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FOREWORD

The Statistical Hand Book, Meghalaya, 1976, which is the fourth publication of the series, seeks to present in a handy form a factual account of the social and economic trends in the State. The statistics presented are based upon the data as currently available and collected from different Departments and other sources. Attempt has been made to incorporate latest data; but in some cases, this has not been possible and previous years' figures have been repeated. The sources of the data have been indicated in the tables.

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MEGHALAYA AT A GLANCE

A. CENSUS HIGHLIGHTS OF 1971.

1. Area	Sq. kms.	22,489
2. Population	No.	10,11,699
(i) Male	...	...	...	No.	5,20,967
(ii) Female	..	...	...	No.	4,90,732
(iii) Rural	...	...	...	No.	8,64,529
(iv) Urban	...	..	...	No.	1,47,170
3. Density of population	...	..	...	Per sq. km.	45
4. Sex ratio	...	...	...	Females per 1,000 males.	942
5. Rate of literacy	...	..	...	%	29.49
(i) Male	...	..	...	%	34.12
(ii) Female	...	...	...	%	24.56
6. Towns	...	...	...	No.	6
7. Percentage of urban population	...	...	...	%	14.55
8. Inhabited villages	...	...	...	No.	4,583
9. Uninhabited villages	...	...	...	No.	399
10. Decennial growth rate of population	...	...	...	%	31.50

(ii)

11. Break-up of workers (percentage to total workers).

(i) Cultivators	%	69.15
(ii) Agricultural labourers ...	%	9.88
(iii) Livestock, forestry, fishing, hunting and plantations orchards and allied activities.	%	2.66
(iv) Mining and quarrying ...	%	0.15
(v) Manufacturing, processing, servicing and repairs.		
(a) House-hold industry ...	%	1.09
(b) Non-household industry ...	%	1.26
(vi) Construction	%	0.95
(vii) Trade and commerce ...	%	2.98
(viii) Transport, storage and communication.	%	1.25
(ix) Other services	%	10.63

12. Percentage of Scheduled Castes to the total population. % 0.38

13. Percentage of Scheduled Tribes to the total population. % 80.48

B. GENERAL

14. Total cropped area 1975-76	...	...	'000 hect.	2,11
15. Livestock, 1972	...	...	'000 no.	7,60
16. Poultry, 1972	...	...	'000 no.	9,75
17. Government hospitals, 1975-76	...	..	No.	7
18. Primary health centres, 1975-76	..	....	No.	14
19. Dispensaries, 1975-76	...	...	No.	57
20. Beds, 1975-76	...	...	No.,	823
21. Doctors registered, 1975-76	. . . .	...	No.	140
22. Colleges, 1975-76	...	...	No.	15
23. Educational institutions 1975-76	...	...	No.	4,152
24. Teachers in educational institutions, 1975-76	No.			8,052

(iv)

25. Students in educational institutions, 1975-76	No.	2,61,796
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1. AREA AND POPULATION

POPULATION TRENDS IN MEGHALAYA 1901 - 1971.

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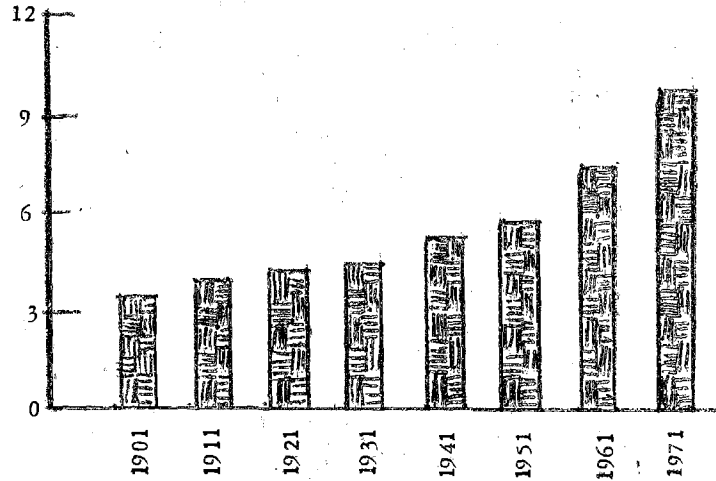


TABLE 1-1

POPULATION TRENDS IN MEGHALAYA, 1901-1971.

Districts (1)	(Figures in '000)								
	1901 (2)	1911 (3)	1921 (4)	1931 (5)	1941 (6)	1951 (7)	1961 (8)	1971 (9)	
Khasi Hills	Male ...	97	1,14	1,20	1,47	1,69	1,54	2,00	2,55
	Female ...	1,05	1,21	1,23	1,43	1,63	1,42	1,80	2,36
	Total ...	2,02	2,35	2,43	2,90	3,32	2,96	3,80	4,91
Jaintia Hills	Male ...	*	*	*	*	*	33	41	57
	Female ...	*	*	*	*	*	35	41	57
	Total ...	*	*	*	*	*	68	82	1,14
Garo Hills	Male ...	70	81	91	97	1,13	1,24	1,57	2,09
	Female ...	58	78	88	94	1,11	1,18	1,50	1,98
	Total ...	1,38	1,59	1,79	1,91	2,24	2,42	3,07	4,07
Meghalaya	Male ...	1,67	1,96	2,11	2,44	2,83	3,11	3,97	5,21
	Female ...	1,73	1,98	2,11	2,37	2,73	2,95	3,72	4,91
	Total ...	3,40	3,94	4,22	4,81	5,56	6,06	7,69	10,12

(*Included in Khasi Hills.)

Source :- Census Reports.

TABLE 1-2

VARIATIONS IN POPULATION OF MEGHALAYA,
1901-1971.

Years	Population	Variation	Percentage
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1901	3,40,524	...	..
1911	3,94,005	+53,481	15.71
1921	4,22,403	+28,398	7.21
1931	4,80,837	+58,434	13.88
1941	5,55,820	+74,983	15.59
1951	6,05,674	+49,854	8.97
1961	7,69,380	+1,63,706	27.03
1971	10,11,699	+2,42,319	31.50

Source:—Census 1971.

TABLE—1.3

TABLE 1·3

AREA, POPULATION, DENSITY, SEX RATIO AND PERCENTAGE
OF LITERACY IN MEGHALAYA, 1971.

Particular;	Total Rural Urban	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garo Hills	Meghalaya
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1. Area in sq. km. ...	T	11,168·1	3,295·5	8,084·0	22,489·0
	R	11,146·8	3,287·7	8,074·9	22,450·8
	U	21·3	7·8	9·1	38·2
2. Population	T	4,91,209 (100·00)	1,13,875 (100·00)	4,06,615 (100·00)	10,11,699 (100·00)
	R	3,68,457 (75·01)	1,04,946 (92·16)	3,91,126 (96·19)	8,64,529 (85·45)
	U	1,22,752 (24·99)	8,929 (7·84)	15,489 (3·81)	1,47,170 (14·55)
3. Male ...	T	2,55,510 (100·00)	56,959 (100·00)	2,08,498 (100·00)	5,20,967 (100·00)
	R	1,89,349 (74·11)	52,391 (91·98)	1,99,793 (95·82)	4,41,533 (84·75)
	U	66,161 (25·89)	4,568 (8·02)	8,705 (4·18)	79,434 (15·25)

4. Female	T	2,35,699 (100.00)	56,916 (100.00)	1,98,117 (100.00)	4,90,732 (100.00)
	R	1,79,108 (75.99)	52,555 (92.34)	1,91,333 (96.58)	4,22,996 (86.20)
	U	56,591 (24.01)	4,361 (7.66)	6,784 (3.42)	67,737 (13.80)
5. Density of population per sq. km.	T	44	35	50	45
	R	33	32	48	39
	U	3,106	1,149	1,704	3,860
6. Number of females per 1000 males.	T	922	999	950	1942
	R	946	1,003	958	958
	U	855	955	779	853
7. Percentage of literacy	T	36.60	19.94	23.57	29.49
	R	26.77	17.25	21.88	23.40
	U	66.11	51.58	66.06	65.22

The total of the area figures of the districts do not tally with State figures because the former represents land use area and are derived from the figures supplied by State Director of Land Records.

(N.B.—Figures within brackets are percentages to total.)

Source:—Census 1971.

TABLE 1-4

CHANGES IN THE SEX RATIO IN MEGHALAYA, 1901-1971

(Females per 1,000 males)

Serial No.	Census		State average	Rural	Urban
(1)	(2)		(3)	(4)	(5)
1	1901	...	1,036	1,047	725
2	1911	...	1,013	1,024	757
3	1921	...	1,000	1,009	809
4	1931	...	971	989	697
5	1941	...	966	991	683
6	1951	...	949	969	784
7	1961	...	937	971	764
8	1971	...	942	958	853

Source:—Census, 1971

TABLE 15

CHANGES IN DISTRICT SEX RATIO, 1901—1971.

Census	Females per 1,000 males			
	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garo Hills	
(1)	(2)	(3)*	(4)	(5)
1901	...	1,080		974
1911	...	1,054		956
1921	..	1,031		959
1931		978		959
1941	..	960		975
1951	..	923	1,066	951
1961	..	902	1,015	960
1971	...	922	999	950

(*Relate to U. K. & J. Hills)

Source :—Census 1971.

TABLE 1-6

CHANGES IN THE DISTRICT (RURAL AND URBAN) SEX RATIO,
1901-1971.

(Females per 1,000 males)

Census	Khasi Hills		Jaintia Hills		Garo Hills	
	Rural	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural	Urban
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1901	1092	725	*	*	974	...
1911	1776	757	*	*	956	...
1921	955	803	*	*	959	...
1931	1111	697	*	*	959	...
1941	1000	683	*	*	975	...
1951	96	784	1,066	...	951	...
1961	95	763	1,016	1,011	972	639
1971	94	855	1,003	955	958	779

(*include in Khasi Hills)

Source: Census 1971.

TABLE: 1.7
DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION BY RELIGION IN MEGHALAYA,
1971.

Religions (1)	Khasi Hills		Jaintia Hills		Garo Hills		State	
	Total (2)	P. C. (3)	Total (4)	P. C. (5)	Total (6)	P. C. (7)	Total (8)	P. C. (9)
Christianity	2,48,800	50.65	60,752	53.35	1,65,715	40.75	4,75,267	46.98
Hinduism	1,02,709	20.91	6,370	5.60	78,061	19.20	1,87,140	18.50
Islam	4,282	0.87	136	0.12	21,929	5.39	26,347	2.60
Buddhism	950	0.19	54	0.05	874	0.22	1,878	0.19
Sikhism	1,212	0.24	28	0.02	22	0.01	268	0.03
Jainism	182	0.04	11	0.01	75	0.02	1,262	0.12
Other Religious Persuasions.	1,32,633	27.01	46,387	40.73	1,39,148	34.22	3,18,168	31.45
Religion not stated.	441	0.09	137	0.12	791	0.19	1,369	0.13
Total population.	4,91,209	100.00	1,13,875	100.00	4,06,615	100.00	10,11,699	100.00

(N.B. :—P.C. are percentages to total.)

Source :— Census 1971.

TABLE 1-8
DECADAL INCREASE/DECREASE OF RELIGIOUS COMMUNITIES IN
MEGHALAYA, 1961-1971.

Religious communities	1961	Percentage	1971	Percentage	Percentage increase(+) decrease(-)
1	2	3	4	5	6
Buddhists	1,011	(0.13)	1,878	(0.19)	+85.76
Christians	2,70,912	(35.21)	4,75,267	(46.98)	+75.43
Hindus	1,40,445	(18.26)	1,87,140	(18.50)	+33.25
Jains	129	(0.02)	1,262	(0.12)	+878.29
Muslims	23,019	(2.99)	26,347	(2.60)	+14.46
Sikhs	1,333	(0.17)	268	(0.03)	-79.90
Other religions	3,22,912	(41.97)	3,18,168	(31.45)	-1.47
Religion not stated	9,619	(1.25)	1,369	(0.13)	-85.77
Total	7,69,380	(100.00)	10,11,699	(100.00)	+31.50

(N. B.—Figures in Brackets are percentages to total.)

Source:—Census reports.

TABLE 1.9

COMPARATIVE POPULATION BY RELIGION IN INDIA
AND MEGHALAYA, 1971.

Religion	India	Meghalaya	Percentage of Col. 3 out of Col. 2.
1	2	3	4
Buddhism	3,874,942	1,878	0.05
Christianity	14,225,045	475,267	3.34
Hinduism	453,436,630	187,140	0.04
Islam	61,418,269	26,347	0.04
Sikhism	10,378,891	268	0.00
Jainism	2,604,837	1,262	0.05
Others	2,221,038	319,537	14.39
Total	548,159,652	1,011,699	1.85

Source :—Census, 1971.

TABLE 1-10

COMPARATIVE POPULATION OF SCHEDULED CASTES/
TRIBES IN INDIA & MEGHALAYA, 1971.

Particulars	All India		Meghalaya	
	Number	Number	Percentage of Col. 3 out of Col. 2	
1	2	3	4	
I. SCHEDULED CASTES				
Total	80,005,398	3,887	Negligible	
Male	41,343,194	2,048	„	
Female	38,662,204	1,839	„	
II. SCHEDULED TRIBES				
Total	38,015,162	814,230	2.14	
Male	19,181,450	407,859	1.13	
Female	1,833,712	406,370	2.15	
Total I and II ..	118,020,560	818,117	0.69	
Total population ...	548,159,652	1,011,699	0.18	

Source:—Census, 1971.

