



**ARUNACHAL PRADESH  
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GOVERNMENT OF ARUNACHAL PRADESH  
ITANAGAR**

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## GENERAL FEATURES OF ARUNACHAL PRADESH

- 1. ARUNACHAL PRADESH** : Arunachal Pradesh is situated in the North-Eastern part of India with 83743 sq. kms. in area. Arunachal is the largest state areawise in the North-East region.
- 2. Location** : Between latitudes 26°28' N and 29°30' N and longitudes 91°30' E and 97°30' E.
- 3. Arunachal Pradesh Capital** : Itanagar (located at an altitude of 530 metre above MSL). It is named after Itafort, meaning fort of bricks, built in 14th century A.D.
- 4. Climate of Itanagar** :
  - (a) Temperature** :
    - (i) Summer** Max - 30.8°C  
Min - 21.1°C
    - (ii) Winter** Max - 20.7°C  
Min - 7.0°C
  - (b) Rainfall** : 3338.30 mm
- 5. Highest peak in Arunachal Pradesh** : GAURICHEN in Tawang district, 22500 ft. MSL
- 6. Places of historical and tourist interest** : Bhismanagar, Malinithan, Parashuram Kund, Itanagar, Tawang, Namdapha, Tippi Orchid Centre, Akashiganga.
- 7. Major Tribes** : Adi, Nishi, Monpa, Tagin, Idu, Khampti, Tangsa, Nocte, Singpho, Mishmi, Miji, Wancho, Apatani, Aka, Sherdukpen, Khawa, Hill Miri.

8. Important minerals : Dolomite, Graphite, Coal, Quartzite, Limestone, Crude oil, Natural Gas, Yellow Ochre, Marble.
9. Other natural potential : Abundant forest resource and Hydro-potential.
10. Important wild life
- (a) Animals : Elephant, Tiger, Leopard, White browed gibbon, Red panthos, Muskdeer, Mithun.
- (b) Birds : Hornbill, White winged, Wood duck, Green pigeon.
11. Important festival : Mopin, Solung, Nyokum, Lossar, Si-Donyi, Boori-Boot, Dree, Reh, Sipong Yong, Chalo-loku, Kshyatsowai, Tamladu.
12. National park : Namdapha, Mouling
13. Main rivers : Siang, Kameng, Subansiri, Kamla, Siyum, Dibang, Lohit, Noa-Dehing, Kamlang, Tirap.
14. Name of towns : Bomdila, Itanagar, Naharlagun, Ziro, Along, Pasighat, Roing, Tezu, Khonsa, Namsai.
15. State bird : Hornbill
16. State animal : Mithun
17. State flower : *Rhynchostylis retusa* (Fox tail orchid)

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	Particulars 1991 Census
<b>1. AREA AND POPULATION (As per 1991 Census)</b>			
1.	Area	Sq. Km	83743
2.	Population	Persons	864558
	(a) Male	Persons	465004
	(b) Female	Persons	399554
3.	Scheduled tribes population	Persons	550351
	(a) Male	Persons	275397
	(b) Female	Persons	274954
4.	Scheduled castes population	Persons	4052
	(a) Male	Persons	2491
	(b) Female	Persons	1561
5.	Density of population	(Persons) per Sq. Km.	10
6.	Average population per District	No.	78596
7.	Average population per town	No.	11063
8.	Decennial growth rate of population	Per cent	(+) 36.83
	(a) Rural	Per cent	(+) 27.70
	(b) Urban	Per cent	(+) 167.04
9.	Sex Ratio (Female per 1000 males)	Persons	859
	(a) Rural	Persons	880
	(b) Urban	Persons	728
10.	Literacy rates	Per cent	41.59
	(Excluding 0-6 years age group)		
	(a) Male	Per cent	51.45
	(b) Female	Per cent	29.69

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11.	Literacy rates of scheduled tribes (Excluding 0-6 years age group)	Per cent	34.46
	(a) Male	Per cent	44.00
	(b) Female	Per cent	24.94
12.	Total main workers	Per cent	45.22
	(a) Rural	Per cent	46.54
	(b) Urban	Per cent	36.23
13.	Marginal workers	Per cent	1.02
	(a) Rural	Per cent	1.15
	(b) Urban	Per cent	0.16
14.	Non-workers	Per cent	53.76
	(a) Rural	Per cent	52.31
	(b) Urban	Per cent	63.61
<b>15. CLASSIFICATION OF MAIN WORKERS</b>			
15.1	Cultivators	Nos.	235987
	(a) Rural	Nos.	233972
	(b) Urban	Nos.	2015
15.2	Agricultural labourers	Nos.	20054
	(a) Rural	Nos.	19383
	(b) Urban	Nos.	671
15.3	Livestock, Forestry, Hunting etc.	Nos.	6917
	(a) Rural	Nos.	6054
	(b) Urban	Nos.	863
15.4	Mining and Quarrying	Nos.	708
	(a) Rural	Nos.	707
	(b) Urban	Nos.	1

