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PREFACE

It brings me immense pleasure and pride to announce the release of the Directorate of Economics and Statistics' annual publication, "Puducherry At A Glance 2025."

This comprehensive document stands as a testament to the department's commitment to providing valuable insights and critical data for researchers, planners, policymakers, and the general public alike. I am confident that this publication will serve as a vital resource for all stakeholders, facilitating informed decision-making and fostering development across various sectors of Puducherry.

The commendable efforts and dedication of the Directorate deserve special recognition. I extend my sincere appreciation to the Secretary, the Director, and all the staff who have contributed tirelessly to the successful preparation of this publication.

Their unwavering commitment reflects the Directorate's long-standing tradition of excellence and its dedication to serving the people of Puducherry. I am optimistic that this legacy will continue to flourish, empowering citizens and driving progress of the Union Territory.

I extend my heartfelt gratitude to everyone involved in this noble endeavor and look forward to witnessing the positive impact this publication will have in shaping the future of Puducherry.

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It gives immense pleasure to introduce the annual publication titled “Puducherry At A Glance 2025,” brought out by the Directorate of Economics and Statistics, Puducherry. This publication continues the Directorate’s legacy of excellence by presenting a comprehensive overview of state and district-wise socio-economic data for the year 2024–2025.

As the nodal agency responsible for all statistical activities within the Union Territory of Puducherry, the Directorate has meticulously collected and compiled time series data based on various parameters, from multiple departments and agencies across the Union Territory. This publication will prove invaluable to administrators, policymakers, planners, economists, research scholars and the general public. By offering detailed socio-economic insights, this document aims to support informed decision-making and contribute meaningfully to the planning and development processes within Puducherry.

I extend my heartfelt gratitude to all the data source agencies whose timely and accurate inputs have played a crucial role in making this publication possible. Moreover, I would like to commend the officers and staff of the Directorate of Economics and Statistics for their dedicated efforts and hard work in data collection, analysis and compilation, instrumental in bringing out this publication with such precision and quality.

I hope that “Puducherry At A Glance 2025” will serve as a vital tool for understanding the socio-economic landscape of Puducherry and inspire further initiatives aimed at the welfare and progress of the Union Territory.

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INTRODUCTION

The Annual publication “Puducherry At A Glance 2025” has been meticulously compiled and released by the Directorate of Economics and Statistics. This publication underscores the Directorate’s commitment to meeting the critical data needs of stakeholders from all walks of society. In an era where accurate and Comprehensive data is pivotal for decision making and development, this publication aims to provide an invaluable resource by presenting the latest and most relevant socio-economic insights into the Union territory of Puducherry.

The information Contained within this publication largely pertains to the financial year or, where applicable, cover other relevant periods. It delivers an in-depth view of region-specific data to help assess inter- regional disparities and socio –economic indicators, While highlighting key developmental trends and progress across various sectors of the Union Territory’s economy.

I extend my heartfelt gratitude to the Director and the dedicated team of the Directorate of Stationery and Printing, Puducherry, for their efficient efforts in printing and presenting this publication within a short time frame. Their cooperation and diligence deserve special recognition and appreciation.

The Directorate of Economics and Statistics remains steadfast in its mission to enhance the quality, accuracy and relevance of its publications. With this release, the Directorate has once again demonstrated its dedication to serving the administrators, research scholars, planners, policymakers, and the general public. It is our hope that this publication will become a vital tool in fostering informed decisions that contribute to the holistic development of the Union Territory.

We are mindful that there is always room for improvement in terms of the quality, scope, timeliness, and presentation of such publications. We warmly welcome suggestion, comments, and feedback from readers to further refine and improve our future efforts in this regard.

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OVRERVIEW OF PUDUCHERRY

Puducherry, formerly known as Pondicherry, is a Union Territory of India comprising four geographically separated coastal regions—Puducherry, Karaikal, Mahe, and Yanam. These regions were once part of French India and continue to retain a distinct historical, cultural, and administrative identity within the Indian Union.

Early History and Establishment of French Control

The foundation of French presence in Puducherry dates back to 1673, when the French East India Company (*La Compagnie française des Indes orientales*) obtained a firman from the local Qiladar of Valikondapuram under the Sultan of Bijapur. In 1673 a French official named Bellanger established residence in Pondicherry, marking the beginning of French settlement.

In 1674, François Martin was appointed as the first Governor and established a trading centre, transforming Puducherry from a small fishing village into a planned port town. Under his leadership, Pondicherry gradually emerged as the principal French settlement in India.

During the late 17th and early 18th centuries, European rivalry for trade dominance intensified. In 1693, the Dutch captured Pondicherry, but it was returned to the French under the Treaty of Ryswick (1699). Between 1720 and 1738, the French expanded their territorial control by acquiring Mahe, Yanam, and Karaikal, consolidating their position along the Indian coastline.

Anglo-French Conflicts and Colonial Transitions (18th–19th Century)

Throughout the 18th century, Puducherry was frequently embroiled in Anglo-French conflicts, particularly during the Carnatic Wars. In 1761, the British East India Company captured Puducherry, but it was restored to French control by the Treaty of Paris (1763).

Again, during the French Revolution in 1793, the British occupied Puducherry, returning it to France in 1814. When the British consolidated control over most of India by the mid-19th century, they allowed France to retain its settlements at Puducherry, Karaikal, Mahe, Yanam, and Chandernagore.

During this long period of French rule, Puducherry served as the capital of French India (1761–1954) and evolved into a significant cultural and intellectual centre. It became a

refuge for Indian freedom fighters such as Subramania Bharati and Aurobindo Ghosh. French influence became deeply embedded in the town's architecture, urban planning, cuisine, and social life, creating a unique Indo-French cultural synthesis.

Post-Independence Developments and the Question of Merger (1947–1954)

India's independence in 1947 brought the future of French possessions in India into sharp focus. In 1948, an agreement between India and France allowed the inhabitants of French territories to decide their political future. . The Indian National Congress, at its Jaipur Session (December 1948), declared the continued existence of foreign territories in India incompatible with national unity. Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru reiterated in February 1949 that integration would be pursued through peaceful negotiations.

France, however, attempted to delay decolonization due to concerns about its wider colonial interests. In June 1948, India and France agreed to conduct separate referendums in each territory. While municipal councils in Puducherry, Karaikal, Yanam, and Mahe initially planned referendums, Chandernagore chose immediate merger. France proposed granting Puducherry an associated state status within the French Union, but India responded with administrative and economic restrictions. The situation changed decisively after France's defeat in Southeast Asia and the signing of the Geneva Accords.

De Facto and De Jure Merger with India (1954–1963)

In September 1954, India and France agreed to let elected representatives decide the future of French India. In 1954 representatives met at Kizhoor and voted almost unanimously in favour of merger with India. The formal transfer of power took place on 1 November 1954 bringing Puducherry, Karaikal, Mahe, and Yanam under Indian administration on a **de facto** basis.

However, Puducherry remained legally French territory until the French Parliament ratified the treaty. The de jure transfer occurred on 16th August 1963, marking the complete end of French sovereignty. Meanwhile, the Government established a legislative assembly and council of ministers. Édouard Goubert became the first Chief Minister of Puducherry.

Administrative, Political, and Cultural Developments

Puducherry is one of only three Union Territories (along with Delhi and Jammu and Kashmir) to have an elected Legislative Assembly. It has 30 Assembly constituencies, one

Lok Sabha seat, and one Rajya Sabha seat, with three nominated MLAs. Under the Pondicherry Official Language Act, 1965, Tamil and English were declared official languages, with Telugu used in Yanam and Malayalam in Mahe.

Official Song of Puducherry – Background and History

The Union Territory of Puducherry adopted Tamil Thaa Vazhuthu as official song in 1972. The song was written by Bharathidasan, one of the most celebrated Tamil poets and a strong advocate of Tamil identity, social reform, and linguistic pride.

The song is essentially an invocation to Goddess Tamil (Tamil Thaa), reflecting Puducherry's deep-rooted association with Tamil language, culture, and literature.

It is sung at government functions, cultural programmes and other official celebrations.

**தமிழ்த்தாய் வணக்கம் (புதுச்சேரி அரசின்
அதிகாரப்பூர்வ பாடல்)
— பாரதிதாசன்**

வாழ்வினில் செம்மையைச் செய்பவள் நீயே!
மாண்புகள் நீயே என் தமிழ்த் தாயே!
வீழ்வாரை வீழாது காப்பவள் நீயே
வீரனின் வீரமும், வெற்றியும் நீயே!

தாழ்ந்திடு நிலையினில் உனை விடுப்பேனோ?
தமிழன்எந் நாளும் தலைகுனி வேனோ?
சூழ்ந்தின்பம் நல்கிடும் பைந்தமிழ் அன்னாய்
தோன்றுடல் நீஉயிர் நான்மறப் பேனோ?

செந்தமிழே! உயிரே! நறுந்தேனே!
செயலினை மூச்சினை உனக்களித்தேனே!
நைந்தா யெனில்நைந்து போகுமென் வாழ்வு
நன்னிலை உனக்கெனில் எனக்குந் தானே!

முந்திய நாளினில் அறிவும் இலாது
மொய்த்தநன் மனிதராம் புதுப்புனல் மீது
செந்தாமரைக் காடு பூத்தது போலே
செழித்தஎன் தமிழே ஒளியே வாழி!
செழித்தஎன் தமிழே ஒளியே வாழி!

Adoption of Official State Symbols

State symbols were chosen to reflect species that are commonly found across the four regions of Puducherry and that hold ecological, cultural, and traditional significance.

State Animal – Indian Palm Squirrel (Three-striped Palm Squirrel)

The Indian Palm Squirrel (*Funambulus palmarum*) was declared the State Animal of Puducherry. Locally known as *Anna Pilli* in Tamil, this small mammal is widely seen in both urban and rural areas of the Union Territory. The species symbolizes adaptability, alertness, and coexistence with human settlements, reflecting the everyday ecological landscape of Puducherry.



State Bird – Asian Koel

The Asian Koel (*Eudynamys scolopaceus*),



commonly called *Koel* or *Kokila*, was adopted as the State Bird. Known for its distinctive and melodious call, especially during the summer season, the Koel occupies a prominent place in Indian literature and folklore. Its selection underscores the rich avian

biodiversity of Puducherry and its association with seasonal rhythms and cultural expression.

State Flower – Cannonball Flower (Nagalingapoo)

The Cannonball Flower (*Couroupita guianensis*), locally known as *Nagalingapoo*, was declared the State Flower. The tree is commonly found in temple premises and public spaces across Puducherry. The flower holds religious and symbolic significance, often associated with Lord Shiva, and represents the interweaving of nature, spirituality, and tradition in the region.



State Tree – Bael Tree (Vilvam Tree)



The Bael Tree (*Aegle marmelos*), known as *Vilvam* or *Bilubam* in Tamil, was designated as the State Tree. Revered in Hindu religious practices, especially in Shaivite traditions, the bael tree is valued for its medicinal properties, ecological importance, and cultural sanctity. Its selection highlights Puducherry's traditional knowledge systems and

respect for sacred ecology.

Collectively, these symbols serve not only as emblems of Puducherry's biodiversity and cultural continuity, but also as tools for environmental awareness and conservation within the Union Territory

Major Tourists attractions in Puducherry

Puducherry Region

Promenade Beach: A popular seafront stretch along the Bay of Bengal known for its scenic views, walking promenade, and colonial landmarks. It is one of the most visited attractions in Puducherry.

Sri Aurobindo Ashram: Founded by Sri Aurobindo and The Mother, the Ashram is an internationally known spiritual centre attracting visitors seeking peace, meditation, and spiritual learning.

Auroville: An international township established to promote human unity and sustainable living. People from many countries reside and work together here.

Matrimandir: The Matrimandir is the spiritual and architectural centre of Auroville, famous for its golden spherical structure and meditation chamber.

French Quarter (White Town): This heritage area is famous for French-style buildings, colorful streets, cafés, and colonial architecture.

Paradise Beach: A clean and serene beach accessible mainly by boat, known for its golden sand, backwaters, and recreational activities.

Arikamedu: An ancient archaeological site that once served as an Indo-Roman trading centre, reflecting Puducherry's historical maritime connections.

Chunnambar Mangrove Forest: The mangrove areas near Ariyankuppam and Chunnambar are known for their rich biodiversity, serene backwaters, and boating experiences.

Craft Village, Ariyankuppam: The Craft Village at Ariyankuppam promotes traditional handicrafts, handloom products, folk art, and local cultural heritage.

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Karaikal Region

Thirunallar Saniswaran Temple: One of the most famous temples dedicated to Lord Shani in India. Devotees from across the country visit for spiritual and astrological significance.

Karaikal Ammaiyar Temple: Dedicated to Karaikal Ammaiyar, one of the revered Shaivite saints, the temple is an important religious and cultural landmark.

Karaikal Beach: A peaceful coastal attraction known for its clean shoreline, boating facilities, and family-friendly environment.

Mahe Region

Mahe Beach: A scenic beach surrounded by coconut trees and coastal beauty, offering a calm and relaxing atmosphere.

St. Theresa Shrine: A historic Christian pilgrimage centre well known for its annual feast celebrated by devotees from different regions.

Dharmadam Island: A small picturesque island near Mahe surrounded by rivers and mangroves, known for its natural beauty.

Yanam Region

Rajiv Gandhi Beach: A well-developed riverfront destination on the banks of the Godavari, popular for leisure activities and evening views.

Yanam Godavari Riverfront: The riverfront showcases the scenic beauty of the Godavari River and reflects the unique Telugu-French cultural atmosphere of Yanam.

Venkanna Babu Temple: An important temple in Yanam dedicated to Lord Venkateswara and visited by devotees throughout the year.

Geography, Demography, and Economy

The Union Territory covers 490 sq. km with a 45 km coastline. Administratively, it comprises Puducherry District (including Mahe and Yanam) and Karaikal District, with 5 municipalities, 10 commune panchayats, 8 taluks, and 3 community development blocks. As per the 2011 Census, Puducherry had a population of 12.48 lakh, (Puducherry – 9,50,289, Karaikal – 2,00,222, Mahe – 41,816 and Yanam – 55,626). Of which, SC population is 1,96,325 (15.7%). The Sex ratio of U.T. of Puducherry as per 2011 Census is 1037 females per 1000 males. The literacy rate of the U.T. of Puducherry as per 2011 Census is 85.9% (Male – 91.26% & Female – 80.67%) There are 129 Revenue villages (Puducherry -81, Karaikal -37, Mahe -5 and Yanam -6). Of which, 10 Revenue villages are having more than half of their total population as Scheduled castes. Puducherry and Karaikal regions are classified into both urban and rural areas whereas entire Mahe and Yanam regions are classified as urban area. Puducherry is the 29th most populous and the third most densely populated State/UT in India.

Puducherry UT has carved a place of eminence in the field of professional and technical education., there has been a steady influx of students from across the country to Puducherry for education particularly for medical education. There are 14 medical colleges, including the Central Institution Jawaharlal Institute of Postgraduate Medical Education and Research (JIPMER) and state medical colleges, with seats available across all categories in Puducherry, fulfilling the ambitions of many young aspirants. In the field of Engineering Education also, the UT of Puducherry has performed well. It has around 12 engineering institutions, including the Central Institution National Institute of Technology Puducherry, Puducherry Technological University, and about 10 other private engineering colleges offering various undergraduate and postgraduate programmes.