TABLE 1.11

DECADAL GROWTH OF SCHEDULED CASTES/TRIBES POPULATION
IN MEGHALAYA, 1961—1971:

Particulars				1961	1971	Variation	Percentage growth
(1)				(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
I. SCHEDULED CASTES							
Male	..	...	...	702	2,048	+1,346	191.74
Female	...	..	..	562	1,839	+1,277	227.22
Total	..	...	..	1,264	3,887	+2,623	207.51
II. SCHEDULED TRIBES							
Male	...	..	...	3,19,354	4,07,859	+88,505	27.17
Female	..	..	...	3,19,807	4,06,371	+86,564	27.07
Total	..	...	..	6,39,161	8,14,230	+1,75,069	27.39

Source:—Census reports.

TABLE 1-12

POPULATION OF SCHEDULED CASTES/TRIBES IN MEGHALAYA,
1971.

Particulars	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garro Hills	Megha- laya
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1 SCHEDULED CASTES—				
(a) Male	1,080	5	963	2,048
(b) Female	798	3	1,038	1,839
(c) Total	1,878	8	2,001	3,887
(d) Percentage to total population	0.38	0.00	0.38	0.38
2 SCHEDULED TRIBES—				
(a) Male	1,89,318	53,322	1,65,219	4,07,859
(b) Female	1,90,751	54,967	1,60,653	4,06,371
(c) Total	3,80,069	1,08,289	3,25,872	8,14,230
(d) Percentage to total population.	77.37	95.09	80.15	80.48
3 OTHERS—				
(b) Male	65,112	3,632	42,316	1,11,060
(c) Total	44,150	1,946	36,426	82,522
(d) Percentage to total population.	22.25	4.91	19.47	19.14
4 TOTAL POPULATION	< 1,13,875	4,06,615	10,11,699	

Source :—Census, 1971.

TABLE 1-13

POPULATION OF SCHEDULED CASTES/TRIBES IN THE RURAL
AREA OF MEGHALAYA, 1971.

Particulars		Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garo Hills	Meghalaya
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
SCHEDULED CASTES—					
1	(a) Male	205	3	615	823
	(b) Female	190	...	660	850
	(c) Total	395	3	1,275	1,673
	(d) Percentage to rural total	0.11	0.00	0.33	0.19
SCHEDULED TRIBES—					
2	(a) Male	1,65,325	49,589	1,60,713	3,75,627
	(b) Female	1,63,844	50,941	1,56,701	3,71,486
	(c) Total	3,29,169	1,00,530	3,17,414	7,47,113
	(d) Percentage to rural total	89.34	95.80	81.15	86.42
OTHERS—					
3	(a) Male	23,819	2,799	38,465	65,083
	(b) Female	15,074	1,614	33,972	50,660
	(c) Total	38,893	4,413	72,437	1,15,743
	(d) Percentage to rural total	10.55	4.20	18.52	13.39
4	TOTAL RURAL POPULATION	3,68,457	1,04,946	3,91,126	8,64,529

Source:—Census 1971.

TABLE 1-14

POPULATION OF SCHEDULED CASTES/TRIBES IN THE URBAN AREA OF MEGHALAYA, 1971.

Particulars	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garochills	Meghalaya
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1 SCHEDULED CASTES—				
(a) Male	875	2	348	1,225
(b) Female	608	3	378	989
(c) Total	1,483	5	726	2,214
(d) P. C. to urban total	1.21	0.05	4.69	1.50
2 SCHEDULED TRIBES—				
(a) Male	23,993	3,733	4,506	32,232
(b) Female	26,907	4,026	3,952	34,885
(c) Total	50,900	7,759	8,458	67,117
(d) P. C. to urban total	41.46	86.90	54.61	45.61
3 OTHERS—				
(a) Male	41,293	833	3,851	45,977
(b) Female	29,076	332	2,454	31,862
(c) Total	70,369	1,165	6,305	77,839
(d) P. C. to urban total	57.33	13.05	46.70	52.89
4 TOTAL URBAN POPULATION	1,22,752	8,929	15,489	1,47,170

(N.B.: P.C. are percentages to total.)

Source:—Census 1971.

TABLE 1-15
**PERCENTAGE VARIATION (1961-71) OF POPULATION,
 NUMBER OF TOWNS, THANAS AND VILLAGES
 IN MEGHALAYA, 1971.**

Particulars (1)	Khasi Hills (2)	Jaintia Hills (3)	Garo Hills (4)	Megha- laya (5)
1. Percentage variation of population (1961-1971).	+29.26	+38.62	+32.34	31.50
2. No. of thanas	4(a)	2(a)	10(b)	15
3. No. of villages—				
(a) Inhabited	1,839	466	2,338	4,583
(b) Un-inhabited	268	11	120	399
4. No. of towns	4	1	1	6

(a) The Dawki Police Station of Shillong portion and Jowai portion has been included in the districts as shown above respectively.

(b) These are Mauzas not Thanas. There are six Thanas in Garo Hills, but figures showing the distribution of population Police Station-wise are not available.

Source:—Census, 1971.

TABLE
NUMBER OF VILLAGES CLASSIFIED BY SIZE OF

Sl. No.	Villages with population			Khasi Hills				
				No	Population			
(1)	(2)			(3)	(4)			
1	Less than 200	...	...	...	1,267 (68·90)	1,13,119 (30·70)
2	200—499	...	...	..	429 (23·33)	1,32,547 (35·97)
3	500—999	..	...	..	112 (6·09)	74,501 (20·22)
4	1,000—1,999	...	...	...	26 (1·41)	33,812 (9·18)
5	2,000—4,999	...	...	..	5 (0·27)	14,478 (3·93)
6	5,000—9,999	..	...	..	...	..
7	10,000 and above	..	..	..	..	..
All villages				1,339 (100·00)	3,68,457 (100·00)

(N. B.—Figures in brackets are percentages

(Source:—

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POPULATION IN MEGHALAYA, 1971.

Jaintia Hills		Garo Hills		Meghalaya	
No.	Population	No.	Population	No.	Population
(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
236 (58·13)	20,402 (19·44)	1,689 (72·24)	1,57,189 (40·19)	3,192 (69·65)	2,90,710 (33·63)
107 (26·35)	32,841 (31·25)	557 (23·83)	1,62,092 (41·44)	1,093 (23·85)	3,27,480 (37·88)
49 (12·07)	33,646 (32·06)	76 (3·25)	50,132 (12·82)	237 (5·17)	1,58,279 (18·31)
13 (3·20)	15,485 (14·76)	15 (0·64)	17,702 (4·53)	54 (1·18)	66,999 (7·75)
1 (0·25)	2,572 (2·45)	1 (0·04)	4,011 (1·02)	7 (0·15)	21,061 (2·43)
..
..
406 (100·00)	1,04,946 (100·00)	2,338 (100·00)	3,91,126 (100·00)	4,583 (100·00)	8,64,529 (100·00)

to, total.)

Census 1971,

TABLE 1.17

HOUSELESS AND INSTITUTIONAL, POPULATION IN MEGHALAYA, 1971.

Particulars	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garo Hills	Meghalaya
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1. No. of households ...	295	232	219	746
2. HOUSELESS POPULATION:				
(a) Persons ...	349	232	471	1,052
(b) Male ..	278	132	364	774
(c) Female ...	71	100	107	278
3. No. of households ..	172	56	88	316
4. INSTITUTIONAL POPULATION:				
(a) Persons ...	2,890	696	1,018	4,604
(b) Male ...	1,853	324	605	2,782
(c) Female ...	1,837	372	413	1,822

Source :—Census, 1971.

TABLE 1.18

DECADAL GROWTH OF TOWNS IN MEGHALAYA, 1961, 1971.

Particulars	1961			1971			Decadal growth in percentage
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
(1) Shillong Town Group.	58,082	44,316	102,398	66,1618	56,591	122,752	+19.88
(a) Shillong Municipality.	40,550	31,888	72,438	47,569	40,090	87,659	+21.01
(b) Shillong Cantonment.	7,739	3,609	11,348	2,679	2,051	4,730	-58.32
(c) Mawlai	4,350	4,178	8,528	7,355	6,905	14,260	+67.21
(d) Nongthymmai	5,443	4,641	10,084	8,558	7,545	16,103	+59.69
(2) Jowai ...	3,082	3,115	6,197	4,568	4,361	8,929	+44.09
(3) Tura ..	5,423	3,465	8,888	8,705	6,784	15,489	+74.27

Source :—Censuses, 1961 and 1971.

TABLE 1.19

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS BY LANGUAGE (INCLUSIVE OF MOTHER TONGUE) IN MEGHALAYA, 1971.

Languages (Mother tongue)	Total	Percentage	Male	Percentage	Female	Percentage
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1. Assamese ..	23,410	2.31	14,050	2.70	9,360	1.91
2. Bengali ...	93,967	9.29	50,975	9.78	42,992	8.76
3. Gujarati ..	82	0.01	48	0.01	34	0.01
4. Hindi ...	17,220	1.70	11,903	12.28	5,317	1.08
5. Kannada ..	50	0.01	16	0.00	34	0.01
6. Kashmiri ..	16	0.00	10	0.00	6	0.00
7. Malayalam ..	707	0.07	523	0.10	184	0.04

	(1)	(2)	(3)
8. Marathi	..	324	0.03
9. Oriya	...	230	0.02
10. Punjabi	...	2,397	0.24
11. Sanskrit	...	20	0.00
12. Sindhi	...	148	0.01
13. Tamil	..	215	0.02
14. Telegu	...	195	0.02
15. Urdu	...	1,410	0.14
16. Adi	...	23	0.00
17. Angami	...	53	0.01
18. Ao	..	94	0.01
19. Arabic/Arbi	...	142	0.01

(4)	(5)	(6)	(i)
171	0·03	153	0·03
185	0·03	45	0·01
1,376	0·26	1,021	0·21
17	0·000	3	0·00
74	0·001	74	0·02
130	0·002	85	0·02
155	0·003	40	0·01
936	0·18	474	0·10
22	0·00	1	0·00
42	0·01	11	0·00
57	0·01	37	0·01
75	0·01	67	0·01

TABLE 1.19 (contd.)

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS BY LANGUAGE INCLUSIVE
OF MOTHER TONGUE IN MEGHALAYA 1971.

Languages (Mother tongue)			Total	Per- centage	Male	Per- centage	Female	Per- centage
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
20. Bhotia	321	0.03	182	0.04	139	0.03
21. Bishnupuriya	121	0.01	69	0.01	52	0.01
22. Bodo/Boro	958	0.09	596	0.11	362	0.07
23. Chinese/Chini	174	0.02	115	0.02	59	0.01
23. Deori	6	0.00	3	0.00	3	0.00
25. Dimasā	146	0.02	81	0.02	65	0.01
26. Dogri	3	0.00	2	0.00	1	0.00
27. English	218	0.02	115	0.02	103	0.02

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
29. Garo	3,28,613	32.48	1,66,707	32.00	1,61,906	32.99
29. Gorkhali/Nepali	44,445	4.39	25,791	4.95	18,654	3.80
30. Hmar	362	0.04	302	0.06	60	0.01
31. Kabui	3	0.00	3	0.00	...	...
32. Kharia	10	0.00	8	0.00	2	0.00
33. Khasi	4,57,064	45.18	2,26,491	43.47	2,30,573	46.99
34. Koch	13,520	1.34	6,712	1.29	6,808	1.39
35. Konkani	13	0.00	8	0.00	5	0.00
36. Kuki	2,066	0.20	875	0.17	1,191	0.24
37. Kurukh/Oraon	76	0.01	68	0.01	8	0.00
38. Lalung	696	0.07	346	0.07	350	0.07
39. Lepcha	1	0.00	1	0.00	...	...

TABLE 1.19 (contd.)

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS BY LANGUAGE (INCLUSIVE OF MOTHER TONGUE) IN MEGHALAYA 1971.

Laoguaes (Mother tongue)	Total	Peren- tage	Male	Peren- tage	Female	Peren- tage
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
40. Lotha	27	0·00	24	0·00	3	0·00
41. Lushai/Mizo ..	3,002	0·30	1,600	0·31	1,402	0·29
42. Manipuri/Meithei ..	976	0·10	679	0·13	297	0·06
43. Mao	2	0·00	1	0·00	1	0·00
44. Mikir	5,850	0·58	3,032	0·58	2,818	0·57
45. Miri/Mishing ...	10	0·00	6	0·00	4	0·00

	(1)	(2)	(3)
46. Mogh	4 0.00
47. Munda	134 0.01
48. Naga	243 0.02
49. Nissi/Dafla	13 0.00
50. Paite	11 0.00
51. Pawi	217 0.02
52. Rabha	10,841 1.07
53. Santali	86 0.01
54. Sema	34 0.00
55. Sikkim Bhotia	13 0.00
56. Thangkhul	61 0.00
57. Tangsa	5 0.00

(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1	0.00	3	0.00
71	0.00	63	0.00
172	0.03	71	0.01
12	0.83	1	0.00
7	0.00	4	0.00
137	0.03	80	0.02
5,468	1.05	5,373	1.09
45	0.01	41	0.01
31	0.00	3	0.00
9	0.00	4	0.00
44	0.01	17	0.00
4	0.00	1	0.00

TABLE 1·19—*contd.*

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS BY LANGUAGE (INCLUSIVE OF MOTHER TONGUE) IN MEGHALAYA, 1971.