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### I. ADMINISTRATIVE SET UP

1. Districts	Nos.	13	13
2. Sub-Divisions	Nos.	36	36
3. Blocks, CD/IRD	Nos.	56	57
4. Circles	Nos.	135	142
5. Towns	Nos.	10	10
6. Villages (as per 1991 census)	Nos.	3649	3649
7. Households (as per 1981 census)	Nos.	175448	175448

### II. AGRICULTURE

1. Gross cropped area	in 000' Hect	231	240 (Estimated)
2. Net area sown	in 000' Hect	187	195 (Estimated)
3. Land under permanent cultivation	in 000' Hect	65	93 (Estimated)
4. Area irrigated	in 000' Hect	40	35
5. Area under manure/fertilizer	in 000' Hect	20	22
6. Area under HYV/improved seeds	in 000' Hect	56	57
7. Area under plant protection	in 000' Hect	36	37
8. Area under crops :			
(i) Food grains	in 000' Hect	170	177
(ii) Pulses	in 000' Hect	7	6
(iii) Oil seeds	in 000' Hect	26	26

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9. Production of crops :

(i) Food grains	in 000' MT	199	203
(ii) Pulses	in 000' MT	7	7
(iii) Oil seeds	in 000' MT	24	24

III. EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS

1. University	Nos.	1	1
2. Engineering Institution (NERIST)	Nos.	1	1
3. Colleges	Nos.	6	7
4. Higher Secondary Schools	Nos.	67	69
5. Secondary Schools	Nos.	90	101
6. Middle Schools	Nos.	301	329
7. Junior basic/Primary Schools	Nos.	1256	1280
8. Pre-Primary Schools	Nos.	137	137
9. Total teaching staff (Schools/Colleges/University).	Nos.	8539	8646
10. Total students (Schools/Colleges/University).	'000'	248	259
11. Total scheduled tribe students (Schools/Colleges/University).	'000'	177	182
12. Schools for handicapped	Nos.	1	1
13. Teachers training (Schools/Colleges)	Nos.	1	1



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#### IV. HEALTH INSTITUTIONS

1. General Hospital	Nos.	3	3
2. District Hospital	Nos.	11	12
3. Community Health Centre	Nos.	13	12
4. Primary Health Centre	Nos.	50	49
5. Sub-Centre	Nos.	325	200
6. Health Unit	Nos.	5	5
7. Dispensaries	Nos.	11	5
8. Other Institutions (Lab/VD/STD/HD etc.)	Nos.	25	25
9. Ayurvedic dispensaries	Nos.	3	4
10. Homoeopathic dispensaries	Nos.	32	39
11. T. B. Hospital	Nos.	2	2
12. Total Doctors	Nos.	458	515
13. Nursing staff/ANM	Nos.	471	488
14. Numbers of authorise beds	Nos.	2509	2359
15. Cases treated	000 Nos.	274	289
16. Family welfare clinic centre	Nos.	16	16

#### V. INDUSTRIES

1. Medium Industries	Nos.	19	18
2. Villages and S. S. Industries	Nos.	3336	3368
3. Craft/weaving centres	Nos.	88	84
4. Sericulture demonstration centre	Nos.	26	26

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5.	Sericulture villages	Nos.	230	238
6.	Annual out turn (1997-98)	Rs. in lakhs	81.00	98.5
7.	Annual sale proceeds (1997-98)	Rs. in lakhs	56.32	66.43
<b>VI. FOREST</b>				
1.	Forest circles	Nos.	7	6
2.	Forest Divisions (Territorial and Functional)	Nos.	40	28
3.	Forest ranges	Nos.	122	119
4.	Forest beat	Nos.	132	160
5.	Area under forest	000 sq.k m	51.540	51.540
6.	Forest area in percentage (Approx.)	per cent	62	62
7.	Forest roads	in sq.km	1021.43	NA
8.	Annual expenditure on forest (1997-98)	Rs. in lakhs	2460.64	3055.36*
9.	Forest revenue (1997-98)	Rs. in lakhs	2523.60	698.00*
10.	Wild life sanctuaries	Nos.	9	10
11.	National Park	Nos.	2	2
* Not reconciled with A.G., Shillong.				
<b>VII. ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND VETERINARY</b>				
1.	Cattle (as per 1991-92 census)	000 Nos.	346	346
2.	Other animals	000 Nos.	612	612
3.	Birds (Poultry and Ducks)	000 Nos.	1172	1172
4.	Poultry/duck farms	Nos.	13	13
5.	Animal farms	Nos.	15	18

