,327	10.35
	Jharkhand	10,409	40.84	748.00	2,024	24.83	974.00	12,433	36.96
	Karnataka	9,280	24.53	902.00	3,696	15.25	1089.00	12,976	20.91
	Kerala	1,548	9.14	1018.00	846	4.97	987.00	2,395	7.05
	Madhya Pradesh	19,095	35.74	771.00	4,310	21.00	897.00	23,406	31.65
	Maharashtra	15,056	24.22	967.00	4,736	9.12	1126.00	19,792	17.35
	Manipur	745	38.80	1118.00	278	32.59	1170.00	1,022	36.89
	Meghalaya	304	12.53	888.00	57	9.26	1154.00	361	11.87
	Mizoram	191	35.43	1066.00	37	6.36	1155.00	227	20.40
	Nagaland	276	19.93	1270.00	100	16.48	1302.00	376	18.88
	Odisha	12,614	35.69	695.00	1,239	17.29	861.00	13,853	32.59
	Punjab	1,335	7.66	1054.00	982	9.24	1155.00	2,318	8.26
	Rajasthan	8,419	16.05	905.00	1,873	10.69	1002.00	10,292	14.71
	Sikkim	45	9.85	930.00	6	3.66	1226.00	51	8.19
	Tamil Nadu	5,923	15.83	880.00	2,340	6.54	937.00	8,263	11.28
	Tripura	449	16.53	798.00	75	7.42	920.00	524	14.05
	Uttar Pradesh	47,935	30.40	768.00	11,884	26.06	941.00	59,819	29.43
	Uttarakhand	825	11.62	880.00	335	10.48	1082.00	1,160	11.26
	West Bengal	14,114	22.52	783.00	4,383	14.66	981.00	18,498	19.98
	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	4	1.57	.	.	.	.	4	1.00
	Chandigarh	.	1.64	.	234	22.31	.	235	21.81
	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	115	62.59	.	28	15.38	.	143	39.31
	Daman and Diu	0	0.00	.	26	12.62	.	26	9.86
	Delhi	50	12.92	1145.00	1,646	9.84	1134.00	1,696	9.91
	Lakshwadeep	0	0.00	.	2	3.44	.	2	2.77
Puducherry	69	17.06	1301.00	55	6.30	1309.00	124	9.69	
<b>All India</b>		<b>216,658</b>	<b>25.70</b>	<b>816.00</b>	<b>53,125</b>	<b>13.70</b>	<b>1000.00</b>	<b>269,783</b>	<b>21.92</b>

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- Notes :** 1. Population as on 1st March 2012 has been used for estimating number of persons below poverty line. (2011 Census population extrapolated)  
2. Poverty line of Tamil Nadu has been used for Andaman and Nicobar Island.  
3. Urban Poverty Line of Punjab has been used for both rural and urban areas of Chandigarh.  
4. Poverty Line of Maharashtra has been used for Dadra & Nagar Haveli.  
5. Poverty line of Goa has been used for Daman & Diu.  
6. Poverty Line of Kerala has been used for Lakshadweep.  
Note: Computed as per Tendulkar method on Mixed Reference Period (MRP)