Languages (Mother tongue)				Total	Percentage	Male	Percentage	Female	Percentage
(1)				(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
58.	Thado	..	..	7	0·00	6	0·00	1	0·00
59.	Tibetan	...	..	116	0·01	66	0·01	50	0·01
60.	Tripuri	...	...	9	0·00	5	0·00	4	0·00
61.	Tulu	..	..	5	0·00	1	0·00	4	0·00
62.	Vaiphei	..	...	81	0·01	42	0·01	39	0·01
63.	Wancho	...	..	1	0·00	1	0·00	...	...
64.	Other Mother Tongues.	...	...	432	0·04	263	0·05	169	0·03
Total				10,11,699	100·00	5,20,964	100·00	4,90,735	100·00

Source :- Census 1971.

2, CLIMATE

TABLE 2.1
MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE (IN CENTIGRADE)
IN MEGHALAYA, 1975-1976.

Months	1975				1976				
	Shillong (C. S. O.)		Cherrapunjee (C. S. O.)		Shillong (C.S.O.)		Cherrapunjee (C. S. O.)		
	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
January	NA	MA	NA	NA	15.2	6.5	16.0	8.1	
February	17.4	7.5	17.4	8.7	17.9	6.9	17.8	8.8
March	22.3	11.8	21.7	13.5	20.9	11.8	20.9	13.0
April	25.3	15.0	22.6	15.2	23.2	14.7	21.9	16.0
May	24.3	15.6	22.9	16.4	24.3	15.9	23.1	17.4
June	24.1	17.8	23.0	18.2	25.3	17.0	23.1	17.5
July	23.0	17.3	21.2	17.6	23.2	17.1	20.9	17.0
August ..	.	24.2	17.7	23.3	18.3	23.9	17.5	24.1	19.1
September	22.9	16.5	22.6	17.4	22.9	16.2	23.2	18.2
October	21.9	15.0	23.0	16.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
November	17.6	9.6	18.7	11.8	NA	NA	NA	NA
December	14.7	6.0	15.5	7.4	NA	NA	NA	NA

(C.S.O.=Central Seismological Observatory)

Maximum=Average of daily Maximum Temperature

Minimum=Average of daily Minimum Temperature

Source :—Meteorologist, Gauhati.

TABLE 2-2

HUMIDITY PERCENTAGE BY STATION AND BY MONTH IN
MEGHALAYA, 1975-1976.

Months	1975				1976			
	Shillong (C. S. O.)		Cherrapunjee (C. S. O.)		Shillong (C. S. O.)		Cherrapunjee (C. S. O.)	
	8.30 a.m.	5.30 p.m.	8.30 a.m.	5.30 p.m.	8.30 a.m.	5.30 p.m.	8.30 a.m.	5.30 p.m.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
January	61	70	58	71
February	56.5	73	55	58	74	55	70
March	45	57	51	57	49	64	53
April	57	63	79	77	55	62	78
May	73	76.2	84	83	74	78	83
June	79	82	92	90	81	82	92
July	90	91	99	97	89	89	93
August	88	92	91	19	89	92	93
September	89	93	89	93	88	91	90
October	79	88	82	90	...	...	...
November	72	82	69	85	...	...	...
December	57	72	60	76	...	...	...

(C.S.O.=Central Seismological Observatory.)

Average of daily humidity P. C. at 8.30 A. M.

Average of daily humidity P. C. at 5.30 P. M.

Source :—Meteorologist, Gauhati.

TABLE 2-3

AVERAGE ANNUAL RAINFALL IN SELECTED CENTRES IN MEGHALAYA,
1970-1976.

		(in millimetres)						
Centres		1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
KHASI HILLS—								
1. Upper Shillong	...	1,329 (52)	1,747 (69)	1,867 (74)	2,634 (104)	2,495 (8)	2,241 (88)	1,585 (62)
2. Cherrapunjee	..	15,318 (603)	16,915 (666)	NA	10,940 (431)	24,534 (97)	11,976 (471)	11,012 (434)
3. Mawryngkneng	...	NA	NA	NA	NA	3,256 (18)	2,265 (89)	1,193 (47)
JAINTIA HILLS—								
1. Rymphum Seed Farm.	...	NA	5,331 (210)	2,986 (118)	3,928 (155)	5,346 (2.0)	3,131 (123)	2,275 (90)
2. Madan Saphai	..	NA	NA	NA	NA	5,749 (226)	5,094 (201)	5,853 (230)
3. Jowai	...	NA	2,419 (95)	NA	2,500 (153)	5,311 (204)	3,131 (123)	NA
GARO HILLS								
Tura	...	3,498 (138)	3,165 (125)	3,018 (119)	3,883 (153)	4,062 (160)	2,659 (105)	2,707 (114)

(Figures within brackets are inches equivalent)

Source:—Director of Agriculture, Meghalaya.

TABLE 2.4

NUMBER OF RAINY DAYS RECORDED IN MEGHALAYA, 1971-1976.

Centres	Number of rainy days in a year					
	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
KHASI HILLS—						
Upper Shillong	37	78	98	194	NA	NA
JAINTIA HILLS—						
Rymphum Seed Farm ..	123	113	163	134	148	120
Madan Saphai	NA	NA	NA	59	69	76
GARO HILLS—						
Tura	155	131	136	143	82	75

Source:—Director of Agriculture, Meghalaya.

3. AGRICULTURE

TABLE 3·1

LAND UTILISATION IN MEGHALAYA, 1970-71-1974-75.

(In hectare;)

Particulars	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
I. Total geographical area	2,248,900	2,248,900	2,248,900	2,248,900	2,248,900
II. Forests	688,328	688,613	733,438	717,174	820,173
III. Barren and uncultivable land.	275,715	275,490	215,894	244,680	247,604
IV. Net area sown ...	143,255	143,030	163,495	175,864	182,385
V. Area sown more than once.	17,375	17,709	18,194	31,620	28,912
VI. Total cropped area ...	160,630	160,739	181,689	207,684	211,297

Source:—State Statistical Bureau.

TABLE 3.2

AREA UNDER PRINCIPAL CROPS IN MEGHALAYA,
1974-75-1975-76.

Crops (1)	Area in Hectares	
	1974-75 (2)	1975-76 (3)
FOOD GRAINS--		
Cereals		
Autumn rice	31,200	33,500
Winter rice	65,440	68,994
Spring rice	1,500	1,850
Wheat	1,500	1,500
Maize	18,000	16,184
Other cereals and small millets ..	1,957	1,880
Pulses		
Gram	120	126
Tur	151	106
Other pulses	1,212	1,257
Total food-grains	1,23,080	1,25,397

AREA UNDER PRINCIPAL CROPS
IN MEGHALAYA
1974-75 - 1975-76

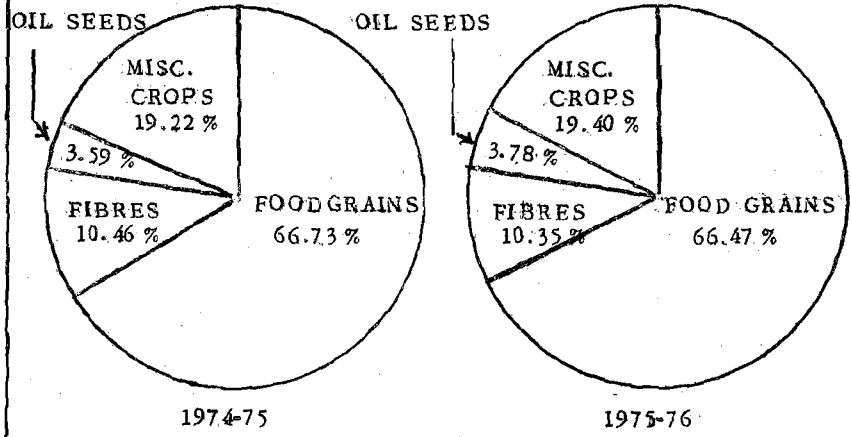


TABLE 3-2—(contd)

Crops	Area in hectares	
	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)
OIL SEEDS		
Sesamum	475	514
Rape and mustard	6,105	6,508
Castor	33	45
Total oil seeds	6,613	7,067
FIBRES		
Cotton	6,014	7,542
Jute	5,950	5,800
Mesta	7,340	7,000
Total fibres	19,304	19,542

Source:—State Statistical Bureau.

TABLE 3.3

PRODUCTION OF PRINCIPAL CROPS IN MEGHALAYA,
1974-75-1975-76.

Crops (1)	Figures in tonnes unless otherwise indicated	
	1974-75 (2)	1975-76 (3)
FOOD GRAINS—		
Cereals		
Autumn rice	24,305	30,016
Winter rice	79,444	85,586
Spring rice	3,000	3,700
Wheat	1,954	1,800
Maize	12,600	11,324
Other cereals and small millets	1,998	1,907
Pulses		
Gram	114	120
Tur	155	106
Other pulses	740	750
Total food grains	1,24,310	1,35,309
OIL SEEDS		
Sesamum	269	282
Rape and mustard	3,044	3,290
Castor	17	24
Total oil seeds	3,330	3,596
FIBRES		
*Cotton (in bales)	2,688	3,353
**Jute ,,	32,450	35,000
**Mesta ,,	25,690	25,200

(*in bales of 170 Kgs. **in bales of 180 Kgs.)

TABLE 3-3 - (contd)

Crops					Figures in tonnes unless otherwise indicated	
					1974-75	1975-76
(1)					(2)	(3)
MISCELLANEOUS CROPS						
Sugarcane	...	..	--	--	712	812
Tobacco	...	..	...	--	277	281
Potato	...	..	...	..	74,178	73,880
Sweet potato	...	...	...	...	12,070	12,590
Chilies	..	--	--	...	1,001	769
Tapioca	...	..	--	..	9,417	10,272
Arccanut	..	...	...	...	5,940	4,143
Banana	...	..	..	..	54,632	53,165
Soya bean	...	..	..	..	75	218
Papaya	..	..	..	..	3,287	3,400

Source :—State Statistical Bureau.

4. LIVE-STOCK, POULTRY AND VETERINARY

TABLE 4.1

NUMBER OF LIVE-STOCK AND POULTRY
IN MEGHALAYA, 1966 & 1972.

Sl. No.	Categories	1966	1972	Variation P. C. increase (+) decrease (-)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1	Cattle	4,14,737	4,67,725	(+) 12.78
2	Buffaloes...	38,021	46,021	(+)21.04
3	Sheep ..	20,672	18,379	(-)11.09
4	Goats	99,697	95,941	(-)3.77
5	Horses and Ponies	9,371	5,025	(-)46.38
6	Other Live-stock	1,08,349	1,26,735	(+)16.97
Total Live-stock ...		6,90,847	7,59,826	(+)9.98
Poultry (total) ...		9,43,023	9,75,312	(+)3.42

(N.B. P.C. is percentage to total)

Source—Live-stock Census, 1966 & 1972.

TABLE 4-2

**NUMBER OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY IN THE DISTRICTS
OF MEGHALAYA, 1972.**

Sl. No.	Categories	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garro Hills
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1	Cattle	2,21,550	67,211	1,78,964
2	Buffaloes	12,135	1,078	32,808
3	Sheep	17,057	127	1,195
4	Goats	53,760	12,739	29,442
5	Horses and Ponies ...	4,634	189	202
6	Other Livestock ...	75,908	14,496	36,331
	Total Livestock ...	3,85,044	95,840	2,78,942
	Poultry (total) ...	4,10,729	1,16,128	4,48,455

Source:—Livestock Census, 1972.

TABLE 4.3
 VETERINARY HOSPITAL AND DISPENSARY IN MEGHALAYA,
 1970-71-1975-76.

Particulars.	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Veterinary Hospital ...	1	1	1	1	1	1
Veterinary Dispensary ...	31	31	31	33	34	36
Veterinary Doctor/surgeon	33	44	48	56	59	70
Cases treated ('000 No.)	116	*125	*157	NA	*180	NA

(*Excluding Jaintia Hills)

N.A. not available.

Source :—Director of Veterinary and Animal Husbandry, Meghalaya,

5. FOREST

TABLE 5.1

AREA UNDER FOREST. IN MEGHALAYA, 1971-72-1974-75.

Years	('000 hectares)				Total
	Reserved	Protected	Unclassed		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	
1971-72	74	13	6,02		6,89
1972-73	74	13	6,02		689
1973-74	74	13	6,53		7,40
1974-75	74	13	7,34		8,21

Source: — Conservator of Forests and State Statistical Bureau,
Meghalaya.

TABLE 5.2

OUT-TURN OF MAJOR FOREST PRODUCTS IN
MEGHALAYA 1970-71—1974-75.