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6.	Veterinary dispensaries	Nos.	91	93
7.	Veterinary aid centres	Nos.	153	153
8.	Mobile veterinary dispensaries	Nos.	13	13
9.	Cattle upgrading centres	Nos.	120	120
10.	Animal and birds treated (1997-98)	000 Nos.	420	423
11.	Key village centres	Nos.	30	31
12.	Veterinary hospital	No.	1	1

#### VIII. FISHERIES

1.	Government fish/seeds farms area	Hect.	38	31 (effective)
2.	Village fish ponds/farms	Hect.	755	612 (effective)
3.	Government beels and lakes	Hect.	134	99 (effective)
4.	Private beels and lakes	Hect.	23	8 (effective)
5.	Paddy-cum-fish cultures	Hect.	1307.00	872 (effective)
6.	Total area under pisciculture	Hect.	2257.00	1622 (effective)
7.	Fingerling distribution centres	No.	42	42 (effective)
8.	Annual fish production in land	Ton	2002	2130 (effective)
9.	Annual seeds production :			
	(a) Fry	in million	21.80	24 (effective)
	(b) Fingerling	in million	7.30	7.5 (effective)

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## IX. IRRIGATION

1.	Number of irrigation channel construction	Nos.	3915	NA
2.	Gross irrigated area	Hect.	—	92254
3.	Net irrigated area	Hect.	87578	*87578

## X. PUBLIC HEALTH ENGINEERING

1.	Town covered under drinking water supply	Nos.	10	10
2.	Villages with drinking water supply	Nos.	3403	3632
3.	Population benefitted :			
	(a) Urban	'000' Nos.	130	213
	(b) Rural	'000' Nos.	826	711

## XI. ROAD AND COMMUNICATION

1.	(a) Post-office (Head Post office)	Nos.	1	1
	(b) Sub-Post office	Nos.	45	45
	(c) EDBPO (Branch Post-office)	Nos.	237	238
2.	Post-office			
	(a) With telegraph facilities	Nos.	20	20
	(b) Without telegraph facilities	Nos.	26	26
3.	Postal revenue earned (1997-98)	Rs. in lakhs	—	117.00
4.	Total length of roads :			
	(a) APPWD	in kms.	6450	6507.00
	(b) BRTF	in kms.	3165.21	3756.13
	(c) RWD	in kms.	1683.00	1683.00
	(d) Forest	in kms.	1010.57	1010.57

\* 1997 figures repeated.

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#### XII. DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATION\*

1. Telephone exchange	Nos.	64	64
2. Telephone exchange with STD facilities	Nos.	36	36
3. Fax facilities	Nos.	14	14
4. P.C.O. provided	Nos.	37	37
5. Number of telegraph office	Nos.	27	27
6. Number of telephone connection	Nos.	11752	11752
7. Total exchange capacity	Nos.	17844	17844

\* Figures repeated due to non receipt of data.

#### XIII. BANKING

1. State Bank of India	Nos.	42	42
(a) Deposits	Rs. in lakhs	29982	29385
(b) Loan and advance	Rs. in lakhs	3033	3057
2. Other Banks	Nos.	57	57
(a) Deposits	Rs. in lakhs	17675.89	16236
(b) Loan and advance	Rs. in lakhs	4446.40	4815

#### XIV. CO-OPERATIVES

1. Co-operative societies	Nos.	224	243
2. Working capital	Rs. in lakhs	10847.17	11204.99
3. Share capital	Rs. in lakhs	389.35	430.02
4. Membership	'000' Nos.	53	55

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#### XV. POLICE

1. Sanctioned of Police strength	Nos.	5481	5718
2. Police stations	Nos.	67	67
3. Police out posts	Nos.	5	4
4. Fire stations	Nos.	11	11
5. (a) VHF sets stations	Nos.	34	108
(b) HF sets stations	Nos.	9	91
6. Annual incidence of crimes	Nos.	2472	1926
7. Annual cases reported under IPC cognizable heads	Nos.	2405	1876