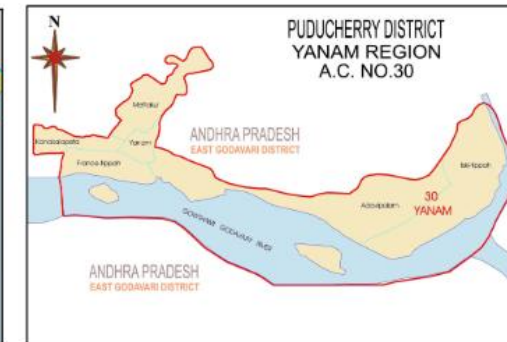
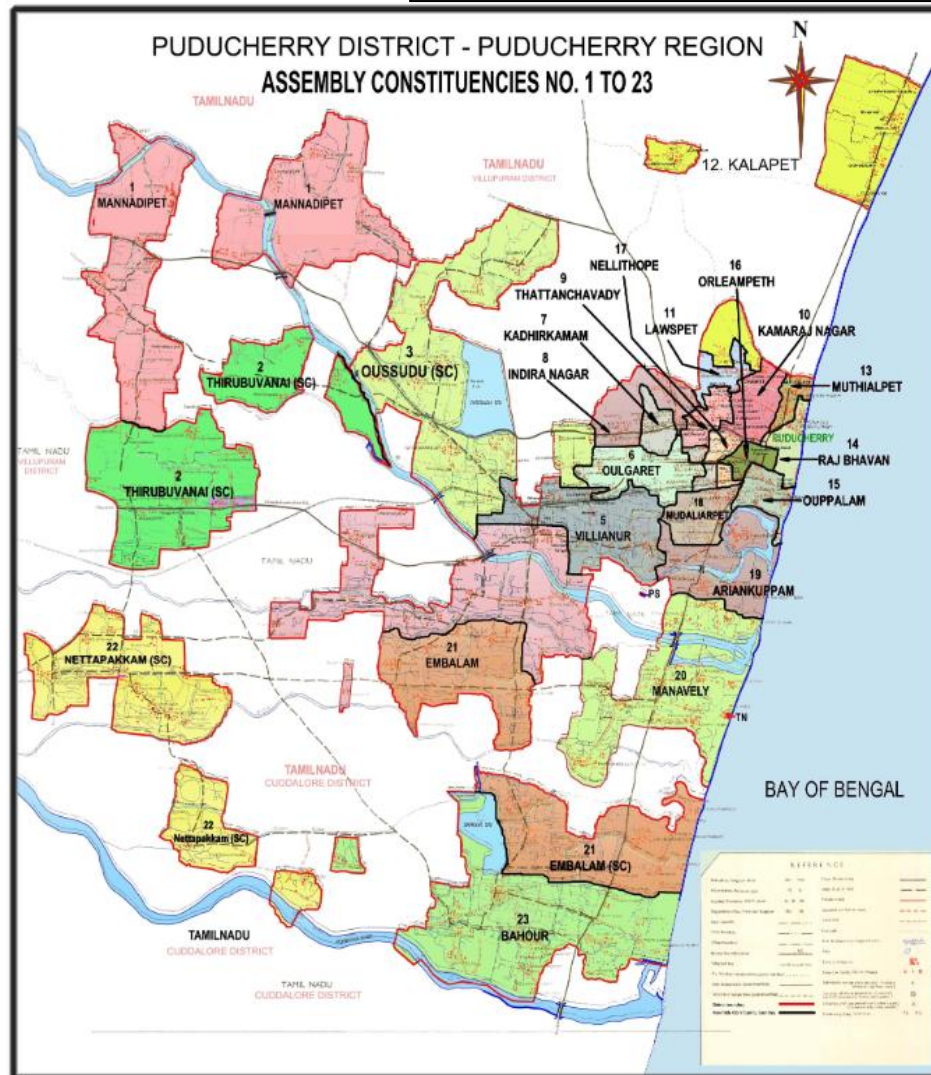
Pondicherry University, located in the Union Territory of Puducherry, is a premier NAAC ‘A+’ Category Central University, with an intake of students for both UG & PG courses, and it carries out higher education and research in many disciplines.

Puducherry remains a global centre for spirituality and philosophy. The Sri Aurobindo Ashram and Auroville (established in 1968) continue to attract international visitors. The city’s historic Boulevard Town, with its Tamil and French quarters, reflects a unique urban heritage, now preserved as a designated Heritage Zone.

As per SRS-2022 (Sample Registration System) , the Birth rate, Death rate and Infant mortality rates of Union Territory of Puducherry have been estimated at 12.4 per 1000 population 6.6 per thousand population and 6.0 per 1000 live births respectively. The total area under all crops during 2024-2025 was 26,223 Hect/ares and the production of food grains, rice and sugarcane was in the order of 48062, 47049 and 92250 tonnes respectively. The Milk and Egg production under Animal Husbandry sector has been worked out to 49750 MTs and 114.092 lakhs respectively during 2024-2025 There are 77 Large Scale, 194 Medium Scale and 9289 Small Scale Industries in the U.T. of Puducherry.

The Gross State Domestic Product of the U.T. of Puducherry at Current prices for the year 2024-25 (RE) and 2023-24 (P) is estimated at Rs. 52,775.17 Crores and Rs.48,658.38 Crores respectively (8.46% increase). The per Capita income at current price for the year 2023-24 and 2024-25 is estimated to be Rs.2,91,892, and Rs.3,09,713 respectively. The Consumer Price Index for Industrial workers of the Union Territory of Puducherry stands at 158.2 during March 2025 revealing that there exists decreasing trend of prices in the Union Territory, due to change of Base Year.

MAP OF REGIONS OF UT OF PUDUCHERRY



1. SELECTED SOCIO - ECONOMIC INDICATORS

Item	Year	Unit	Pudu-cherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
Area		Sq.km.	294	157	9	30	490
Density of population	2011 census	Per sq.km.	3232	1275	4646	1854	2547
Statutory Towns	"	No.	3	1	1	1	6
Census Towns	"	"	3	1	0	0	4
Taluks	"	"	4	2	1	1	8
Municipalities	"	"	2	1	1	1	5
Commune Panchayats	"	"	5	5	0	0	10
Community Development Blocks	"	"	2	1	0	0	3
Revenue villages	"	"	81	37	5	6	129
Revenue villages having more than half of their total population as SCs	"	"	10	0	0	0	10
<u>Population</u>	"	Person (%)	950289 (76.1)	200222 (16.0)	41816 (3.4)	55626 (4.5)	1247953 (100.0)
Urban	"	"	657209 (69.2)	98102 (49.0)	41816 (100)	55626 (100)	852753 (68.3)
Rural	"	"	293080 (30.8)	102120 (51.0)	-	-	395200 (31.7)
Male	"	"	468258 (49.3)	97809 (48.9)	19143 (45.8)	27301 (49.1)	612511 (49.1)
Female	"	"	482031 (50.7)	102413 (51.1)	22673 (54.2)	28325 (50.9)	635442 (50.9)
Age 0-6 population	"	"	99838 (10.5)	22263 (11.1)	4553 (10.9)	6204 (11.2)	132858 (10.6)
Decadal growth	"	%	29.2	17.20	A	77.2	28.1
Sex Ratio	"	Females per '000 Males	1029	1047	1184	1038	1037
Child Sex Ratio (0-6 Age group)	"	Female child per '000 Male child	970	969	978	921	967
<u>SC population</u>	"	Person (%)	152406 (16.0)	35348 (17.7)	144 (0.3)	8427 (15.2)	196325 (15.7)
Urban	"	"	66782 (43.8)	10547 (29.8)	144 (100)	8427 (100)	85900 (43.8)
Rural	"	"	85624 (56.2)	24801 (70.2)	-	-	110425 (56.2)
Male	"	"	74129 (48.6)	17206 (48.7)	77 (53.5)	4100 (48.7)	95512 (48.6)
Female	"	"	78277 (51.4)	18142 (51.3)	67 (46.5)	4327 (51.3)	100813 (51.4)
<u>Distribution by Religion</u>							
Hindus	"	Person (%)	855294 (90.0)	152638 (76.2)	27940 (66.8)	53537 (96.2)	1089409 (87.3)
Muslims	"	"	32674 (3.4)	28835 (14.4)	12856 (30.7)	1191 (2.1)	75556 (6.1)
Christians	"	"	58328 (6.1)	18391 (9.2)	958 (2.3)	873 (1.6)	78550 (6.3)
Sikhs	"	Person	245	46	3	3	297
Buddhist	"	"	366	63	21	1	451
Jain	"	"	1328	54	14	4	1400
Others	"	"	147	14	3	4	168
Not stated	"	"	1907	181	21	13	2122

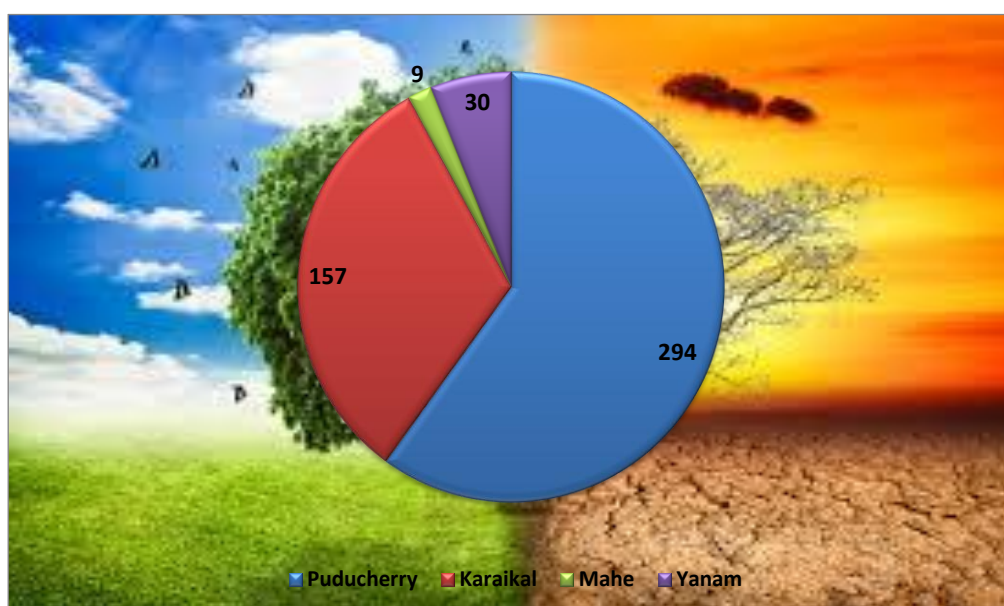
Item	Year	Unit	Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
<u>Literacy rate</u>							
Persons	2011 census	%	85.4	87.1	97.9	79.5	85.8
Male	"	%	91.2	92.4	98.6	82.8	91.3
Female	"	%	79.9	82.0	97.3	76.4	80.7
<u>House Holds</u>							
Total No. of Households	"	No.	230703	51219	7197	13308	302427
No. of House holds without Latrine facility	"	"	72744	19742	156	2413	95055
Permanent (HH)	"	"	183147	32245	7090	11637	234119
Semi Permanent (HH)	"	"	19253	9882	77	373	29585
Temporary (HH)	"	"	26853	7642	28	1279	35802
Normal (HH)	"	"	230765	49614	7396	13790	301565
Institutional (HH)	"	"	304	63	17	9	393
Houseless (HH)	"	"	444	28	7	13	492
<u>Workers</u>							
Total Workers (Main and Marginal workers)	2011 census	No.	348105	68301	11802	16760	444968
Main workers	"	"	315570	58342	10404	15373	399689
Marginal workers	"	"	32535	9959	1398	1387	45279
Non workers	"	"	602184	131921	30014	38866	802985
<u>Health (Government of Puducherry Institutions)</u>							
Hospitals	2024-2025	No.	5	1	1	1	8
Medical College & Research Institutes	"	"	2	1	1	0	4
Dental College and Hospital	"	"	1	0	0	0	1
Chest Clinic	"	"	1	1	0	0	2
Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation centre	"	"	1	0	0	0	1
Community Health Centres	"	"	2	1	1	0	4
Primary Health Centres	"	"	31	12	2	1	46
Sub-centres	"	"	56	18	4	5	83
ESI Dispensaries	"	"	12	1	1	1	15
Doctors (U.T. Govt)	"	"	235	38	18	16	307
Nurses (U.T. Govt)	"	"	721	245	76	62	1104
Beds (U.T. Govt) including PMRC Beds - CHC /PHC Bed-Strength	"	"	2382	608	203	100	3293
JIPMER Beds	"	"	2231	0	0	0	2231
Birth Rate	SRS 2022						12.4
Death Rate	"						6.6
Infant Mortality Rate	"						6.0
<u>School Education (Government ,Private & Aided schools)</u>							
Pre- Primary							
Pre- Primary sections	2024-2025	No.	420.00	145.00	24	28.00	617
Pre-Preimary	"	"	20354	4397	1437	1018	27206
Primary school							
i. No. of Institutions	2024-2025	No.	187	76	10	16	289
ii. No. of Students (All classes)	"	"	61273	13634	3852	2448	81207

Item	Year	Unit	Pudu- cherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
<u>Middle school</u>							
i. No. of Institutions	"	No.	45	19	4	1	69
ii. No. of Students (All classes)	"	"	42455	8944	2054	1554	55007
<u>High school</u>							
i. No. of Institutions	2024-2025	No.	119	39	10	17	185
ii. No. of Students (All classes)	"	"	28808	5947	1233	1087	37075
<u>Higher Secondary (including Junior college)</u>							
i. No. of Institutions	2024-2025	No.	157	36	6	3	202
ii. No. of Students (All classes)	"	"	27120	4944	1184	807	34055
Grand Total	"	"	180010	37866	9760	6914	234550
<u>Teacher Pupil Ratio</u>							
Primary school	2024-2025		15	12	18	12	14
Middle school	"		13	11	10	10	12
High school	"		10	9	7	7	9
Higher Secondary school	"		16	14	13	19	15
<u>No. of girls per 100 boys</u>							
Classes I to V	2024-2025	No.	0.95	0.96	0.87	0.97	0.94
Classes VI to VIII	"	"	0.92	0.96	0.95	1.14	0.93
Classes IX & X	"	"	0.95	0.99	1.02	1	0.96
Classes XI & XII	"	"	1.05	1.13	0.89	1.13	1.06
All Stages	"	"	0.96	0.97	0.91	1.01	0.96
Anganwadi centres	2024-2025	"	661	172	13	9	855
Aadhaar cards issued	As on 30.11.2025	"	Puducherry DistrictT 11,47,638, Karaikal District 2,31,442 and U.T Total - 13,79,080				
<u>Agriculture</u>							
Rain fall	June'2024 to May 2025	mm	1809	1922	4221	1510	9462
Net area sown	2024-2025	Ha.	9205	4440	493	385	14523
Gross area irrigated	"	"	15960	5771	25	482	22238
Foodgrains Production	"	Matric Tonnes	37468	10182	0	412	48062
Rice Production	"	"	36547	10090	0	412	47049
Sugarcane Production	"	"	92250	0	0	0	92250
<u>Animal Husbandry</u>							
Milk Production	2024-2025	MTs.	36.045	11.060	0.341	2.304	49.750
Egg Production	"	in. lakh No.	72.850	36.126	2.154	2.962	114.092
<u>Civil Supplies</u>							
Ration shops run by Co-operative institutions	As on 31.03.2025	No.	385	91	8	22	506