Years	Timber		Firewood	
	Out-turn (Cubic metre)	Value (Rs.'000)	Out-turn (Cubic metre)	Value (Rs.'000)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1970-71 ..	5,921.2	7,27.6	18,550.0	2.0
1971-72 ...	3,070.6	4,70.7	549.0	3.3
1972-73 ...	19,455.0	7,41.3	131.5	0.5
1973-74 ...	3,097.7	4,23.1	489.0	6.6
1974-75 ...	6,606.1	7,30.5	523.6	7.2

(N.B. Timbers include sal, pine and round wood.)

Source:—Conservator of Forests, Meghalaya.

TABLE 5.3
VALUE OF MIXOR FOREST PRODUCTS IN MEGHALAYA,
1970-71—1974-75.

Items (1)	(Rupees '000)			1973-74 (5)	1974-75 (6)
	1970-71 (2)	1971-72 (3)	1972-73 (4)		
1. Broomstick	...	...	23.4	...	46.4
2. Thatch	...	..	..	0.8	...
3. Agar	..	...	1.0	...	...
4. Rowalfia Serpentina	...	...	1.1	...	..
5. Resin	7.5	6.4	8.5	7.7	7.5
6. Gravel	15.3	1.1	3,52.3	9.1	..
7. Sand	1.5	2.4	20.9	9.8	15.6
8. Roulder	14.6	1.5	2.7	0.4	2.5
9. Chip	0.4	..	...	...	...
10. Earth	..	...	2.5	10.2	3.5
11. Cane	...	...	...	1.0	1.0
12. Limestone	...	0.6	...	...	...
13. Total	39.3	12.0	4,12.4	39.0	76.5

Source : — Conservator of Forests, Meghalaya.

6. INDUSTRIES

TABLE 6.1

NUMBER OF SMALL INDUSTRIAL UNITS (OTHER THAN
THOSE REGISTERED UNDER FACTORIES ACT, 1948)
IN THE URBAN AREA OF MEGHALAYA, 1974-75.

Items	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garó Hills	Meghalaya
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1. Number of units	228	8	16	252
2. Number of units using power	85	3	7	95
3. Number of units not using power	143	5	9	157
4. Number of persons employed	1,497	43	105	1,645
5. Number of units already borrow- ing from banks or financial Institutions.	6	Nil	5	11
6. Number of units requiring bank finance.	67	5	8	80

Source :—State Statistical Bureau.

TABLE 62

NUMBER OF SMALL INDUSTRIAL UNITS EMPLOYING
LESS THAN 5 PERSONS IN THE URBAN AREA OF
MEGHALAYA, 1974-75.

Items	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garo Hills	Meghalaya
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1. Number of units ...	312	46	27	385
2. Number of units using power	27	1	9	37
3. Number of units not using power	285	45	18	341
4. Number of persons employed	599	134	73	806
5. Number of units already borrowing from banks or financial Institutions.	Nil	2	1	3
6. Number of units requiring bank finance.	1	42	1	44

Source:—State Statistical Bureau.

TABLE 6.3

NUMBER OF SMALL INDUSTRIAL UNITS EMPLOYING
5 TO 9 PERSONS WITH POWER AND 5 TO 19 PERSONS
WITHOUT POWER IN THE URBAN AREA OF MEGHALAYA,
1974-75.

Items	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garo Hills	Meghalaya
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1. Number of units	228	8	16	252
2. Number of units using power	85	3	7	95
3. Number of units not using power	143	5	9	157
4. Number of persons employea	1,497	43	105	1,645
5. Number of units already borrow- ing from banks or financial Institutions.	6	Nil	5	11
6. Number of units requiring bank finance.	67	5	8	86

Source: — State Statistical Bureau.

TABLE 6·4

NUMBER OF SMALL INDUSTRIAL UNITS (OTHER THAN THOSE REGISTERED UNDER FACTORIES ACT, 1948) EMPLOYING IN TO 19 PERSONS WITH POWER AND 20 PERSONS OR MORE WITHOUT POWER IN THE URBAN AREA OF MEGHALAYA, 1974-75.

Items	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garo Hills	Meghalaya
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1. Number of units	21	Nil	2	23
2. Number of units using power	20	Nil	2	22
3. Number of units not using power	1	Nil	Nil	1
4. Number of persons employed	260	Nil	29	289
5. Number of units already borrowing from banks or financial institutions.	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
6. Number of units requiring bank finance.	7	Nil	Nil	7

Source :—State Statistical Bureau.

TABLE 6.5

NUMBER OF REGISTERED FACTORIES IN THE URBAN
AREA OF MEGHALAYA, 1974-75.

Particulars			Number of units	Maximum number of workers employed
(1)			(2)	(3)
Khasi Hills	...	...	39	2,714
Jaintia Hills	...	...	...	...
Garo Hills	...	...	6	231
Meghalaya	...	...	45	2,945

Source:—State Statistical Bureau.

TABLE 6.6

PRODUCTION AND DESPATCHES OF CEMENT
IN MEGHALAYA, 1970-1976.

Years	In '000 metric tonnes	
	Production	Despatches
(1)	(2)	(3)
1970	55	56
1971	74	74
1972	48	47
1973	63	65
1974	71	70
1975	65	65
1976	59	58

—M/s. Mawmluh Cherra Cement, Ltd.

TABLE 6.7

CONSUMPTION OF CEMENT 1969-70—1975-76.

Year	In metric '000 tonnes	
	In Meghalaya	Sold to Assam and others
(1)	(2)	(3)
1969-70 .. ..	...	63
1970-71 ... ..	...	58
1971-72	11	59
1972-73	29	33
1973-74	27	27
1974-75	32	41
1975-76	38	23

Source:—MIS Mawmluh Cherra Cement, Ltd.

TABLE 6·8

SERICULTURE IN MEGHALAYA,
1975-76.

Central Farms	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garo Hills	Meghalaya
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1. Sericulture Farm ...	1	1	1	3
2. Eri Seed Grainage	1	...	1	2
3. Collective Mulberry Farm	10	13	9	32
4. Eri Concentration Centre	6	5	7	18
5. Muga Plantation Farm	1	...	2	3
6. Experimental Oak Tassar Plantation Farm	1	1	...	2
7. Demonstration-cum-Muga Seed Farm.	...	...	1	1

Source:—Directorate of Sericulture and Weaving,
Meghalaya.

TABLE 6.9

PRODUCTION OF COCOON AND RAW SILK IN MEGHALAYA,
1971-72 - 1975-76.

Year (1)	In kilograms		
	K. & J. Hills (2)	Garó Hills (3)	Meghalaya (4)
1970-71	435	90	525
1971-72	492	98	590
1972-73	530	110	640
1973-74	585	115	700
1974-75	625	125	750
1975-76	520	75	595

Source:—Directorate of Sericulture and Weaving, Meghalaya.

TABLE 6.10

NUMBER OF TOURISTS WHO VISITED MEGHALAYA,
1970—1976.

Year	Foreign	India	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1970	435	9,715	10,150
1971	311	9,375	9,686
1972	342	10,691	11,033
1973	420	9,976	10,396
1974	510	11,064	11,574
1975	674	13,035	13,709
1976 July	423	8,858	9,281

Source :—Director of Tourism, Meghalaya.

7. MINING

TABLE 7.1

PRODUCTION OF MINERALS IN MEGHALAYA, 1966-1976.

Year	(Figures in '000 tonnes)			
	Coal	Limestone	Sillimanite	Clay
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1966	54	30	10	..
1967	40	51	6	...
1968	37	66	5	...
1969	34	66	3	...
1970	39	65	3	8
1971	61	87	3	18
1972	63	74	2.7	12
1973	56	1,15	1.6	13
1974	59	1,45	2	8
1975	59	1,64	5	6
1976	15*	1,19	6	7

(*Excluding coal produced by cottage coal mines.)

Source : — Director of Mineral Resources, Meghalaya.

TABLE 7.2
 PRODUCTION AND VALUE OF COAL IN MEGHALAYA,
 1974-1976.

Particulars	Production in '000 tonnes	Distribution in '000 tonnes	Baiaance in '000 tonnes	Pit-head value in '000 Rr.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1974				
Khasi Hills	...	53	52	.. 15,78
Jaintia Hills	..	5	5	... 3,80
Garo Hills	...	1	..	1 32
Total	...	59	57	1 19,90
1975				
Khasi Hills	...	28	28	... 11,38
Jaintia Hills	...	27	27	... 18,85
Garo Hills	...	4	5	14 2,10
Total	..	59	60	14 32,33
1976*				
Khasi Hills	..	15	15	... 2,25
Jaintia Hills
Garo Hills	..	3	3	.. 24
Total	...	15.3	15.3	... 2,49

(*Excluding coal produced by cottage coal mines.)

Source:—Director of Minerals Resources, Meghalaya.

TABLE 7.3

PRODUCTION AND VALUE OF LIMESTONE IN MEGHALAYA,
1974-1976.

Particulars	Production in '000 toenes	Distribution in '000 tonnes	Balance in '000 tonnes	Pit-head value in '000 Rs.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1974				
Khasi Hills	.. 1,45	1,30	28	13,04
Jaintia Hills	. Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Garo Hills	.. Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Total ..	.. 1,45	1,30	28	13,04
1975				
Khasi Hills	... 1,64	1,56	29	18,00
Jaintia Hills	... Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Garo Hills	... Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Total ..	... 1,64	1,56	29	18,00
1976				
Khasi Hills	... 1,19	1,23	Nil	19,65
Jaintia Hills	... Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Garo Hills	... Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Total ..	... 1,19	1,23	Nil	19,65

Source:—Director of Mineral Resources, Meghalaya.

TABLE 7.4

**PRODUCTION AND VALUE OF SILLIMANITE IN MEGHALAYA,
1974-1976,**

Particulars	Production in '000 tonnes	Distribution in '000 tonnes	Balance in '000 tonnes	Pit-head value in '000 Rs.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1974				
Khasi Hills	2	2	1	6,36
Jaintia Hills	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Garó Hills	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Total	2	2	1	6,36
1975				
Khasi Hills	5	4	2	16,42
Jaintia Hills	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Garó Hills	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Total	5	4	2	16,42
1976				
Khasi Hills	6	6	Nil	1,87
Jaintia Hills	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Garó Hills	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Total	6	6	Nil	1,87

Source: Director of Mineral Resources, Meghalaya.

TABLE 7.5

**PRODUCTION AND VALUE OF CLAY IN MEGHALAYA,
1974-1976.**

Particulars	Production in '000 tonnes	Distribution in '000 tonnes	Balance in '000 tonnes	Pit-head value in '000 Rs
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1974				
Khasi Hills	8	8	Nil	21
Jaintia Hills	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Garó Hills	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Total	8	8	Nil	21
1975				
Khasi Hills	6	6	Nil	18
Jaintia Hills	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Garó Hills	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Total	6	6	Nil	18
1976				
Khasi Hills	7	6	Nil	22
Jaintia Hills	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Garó Hills	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Total	7	6	Nil	22

Source:—Director of Mineral Resources, Meghalaya.

8. POWER AND ELECTRICITY

TABLE 8-1.

**INSTALLED CAPACITY AND GENERATION OF
ELECTRICITY, 1974-75—1975-76.**

Particulars	Installed capacity (Megawatts)		Generation (M. Kwh)	
	1974-75	1975-76	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1. Umiam Hydel Project				
Stage—I	36	36	120.506	77.260
Stage—II	18	18	40.414	36.020
2. Umtru Hydel Project	11.2	11.2	56.056	62.020
3. Garo Hills Thermal Project.	...	5	...	...
Total	...	...	65.2	70.2
			216.976	175.285

Source: —Meghalaya State Electricity Board.

TABLE: 8·2

SALE OF ELECTRICITY BY CLASS OF CONSUMER IN
MEGHALAYA, 1975-76.

Particulars	In M. Kwh 1975-76
(1)	(2)
1. Domestic	2·077
2. Commercial	0·343
3. Industrial power	13·261
4. Public lighting	0·069
5. Irrigation and Agriculture	Nil
6. Public water works and Sewage pumping	0·083
7. Bulk supply (including Licences)	17·520
8. Total Sale	33·353

Source:—Meghalaya State Electricity Board.

TABLE 8.3

NUMBER OF VILLAGES ELECTRIFIED IN MEGHALAYA,
1969-70—1976-77.

Years			Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garó Hills	Total
1969-70	...	..	49	13	22	84
1970-71	..	...	63	14	24	101
1971-72	...	...	71	17	24	112
1972-73	...	...	79	25	25	129
1973-74	...	...	112	29	26	167
1974-75	...	...	118	31	36	185
1975-76	...	...	147	71	43	261
1976-77	...	...	190	89	59	338

Source :—Meghalaya State Electricity Board.

9. ROAD AND TRANSPORT

TABLE 9-1

ROADS MAINTAINED BY PUBLIC WORKS
DEPARTMENT IN MEGHALAYA,
1973-74—1976-77.

(In kilometres)

Years	Surfaced	Unsurfaced	Total
(1)	(2)	(5)	(4)
1973-74	948	2,142	3,090
1974-75	993	2,205	3,198
1975-76	1,028	2,287	3,315
1976-77*	1,063	2,357	3,420

*Provisional.

Source:—State Statistical Bureau.