#### XVI. TOURISM DEPARTMENT

1. Tourist visited in Arunachal Pradesh (during 1997-98)			
(a) Foreigner	Nos.	282	34
(b) Indian (domestic)	Nos.	10143	11625
2. Government tourist lodges in Arunachal Pradesh as on 31-03-1998	Nos.	4	4
		(Bomdila/ Tawang Tezu/Miao)	

#### XVII. LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT

1. Employment exchanges	Nos.	11	13
2. Applicant on line register	Nos.	11308	13410
3. Applicants placement in employment	Nos.	105	326

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## XVIII. RESEARCH

1. Number of book published	Nos.	106	110
2. Number of State museum	Nos.	1	1
3. Number of district museum	Nos.	7	7
4. Protected archaeological site	Nos.	4	4
5. Number of Reference Library	Nos.	11	11

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	During the year	
			1996-97	1997-98

## XIX. POWER

1. Electricity install capacity				
(a) Hydel	MW	23.845	23.845	
(b) Diesel	MW	25.385	25.385	
2. Electricity generated				
(a) Hydel	MU	39.495	58.16	
(b) Diesel	MU	17.670	28.88	
(c) Import from Central Sector/Assam	MU	73.000	78.843	
3. Electricity consumption	MU	61.977	112.61	
4. Village electrified (as on 31-3-98)	Nos.	2450	2550	

## XX. MARKETING AND SHORTAGES

1. Procurement of rice by FCI	MT	101934	85250.81
2. Procurement of wheat by FCI	MT	5174	5822
3. Fair Price Shops (as on 31-3-98)	Nos.	940	984

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	During the year	
			1996-97	1997-98
4.	Procurement of sugar	MT	43839	3326.2
5.	Procurement of SK oil	KL	9672	12732
6.	Total wholesale (as on 31-3-98)			
	(a) Co-operative	Nos.	—	23
	(b) Private	Nos.	—	9
7.	SK Oil Depot (as on 31-3-98)			
	(a) IOC (AOD)	Nos.	—	24
	(b) IOC (MD)	Nos.	—	10
8.	LPG outlet (as on 31-3-98)	Nos.	—	13
9.	Existing Godown (as on 31-3-98) storage capacity			
	(a) Total Godown	Nos.	—	50
	(b) Capacity	MT	—	5150
<b>XXI. PUBLIC FINANCE</b>			As per R. E.	As per R. E.
1.	Receipt :			
	(a) Revenue	Rs. in crores	845.84	881.49
	(b) Capital	Rs. in crores	115.38	131.42
2.	Expenditure :			
	(a) Revenue	Rs. in crores	611.28	677.01
	(b) Capital	Rs. in crores	336.25	352.59
3.	Plan :			
	(a) Revenue	Rs. in crores	218.43	268.12
	(b) Capital	Rs. in crores	302.85	318.12



Sl. No.	Item	Unit	During the year	
			1996-97	1997-98

## 4. Non-Plan :

(a) Revenue	Rs. in crores	392.85	408.89
(b) Capital	Rs. in crores	33.40	36.27

The opening balance as on 01-04-1997 and closing balance as on 31-3-1998 of the State Government as per RE 1997-98 were arrived at (+) 18.93 and (+) 0.45 crores respectively.

## XXII. ELECTORATE STATISTICS

		Assembly election <u>1995</u>	Lok Sabha election <u>1998</u>
1. Total number of electors	Nos.	534001	565626
2. Votes polled in last election	Nos.	433657	334600
3. Valid votes polled	Nos.	424827	328764
4. Votes rejected	Nos.	8748	5827
5. Missing votes	Nos.	82	9
6. Percentage of vote polled	Per cent	81.21	59.15

## XXIII. INFORMATION AND PUBLIC RELATIONS

1. Community listening sets distributed	Nos.	2035	2121
2. Number of projection unit	Nos.	41	41
3. Number of central workshop	Nos.	1	1
4. Miniature workshop in districts HQ (for community listening sets)	Nos.	11	11
5. Community viewing TV sets distributed	Nos.	330	330
6. Community video sets	Nos.	11	11
7. Video camera and editing unit HQ (for VHS)	Nos.	1	1
8. Colour laboratory (Photo) HQ	Nos.	1	1