Item	Year	Unit	Pudu-cherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
Ration shops run by P.A.P.S.C.O		No.	365	70	8	22	465
Ration shops run by private owners		No.	17	9	0	0	26
Ration shops run by others(pvt)		No.	0	0	0	0	0
Total		No.	767	170	16	44	997
<u>Ration Cards</u>							
Non- Priority Household Card (NPPH)	As on 31.03.2025	"	1,17,375	28,405	7,625	5,466	1,58,871
<u>Priority Household Cards (PPH)</u>							
i. AAY cards	"	No.	14,958	8,500	40	1,920	25,418
ii. Red cards	"	"	1,45,334	25,850	1058	8,932	1,81,174
Total BPL cards	"	"	1,60,292	34,350	1098	10,852	2,06,592
IAII Ration cards	"	No.	2,77,748	62,760	8,723	16,318	3,65,549
<u>Banking</u>							
No. of Scheduled Commercial Banks, PSCB,PCCLDB & RRBs/ Branches	As on 31-3-2024	No.	214	54	16	13	297
Deposits	"	Rs. in crore	22205.85	3718.02	1509.61	503.22	27936.70
Credit	"	"	17459.28	2905.05	699.19	634.56	21698.08
Population per Bank	"	Person	4423	3710	2610	4278	4190
<u>Transport</u>							
Road length (by PWD)	As on 31.03.2025	km.	458.88	216.659	21.784	37.595	734.918
Total Registered Motor vehicles (During 2024-25)	As on 31.03.2025	No.	55496	8455	1238	1284	66473
<u>Tourism</u>							
Tourist arrival (Total)	January 2024 to December-2024	No.	1744269	331517	38323	23500	2137609
i. Foreign Tourist	"	"	15732	1753	201	133	17819
ii. Domestic Tourist	"	"	1728537	329764	38122	23367	2119790
<u>Co-operation</u>							
No. of Societies	As on 31.03.2024	No.	317	72	35	46	470
Membership	As on 31.03.2024	Nos	570059	60023	81221	19195	730498
Primary Agricultural Credit Societies	As on 31.03.2024	No.	48	6	2	0	56
Membership (PACCS)	As on 31.03.2024	"	189741	21100	32768	0	243609
State Income							
Gross State Domestic product (at Current prices)	2024-25 (as on 14-03-25)	Rs. in Lakh					5277517
Net State Domestic product (at Current prices)	"	"					4857634
Per Capita Income	"	Rs.					309713

2. AREA

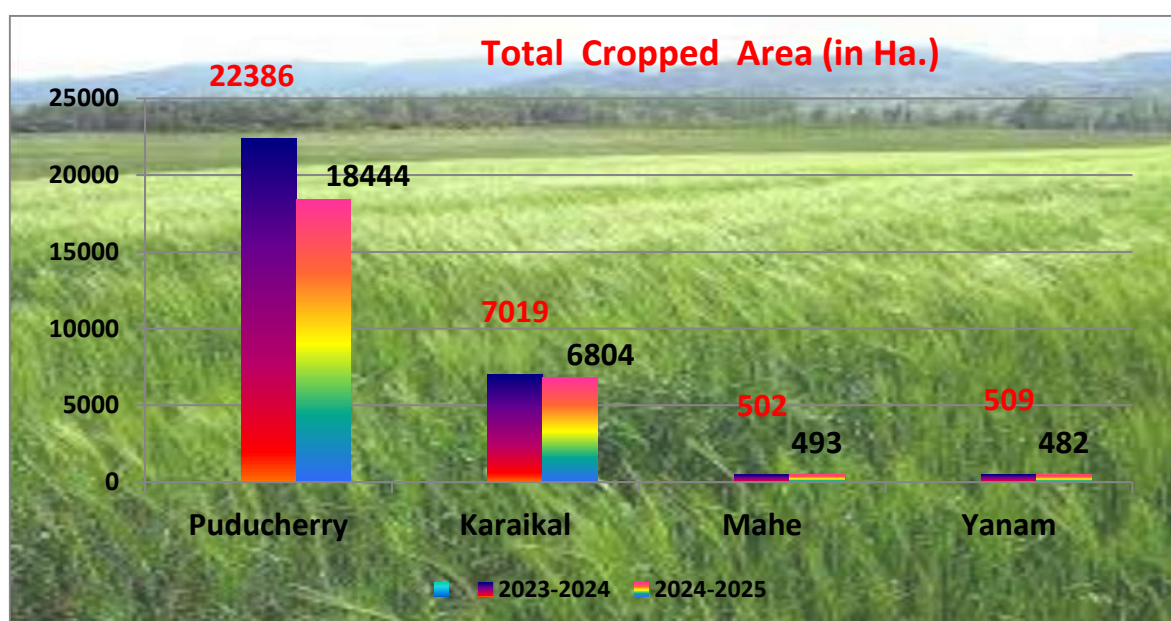
Region	Area (sq. km.)	Geographical location		Towns	Municipalities	Communes	Taluks
		Latitude	Longitude				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Puducherry	294	Between 11° 46' & 12° 30' North	Between 79° 36' & 79° 53' East	6	2	5	4
Karaikal	157	Between 10° 49' & 11° 01' North	Between 79° 43' & 79° 52' East	2	1	5	2
Mahe	9	Between 11° 42' & 11° 43' North	Between 75° 31' & 75° 33' East	1	1	-	1
Yanam	30	Between 16° 42' & 16° 46' North	Between 82° 11' & 82° 19' East	1	1	-	1
U.T.	490			10	5	10	8



3. AGRICULTURE

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2024-2025				
			Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Total Area according to Village papers	Hectares	29378	16012	870	2391	48651
2	Forest	„	384	0	0	0	384
3	Land not available for cultivation	„	13161	6169	332	1386	21048
4	Other Uncultivated land (excluding fallow land)	„	2519	2906	28	396	5849
5	Fallow land	„	4109	2497	17	224	6847
6	Net Area Sown	„	9205	4440	493	385	14523
7	Total cropped area	„	18444	6804	493	482	26223
8	Area sown more than once	„	9239	2364	0	97	11700
9	Net Area Irrigated	„	8397	4982	25	385	13789
10	Gross Area Irrigated	Tonnes	15960	5771	25	482	22238
11	Foodgrains production	„	37468	10182	0	412	48062
12	Rice production		36547	10090	0	412	47049
13	Sugarcane production	„	92250	0	0	0	92250

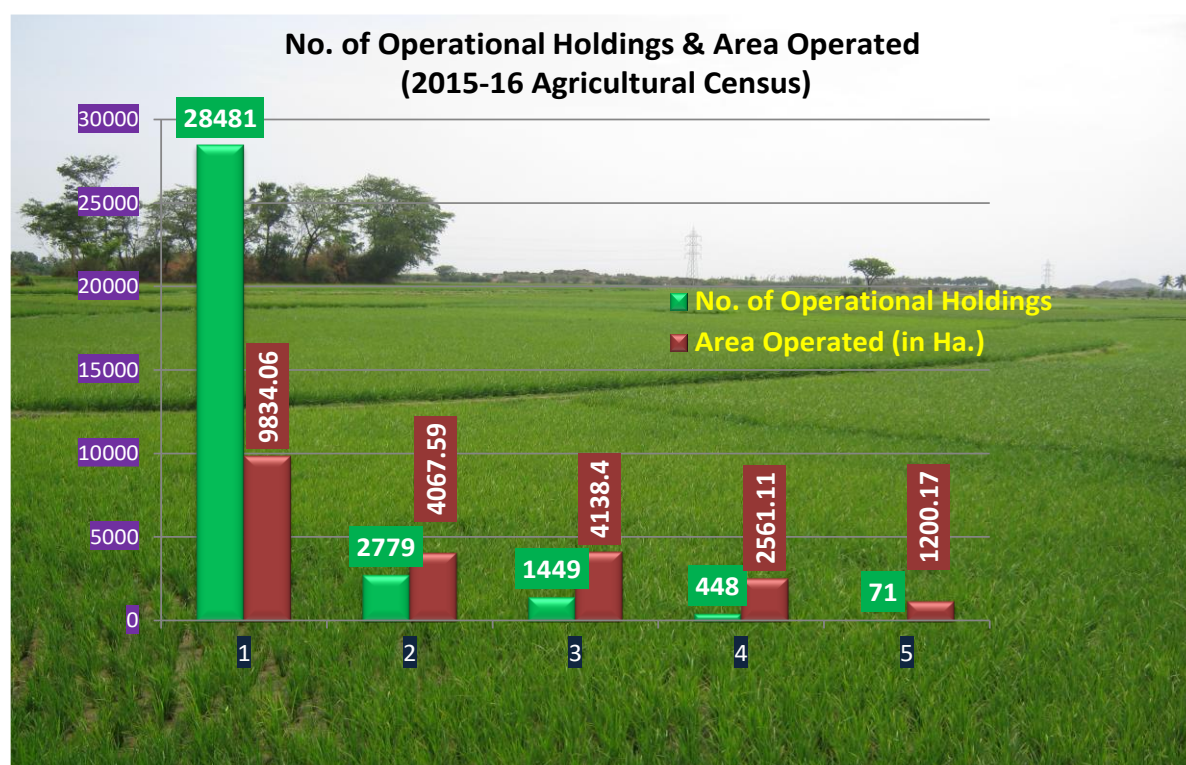
Source : DES, Puducherry



3.1 Number of Holdings and Area operated as per 2015-16 Agriculture census

Category of Holding and Size class	Number of Holdings			Area operated (Hectares)		
	2010-11	2015-16	% change over the previous census	2010-11	2015-16	% change over the previous census
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Marginal (less than 1.0 Ha)	28481	28361	-0.42	9834.06	81.94	-16.27
Small (1.0 to 2.0 Ha)	2779	3385	21.81	4067.59	4913.97	20.81
Semi Medium (2.0 to 4.0 Ha)	1449	1568	8.21	4138.40	4280.54	3.43
Medium (4.0 to 10.0 Ha)	448	481	7.37	2561.11	2693.03	5.15
Large (10.0 Ha and above)	71	45	-36.62	1200.17	782.00	-34.84
All Categories	33228	33840	1.84	21801.3	20864.2	-4.30

Source: Agriculture census 2015-16



3.2 Number of Operational Holdings and Area operated by Social groups as per 2015-16 Agriculture Census

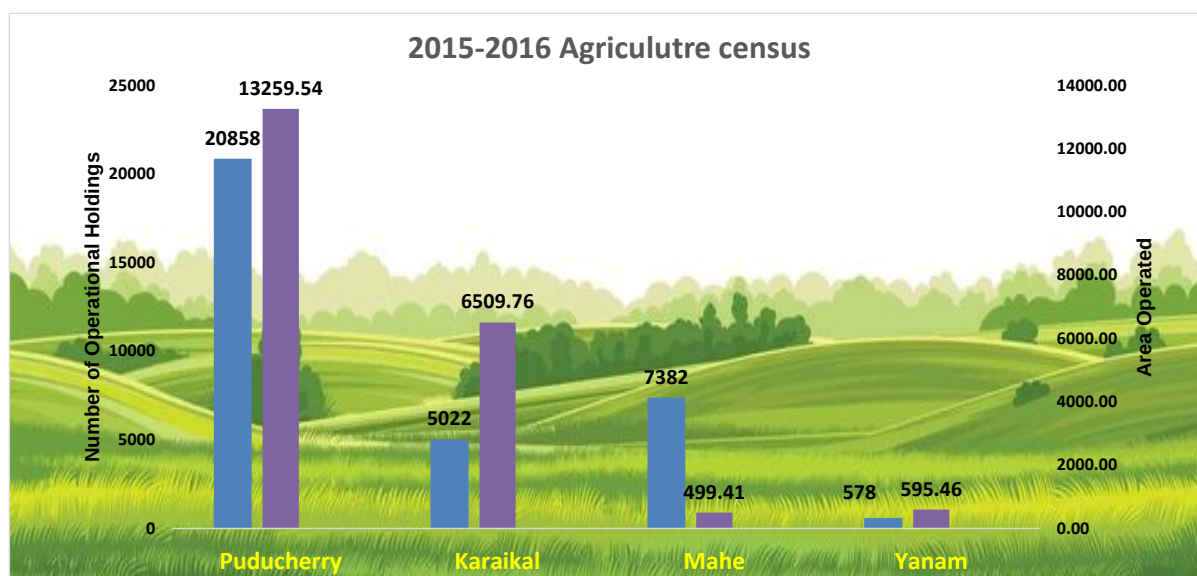
Social Group	No. of Holdings	Area Operated (in Ha)
1	2	3
Scheduled castes	1317	769.18
Scheduled tribes	0	0
Others	32523	20094.99
Total	33840	20864.17

Source: Agriculture census 2015-16

3.3 Region-wise Distribution of Number and Area of Operational Holdings

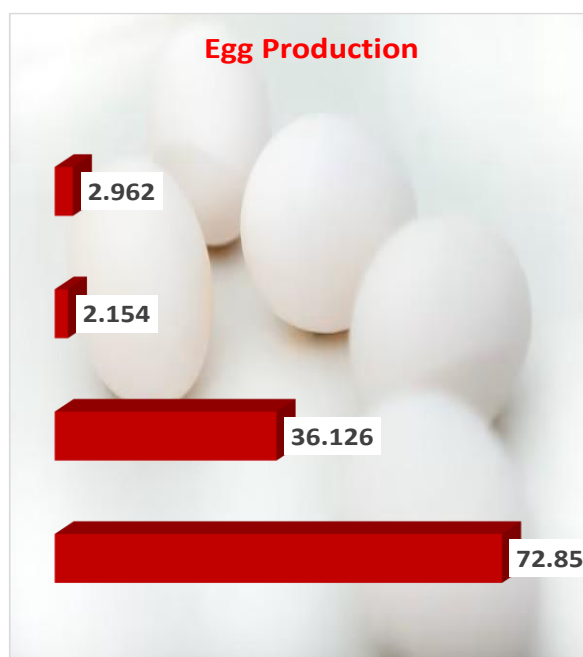
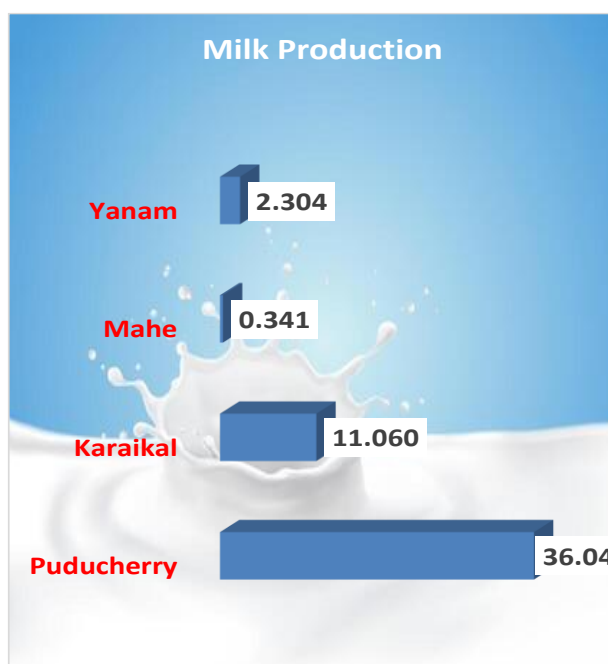
Region	Number		Percentage change in 2010-11 over 2005-06	Area operated		Percentage change in 2015-16 over 2010-11
	2010-11	2015-16		2010-11	2015-16	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Puducherry	20872	20858	-0.07	14594.43	13259.54	-9.15
Karaikal	4606	5022	9.03	5974.74	6509.76	8.95
Mahe	7191	7382	2.66	586.60	499.41	-14.86
Yanam	559	578	3.40	645.56	595.46	-7.76
Total	33228	33840	1.84	21801.33	20864.17	-4.3

Source: Agriculture census 2010-11. & 2015-16



4. ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2024-2025				
			Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Milk Production	MTs.	36.045	11.060	0.341	2.304	49.750
2	Egg production	No. in lakhs	72.850	36.126	2.154	2.962	114.092
3	Meat Production						
	I) Livestock	MTs.	4.857	2.344	0.040	0.078	7.319
	II) Poultry	MTs.	4.906	2.355	0.039	0.045	7.345
4	Veterinary Dispensaries	Nos.	9	6	1	1	17
5	Minor Dispensaries	"	15	3	0	0	18
6	Key village Units	"	49	18	3	3	73
7	Veterinary Assistant Surgeon	"	7	1	0	0	8
8	Assistant Veterinarians	"	13	3	0	0	16
9	Field Man	"	33	11	2	1	47
10	Attendant	"	39	9	1	1	50