TABLE 9.2

TABLE 9.2

NUMBER OF VEHICLES REGISTERED IN MEGHALAYA,
1971-72--1975-76.

Type of vehicles		1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Truck ...	Private	501	825	60	47	67
	Government	52	28	91	90	106
Bus ...	Private	211	71	30	6	21
	Government	...	14	1	1	2
Car ...	Private	1,126	170	232	80	70
	Government	46	51	726	151	173
Jeep ...	Private	422	118	141	56	83
	Government	44	103	173	196	226

Trailer	...	Private	354	49	40	40	22
		Government	7	21	..	15	33
Tractor	...	Private	18	5	2	15	6
		Government	1	31	8	18	32
Motor Cycle ...		Private	522	31	16	12	47
		Government	27	23	21	20	21
Scooter	...	Private	14	124	92	197	243
		Government	..	..	..	...	..
Taxi Cab.	..	Private	350	21	13	5	4
Others		Private	30	31	18	16	7
		Government	29	10	63	21	6
		Total	3,754	1,726	1,727	983	1,169

Source:—District Transport Officers.

TABLE 9.3

NUMBER OF VEHICLES ON ROAD IN MEGHALAYA,
1971-72—1975-76.

Type of vehicles		1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Truck	Private	489	573	633	663	972
	Government	72	87	140	157	178
Bus	Private	253	275	292	301	331
	Government	..	14	1	1	55
Car	Private	1,103	1,261	1,511	1,566	1,607
	Government	49	48	80	155	208
Jeep	Private	412	502	66	613	770
	Government	67	98	22	247	254

Trailer	Private	351	394	423	455	504
	Government	19	29	19	36	37
Tractor	Private	20	4	2	40	60
	Government	8	9	1	21	62
Scooter & Motor Cycles	Private	531	559	782	973	1,157
	Government	27	23	20	20	54
Taxi Cab	Private	348	368	377	368	390
Others	Private	57	89	105	117	123
	Government	25	...	48	56	60
Total		3,831	4,333	5,334	5,829	6,828

Source:—District Transport Officers.

10. PUBLIC FINANCE

TABLE 10·1

COLLECTION OF SMALL SAVINGS, IN MEGHALAYA, 1971-72—1975-76.

Districts	Sales	(Rs. in lakhs)				
		1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Khasi and Jaintia Hills.	Gross	594·16	166·67	141·74	52·31	150·38
	Net	279·38	78·50	12·38	19·39	21·50
Garo Hills ..	Gross	33·23	28·62	23·67	31·69	32·83
	Net	7·04	5·50	3·12	4·89	9·25
Total Meghalaya ...	Gross	627·39	195·38	165·41	84·00	183·21
	Net	286·42	84·00	15·50	24·28	30·75

Source: —Regional Director National Savings, Government of India, Shillong.

TABLE 10.2

COLLECTION OF EXCISE REVENUE IN MEGHALAYA,
1971-72—1975-76.

('000 Rs.)

Years	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garo Hills	Meghalaya
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1971-72	1,88	95	1,25	4,08
1972-73	13,95	1,14	1,46	16,55
1973-74	17,74	1,74	2,05	21,53
1974-75	23,36	2,73	2,23	28,32
1975-76	26,05	2,28	1,36	29,69

Source:—Commissioner of Excise, Meghalaya.

1973-74				
1974-75	19,26	64	78	20,68
1975-76	30,52	19	2,88	33,59

Source:—Commissioner of Taxes, Meghalaya.

TABLE 10.3

COLLECTION OF SALES TAXES IN MEGHALAYA,
1971-72—1975-76.

		('000 Rs.)			
Years		Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garo Hills	Meghalaya
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1971-72 ...	...	4,32	..	60	4,92
1972-73 ...	...	32,87	37	2,12	35,36
1973-74 ...	...	50,14	62	2,48	53,24
1974-75 ...	...	76,97	61	5,08	82,66
1975-76 ..	...	80,94	70	6,35	88,59

Source :—Commissioner of Taxes, Meghalaya.

TABLE No. 10·6

COLLECTION OF TAXES AND DUTIES ON ELECTRICITY
IN MEGHALAYA, 1971-72—1975-76.

Years	(000 Rs.)			
	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garo Killa	Meghalaya
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1971-72	4	..	9	113
1972-73	2,00	..	3	2,03
1973-74	1,72	..	17	1,89
1974-75	90	negligible	Nil	90
1975-76	2,07	1	Nil	2,08

Source:—Commissioner of Taxes, Meghalaya.

Table 10.7

**COLLECTION OF TAXES ON VEHICLES, GOODS AND
PASSENGERS IN MEGHALAYA, 1971-72 — 1975-76.**

('000 Rs.)

Years	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garó Hills	Meghalaya
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1971-72	2,03	..	2,36	4,39
1972-73	20,55	5	3,30	23,90
1973-74	18,42	32	4,75	23,49
1974-75	21,39	60	3,29	25,28
1975-76	26,06	59	3,83	30,48

Source:— Commissioner of Taxes, Meghalaya.

TABLE 10.9

**REVENUE EXPENDITURE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA,
1973-74-1977-78.**

Heads	(Rupees in lakhs)				
	1973-74 (Actuals)	1974-75 (Actuals)	1975-76 (Actuals)	1976-77 R.E.	1977-78 B.E.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1—General Services ...	4,96.07 (25.37)	7,60.85 (30.40)	8,98.07 (32.83)	9,26.14 (28.08)	10,49.01 (28.83)
2—Social and Community Services	6,62.41 (33.88)	6,99.56 (27.95)	7,90.60 (28.91)	9,64.56 (29.24)	11,08.32 (30.46)
3—Economic and Develop- ment Services	7,96.83 (40.75)	10,42.23 (41.65)	10,46.87 (38.26)	14,07.70 (42.68)	14,80.55 (40.71)
Total Revenue Expendi- ture	19,55.31 (100.00)	25,02.64 (100.00)	27,35.54 (100.00)	32,98.40 (100.00)	36,37.88 (100.00)

(Figures in brackets indicate percentages to total.)

Source: — State Budget.

TABLE 10.10

**REVENUE RECEIPTS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA,
1973-74-1977-78.**

(Rupees in lakhs.)					
Principal Heads	1973-74 (Actuals)	1974-75 (Actuals)	1975-76 (Actuals)	1976-77 (R.E.)	1977-78 (B.E.)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1 Share of Central Taxes ...	2,31.11 (12.36)	2,23.14 (7.55)	2,92.07 (8.76)	2,98.00 (7.39)	3,12.00 (7.32)
2 State Taxes ...	1,54.52 (8.93)	1,95.13 (6.61)	2,18.13 (6.54)	2,19.97 (5.46)	2,36.50 (5.55)
3 Non-Tax Revenue (State)	1,27.15 (7.35)	1,97.31 (6.68)	3,04.11 (9.12)	1,68.35 (4.18)	1,68.51 (3.95)
5 Non-tax Revenue (Central)	12,17.47 (70.36)	23,39.17 (79.16)	25,18.84 (75.57)	33,44.59 (32.97)	35,45.72 (83.18)
Total Receipt from Revenue	17,30.25 (100.00)	29,54.75 (100.00)	33,33.15 (100.00)	40,30.81 (100.00)	42,62.73 (100.00)

(Figures in brackets indicate percentages to total)

Source:—State Budget.

11. PRICE.

TABLE 11.1

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX—NUMBER FOR URBAN NON-MANUAL EMPLOYEES 1970-1977.

(Shillong as compared with Gauhati and All India-Level).

Period	Base 1960-1969		
	Shillong	Gauhati	All India
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1970	165	167	173
1971	174	178	178
1972	180	183	189
1973	199	201	212
1974	245	249	259
1975	276	267	279
1976	265	260	273
1977: January	269	26%	282
February	273	263	284

Source:—Central Statistical Organisation, Government of India.

12. BANKING AND CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES

TABLE 12.1

DISTRICT-WISE **DISTRIBUTION** OF DEPOSITS AND **ADVANCES** OF SCHEDULED COMMERCIAL BANKS ACCORDING TO POPULATION **GROUP** IN MEGHALAYA, **1969-1974.**

				In lakhs of Rupees		
District/Population Group				No. of Offices (2)	Deposits (3)	Advance (4)
(1)						
June 1969--						
Garo Hills	..	...	1	16	..
Jaintia Hills		..	...	...	...
Khasi Hills	...	...	1	1	...
Shillong ..	..	...	5	8,70	2,52
December 1973--						
Garo Hills	...	..	2	47	3
Jaintia Hills	..	...	3	51	10
Khasi Hills	..	...	4	52	8
Shillong ...	...	...	9	16,68	2,64
June 1974--						
Garo Hills	...	...	2	56	4
Jaintia Hills	...	...	3	59	10
Khasi Hills	...	...	4	65	9
Shillong ..	..	..	9	18,62	1,69

Source:—Banking Statistics, R, B. I.

TABLE 12.2

WORKING OF CO-OPERATIVE APEX BANK IN MEGHALAYA,
1971-72-1975-76.

Particulars	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
No. of Banks	1	1	1	1	1
No. of Members	106	139	199	240	338
Share Capital (Rs. lakhs) ...	17.27	22.96	33.03	37.1	42.98
Reserve (Rs. lakhs) ...	0.01	0.01	2.83	7.14	4.77
Borrowing (Rs. lakhs) ...	..	...	...	...	22.00
Deposits (Rs. lakhs) ...	..	40.00	2,14.78	2,40.70	281.81
Working (Rs. lakhs) ..	1,29.52	2,68.05	2,58.30	297.00	366.98
Profit (+) Loss(-) (Rs. lakhs)	(+)0.22	(+)0.73	(+)0.73	(+)0.85	(+)1.02

Source:—Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Meghalaya.

TABLE 12.3
 GROWTH OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES IN MEGHALAYA, 1970-71-1974-75.
 (INCLUDING CO-OPERATIVE BANKS)

Years			Societies No.	Membership No.	Share Capital (Rs. in lakhs)	Working Capital (Rs. in lakhs)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1970-71	904	39,839	32.16	1,19.62
1971-72	953	56,513	34.74	1,32.99
1972-73	978	60,834	36.29	1,65.42
1973-74	990	63,153	36.84	1,48.54
1974-75	1,010	73,536	94.44	458.46

Source:—Registrar, Co-operative Societies, Meghalaya.

TABLE 12.4

GROWTH OF PRIMARY CREDIT SOCIETIES IN MEGHALAYA,
1970-71—1974-75.

Years		Societies	Membership No.	Share (Rs. in lakhs)	Working (Rs. in lakhs)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	
1970-71	508	19,079	3.31	12.06
1971-72	531	22,627	4.08	21.30
1972-73	534	29,210	3.73	55.68
1973-74	541	31,377	13.55	42.00
1974-75	548	33,147	20.00	76.11

Source:—Registrar, Co-operative Societies, Meghalaya.

TABLE 13.1
WORKING POPULATION IN MEGHALAYA, 1971.

Category of workers (1)	Male		Female		Total	
	No. (2)	P.c. (3)	No. (4)	P.c. (5)	No. (6)	P.c. (7)
1 Cultivators	1,76,144	33.81	1,32,834	27.07	3,08,978	30.54
2 Agricultural labourers	25,894	4.91	18,237	3.72	44,131	4.36
3 Mining, quarrying, livestock, forestry, etc.	9,094	1.75	3,460	0.70	12,554	1.24
4 Household industries	3,120	0.60	1,754	0.36	4,874	0.48
5 Manufacturing, other than household industry.	5,043	0.97	602	0.12	5,645	0.56
6 Construction	3,960	0.76	280	0.06	4,240	0.42
7 Trade and commerce	9,706	1.86	3,617	0.74	13,323	1.32
8 Transport and storage and communication.	5,049	0.97	554	0.11	5,603	0.55
9 Other services ...	39,176	7.52	8,304	1.69	47,480	4.70
10 Total workers	2,77,186	53.21	1,69,642	34.57	4,46,828	44.17
11 Non-workers	2,43,781	46.79	3,21,090	65.43	5,64,871	55.83
12 Total population ...	5,20,967	100.00	4,90,732	100.00	10,11,699	100.00

(NB. P. C are percentages to total)

Source :—Census 1971.

TABLE 13.2

WORKING POPULATION IN INDIA AND MEGHALAYA, 1971.

Category of workers.	India		Meghalaya	
	Persons in '000	Persons in '000	Percentage of col. 3 out of col. 2.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
Cultivators	7,81,77	3,09	0.39	
Agricultural labourers ...	4,74,89	44	0.09	
Mining, quarrying Livestock, Forestry etc.	52,20	13	0.24	
Household Industry ...	63,52	5	0.08	
Manufacturing other than household industry.	1,07,16	6	0.05	
Construction	22,15	4	0.19	
Trade and Commerce ...	1,00,38	13	0.13	
Transport & Storage and Communication	44,01	6	0.13	
Other Services	1,57,65	47	0.30	
Total workers	18,03,73	4,47	0.25	
Non Workers	36,75,77	5,65	0.15	
Total	54,79,50*	10,12	0.18	

(* Excluding Sikkim)

Source:— Census 1971.

TABLE 13.3

GROWTH OF MEGHALAYA GOVERNMENT
EMPLOYEES 1970-1975.