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			1996-97	1997-98
9.	Black and White photo laboratory	Nos.	1	1
10.	Songs and drama units	Nos.	1	1
11.	Numbers of NOC issued for video licence	Nos.	34	38
12.	Numbers of NOC issued for cinema licence	Nos.	1	1
13.	Publications :			
	(a) Arunachal review	No. of copies	—	8000
	(b) Gazette	No. of copies	—	6600
	(c) Diary	No. of copies	—	5000
	(d) Calendar	No. of copies	—	8000
14.	Press advertise :			
	(a) Press release made	Nos.	460	580
	(b) Advertisement release	Nos.	132	167
<b>XXIV. STATE TRANSPORT</b>				
1.	Strength of bus fleet	Nos.	175	215
2.	Total bus km. operated	in lakhs km.	60.19	66.87
3.	Bus route coverage	Nos.	115	137
4.	Distance of bus routes covered	Km (lakhs) per day	—	85.90
5.	Total passenger carried	in crores	NA	NA
6.	Fuel efficiency	Km per litre	3.29	2.96
7.	Bus fleet utilisation	Per cent	—	85
8.	Seat occupancy ratio	Per cent	—	47.37
9.	Total staff	Nos.	737	774
10.	Traffic receipt	Rs. in crores	4.73	5.30
11.	Total operational expenditure	Rs. in crores	8.70	10.86
12.	Net loss (operation)	Rs. in crores	3.98	5.56
13.	Tyre efficiency	'000' km	—	35000
14.	Total diesel consumed	in lakhs ltr.	18.91	15.32
15.	Operation revenue earned	Rs. in crores	—	5.35

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	During the year	
			1996-97	1997-98
<b>XXV. RURAL DEVELOPMENT</b>				
1.	CD/IRD Blocks	Nos.	56	56
2.	Villages covered by blocks	Nos.	3639	3639
3.	Beneficiaries assisted under IRDP	Nos.	10695	12799
4.	Mandays generated under :			
	(a) J. R. Y	lakh mandays	2.79	2.97
	(b) E. A. S.	lakh mandays	39.05	43.66
5.	Houses built under I. A. Y.	Nos.	387	932
6.	Groups formed under D.W.C.R.A.	Nos.	126	154
7.	MIC/other irrigation works completed under M.W.S.	Nos.	71	152
8.	Youths trained under TRYSEM	Nos.	739	698
9.	Expenditure incurred under :			
	(a) IRDP	Rs. in lakhs	435.87	565.71
	(b) JRY	Rs. in lakhs	198.33	241.82
	(c) E.A.S.	Rs. in lakhs	2054.94	2586.93
	(d) I.A.Y.	Rs. in lakhs	72.55	210.49
	(e) M.W.S.	Rs. in lakhs	36.89	36.99
	(f) D.W.C.R.A.	Rs. in lakhs	26.10	42.95
	(g) T.R.Y.S.E.M.	Rs. in lakhs	24.87	37.47
	(H) Ganga Kalyan Yojna (G.K.Y.)	Rs. in lakhs	—	18.99

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	During the year	
			1995	1996

**XXVI. VITAL EVENTS RECORDED UNDER REGISTRATION OF  
BIRTH AND DEATH IN ARUNACHAL PRADESH**

1. Functional registration units	Nos.	88	88
2. Birth and Death events registered			
(a) Live birth	Nos.	15012	18448
(b) Death	Nos.	1360	1672
(c) Infant death	Nos.	100	147
(d) Still birth	Nos.	110	15
3. Birth and death rate as per (DES's report) civil registration system (CRS) report			
(I) RURAL			
(a) Birth rate	Per '000'	10.90	14.17
(b) Death rate	Per '000'	1.05	1.42
(c) Infant death rate	Per '000'	0.51	0.78
(II) URBAN			
(a) Birth rate	Per '000'	43.09	44.54
(b) Death rate	Per '000'	3.53	3.27
(c) Infant death rate	Per '000'	0.89	0.82

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	During the year	
			1995-96 *(P)	1996-97 *(Q)

**XXVII. STATE DOMESTIC PRODUCT**

1. Net State Domestic Product :

(a) At current price	Rs. in crores	986.68	1080.03
(b) At constant price	Rs. in crores	319.51	303.44

2. Per Capital State NDP :

(a) At current price	in Rs.	10205	10887
(b) At constant price	in Rs.	3304	3059

(over previous years)

3. Annual growth rate NSDP :

(a) At current price	Per cent	11.06	9.45
(b) At constant price	Per cent (+)	3.67	(-) 5.03

\*P = Provisional

\*Q = Quick

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	As per 1990	
			Economic Census	

**XXVIII. FINDING OF ECONOMIC CENSUS - 1990**

1. Agriculture enterprise	Nos.	1051	
2. Non-Agricultural enterprise	Nos.	19761	
3. Persons usually working	Nos.	<u>Total</u>	<u>Hired</u>
(a) Agricultural enterprise	Nos.	3136	1817
(b) Non-Agricultural enterprise	Nos.	90138	73370