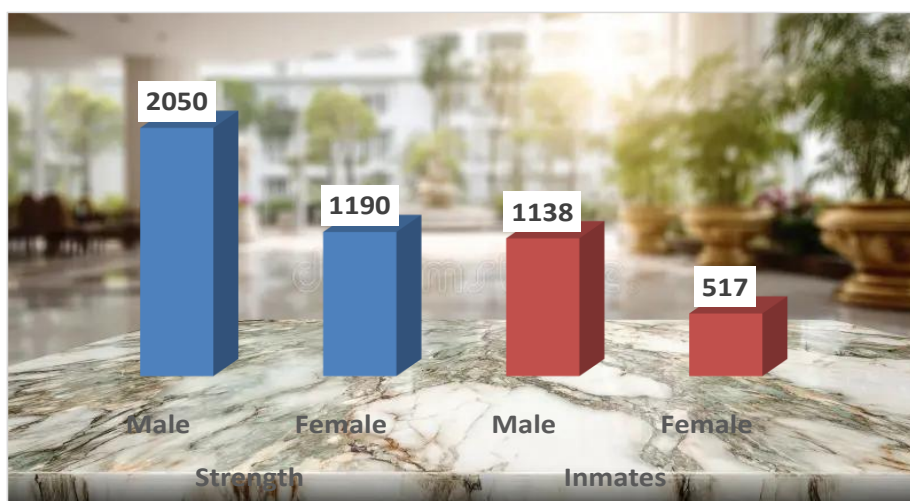


5. ADI DRAVIDAR AND SCHEDULED TRIBE WELFARE 2024-2025

Region	No. of Hostels		
	Boys	Girls	Total
Puducherry	11	5	16
Karaikal	6	4	10
Yanam	1	1	2
Total	18	10	28

Region	Strength in the Hostel			No. of Inmates		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Puducherry	1455	710	2165	744	327	1071
Karaikal	475	380	855	394	190	584
Yanam	120	100	220	0	0	0
Total	2050	1190	3240	1138	517	1655

Source: Adi Dravidar Welfare and Scheduled Tribes Welfare Department, Puducherry



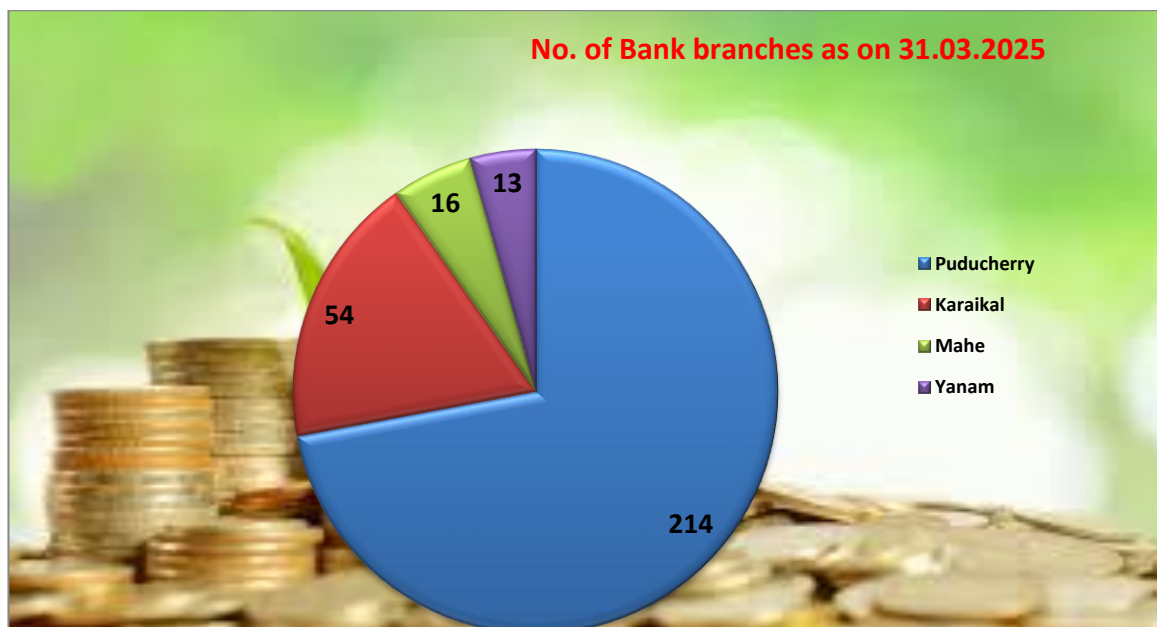
5.1 Socio-economic Development Schemes to SC people during the year 2024-2025

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	No. of Beneficiaries			
		Pudu-cherry	Karaikal	Yanam	U.T.
I. Welfare measures to uplift to SC People:					
a.	Under Plan schemes:				
1	Marriage assistance to poor SC/ST bride	749	135	25	909
2	Financial Assistance to poor SC/ST Pregnant and Lactating women	1493	175	34	1702
3	Financial assistance for medical treatment to SC patients suffering from Prolonged diseases	14400	32	815	15247
4	Incentive award to Inter-caste Married couple	80	50	6	136
5	Free cloth Distribution to SC people (Deepavali & Pongal)	1,96,542	47,516	11,040	2,55,098
6	Fire/ fatal accident victims of SC/ST People	17	5	0	22
7	Grant of Financial assistance for funeral rites	1,280	267	36	1,583
	Total	2,14,561	48,180	11,956	2,74,697
8	Providing Civic and basic amenities to the area of SC	107	28	9	144
9	Assistance to PADCO for maintenance and construction of hostel buildings	1	1	0	2
10	PMAY House Construction Subsidies. - 1st - Installment	128	38	14	180
	- 2nd - Installment	193	61	28	282
	- 3rd - Installment	325	72	31	428
	BRRG State Scheme House Construction Subsidies. - 1st - Installment	0	0	0	0
	- 2nd - Installment	14	1	0	15
	- 3rd - Installment	44	4	2	50
	2 Lakh Housing Scheme	0	0	0	0
	3 Lakh Housing Scheme	0	0	0	0
	50,000/-	0	0	0	0
11	Construction of Sanitary Latrine	50	0	0	50
	Housing Scheme Total	754	176	75	1,005
b.	Under Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS)-SNA A/c				
1	Financial assistance to the victims of atrocities belonging to SC	34	0	0	34
2	Incentive Award to Inter-caste Married couple	55	0	0	55
	PCR CSS Total	89	0	0	89
	Welfare Schemes Total	21,512	48,385	12,040	81937

6. BANKING

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I	Scheduled Commercial Banks, PSCB, PCCLDB & RRBs / Branches (as on 31.03.2025)*						
	Branches (including Main Branches)	No.	214	54	16	13	297
	Deposit	` in crores	22205.85	3718.02	1509.61	503.22	27936.70
	Credit	"	17459.28	2905.05	699.19	634.56	21698.08
	Credit Deposit Ratio		78.6%	78.1%	46.3%	126.1%	77.7%
	Population per Bank	Person	4423	3710	2621	4278	4190
	Population as census		946600	200314	41934	55616	1244464

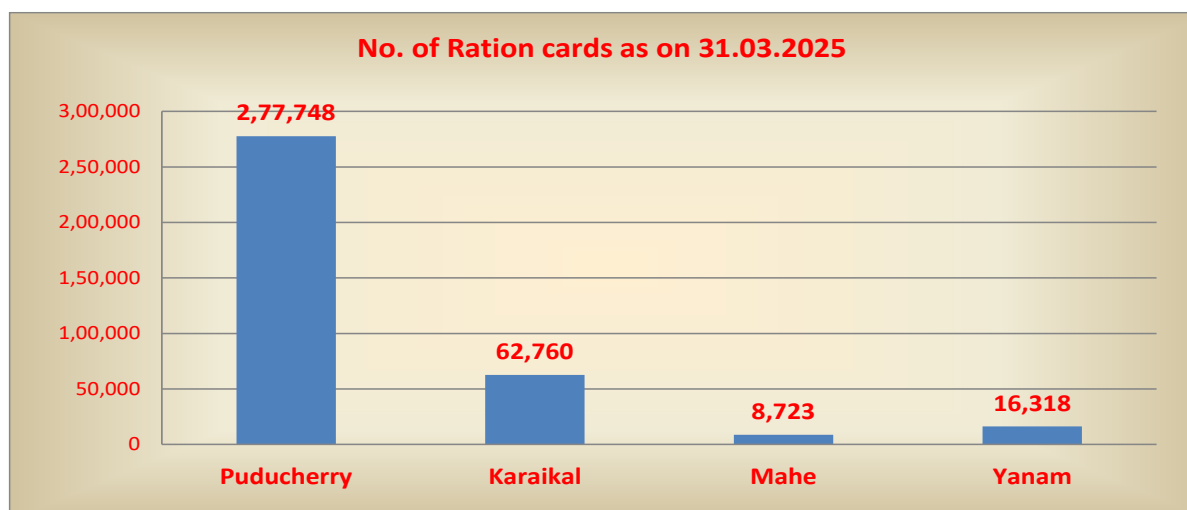
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7. CIVIL SUPPLIES

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	As on 31.03.2025				
			Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Ration Shops run by co-operative institutions	No.	385	91	8	22	506
2	Ration shops run by P.A.P.S.C.O	"	365	70	8	22	465
3	Ration shops run by private owners	"	17	9	0	0	26
4	Ration shops run by others	"					
	Total	"	767	170	16	44	997
5	Ration Cards						
a	Non-Priority Household Card (NPPH)	"	1,17,375	28,405	7,625	5,466	1,58,871
b	Priority Household Card (PPH)						
	i. AAY cards	"	14,958	8,500	40	1,920	25,418
	ii. Red cards	"	1,45,334	25,850	1058	8,932	1,81,174
	Total BPL cards		1,60,292	34,350	1098	10,852	2,06,592
c	All Ration cards	"	2,77,748	62,760	8,723	16,318	3,65,549

Source: Civil Supplies, Puducherry.



8. COMMERCIAL TAX

Sales Tax

Sl. No.	Particulars	Unit	2024-2025
1	2	3	5
1	Number of Dealers registered under Goods & Services Tax Act (As on 31.03.2025))	in Nos.	24,890
2	Sales Tax collected		
	i. Puducherry Value Added Tax	Rs. in crore	801.12
	ii. Central Sales Tax	"	0.82
	iii. Central Goods & Services Tax	"	---
	iv. State Goods & Services Tax	"	1496.84*
	v. Total Sales Tax Collected	"	2298.78
3	Percentage increase or decrease in total collections over previous year	%	(+)8%

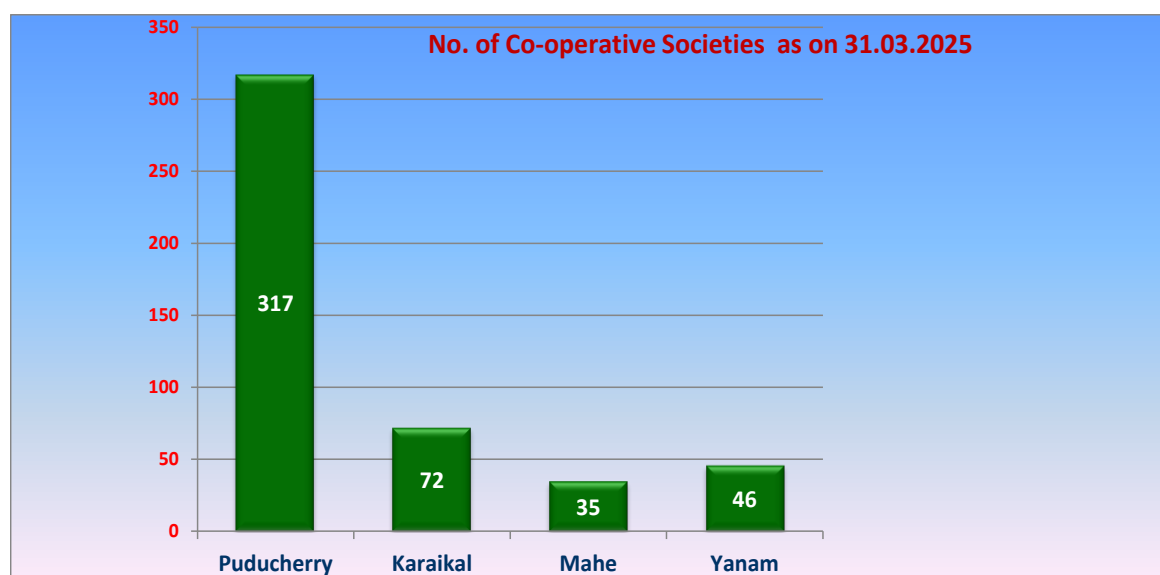


9. CO-OPERATION

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Societies (as on 31.03.2025)*	No.	317	72	35	46	470
2	Membership (as on 31.03.2025)*	No.	5,70,059	60,023	81,221	19,195	730498
3	Working Capital (as on 31.03.2025)*	Rs. in lakhs	148403.83	14896.44	7523.22	2110.71	172934.20
4	Primary Agricultural Credit Societies (as on 31.03.2025)*	No.	48	6	2	0	56
5	Membership (PACCS) (as on 31.03.2025)*	"	1,89,741	21,100	32,768	-	2,43,609

Source: Office of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Puducherry.