Years	Male	Female	Total	Index of Em- ployment
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1970	3,975 (90.44)	420 (9.56)	4,395 (100.00)	100
1971	5,052 (89.08)	619 (10.92)	5,671 (100.00)	129
1972	8,604 (89.77)	981 (10.23)	9,585 (100.00)	218
1973	11,913 (89.53)	1,393 (10.47)	13,306 (100.00)	303
1974	13,381 (87.88)	1,846 (12.12)	15,227 (100.00)	348
1975	14,577 (88.05)	1,979 (11.95)	16,556 (100.00)	377

(N. B. Figures within brackets are percentages to total.)

Source:—State Statistical Bureau.

13. LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT

TABLE 13.4

DISTRIBUTION OF STATE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES
ACCORDING TO CASTE/TRIBE AND STATUS AS ON
31st MARCH, 1975.

Castes/Tribes	Gazet- ted	Non- gazetted	Grade IV	Total	Percentage to total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Scheduled Tribes Hills	415	6,233	2,692	9,340	56.41
Scheduled Tribes Plains	12	264	51	327	1.98
Scheduled Castes ..	20	570	194	784	4.74
Others	299	2,352	1,123	3,744	22.79
Other Backward Clas- ses.	43	1,225	1,063	2,331	14.08
Total ..	789	10,644	5,123	16,556	100.00

Source:—State Statistical, Bureau.

TABLE 13.5

DISTRIBUTION OF STATE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES
ACCORDING TO STATUS AND PAY GROUPS AS ON 31.3.1975.

Pay range	Gazetted	Non-gazet- ted	Grade IV	Total	Percen- tage to total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Below Rs. 100	...	5	269	274	1.66
Rs. 101—Rs. 199	1	9,380	2,617	3,656	22.08
Rs. 200—Rs. 499	328	1,038	2,237	11,945	72.15
Rs. 503—Rs. 699	248	195	...	443	2.67
Rs. 700—Rs. 1,499	172	26	...	198	1.20
Rs. 1,500 and above	40	...	...	40	0.24
All pay groups	789	10,644	5,123	16,556	100.00

Source:—State Statistical Bureau, Meghalaya.

TABLE 13.6

**DISTRIBUTION OF CENTRAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES
IN MEGHALAYA BY PAY RANGE AS ON 31ST MARCH 1973.**

Serial No.	Pay range	No.	Serial No.	Pay range	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(2)	(3)
1	Below Rs. 75	...	9	Rs. 750-999	98 (0.88)
2	Rs. 75-99	...	10	Rs. 1,000-1,499	32 (0.29)
3	Rs. 100-149	5,863 (52.33)	11	Rs. 1,500-1,999	9 (0.08)
4	Rs. 150-199	1,452 (12.96)	12	Rs. 2,000-2,499	...
5	Rs. 200-299	1,692 (15.10)	13	Rs. 2,500-2,999	...
6	Rs. 300-399	1,150 (10.27)	14	Rs. 3,000 and above	...
7	Rs. 400-499	697 (6.22)	15	Total 1 to 14	11,203 (100.00)
8	Rs. 500-749	210 (1.87)	**	Figures within brackets are percentages to total.	

Source :—Census of Central Government Employees, 1973.

TABLE 13.7

PUBLIC SECTOR EMPLOYMENT IN MEGHALAYA,
1969-1976

As on 31st March			Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garo Hills	Total Meghalaya
(1)			(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1969	...	...	37,059	...	5,400	42,459
1970	...	...	34,441	...	N.A.	N.A.
1971	...	...	N.A.	...	N.A.	N.A.
1972	...	...	31,283	...	6,365	37,648
1973	...	...	31,368	...	6,545	37,913
1974	...	...	35,848	...	6,939	42,787
1975	...	...	29,773	2,362	7,295	39,330
1976	...	...	26,512	2,950	7,644	37,106

Source:—Directorate of Employment and Craftsman Training,
Meghalaya.

TABLE 13-8

EMPLOYMENT EXCHANGE AND APPLICANTS IN MEGHALAYA,
1970-1976.

Years	No. of Ex- changes	No. of registration	No. of applicants placed in Employ- ment.	No. of applicants on the live regis- ter.	Monthly average no. of employers using the Ex- change.	No. of vacancies not filled.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1970	3	8,619	541	7,904	34	1,312
1971	3	7,478	502	6,934	34	1,212
1972	3	7,221	576	6,386	30	708
1973	3	5,392	418	6,927	23	693
1974	5	5,198	372	7,024	19	863
1975	5	8,604	423	9,491	22	712
1976	5	10,155	830	11,967	22	1,341

Source:—Directorate of Employment and Craftsman Training,
Meghalaya.

TABLE 13-9

PRIVATE SECTOR EMPLOYMENT IN MEGHALAYA, 1972-1976.

(1)	As on 31st March		Khasi Hills, Jaintia Hills		Garro Hills Meghalaya	
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1972	3,126	...	108	3,234
1973	3,036	...	105	3,141
1974	5,279	...	111	5,390
1975	3,447	124	190	3,761
1976	3,402	1,100	175	4,673

Source : — Directorate of Employment and Craftsman Training, Meghalaya.

TABLE 13.10

NUMBER OF REGISTERED TRADE UNIONS, 1973-74-1975-76.

Particulars	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Number of Trade Union ...	3	6	8
Membership	112	233	517
Income (Rr.) ...	...	...	642
Expenditure (Rs.) ...	..	..	642

Source:—Labour Commissioner, Meghalaya.

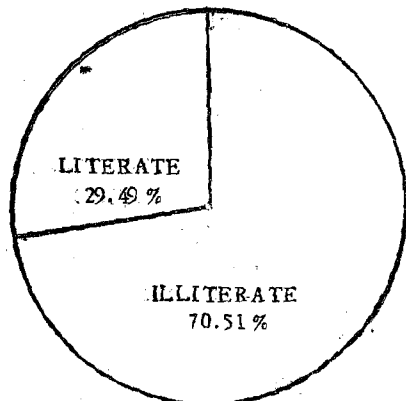
TABLE 13.11

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN MEGHALAYA, 1973-1976.

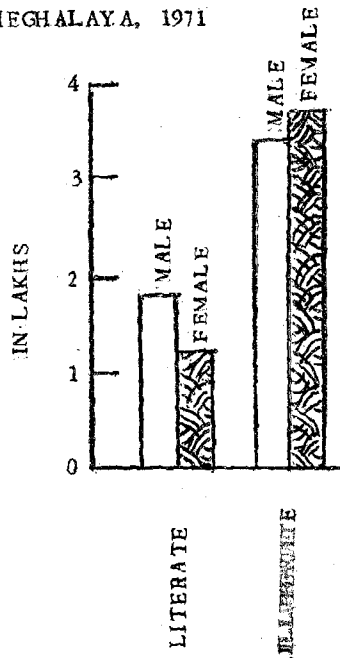
Year	Number of disputes	Number of workers involved	Number of Mandays lost	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
1973	15	15	Nil
1974	9	9	Nil
1975	18	18	Nil
1976	24	24	Nil

Source:—Labour Commissioner, Meghalaya.

LITERATE PERSONS IN MEGHALAYA, 1971



IN PERCENTAGE



14. LITERACY AND EDUCATION

TABLE 14·1
LITERATE PERSONS IN MEGHALAYA, 1971.

Particulars	Total population		Literate persons		Illiterate persons	
	No.	P. C.	No.	P. C.	No.	P. C.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Khasi Hills—						
Total ...	4,91,209	100·00	1,79,779	36·60	3,11,430	63·40
Male ...	2,55,510	100·00	1,03,580	40·54	1,51,930	59·46
Female ..	2,35,699	100·00	76,199	32·33	1,59,500	67·67
Jaintia Hills—						
Total ...	1,13,875	100·00	22,708	19·94	91,167	80·06
Male ...	56,959	100·00	12,385	21·74	44,574	78·26
Female ...	56,916	100·00	10,323	18·14	46,593	81·86
Garo Hills—						
Total ...	4,06,615	100·00	95,825	23·57	3,10,790	76·43
Male ...	2,08,498	100·00	61,807	29·64	1,46,691	70·36
Female ...	1,98,117	100·00	34,018	17·17	1,64,099	82·83
Meghalaya—						
Total ...	10,11,699	100·00	2,98,312	29·49	7,13,387	70·51
Male ...	5,20,967	100·00	1,77,772	34·12	3,43,195	65·88
Female ...	4,90,732	100·00	1,20,540	24·56	3,70,192	75·44

(N.B. P. C. are percentages to total)

Source:—Census 1971.

TABLE 14.2

NUMBER OF LITERATE PERSONS IN THE RURAL AREA OF MEGHALAYA, 1971.

Particulars			Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garo Hills	State total
1. Rural population—						
Total	...	...	3,68,457	1,04,946	3,91,126	8,64,529
Male	...	...	1,89,349	52,391	1,99,793	4,41,533
Female	...	...	1,79,108	52,555	1,91,333	4,22,996
2. Literate population—						
Total	...	...	98,632	18,102	85,593	2,02,327
Male	...	...	56,739	9,831	55,650	1,22,220
Female	...	...	41,893	8,271	49,943	80,107
3. Illiterate population—						
Total	...	...	2,69,825	86,844	3,05,533	6,62,202
Male	...	...	1,32,610	42,560	1,44,143	3,19,313
Female	...	...	1,37,215	44,284	1,61,390	3,42,889
4. Percentage of literacy—						
Total	...	...	26.77	17.25	21.88	23.40
Male	...	...	29.96	18.76	27.85	27.68
Female	...	...	23.39	15.74	15.65	18.08

Source:—Census 1971.

TABLE 14·3

NUMBER OF LITERATE PERSONS IN THE URBAN
AREA OF MEGHALAYA, 1971.

Particulars	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garo Hills	State total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1. Urban population—				
Total ...	1,22,752	8,929	15,489	1,47,170
Male ...	66,161	4,568	8,705	79,434
Female ...	56,591	4,361	6,784	67,736
2. Literate population—				
Total ...	81,147	4,606	10,232	95,985
Male ...	46,841	2,554	6,157	55,552
Female ...	34,306	2,052	4,075	40,433
3. Illiterate population—				
Total ...	41,605	4,323	5,257	51,185
Male ...	19,320	2,014	2,548	23,882
Female ...	22,285	2,309	2,709	27,303
Percentage of literacy—				
Total ...	66.11	51.58	66.06	65.22
Male ...	70.80	55.91	70.73	69.93
Female ...	60.62	47.05	60.01	59.69

Source :—Census 1971.

TABLE 14.4

NUMBER OF EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS IN MEGHALAYA,
1971-72—1975-76.

Institutions (1)	1971-72 (2)	1972-73 (3)	1973-74 (4)	1974-75 (5)	1975-76, (6)
1. Pre-Primary and Pre-Basic	73	86	126	269	310
2. Primary and Junior Basic	2,617	2,683	2,852	3,065	3,195
3. Middle and Senior Basic	266	299	341	343	352
4. High/Higher Sec- ondary	112	119	132	140	145
5. Teachers' Training/ Basic Training/Non- basic (including U. G Standard)	10	10	10	10	10
b. Teachers' Training College	1	1	1	1	1
7. School for Voca- tional/professional/ special, and other education, exclud- ing sl.5	117	137	128	130	123
8. College/University.	14	14	14	16	16
4. All Institutions.	3,210	3,349	3,604	3,974	4,152

Source :—Director of Public Instruction, Meghalaya.

TABLE 14-5

NUMBER OF STUDENTS IN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS OF
MEGHALAYA, 1971-72-1975-76.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Institutions	Sex	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
1. Pre-Primary and Pre-Basic	B	1,258	1,967	2,480	4,893	8,410
	G	1,210	2,031	2,604	5,043	8,333
2. Primary and Junior Basic	B	77,094	79,708	87,331	88,679	90,542
	G	70,908	71,380	78,559	78,521	80,657
3. Middle and Senior Basic	B	12,875	14,200	15,327	15,589	14,590
	G	9,239	9,725	10,033	9,889	10,613
4. High and Higher Secondary	B	16,478	17,109	18,350	18,208	17,977
	G	12,919	14,242	14,755	15,526	15,502

5. Teachers' Training/Basic Training/Non-Basic (including U. G. Standard).	B	177	172	147	171	107
	G	92	77	116	107	104
6. Training College	B	105	123	151	205	215
	G	20	72	38	78	82
7. School for vocational/ (professional) special other education (excluding sl. 5).	B	3,444	3,763	3,491	2,450	2,340
	G	2,574	2,877	2,745	1,308	1,382
8. College/University	B	5,468	6,067	5,738	6,595	7,075
	G	2,671	3,261	5,705	3,632	3,804
9. Total	B	1,16,919	1,23,109	1,33,015	1,36,790	1,41,319
	G	99,633	1,03,665	1,14,555	1,14,104	1,20,477
10. All students		2,16,552	2,26,774	2,47,570	2,50,894	2,61,796

*(B—Boys G—Girls)

Source:—Director of Public Instruction, Meghalaya,

TABLE 14.6

NUMBER OF TEACHERS IN THE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS OF MEGHALAYA, 1971-72—1975-76.

Institutions	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1. Pre-Primary and Pre-Basic	287	307	145	323	350
2. Primary and Junior Basic	3,706	3,828	4,028	4,480	4,680
3. Middle and Senior Basic	1,312	1,408	1,558	1,593	1,623
4. High and Higher Secondary	1,031	1,080	1,131	1,213	1,263
5. Teachers' Training College.	10	11	16	12	13
School for vocational, professional, special other education. Teacher's Training, Basic, Non-Basic (including U. G. Standard)	115	118	221	107	123
7. All-Teachers, ...	6,501	6,752	7,099	7,778	8,052

Source:—Director of Public Instruction, Meghalaya.

TABLE 14.5

TABLE 14.7

RESULTS OF HIGH SCHOOL LEAVING CERTIFICATE
EXAMINATIONS IN MEGHALAYA, 1974-1976.

Particular (1)	1974		1975		1976	
	Appeared (2)	Passed (3)	Appeared (4)	Passed (5)	Appeared (6)	Passed (7)
Regular ...	1,608	987	1,617	958	1,648	928
Total ...	(100.00)	(61.38)	(100.00)	(59.25)	100.00)	(56.31)
Male ...	955	544	1,012	569	977	498
	(100.00)	(56.96)	(100.00)	(56.23)	(100.00)	(50.97)
Female ...	653	433	605	389	671	430
	(100.00)	(66.31)	(100.00)	(64.30)	(100.00)	(64.08)

TABLE 14·7

Private ..	2,083	466	2,199	406	2,557	416
Total ...	(100.00)	(22.37)	(100.00)	(18.46)	(100.00)	(16.27)
Male ...	916	189	903	125	944	184
	(100.00)	(20.63)	(100.00)	(13.84)	(100.00)	(19.49)
Female ...	1,167	277	1,296	281	1,313	222
	(100.00)	(23.74)	(100.00)	(21.68)	(100.00)	(16.92)
Teachers (total)	106	2	65	Nil	134	6
	(100.00)	(1.89)	(100.00)	...	(100.00)	(4.48)
Supplementary (total)	674	504	587	401	683	485
	(100.00)	(74.78)	(100.00)	(68.31)	(100.00)	(71.01)
Grand Total	4,471	1,959	4,468	1,765	4,722	1,835
	(100.00)	(43.82)	(100.00)	(39.50)	(100.00)	(38.86)

(Figures in brackets are percentages to total.)

Source;— Secretary, Meghalaya Board of School Education.

TABLE 15.1

GENERAL STATISTICS OF POST OFFICES In' MEGHALAYA,
1972-73 1975.76.

Items	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1. General Post Office ...	1	1	1	1
2. Head Post Office ...	1	1	1	1
3. Sub-Post Officer ...	43	47	50	*53
4. Branch Officer ...	190	203	207	214
5. Offices with Saving Bank works	235	252	259	267
6. Delivery agents ...	163	182	187	192
7. Office per lakh of population	12	14	16	18
8. Letter box per lakh of population	23	27	39	45

(*including one seasonal Sub-Post Office in Meghalaya Assembly.)

Source: — Superintendent of Post Offices, Shillong.

TABLE 15.2
BROADCAST RECEIVER LICENCES 1975.

Particulars		Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garo Hills	Meghalaya
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	
1	Domestic	10,814	147	5,104	16,065
2	Concessional:—				
	(a) Cheap	143	7	300	450
	(b) Community ...	37	...	7	44
	(c) School	20	1	19	40
	(d) Hospital ... ..	...	...	3	3
3	Commercial:—				
	(a) Urban	61	1	35	97
	(b) Rural	3	...	22	25
	(c) Low-cost ... ..	...	...	...	...
	(d) Demonstration... .	2	...	3	5
4	Possession:—				
	(a) Dealer	41	1	20	62
	(b) Non-dealer	4	...	3	7
TOTAL		11,125	157	5,516	16,798

Source:—Post Master General, **Shillong**

15. COMMUNICATION

TABLE 15·3

NUMBER OF TELEPHONE CONNECTIONS IN MEGHALAYA,
1972-73—1976-77.

Centre	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Shillong ...	3,397	3,346	3,382	2,635	2,820
Cherrapunjee ...	22	20	23	16	18
Burnihat ...	...	..	..	13	13
Jowai ...	71	89	91	98	111
Tura... ..	193	197	205	189	213
Willam Nagar ...	....	...	...	...	22
Phulbari ...	18	15	19	15	16
Total ...	3,701	3,667	3,720	2,966	3,213

Source:—Post Master General and Superintendent of Telephones, Shillong

TABLE 15.4

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS IN MEGHALAYA,
1969-70 1975-76, IN NUMBER.

Publications	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Daily	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Tri-Weekly	...	...	...	1	1	1	6
Bi-Weekly	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Weekly	9	9	9	9	12	18	20
Forthnightly	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Monthly	7	6	6	7	7	7	7
Total	19	18	18	20	23	29	37

Source:—Director of Information and Public Relations, Meghalaya, Shillong

TABLE 15.5

TYPE OF NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS PUBLISHED IN
MEGHALAYA, 1975.76, IN NUMBER.

Publications	Languages			Total
	English	Khasi	Garó	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1 Daily ...	1	..	..	1
2 Tri-Weekly	6	..	..	6
3 Bi-Weekly	..	2	..	2
4 Weekly	6	11	3	20
5 Fortnightly	1	..	..	1
6 Monthly	..	5	2	7
Total	14	18	5	37

Source:--Director of Information and Public Relations, Meghalaya.

TABLE 16-1

NUMBER OF GOVERNMENT HOSPITALS, DISPENSARIES, PRIMARY HEALTH CENTRES AND BEDS IN MEGHALAYA, 1975-76.

	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garro Hills	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Hospitals ...	3	1	3	7
Dispensaries ...	22	11	24	57
Primary Health Centres.	5	2	7	14
Beds ... , ...	564	82	177	823

Source:—Director of Health Services, Meghalaya.

TABLE 16.2

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GROWTH OF GOVERNMENT HOSPITALS, DISPENSARIES,
AND PRIMARY HEALTH CENTRES INMEGHALAYA,
1969-70-1975-76. 11

		Hospitals	Dispensaries	Primary Health Centres
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)
1969-70	...	7	57	9
1970-71	..	7	57	9
1971-72	...	7	57	9
1972-73	...	7	57	9
1973-74	...	7	57	9
1974-75	...	7	57	9
1975-76	...	7	57	14

Source :—Director of Health Services, Meghalaya.

TABLE 16.3

NUMBER OF PATIENTS TREATED IN GOVERNMENT
HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES IN MEGHALAYA,
1971-1975.

	Indoor	Outdoor
(1)	(2)	(3)
1971	N. A.	43,358
1972	14,219	2,27,489
1973	13,042	3,03,887
1974	1,00,318	1,82,749
1975	1,06,832	2,08,791

Source:—Director Health Services, Meghalaya.

TABLE 16.4

PROGRESS OF FAMILY WELFARE IN MEGHALAYA,
(in number)
1970-71-1975-76.

I. U. D.	Sterilisation			Total	Conventional contraceptive users	
	Vasectomy	Tubectomy				
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1970-71	456	261	304	565	946	145
1971-72	475	125	377	502	743	149
1972-73	420	119	260	379	467	166
1973-74	493	255	503	758	605	182
1974-75	510	302	628	930	1,087	68
1975-76	861	1,011	1,076	2,087	1,668	1,170

Source :—State Family Welfare Bureau.

16, HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE

TABLE 16'5

FAMILY WELFARE, PROGRAMMES IN MEGHALAYA,
[in number)
1975-76.

	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garo Hills	Meghalaya
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1. I. U. C. D.	443	142	276	861
2. Sterilisation	691	72	1,324	2,087
(a) Vasectomy	145	26	840	1,011
(b) Tubectomy	546	46	484	1,076
3. Conventional Contra- ceptive users.	875	176	617	1,668
4. Pills	587	22	561	1,170

Source:—State Family Welfare Bureau.

TABLE 16.6

NUMBER OF REGISTERED MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS (ALLOPATH)
AND AUXILIARY HEALTH PERSONNEL IN MEGHALAYA, 1972-1976.

	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1. Registered medical practitioners (Allopath).	113	113	113	135	140
(a) Graduates M. B. B. S. ...	102	102	102	124	129
(b) Licentiates	11	11	11	11	11
2. Registered Nurses	117	117	117	173	173
3. Registered Health Visitors ...	8	8	8	Nil	Nil
4. Auxiliary Nurses-cum-Midwives	82	82	82	105	105

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Source: — Director of Health Services, Meghalaya.

TABLE 17.1

POLICE STATIONS AND OUTPOSTS IN
MEGHALAYA, 1970-71—1975-76.

	Police Stations	Outposts	Temporary Police Stations
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1970-71	14	28	17
1971-72	14	28	18
1972-73	15	23	11
1973-74	15	23	9
1974-75	15	24	17
1975-76	15	25	17

Source:—Inspector General of Police, Meghalaya.

TABLE 17.2

**POLICE STATIONS AND OUTPOSTS IN THE
DISTRICTS OF MEGHALAYA,
1975-76.**

Districts	Police Stations	Police Outposts	Temporary Outposts
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Xhasi Hills ...	5	18	8
Jaintia Hills	2	2	5
Garó Hills	8	5	4
Total	15	25	17

Source :—Inspector General of Police, Meghalaya.

17. POLICE ADMINISTRATION

TABLE 17.3
CRIME IN MEGHALAYA, 1970-1975.

(1)	(2)	1970 (3)	1971 (4)	1972 (5)	1973 (6)	1974 (7)	1975 (8)
1. Offences against State public tranquility.	R	141	191	146	145	34	169
	C	12	7	8	13	1	19
2. Murder	R	45	44	48	50	48	46
	C	2	-1	2	...	2	...
3. Other serious offences against persons.	R	271	292	291	378	152	334
	C	39	45	45	50	53	39
4. Dacoity	R	4	9	7	7	15	17
	C	1	...	...	...	...	...
5. Ordinary theft	R	518	418	318	384	667	789
	C	126	100	64	91	79	131
6. Cattle theft	R	109	34	43	39	46	80
	C	36	16	16	13	7	25
7. Burglary	R	98	98	119	149	161	221
	C	41	22	46	53	21	48
8. House-trespass and house breaking with intention to commit offence.	R	95	112	66	57	141	43
	C	10	13	10	11	32	4
Total	R	1,281	1,198	1,038	1,209	1,264	1,699
	C	267	204	191	231	195	266

(R=Reported ; C=Convicted.)

Source:—Inspector General of Police, Meghalaya.

TABLE 17.4

INCIDENCE OF CRIMES IN MEGHALAYA, 1975.

(1)	(2)	(3)	INCIDENCE OF CRIMES IN MEGHALAYA, 1975.			
			R C	Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	Garó Hills
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	
1. Offences against the State public tranquility.	...	R	128	...	41	
		C	11	...	8	
2. Murder	...	R	36	9	7	
		C	...	...	103
3. Other serious offences against person.	...	R	209	22	103	
		C	10	8	21	
4. Dacoity	...	R	5	...	12	
		C	...	...	...
5. Ordinary theft	...	R	601	30	158	
		C	46	12	73	
6. Cattle theft	...	R	1	5	74	
		C	...	4	21	
7. Burglary	...	R	98	10	113	
		C	8	3	37	
8. House trespasses and house breaking with intention to commit offence.	...	R	25	3	15	
		C	...	1	3	
Total			R	1,097	79	523
			C	75	28	163

(R — Reported ; C — Convicted.)

Source: — Inspector General of Police, Meghalaya.

TABLE 18.1

ELECTORAL STATISTICS IN MEGHALAYA,
LOKSABHA, 1977.

		Shillong	Tura
(1)		(2)	(3)
1. Total number of seats...	...	1	1
2. Electorate ...	...	3,41,910	1,88,416
(a) Male ...	...	1,72,043	94,235
(b) Female ...	...	1,69,867	94,181
3. Votes polled ...	...	1,90,149	74,395
4. Number of valid votes	...	1,84,146	69,900
5. Votes rejected	...	6,003	4,495

Source:—Election Department, Meghalaya.

TABLE 18·2

ELECTORAL STATISTICS IN MEGHALAYA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.*

		**Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	**Garó Hills ,	Meghalaya
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1	Number of Constituencies ...	29	7	24	60
	(a) General	6	Nil	4	10
	(b) Reserved for Scheduled Tribes ,	23	7	20	50
2	Electorate—				
	(a) Total	2,69,358	72,552	1,88,416	5,30,326
	(b) Male	1,36,255	35,788	94,235	2,66,278
	(c) Female	1,33,103	36,764	94,181	2,64,049

(*As derived from the Lok Sabha Election 1977.)

(**Includes East and West Districts.)

Source:—Election Department, Meghalaya.

18. ELECTORAL STATISTICS

TABLE 18·3

ABSTRACT RESULT OF THE 1977 ELECTION TO THE LOK SABHA
IN MEGHALAYA.