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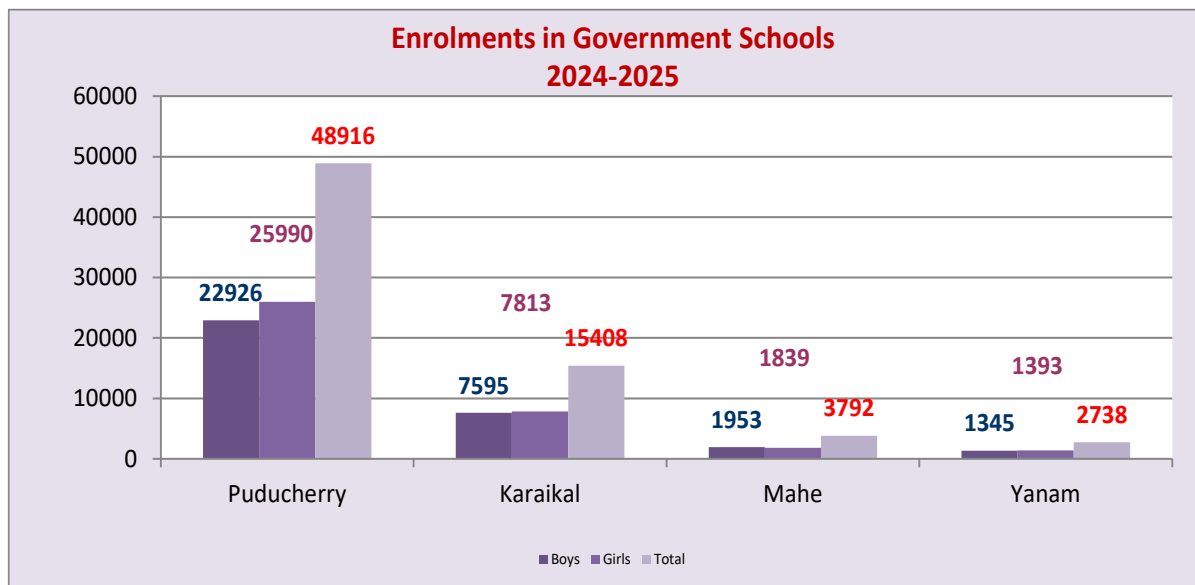
10. SCHOOL EDUCATION

10.1 GOVERNMENT, SOCIAL WELFARE & CENTRAL GOVT. Schools

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2024-25				
			Pudu-cherry	Karai-kal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I	INSTITUTIONS						
	Pre-Primary Sections	Nos	191	80	10	17	298
	Pre-Primary Schools	"	0	0	0	0	0
	Primary Schools	"	150	60	8	15	233
	Middle Schools	"	32	13	2	0	47
	High Schools	"	42	15	3	8	68
	Higher Sec. Schools	"	47	11	4	0	62
	Junior College	"	0	0	0	1	1
	All	"	271	99	17	24	411
II	ENROLMENT (by type of school)						
	Pre-Primary Sections	"	4712	1749	304	361	7126
	Primary Schools	"	15456	5110	1148	985	22699
	Middle Schools	"	11689	1955	403	753	14800
	High Schools	"	8648	3169	782	549	13148
	Higher Sec. Schools	"	8411	5174	1459	0	15044
	Junior College	"	0	0	0	90	90
	All	"	48916	15408	3792	2738	70854
III	ENROLMENT (by stage)						
	Pre-Primary						
	Boys	"	2297	878	155	189	3519
	Girls	"	2415	871	149	172	3607
	Total	"	4712	1749	304	361	7126
	Primary (Classes I-V)						
	Boys	"	7443	2657	582	477	11159
	Girls	"	8013	2539	536	508	11596
	Total	"	15456	5196	1118	985	22755
	Upper Primary (Classes VI-VIII)						
	Boys	"	5633	1673	464	343	8113
	Girls	"	6056	1699	440	410	8605
	Total	"	11689	3372	904	753	16718
	Secondary (Classes IX & X)						
	Boys	"	4085	1249	342	286	5962
	Girls	"	4563	1300	342	263	6468
	Total	"	8648	2549	684	549	12430

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2024-25				
			Pudu-cherry	Karai-kal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
	Higher Secondary (Classes XI & XII)						
	Boys	"	3468	1138	410	50	5066
	Girls	"	4943	1404	372	40	6759
	Total	"	8411	2542	782	90	11825
	All stages						
	Boys	"	22926	7595	1953	1345	33819
	Girls	"	25990	7813	1839	1393	37035
	Total	"	48916	15408	3792	2738	70854
IV	No. of Girls per 100 boys						
	Primary School		1:18	0.96	0.92	1.16	1.04
	Middle School		1.14	1.02	0.95	1.20	1.06
	High School		1.12	1.04	1.00	0.92	1.08
	Higher Secondary School		1.43	1.23	0.91	0.80	1.33
	All		1.13	1.03	0.94	1.04	1.10
V	Teacher Pupil Ratio						
	Primary (Classes I -V)	No.	14	13	15	11	13
	Upper Primary (Classes VI -VIII)	"	11	12	13	10	11
	Secondary (Classes IX & X)	"	9	10	9	6	9
	Higher Secondary (Classes XI & XII)	"	17	21	13	5	17
	All Stages	"	16	16	16	11	16

Source: Directorate of School Education, Puducherry

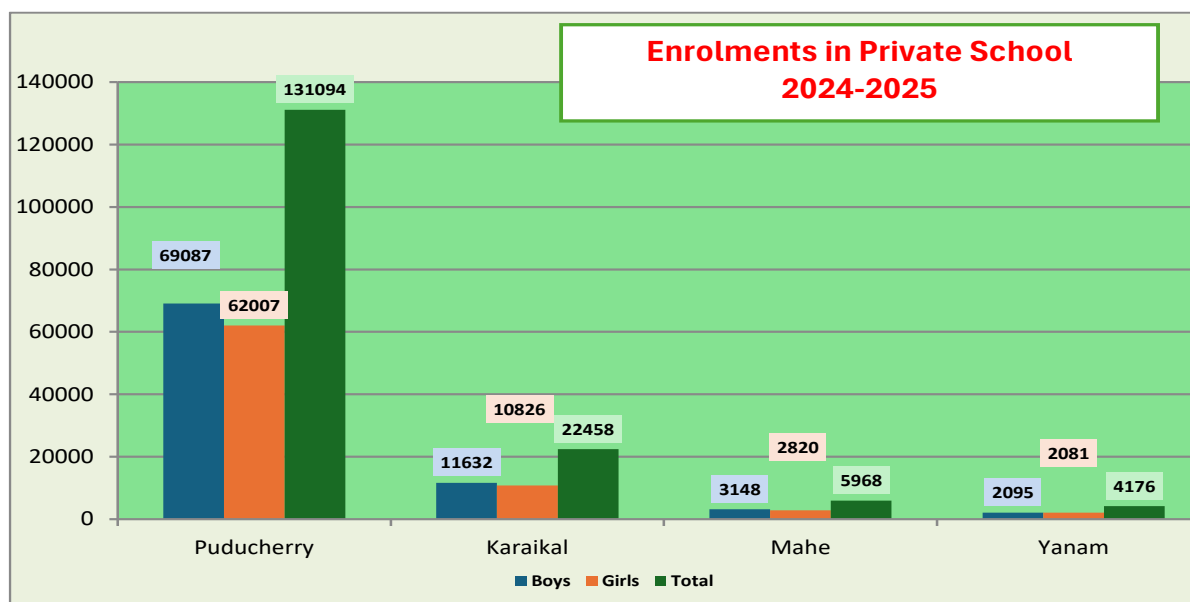


10.2 PRIVATE AIDED & UN-AIDED SCHOOLS

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2024-25				
			Pudu-cherry	Karai-kal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I	INSTITUTIONS						
	Pre-Primary Sections	Nos	229	65	14	11	319
	Pre-Primary Schools	"	9	0	1	0	10
	Primary Schools	"	37	16	2	1	56
	Middle Schools	"	13	6	2	1	22
	High Schools	"	77	24	7	9	117
	Higher Sec. Schools	"	110	25	2	0	137
	Junior College	"	0	0	0	2	2
	All	"	246	71	14	13	344
II	ENROLMENT (by type of school)						
	Pre-Primary Sections	"	15642	2648	1133	657	20080
	Primary Schools	"	45817	8438	2734	1463	58452
	Middle Schools	"	30766	5572	1150	801	38289
	High Schools	"	20160	3398	549	538	24645
	Higher Sec. Schools	"	18709	2402	402	0	21513
	Junior College	"	0	0	0	717	717
	All	"	131094	22458	5968	4176	163696
III	ENROLMENT (by stage)						
	Pre-Primary						
	Boys	"	8074	1500	598	361	10533
	Girls	"	7568	1148	535	296	9547
	Total	"	15642	2648	1133	657	20080
	Primary (Classes I-V)						
	Boys	"	24058	4305	1479	766	30608
	Girls	"	21759	4133	1255	697	27844
	Total	"	45817	8438	2734	1463	58452
	Middle (Classes VI-VIII)						
	Boys	"	16519	2899	588	383	20389
	Girls	"	14247	2673	562	418	17900
	Total	"	30766	5572	1150	801	38289
	High (Classes IX & X)						
	Boys	"	10677	1741	268	257	12943
	Girls	"	9483	1657	281	281	11702
	Total	"	20160	3398	549	538	24645

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2024-25				
			Pudu-cherry	Karai-kal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
	Higher Secondary (Classes XI & XII)						
	Boys	"	9759	1187	215	328	11489
	Girls	"	8950	1215	187	389	10741
	Total	"	18709	2402	402	717	22230
	All stages						
	Boys	"	69087	11632	3148	2095	85962
	Girls	"	62007	10826	2820	2081	77734
	Total	"	131094	22458	5968	4176	163696
IV	No. of Girls per 100 boys						
	Primary School		0:90	0:96	0:85	0.91	0.91
	Middle School		0.86	0.92	0.96	1.09	0.88
	High School		0.89	0.95	1.05	1.09	0.90
	Higher Secondary School		0.92	1.02	0.87	1.19	0.93
	All		0.90	0.93	0.90	0.99	0.90
V	Teacher Pupil Ratio						
	Primary (Classes I -V)	No.	15	12	19	14	15
	Upper Primary (Classes VI -VIII)	"	13	10	9	10	13
	Secondary (Classes IX & X)	"	10	8	5	9	10
	Higher Secondary (Classes XI & XII)	"	15	11	14	30	15
	All Stages	"	19	15	17	17	18

Source: Directorate of School Education, Puducherry

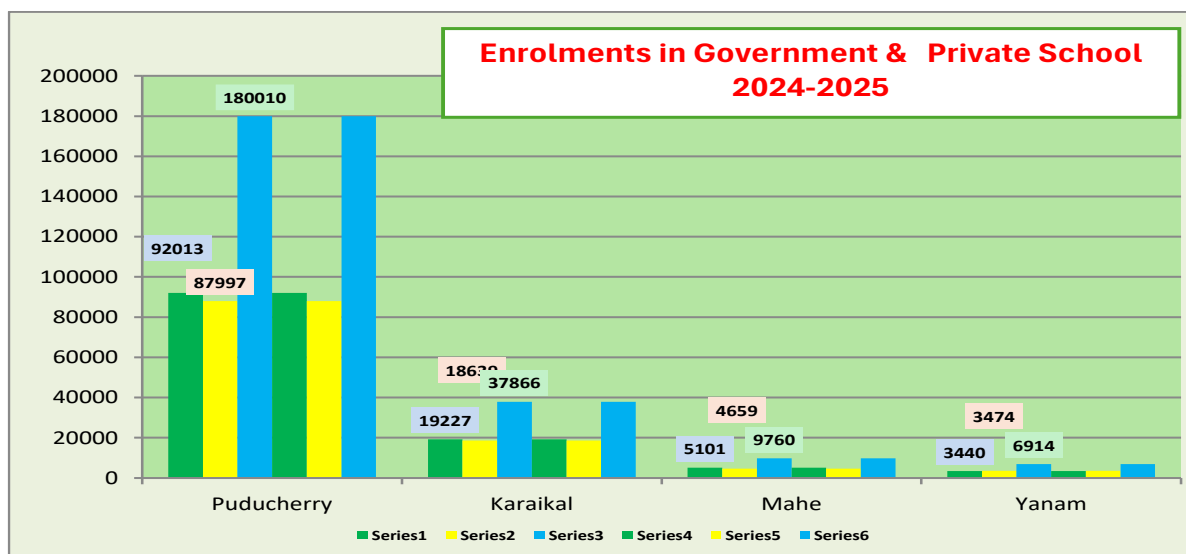


10.3 ALL SCHOOLS

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2024-2025				
			Pudu-cherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I	INSTITUTIONS						
	Pre-primary sections	Nos.	420	145	24	28	617
	Pre- Primary Schools		9	0	1	0	10
	Primary Schools	"	187	76	10	16	289
	Middle Schools	"	45	19	4	1	69
	High Schools	"	119	39	10	17	185
	Higher Sec.Schools	"	157	36	6	0	199
	Junior College	"	0	0	0	3	3
	All	"	517	170	31	37	755
II	ENROLMENT (by type of school)						
	Pre-primary	"	20354	4397	1437	1018	27206
	Primary Schools	"	61273	13634	3852	2448	81207
	Middle Schools	"	42455	8944	2054	1554	55007
	High Schools	"	28808	5947	1233	1087	37075
	Higher Sec. Schools	"	27120	4944	1184	0	33248
	Junior College	"	0	0	0	807	807
	All	"	180010	37866	9760	6914	234550
III	ENROLMENT (by Stage)						
	Pre-Primary						
	Boys	"	10371	2378	753	550	14052
	Girls	"	9983	2019	684	468	13154
	Total	"	20354	4397	1437	1018	27206
	Primary (Classes I-V)						
	Boys	"	31501	6962	2061	1243	41767
	Girls	"	29772	6672	1791	1205	39440
	Total	"	61273	13634	3852	2448	81207
	Middle (Classes VI-VIII)						
	Boys	"	22152	4572	1052	726	28502
	Girls	"	20303	4372	1002	828	26505
	Total	"	42455	8944	2054	1554	55007
	High (Classes IX&X)						
	Boys	"	14762	2990	610	543	18905
	Girls	"	14046	2957	623	544	18170
	Total	"	28808	5947	1233	1087	37075

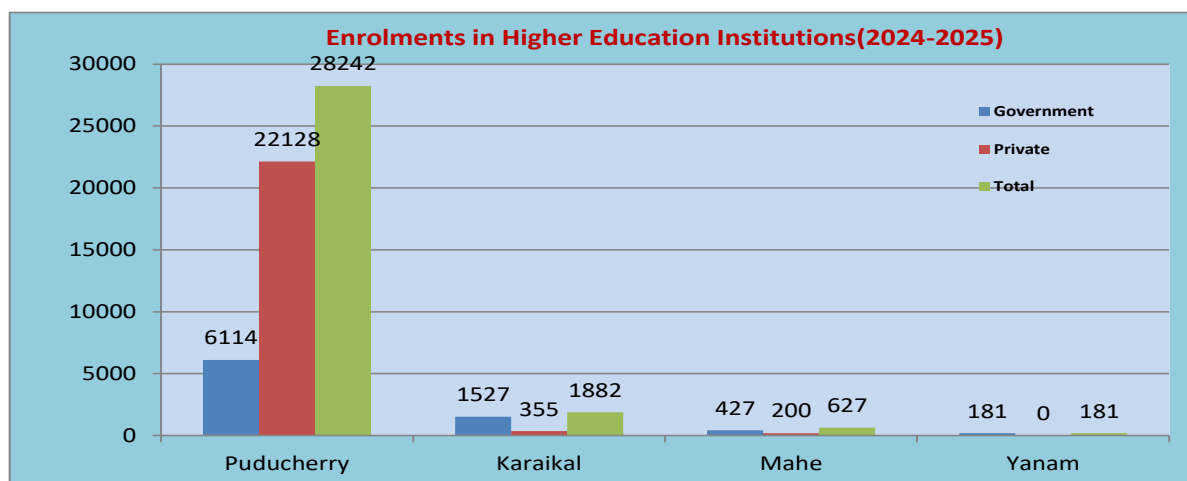
Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2024-2025				
			Pudu-cherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
	Higher Secondary (Classes XI&XII)						
	Boys	"	13227	2325	625	378	16555
	Girls	"	13893	2619	559	429	17500
	Total	"	27120	4944	1184	807	34055
	All stages						
	Boys	"	92013	19227	5101	3440	119781
	Girls	"	87997	18639	4659	3474	114769
	Total	"	180010	37866	9760	6914	234550
IV	No. of Girls per 100 boys	No.					
	Primary School		0.95	0.96	0.87	0.97	0.94
	Middle School		0.92	0.96	0.95	1.14	0.93
	High School		0.95	0.99	1.02	1.00	0.96
	Higher Secondary School		1.05	1.13	0.89	1.13	1.06
	All		0.6	0.97	0.91	0.01	0.96
V	Teacher Pupil Ratio						
	Primary (Classes I-V)	No.	15	12	18	12	14
	Upper Primary (Classes VI-VIII)	"	13	11	10	10	12
	Secondary (Classes IX&X)	"	10	9	7	7	9
	Higher Secondary (Classes XI&XII)	"	16	14	13	19	15
	All Stages	"	18	15	16	14	17