Districts	Total Electorate	Votes polled	Valid votes polled	Votes rejected	Percentage of column 5 to column 3
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
*Khasi Hills ...	2,69,358 (100·00%)	1,53,358 (56·93%)	1,48,174 (55·01%)	5,184 (1·92%)	3·83%
Jaintia Hills ...	72,552 (100·00%)	36,791 (50·71%)	35,972 (49·58%)	819 (1·13%)	2·23%
*Garo Hills ...	1,88,416 (100·00%)	74,395 (39·48%)	69,900 (37·10%)	4,495 (2·38%)	6·04
Total ...	5,30,326 (100·00%)	2,64,344 (49·88%)	2,54,046 (49·90%)	10,498 (1·98%)	3·97

(*Includes East and West Districts.)

Source:--Election Department, Meghalaya.

TABLE 18·4

NUMBER OF VOTES SECURED BY POLITICAL PARTIES
IN THE GENERAL ELECTION 1977 TO THE LOK
SABHA IN MEGHALAYA

	*Khasi Hills	Jaintia Hills	*Garo Hills	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1. No. of seats in Assembly ...		1	1	2
2. Electorate ('000) ...	2,69	73	1,88	5,30
3. Valid votes ('000) ...	1,48	36	70	2,54
4. Percentage of votes received by:				
(a) I.N.C. ...	24·83	39·41	57·64	35·92
(b) Independents ...	75·17	60·49	42·36	64·08
5. Candidates fielded:				
(a) I.N.C. ...	...	1	1	2
(b) Independents ...	...	3	2	5
6. Seats gained:				
(a) I.N.C. ...	...	Nil	1	1
(b) Independents ...	...	1	Nil	1

N.B. : I.N.C. : Indian National Congress.
(*Include East and West Districts.)

Source :—Election Department, Meghalaya.

TALE 18.5

RELATIVE POPULARITY IN THE 1977 ELECTION, TO THE LOK
SABHA IN MEGHALAYA.

Districts	Total valid votes polled	Number and percentage of votes polled	
		National Parties	State parties
		I. N. C.	Independents
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
*Khasi Hills	1,48,174 (100.00%)	36,790 (24.83%)	1,11,384 (75.17%)
Jaintia Hills	35,972 (100.00%)	14,177 (39.41%)	21,795 (60.59%)
*Garo Hills	69,900 (100.00%)	40,288 (57.64%)	29,612 (42.36%)
Total	2,54,046 (100.00%)	91,255 (35.92%)	1,62,791 (64.08%)

N.B.: I.N.C. : Indian National Congress

(*Includes East and West Districts.)

Source:— Election Department, Meghalaya.

TABLE 19.1
AREA AND POPULATION BY STATES, 1971.

State/Union Territory	Area ('000 Sq. Km.)	Population ('000)			Density per sq. km.	Sex-ratio (females per 1000 males)
		Total	Of which rural	% of Rural Population		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
STATE						
Andhra Pradesh ...	277	43,503	35,100	80.69	157	977
Assam ...	79	14,958	13,631	91.13	150	897
Bihar ...	174	56,353	50,719	90.00	324	954
Gujarat ...	196	26,697	19,201	71.92	136	934
Haryana ...	44	10,037	8,264	82.34	227	867
Himachal Pradesh	56	3,460	3,219	93.01	62	958
Jammu and Kashmir	222	4,617	3,758	81.41	46	878
Karpataka ..	192	29,299	22,177	75.69	153	957
Kerala ...	39	21,347	17,881	83.76	549	1,016
Madhya Pradesh .	443	41,654	34,869	83.71	94	941
Maharastra ..	306	50,412	34,701	68.83	164	930
Manipur ...	22	1,073	931	86.81	48	980

MEGHALAYA ...	22
Nagaland ...	17
Orissa	156
Punjab ...	50
Rajasthan ...	342
Sikkim	7
Tamil Nadu ...	130
Tripura ...	10
Uttar Pradesh ...	294
West Bengal ...	88
UNION TERRITORY :	
Andaman and Nicobar Islands.	8
Arunachal Pradesh	84
Chandigarh ...	0·1
Dadra and Nagar Haveli.	0·5
Delhi ..	1
Goa, Daman and Diu	4
Lakshadweep ...	0·03
Mizoram*	21
Pondicherry ...	0
INDIA ...	3,288

Source :—

1,012	865	85.45	45	942
516	465	90.05	31	871
21,945	20,099	91.59	141	988
13,551	10,335	76.27	269	865
25,766	21,222	82.37	75	911
210	190	90.63	29	863
41,199	28,734	69.74	317	978
1,556	1,394	89.57	149	943
88,341	75,953	85.98	300	879
44,312	33,345	75.25	504	891
115	89	77.23	14	644
468	450	96.30	6	861
257	24	9.45	2,257	749
74	74	100.00	151	1,007
4,066	419	10.30	2,738	801
358	631	73.56	225	989
32	32	100.00	994	978
...
472	274	57.96	983	989
548,160	439,046	80.09	173	930

*included in Assam

-Registrar General of India.

TABLE 19.2

NET DOMESTIC PRODUCT OF INDIA BY INDUSTRY OF ORIGIN.

(at current price)

Rs.1,000 million

	Industry	1960-61	1965-66	1970-71P	1973-74P	1974-75*
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1	Agriculture, forestry fishing and mining and quarrying.	70	102	174	259	312
2	Manufacturing construction, electricity, gas and water supply.	25	42	70	93	116
3	Transport, communication and trade.	19	32	53	75	93
4	Finance and real estate	5	9	14	19	23
5	Community and personal services.	14	23	37	48	60
6	Total: net domestic product at factor cost	133	208	348	495	605

P. Provisional

*Quick estimates

19. INDIA AT A GLANCE

TABLE 19.3.

EMPLOYMENT IN PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTOR ESTABLISHMENTS
IN INDIA.

		(As at year end)				
Sector		1961	1966	1971	1973	1974
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	Provisional (6)
PUBLIC	...	7.32	9.54	11.10	12.40	12.76
Central Government	...	2.16	2.68	2.84	2.94	2.97
State Government	...	3.06	3.74	4.22	4.64	4.69
Quasi Government	...	0.86	1.37	2.14	2.89	3.15
Local Bodies	...	1.24	1.75	1.91	1.92	1.95
PRIVATE	...	5.04	6.72	6.73	6.72	6.74
Establishments employing 25 or more persons	...	5.04	6.01	6.00	6.00	6.01
10 to 24 persons	...	...	0.71	0.72	0.72	0.73
		12.36	16.26	17.83	19.12	19.50

source :- Directorate General of Employment and Training.

Madhya Pradesh ...	9
Maharashtra	20
Manipur	a
MEGHALAYA ...	a
Nagaland	a
Orissa	6
Punjab	5
Rajasthan	5
Sikkim	a
Tamil Nadu	16
Tripura	a
Uttar Pradesh ..	19
West Bengal	15
UNION TERRITORY:	.
Andaman and Nicobar	
Islands	a
Arunachal Pradesh ...	a

7	2	22·14	32·70	10·92
13	6	39·18	51·04	26·43
a	a	32·91	46·04	19·53
a	a	29·49	34·12	24·56
a	a	27·40	35·02	18·65
4	2	26·18	38·29	13·92
3	2	33·67	40·38	25·90
4	1	19·07	28·74	8·46
a	a	17·74	25·37	8·90
11	5	39·46	51·78	26·86
a	a	30·98	40·20	21·19
15	4	21·70	31·50	10·55
10	5	33·20	42·81	22·42
a	a	43·59	51·64	31·11
a	a	11·19	17·82	3·71

TABLE. 19.4.—Contd.

LITERACY ^{IN} INDIA .

(According to 1971 Census)

Percentage of Literacy

State/Union Territory	Number of Literates			Percentage of Literacy		
	million			Total	Male	Female
	Total	Male	Female			
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Chandigarh	a	a	a	61.56	66.97	54.35
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	a	a	a	14.97	22.15	7.84
Delhi	2	1	1	56.61	63.71	47.75 ¹
Goa, Daman and Diu	a	a	a	44.75	54.31	35.09
Lakshadweep	a	a	a	43.66	56.48	30.56
Pondicherry	a	a	a	46.02	57.29	34.62
INDIA	161	112	49	29.45	39.46	18.70

Source : Registrar General of India.

NOTE : Totals may not tally due to rounding.

1. Including population in age group 0 to 4.

2. Including Union Territory of Mizoram, which was carved out of Assam after

3. Less than half million,

TABLE 19·4

TABLE 19-6
FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES.
(As in September 1974)

Country	Currency	Units of foreign currency to Rs.100
(1)	(2)	(3)
Australia	Dollar	8.30
Belgium	Franc	474.92
Canada	Dollar	11.96
Denmark	Krone	75.24
France	Franc	58.25
Germany (West)	Deutsche Mark ..	32.34
Hong Kong	Dollar	61.22
Iraq	Dinar	4.52
Italy	Lire	8,024.58
Japan	Yen	3,628.33
Kenya	Shilling	86.20

TABLE 19.5
BUDGETARY POSITION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

Items	1965-66	1970-71	1973-74	Rs. Million	
				(1947)	(1976)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
I. REVENUE ACCOUNT					
A. Revenue ...	23,444	33,419	50,727	64,847	68,751
					(70,924)
B. Expenditure ...	20,246	31,789	48,359	58,600	64,909
C. Surplus (+) or Deficit (-)	+3,198	+1,630	+2,368	-6,247	(+3,842)
					(+6,015)
II. CAPITAL ACCOUNT					
A. Receipts ...	16,463	25,242	36,462 ^b	34,924	39,512
B. Disbursements ...	21,389	29,720	42,113 ^b	47,422	47,596
C. Surplus (+) or Deficit (-)	-4,926	-4,478	-5,651	-12,498	-8,484
III. Overall Surplus (+) or Deficit(-)					
	-1,728	-2,848	-3,283	-6,251	-4,612
					(-2,469)

Source:—Reserve Bank of India.

RE=Revised Estimates.

BE=Budget Estimates.

(a). At 1974-75 rates of taxation. The effects of addition taxation adjusted for tax concession announced in April, 1975 are given in brackets.

(b). Excludes P.L. 480 transactions under Inda-US agreement, 1974.

TABLE 19.6—(contd.)

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES

Country	Currency	Units of foreign currency to Rs.100
(1)	(2)	(3)
Malaysia	Dollar	28.98
Netherlands	Guilder	32.93
New Zealand	Dollar	8.47
Norway	Krone	67.42
Singapore	Dollar	29.75
Sri Lanka	Rupee	82.60
Switzerland	Franc	36.41
Sweden	Krona	54.90
Tanzania	Shilling	86.31
Uganda	Shilling	86.23
U.K. (London),	Pound	5.30
U.S.A.	Dollar	12.21

Source:— Reserve Bank of India.

1. Average of working days.

Note:.. Authorised Dealer's selling rates for T. T.s. in Bombay

APPENDIX

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THE GOVERNMENT
(as on 1-9-77)Governor:—**Shri L. P. Singh.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Speaker:—**Dr. R. S. Lyngdoh.**Deputy Speaker:—**Shri S. Sangma.**

COUNCIL OF MINISTERS

I. Cabinet Ministers—

1. Shri Williamson A. Sangma—Chief Minister.
2. Shri **Edwingson Barch**—Agriculture, P. W. D., etc.
3. Shri **Sanford K. Marak**—Health and Family Welfare, etc.
4. Grohonsing Marak—Forest, Community Development, etc.
5. Shri **Maham Singh**—Revenue, Law, Parliamentary affairs, etc.
6. Shri **Peter Garnett Marbaniang**—Education, etc.

II. Ministers of State—

1. Shri Salseng Marak—Excise, Small and Cottage Industries, etc.
2. Shri Blooming B. Shallam—Relief and Rehabilitation, Communications, etc.
3. Shri **Upstar Kharbuli**—Labour, Municipal Administration, etc.
4. Shri D. **Dethwelson** Lapang—Co-operation, Jails, etc.
5. Shri Francis K. Mawlot—Registration, Weights and Measures, etc.

Chief Secretary:—**Shri Ram-sh Chandra, I. A. S.**G.P. (E. and S.) **No.25/77—500—8-10-1977.**

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CONVERSION TABLE

Metric unit conversion factors

LENGTH

1 inch = 2.54 centimetres = 0.0254 metre

1 foot = 30.48 centimetres = 0.3048 metre

1 yard = 0.9144 metre

1 mile = 1.6093 4 kilometres

1 centimetre = 0.393701 inch

1 metre = 1.09361 yards

1 kilometre = 0.62137 mile

1 kilometre = 1000 metres

1 metre = 100 centimetres = 1000 millimetres

AREA

1 square inch = 6.4516 square centimetres

1 square foot = 0.092903 square metre

1 square yard = 8.836131 square metre

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1 kilogram	=	1000 grams
10 quintals	=	1 metric tonne
100 kilograms	=	1 quintal

CAPACITY AND VOLUME

1 gallon (imperial) ...	=	4.54596 litres
1 gallon (N.S.) ...	=	3.78533 litres = 0.83268 gallon (imperial)
1 litre ...	=	0.219967 gallon (imperial)
1 cubic yard ...	=	0.76455 cubic metre
1 cubic metre ...	=	1.30795 cubic yards
1 cubic decimetre ...	=	0.0353147 cubic foot
1 litre ...	=	1000 millimetres