Source: Directorate of School Education, Puducherry



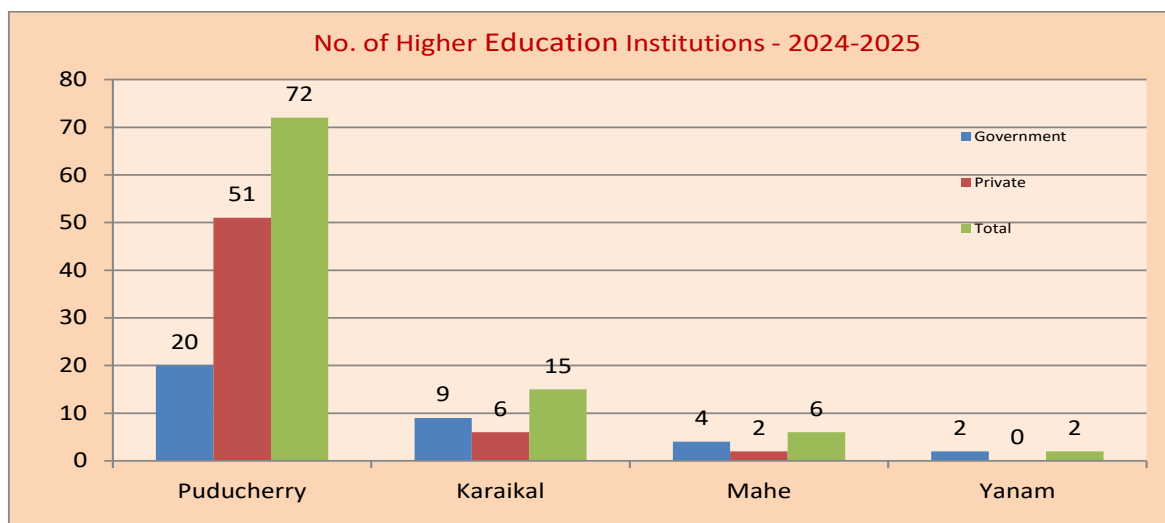
11. HIGHER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2024-2025														
			Puducherry			Karaikal			Mahe			Yanam			U.T.		
			Govt	Pvt	Total	Govt	Pvt	Total	Govt	Pvt	Total	Govt	Pvt	Total	Govt	Pvt	Total
I	INSTITUTIONS																
1	University	Nos.	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
2	Arts , Science & Commerce Colleges	"	7	7	14	3	2	5	1	0	1	1	0	1	12	9	21
3	Professional Institutes (Below Degree Level)	"	3	1	4	3	0	3	1	0	1	1	0	1	8	1	9
4	Professional Institutes (Degree Level & Above)	"	8	43	51	3	4	7	2	2	4	0	0	0	13	49	62
Total		"	19	51	70	9	6	15	4	2	6	2	0	2	34	59	93
II	ENROLMENT																
1	University	"	778	0	778	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	778	0	778
2	Arts , Science & Commerce Colleges	"	3546	3746	7292	776	152	928	241	0	241	117	0	117	4680	3898	8578
3	Professional Institutes (Below Degree Level)	"	406	563	969	216	0	216	86	0	86	64	0	64	772	563	1035
4	Professional Institutes (Degree Level & Above)	"	1384	17819	19203	535	203	738	100	200	300	0	0	0	2019	18222	20241
Total		"	6114	22128	28242	1527	355	1882	427	200	627	181	0	181	8249	22683	30632



Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2024-25														
			Puducherry			Karaikal			Mahe			Yanam			U.T.		
			Govt	Pvt	Total	Govt	Pvt	Total	Govt	Pvt	Total	Govt	Pvt	Total	Govt	Pvt	Total
1	University	Nos.	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
2	Arts, Science & Commerce Colleges	"	7	7	14	3	2	5	1	0	1	1	0	1	12	9	21
3	Professional Institutes (Below Degree Level)																
a	D.T. Ed	"	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
b	Polytechnics	"	1	1	2	2	0	2	1	0	1	1	0	1	5	1	6
c	Catering	"	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	TOTAL	"	3	1	4	3	0	3	1	0	1	1	0	1	8	1	9
4	Professional Institutes (Degree level and above)																
a	Medical	"	1	6	7	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	7	9
b	Research Institute	"	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
c	Dental	"	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	3	4
d	Para Medical	"	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
e	Nursing	"	0	10	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	10
f	Engineering	"	1	12	13	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	13	15
g	Agriculture	"	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
h	Veterinary	"	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
i	Law	"	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
j	Fine Arts	"	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
k	B.Ed	"	1	10	11	1	2	3	1	1	2	0	0	0	3	13	16
	TOTAL	"	9	43	53	3	4	7	2	2	4	0	0	0	14	49	63
	GRAND TOTAL	"	20	51	72	9	6	15	4	2	6	2	0	2	35	59	94

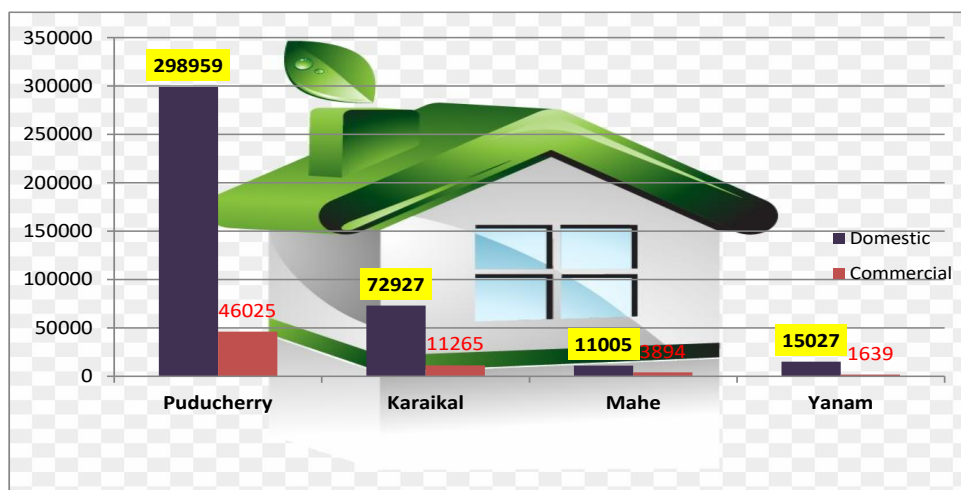
Source: Directorate of Higher & Technical Education, Puducherry.



12. ELECTRICITY

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2024-2025				
			Pudu-cherry	Karai-kal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Towns Electrified	Nos.	All the 10 towns and 92 villages have already been electrified as early as 1972 itself				
2	Villages Electrified	"					
3	Electricity Purchased (provisional)	M.U.	3813.81				
4	Electricity Sold (provisional)	M.U.	3313.52				
			Cumulative as on 31.3.2025				
5	Distribution Transformers energed	Nos.	2637	563	104	147	3451
6	Agricultural Connections	Nos.	6505	940	3	59	7507
7	H.T. Industrial Connections	Nos.	427	72	4	26	529
8	L.T. Industrial Connections	"	3657	590	115	136	4498
9	Domestic Connections	"	298959	72927	11005	15027	397918
10	Roof Top Solar installed	Nos.	1358	124	72	17	1571
		MW	37.57	23.94	0.57	0.16	62.24
11	OHOB connection	Nos.	1752	640	35	101	2528
12	Commercial Connections	"	46025	11265	3894	1639	62823
13	Street lights	"	41258	11940	4481	3559	61238
14	Length of H.T. lines	Kms.	1721.265	578.370	56.200	70.945	2427
15	Length of L.T. lines	Kms	2791.660	744.740	197.090	105.560	3839

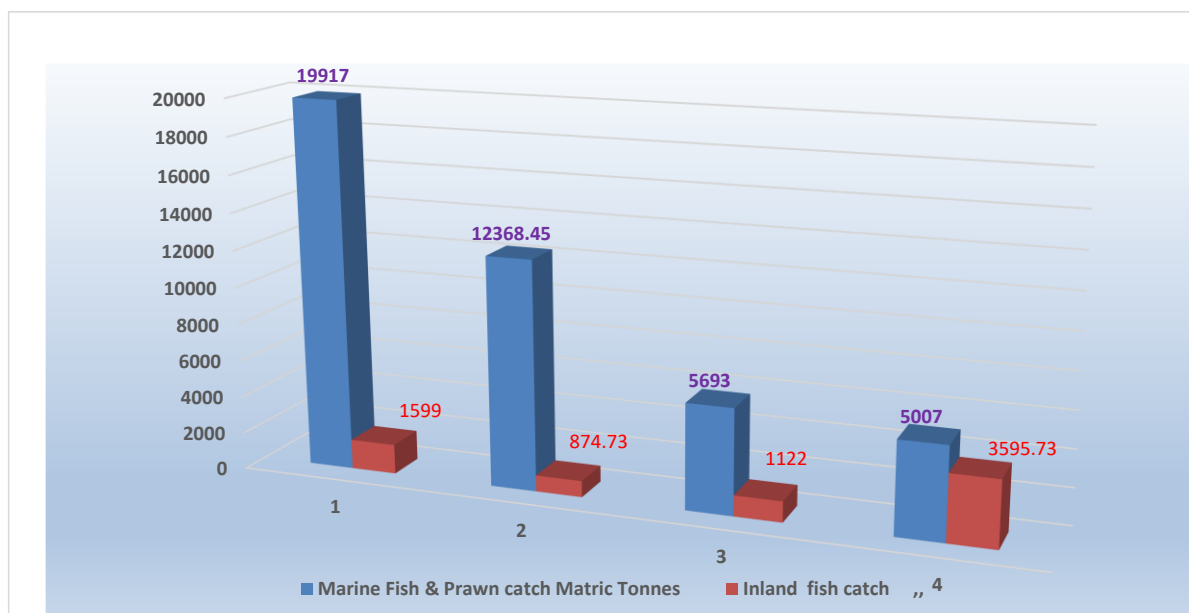
Source: Electricity Department, Puducherry



13. FISHERIES

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2025 *				
			Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Length of coastal line	Kms.	24	20	1	0	45
2	Marine Fish & Prawn catch	Matric Tonnes	19917	12368.45	5693	5007	42985.45
3	Inland fish catch	„	1599	874.73	1122	3595.73	7191.46
4	Inland Prawn catch	„	6.90	7.02	0	210.002	223.922
5	Fishermen families	No.	9750	3650	530	4800	18730
6	Fishermen Villages	Nos.	26	11	1	12	50
7	Marine	"	15	10	1	12	38
	Inland	"	11	1	0	0	12

Source: Directorate of Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare, Puducherry.



14. SAMPLE REGISTRATION SYSTEM

Estimated Birth Rates, Death Rates and Infant Mortality Rates in India and Puducherry U.T.

Year	INDIA			PUDUCHERRY U.T.		
	Birth Rate	Death Rate	Infant Mortality Rate	Birth Rate	Death Rate	Infant Mortality Rate
1991	29.5	9.8	80	19.2	6.6	-
1992	29.2	10.1	79	19.8	6.8	-
1993	28.7	9.3	74	15.5	6.3	-
1994	28.7	9.3	74	18.0	7.5	-
1995	28.3	9.0	74	20.1	7.6	-
1996	27.5	9.0	72	18.1	7.1	25
1997	27.2	8.9	71	18.4	8.0	22
1998	26.5	9.0	72	18.2	7.8	21
1999	26.1	8.7	70	17.7	6.9	22
2000	25.8	8.5	68	17.8	6.5	23
2001	25.4	8.4	66	17.9	7.0	22
2002	25.0	8.1	63	17.9	6.7	22
2003	24.8	8.0	60	17.5	6.3	24
2004	24.1	7.5	58	17.0	8.0	24
2005	23.8	7.0	58	16.2	7.1	28
2006	23.5	7.5	57	15.7	7.3	28
2007	23.1	7.4	55	15.1	7.7	25
2008	22.8	7.4	53	16.4	7.5	25
2009	22.5	7.3	50	16.5	7.0	22
2010	22.1	7.2	47	16.7	7.4	22
2011	21.8	7.1	44	16.1	7.2	21
2012	21.6	7.0	42	15.8	7.1	17
2013	21.4	7.0	40	15.7	7.0	17
2014	21.0	6.7	39	14.6	6.6	14
2015	20.8	6.5	37	13.8	6.8	11
2016	20.4	6.4	34	13.9	7.2	10
2017	20.2	6.3	33	13.2	7.3	11
2018	20.0	6.2	32	13.7	6.9	11
2019	19.7	6.0	30.0	13.3	6.8	9.0
2020	19.5	6.0	28.0	13.1	6.5	6.0
2021	19.3	7.5	27	12.8	7.3	5.0
2022	19.1	6.8	26.0	12.4	6.6	6.0

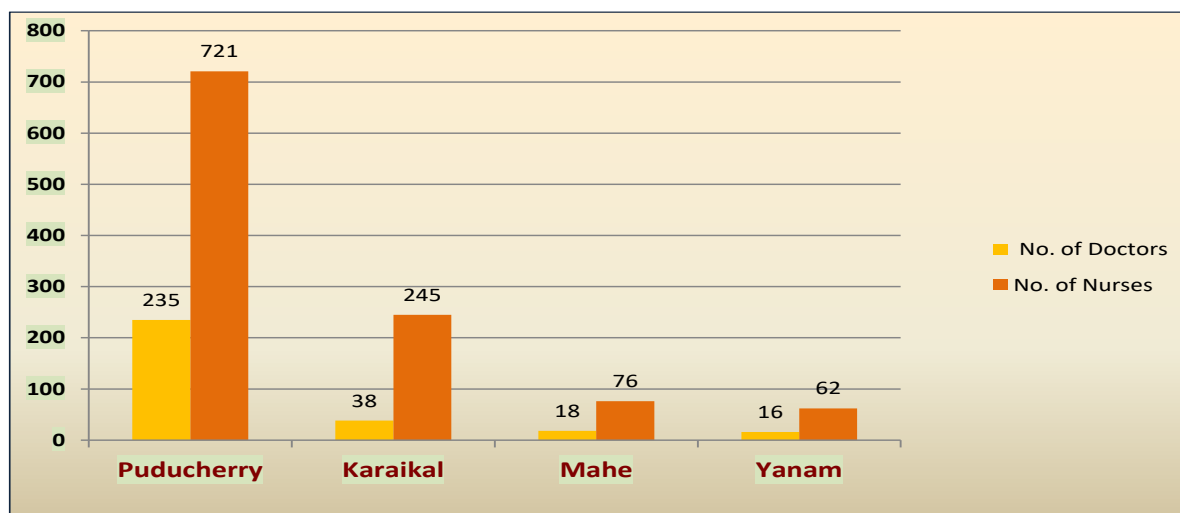
Source: SRS Bulletin from Registrar General of India.

15. HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE SERVICES

15.1 Government Institutions

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2024-2025				
			Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I	Institutions						
1	Hospitals	Nos.	5*	1	1	1	8
2	Medical College & Research Institute		2*	1	1	0	4
3	Dental College and Hospital	"	1	0	0	0	1
4	Chest Clinic	"	1	1	0	0	2
5	Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation Centre (PMRC)	"	1	0	0	0	1
6	Community Health Centres	"	2	1	1	0	4
7	Primary Health Centres	"	31	12	2	1	46
8	Sub-Centres	"	56	18	4	5	83
9	E.S.I. Dispensaries	"	12	1	1	1	15
II	Hospital Beds (U.T.Govt.) (Including PMRC Beds)	"	2382	608	203	100	3293
III	JIPMER Beds	"	2231	0	0	0	2231
IV	Doctors (U.T. Govt.)	Specialists	52	4	3	1	60
		GDMOs	178	32	14	14	238
		Dentist	5	2	1	1	9
V	Nurses (U.T. Govt.)**	"	721	245	76	62	1104
IV	Eligible couples protected by Family Welfare Methods		115224	21765	3963	8169	149121
VII	Per-capita expenditure on Medical and Health services (excluding JIPMER & NRHM, PSHM funds)	Rs.	5148	2670	4624	2524	4516

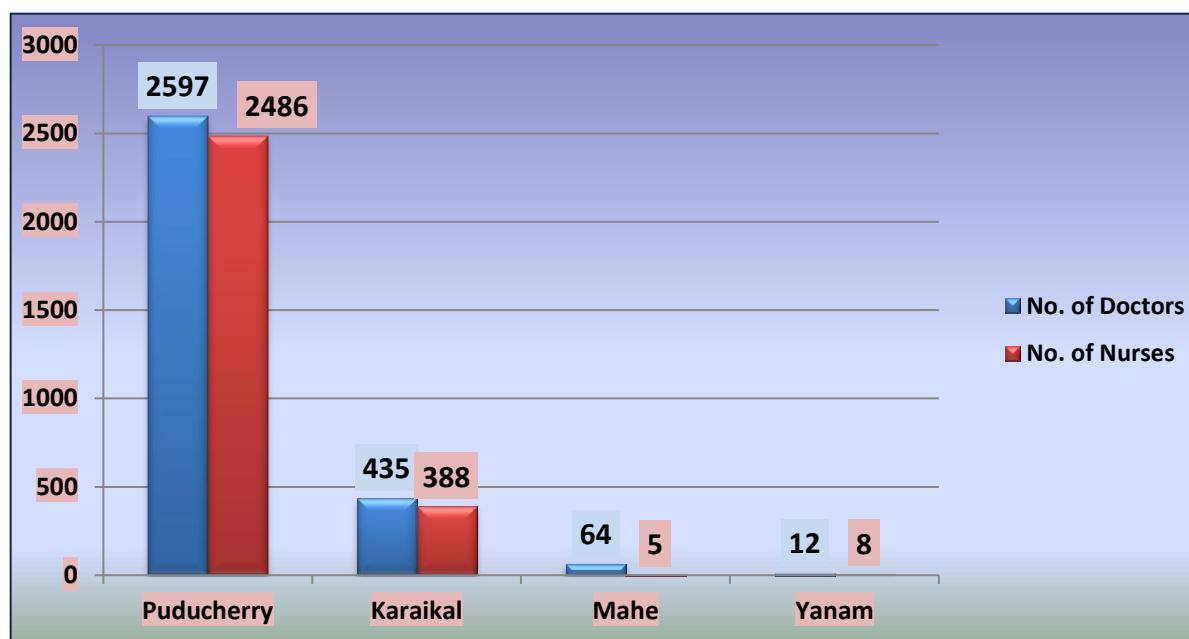
* (Including JIPMER) Source: Department of Health and Family Welfare Services, Puducherry.



15.2 Private Institutions

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2024-2025				
			Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I	HEALTH INSTITUTIONS						
1	Hospitals	Nos.	31	10	0	0	41
2	Medical College & Research Institutions and Hospitals	"	6	1	0	0	7
3	Dental College and Hospitals	"	2	0	1	0	3
4	Nursing Homes	"	6	0	0	0	6
5	Clinics	"	715	57	15	14	801
II	BEDS IN HEALTH INSTITUTIONS						
1	Hospital	"	1343	251	0	0	1594
2	Medical College & Research Institute	"	5490	708	0	0	6198
3	Dental College and Hospital	"	0	0	5	0	5
4	Nursing Home	"	131	0	0	0	131
5	Clinics	"	65	15	10	7	97
III	MEDICAL MANPOWER						
1	Doctors	"	2597	435	64	12	3108
2	Nurses	"	2486	388	5	8	2887

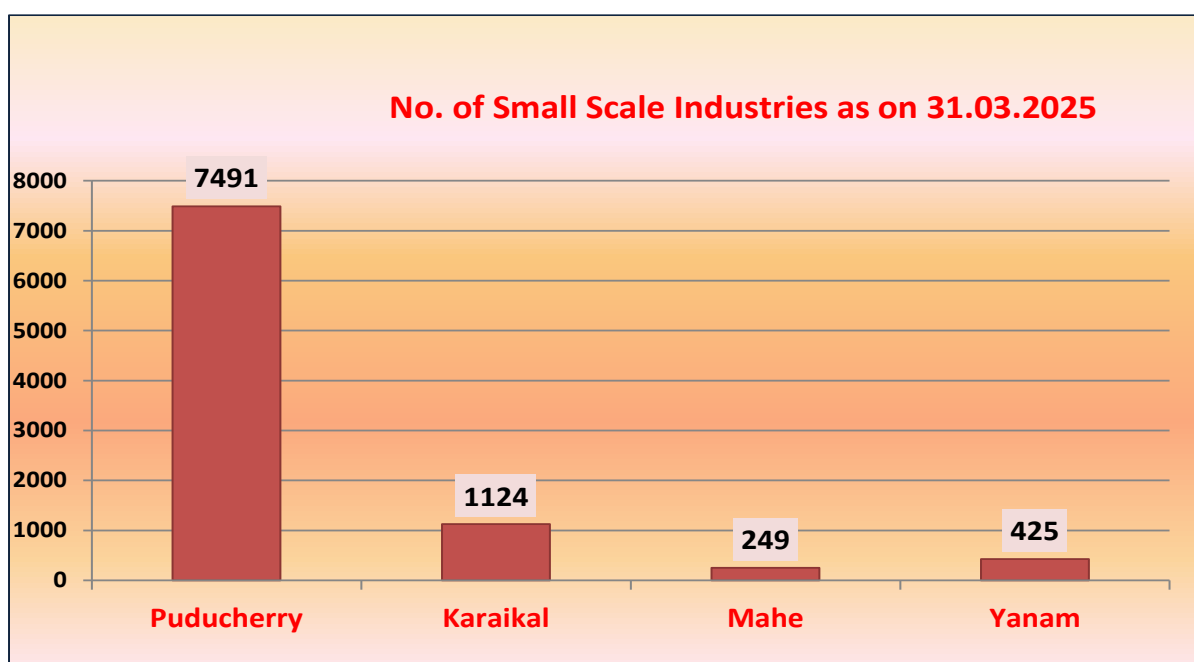
Source: Department of Health and Family Welfare Services, Puducherry.



16. INDUSTRIES

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	As on 31.03.2025				
			Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Micro/Small Scale Industries	Nos.	7491	1124	249	425	9289
2	Medium Scale Industries	"	182	4	0	8	194
3	Large Scale Industries	"	61	12	1	3	77
4	All Industries	"	7734	1140	250	436	9560
5	Investment	Rs. in Lakhs	2,63,885	48,622	803	11,397	3,24,707
6	Sugar Factories	Nos.	1	0	0	0	1
7	Textile Mills	"	1	2	1	0	4

Source: Industries Department, Puducherry.



17. LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT

17.1 Employment Registration - Live Register (No. of person)

Sl. No.	Category	Sex	2024-2025 (As on 31.03.2025)				
			Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	General	Male	1979	366	61	61	2467
		Female	2508	504	79	51	3142
		Transgender	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	4487	870	140	112	5609
2	OBC	Male	607	192	70	28	897
		Female	742	303	94	30	1169
		Transgender	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	1349	495	164	58	2066
3	MBC	Male	580	65	14	39	698
		Female	653	92	15	27	787
		Transgender	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	1233	157	29	66	1485
4	EBC	Male	42	14	0	0	56
		Female	62	37	0	0	99
		Transgender	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	104	51	0	0	155
5	BCM	Male	41	35	9	1	86
		Female	34	31	16	3	84
		Transgender	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	75	66	25	4	170
6	BT	Male	4	0	0	1	5
		Female	2	1	0	0	3
		Transgender	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	6	1	0	1	8
7	Schedule Castes	Male	283	92	4	22	401
		Female	370	147	0	26	543
		Transgender	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	653	239	4	48	944
8	Schedule Tribes	Male	6	0	0	0	6
		Female	5	0	0	0	5
		Transgender	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	11	0	0	0	11
9	EWS (NEW)	Male	4	0	0	0	4
		Female	0	1	0	1	2
		Transgender	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	4	1	0	1	6
	Differently Abled Persons	Male	51	5	3	4	63
		Female	43	5	1	1	50
		Transgender	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	94	10	4	5	113
	Total (1 TO 9)	Male	3597	769	161	156	4683
		Female	4419	1121	205	139	5884
		Transgender	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	8016	1890	366	295	10567

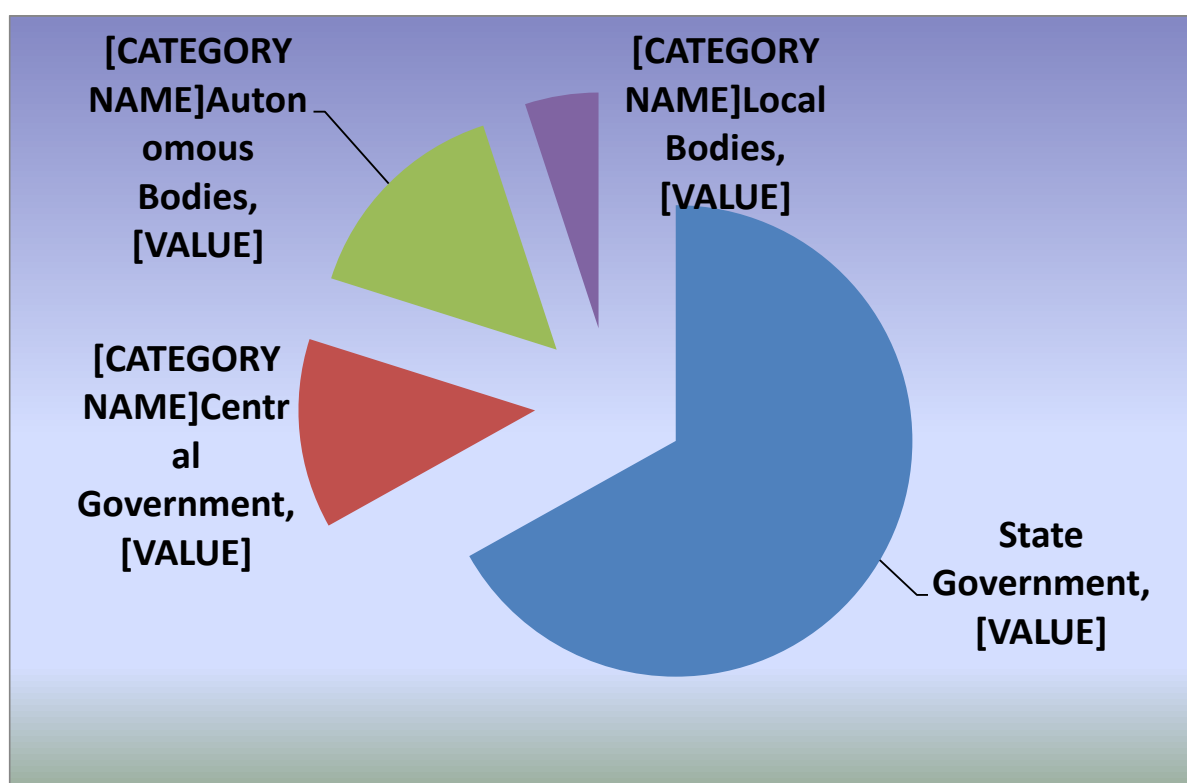
Source: Employment Exchange, Labour Department, Puducherry

17.2 CENSUS OF EMPLOYEES IN U.T. OF PUDUCHERRY

Number of Employees as on 31.03.2017

Category	GAZETTED			NON GAZETTED			TOTAL		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
State Government	1283	725	2008	17308	7642	24950	18591	8367	26958
Central Government	313	120	433	2894	1920	4814	3207	2040	5247
Autonomous Bodies	459	233	692	3024	2364	5388	3483	2597	6080
Local Bodies	24	3	27	1646	352	1998	1670	355	2025
Total	2079	1081	3160	24872	12278	37150	26951	13359	40310

Source: Directorate of Economics & Statistics, Puducherry



18. POPULATION - 2011 CENSUS

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I	Total Population	Person	950289	200222	41816	55626	1247953
	Rural	%	30.8	51.0	--	--	31.7
	Male	Person	144769	50138	--	--	194907
	Female	"	148311	51982	--	--	200293
	Total	"	293080	102120	--	--	395200
	Urban	%	69.2	49	100	100	68.3
	Male	Person	323489	47671	19143	27301	417604
	Female	"	333720	50431	22673	28325	435149
	Total	"	657209	98102	41816	55626	852753
	Rural & Urban						
	Male	Person	468258	97809	19143	27301	612511
	Female	"	482031	102413	22673	28325	635442
	Total	"	950289	200222	41816	55626	1247953
	Literates	%	85.4	87.1	97.9	79.5	85.8
	Male	Person	380946	79903	16610	19919	497378
	Female	"	345703	75013	19860	19355	459931
	Total		726649	154916	36470	39274	957309
II	Scheduled Caste population	%	16.0	17.7	0.3	15.2	15.7
	Rural	Person	85624	24801	--	--	110425
	Male	"	41680	12113	--	--	53793
	Female	"	43944	12688	--	--	56632
	Urban	"	66782	10547	144	8427	85900
	Male	"	32449	5093	77	4100	41719
	Female	"	34333	5454	67	4327	44181
	Rural & Urban	"	152406	35348	144	8427	196325
	Male	"	74129	17206	77	4100	95512
	Female	"	78277	18142	67	4327	100813

Source: O/o Registrar & Census Commissioner, India

19. ESTIMATED POPULATION (2001-2025)

Year	Region				U.T.
	Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	
1	2	3	4	5	6
2001 (Actual)	735332	170791	36828	31394	974345
2002	754433	173528	37299	33242	998502
2003	774030	176309	37776	35199	1023314
2004	794136	179135	38258	37271	1048801
2005	814765	182005	38748	39466	1074983
2006	835929	184922	39243	41789	1101883
2007	857643	187886	39744	44249	1129523
2008	879921	190897	40253	46854	1157925
2009	902778	193956	40767	49612	1187114
2010	926229	197064	41288	52533	1217115
2011 (Actual)	950289	200222	41816	55626	1247952
2012	974973	203431	42351	58901	1279655
2013	1000299	206691	42892	62368	1312250
2014	1026283	210003	43440	66040	1345766
2015	1052942	213369	43995	69928	1380234
2016	1080293	216788	44558	74044	1415683
2017	1108355	220263	45127	78404	1452148
2018	1137145	223793	45704	83019	1489661
2019	1166684	227379	46289	87907	1528258
2020	1196989	231023	46880	93082	1567974
2021	1228082	234725	47480	98562	1608849
2022	1259983	238487	48086	104364	1650921
2023	1292712	242309	48701	110508	1694231
2024	1326292	246192	49324	117014	1738822
2025	1360744	250138	49954	123902	1784738

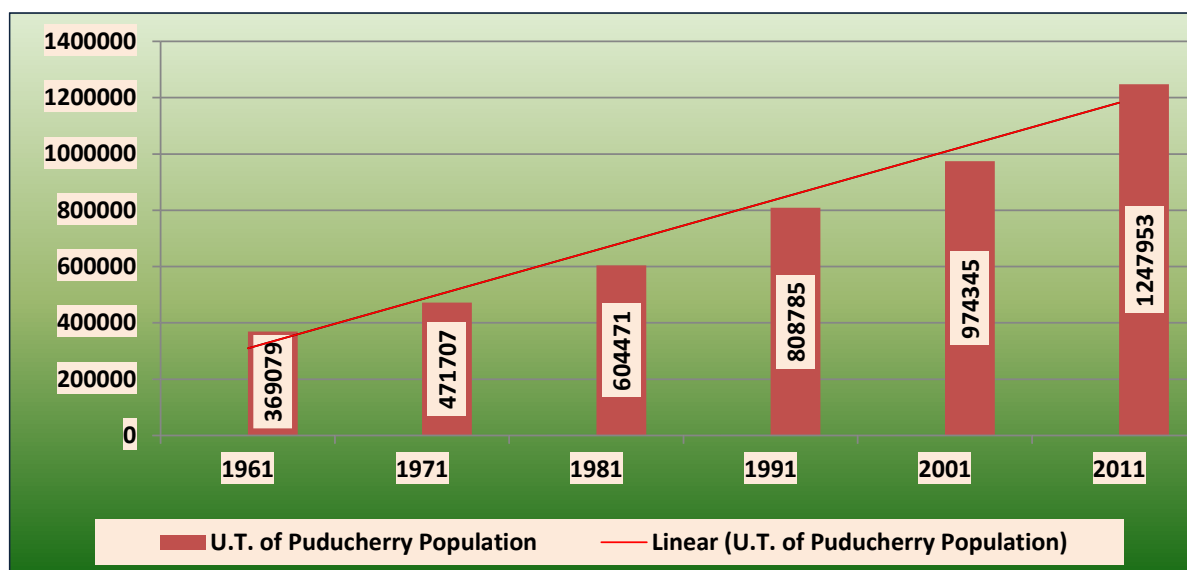
Source : Directorate of Economics and Statistics, Puducherry.

Note : The figures from 2002 to 2010 and 2012 to 2021 are estimated by observing the respective regional growth rate observed between 2001 & 2011 Censuses

20. POPULATION INDICATOR - 2011 Census

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Growth rate 2001-2011	%	29.2	17.2	13.5	77.2	28.1
2	Sex ratio Females per '000 Males)		1029	1047	1184	1038	1037
3	Child Sex ratio (0-6 age group) Female child per '000 Male child)		970	969	978	921	967
4	Density - Persons (per Sq.Km)	Nos.	3232	1275	4646	1854	2547
5	Percentage of SC to total population	%	16.0	17.7	0.3	15.2	15.7
6	Literacy rate (persons aged 7 years+)		85.4	87.1	97.9	79.5	85.8
	Male	%	91.2	92.4	98.6	82.8	91.3
	Female	"	79.9	82.0	97.3	76.4	80.7
7	Number of Main workers						
	Male	Persons	237953	46928	8295	13233	306409
	Female	"	77617	11414	2109	2140	93280
	Total	"	315570	58342	10404	15373	399689
8	Category of Main workers						
	Cultivators	Persons	8405	2052	23	283	10763
	Agricultural Labourers	"	38854	8740	57	2956	50607
	Household Industry workers	"	5203	992	60	118	6373
	Other workers	"	263108	46558	10264	12016	331946
	Total	"	315570	58342	10404	15373	399689

Source: 2011 Population census.



21. STATE FINANCE

21.1. FIVE YEAR PLAN - Outlay and Expenditure

Sl. No.	MAJAR HEAD OF DEVELOPMENT	REVISED ESTIMATE 2024-2025	EXPENDITURE 2024-2025 (Tentative)
1	2	3	5
1	Agriculture and allied activities	42322.54	34157.84
2	Rural Development	12962.95	9592.44
3	Irrigation and flood control	7848.27	4136.35
4	Energy	288021.41	285866.07
5	Industry and Minerals	8751.49	6961.70
6	Transport	32461.58	20188.50
7	Science, Technology and Environment	3832.90	3215.85
8	General Economics Services	52987.44	47555.54
9	Social Services	447679.17	404874.01
10	General Services	426632.25	409906.69
GRAND TOTAL		1323500.00	1226454.99

Source: Planning & Research Department, Puducherry.



21.2 Sector wise Expenditure upto 31st March, 2025 (Tentative)

(Rs. in lakhs)

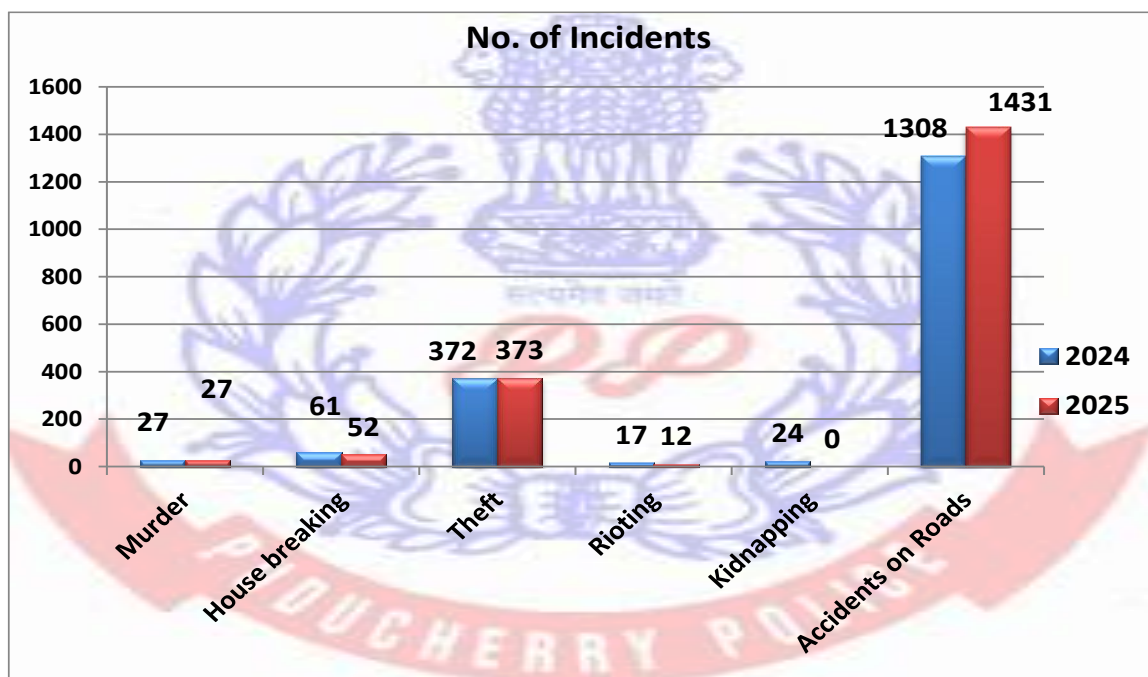
Sl. No.	SECTOR	APPROVED OUTLAY	REVISED OUTLAY	EXPENDITURE
1	2	3	4	5
1	Agriculture	16167.97	17811.09	15847.76
2	Animal Husbandry	7656.47	6271.03	5588.97
3	Civil Supplies	27656.44	45541.54	42594.46
4	Co-operation	4143.90	5123.69	2991.06
5	Community Development	14488.33	11866.94	8603.94
6	Information Technology & e-governance	1755.92	1703.12	1676.25
7	Dairy Development	1286.28	2231.47	2014.06
8	Scientific Research	1111.39	784.26	609.79
9	Fisheries	12102.87	11251.24	7900.45
10	Flood Control	2348.40	2931.00	1560.93
11	Forest	1286.96	1276.28	859.51
12	Handlooms	254.03	264.03	299.03
13	Housing	9839.28	10131.92	8507.91
14	Industries	6734.97	8487.46	6662.67
15	Information & Publicity	1341.69	1320.09	1221.91
16	Labour & Labour Welfare	4515.82	4509.72	4088.55
17	Land Reforms	1066.62	1096.01	988.49
18	Medical & Public Health	111109.71	109367.56	95471.15
19	Minor Irrigation	5828.37	4917.27	2575.42
20	NCSE	25.42	15.30	0.27
21	Nutrition	7332.85	6761.20	5430.14
22	Other Administrative Services	392243.49	406097.62	393090.29
23	Power	280239.59	287958.13	285822.32
24	Public Works	21502.73	17916.34	14422.22
25	Port	1603.06	2140.33	531.45
26	Roads & Bridges	21615.61	22644.73	14807.26
27	Road Transport	4749.63	7676.52	4849.80
28	Education	130317.27	130773.26	117329.29
29	Renewable Energy Programme	47.98	47.98	43.48
30	Statistics	604.45	574.75	458.78
31	Stationery & Printing	3033.67	2618.29	2394.17
32	Secretariat Economic Services	623.98	571.36	549.48
33	Social Security & Social Welfare	13075.26	13864.41	12558.86
34	Tourism	4741.89	6257.48	3916.37
35	Urban Development	44682.53	57898.96	55949.29
36	Water Supply & Sewerage	21478.27	20276.27	15481.66
37	Welfare of SCs/STs	18943.33	19065.37	18428.03
38	Empowerment of Women & Child	72443.57	73455.98	70329.52
GRAND TOTAL		1270000.00	1323500.00	1226454.99

Source: Planning & Research Department, Puducherry.

22. POLICE AND CRIME STATISTICS

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2024-25				
			Puducherry	Karai-kal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	No. of Police Stations	Nos.	31	11	2	1	45
2	No. of Outposts	"	4	1	1	1	7
3	Murder	"	25	2	0	0	27
4	Dacoity	"	1	1	0	0	2
5	Robbery	"	8	1	0	1	10
6	House Breaking	"	36	9	3	4	52
7	Theft	"	308	47	4	14	373
8	Rioting	"	11	0	1	0	12
9	Kidnapping and Abduction	"	0	0	0	0	0
10	Accidents on Roads	"	1185	177	53	16	1431

Source: Crime Records Bureau, Puducherry



23. POST & TELECOMMUNICATIONS

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2024-2025				
			Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Post Offices						
	Rural Post Offices	Nos.	37	18	1*	12	68
	Urban Post Offices	"	26	9	3**	1	39
2	BSNL services						
	Telephone Connections	Nos.	5372	NA	NA		NA
	STD PCO	"	Nil	NA	NA		NA
	Local PCO	"	Nil	NA	NA	0	NA
	Mobile Connections	"	200616	NA	NA	0	NA

*MDG **BI+O

24. WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

Sl. No.	Particulars	Unit	2024-2025				
			Pudu-cherry	Karai-kal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T. Total
1	a. No. of Anganwadi centres	No.	661	172	13	9	855
	b. Beneficiaries:						
	i. No. of Children (6 months - 6 years)	No.	22141	6046	319	666	29172
	ii. No. of Pregnant & Lactating mothers	No.	5235	1014	83	141	6473
2	Old Age Pension:						
	a. No. of OAP beneficiaries	No.	140961	30359	5237	5059	181616

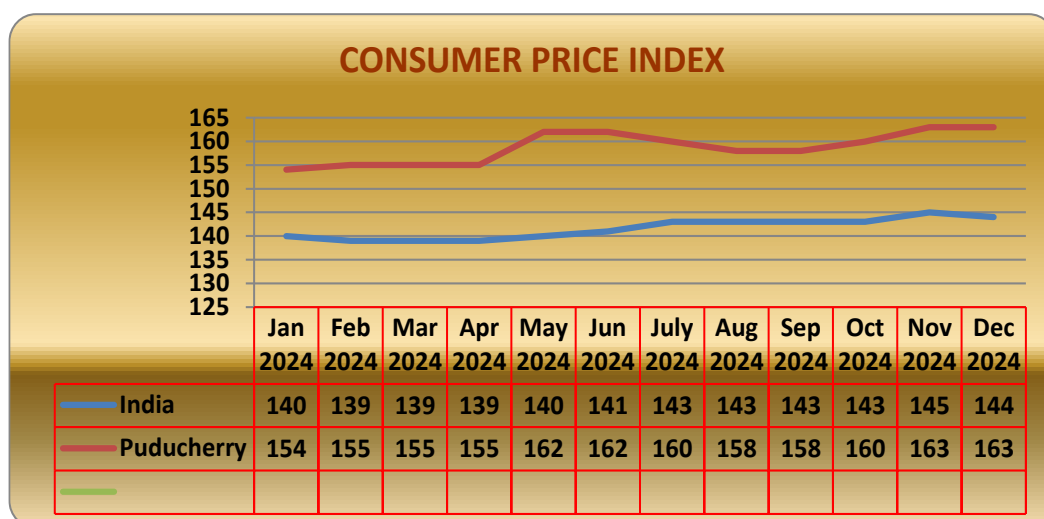
Source : Women and Child Development, Puducherry

25. PRICE-INDEX

Consumer Price Index for Industrial Workers

Year	Puducherry	India
1	2	3
Base 2001 = 100		
2006	123	123
2007	130	131
2008	146	142
2009	155	157
2010	173	176
2011	184	191
2012	209	203
2013	237	232
2014	256	247
2015	271	261
2016	286	280
2017	299	281
2018	308	295
2019	320	317
2020	260	260
Base Year 2016=100		
2021	127	122
2022	135	139
2023	148	136
2024	159	142
2025	162	144

Source: Labour Bureau , Govt. of India



26. PRICES OF CERTAIN ESSENTIAL COMMODITIES IN PUDUCHERRY MARKET

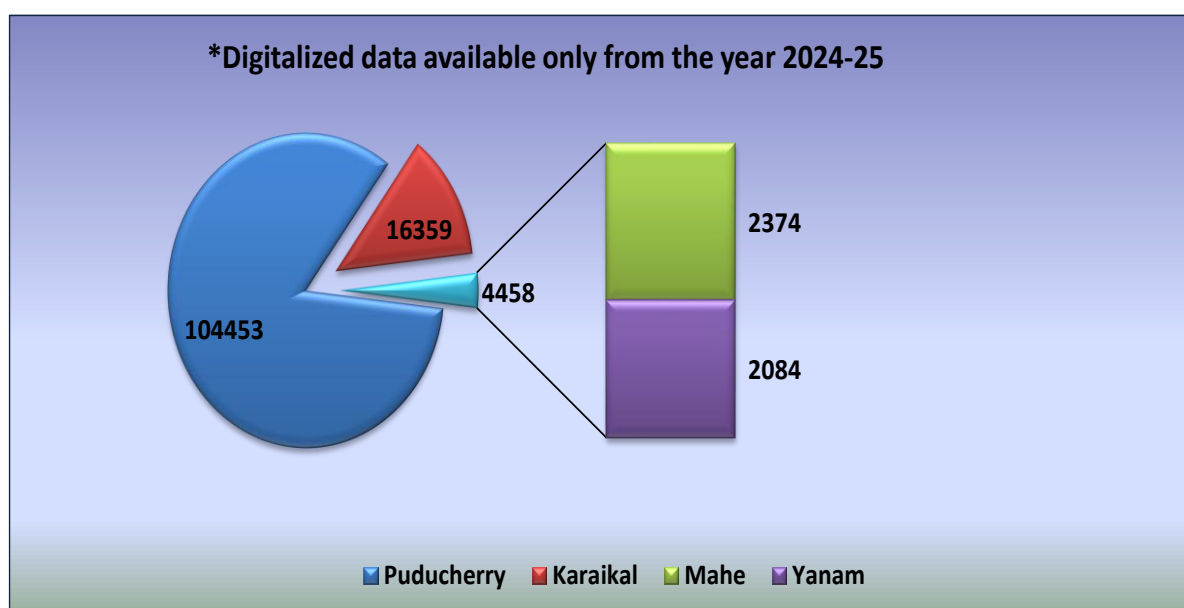
Sl. No	Commodities	Unit	Price March'2024	Price March'2025	% Variation
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Rice- Boiled (Vallai Ponni-Gr-II)	Kg.	65.00	62.00	-4.62
2	Wheat	"	44.00	45.00	2.27
3	Alta(wheatflour)	"	37.00	42.00	13.51
4	Gram Dal (Bengalgram Dal)	"	90.00	90.00	0.00
5	Redgram Dal (Tur Dal) I Sort	"	175.00	135.00	-22.86
6	Sugar (OP)	"	41.40	45.00	8.70
7	Groundnut Oil	Lit	183.60	182.00	-0.87
8	Mustard	"	114.00	120.00	5.26
9	Vanaspathi	"	131.40	139.00	5.78
10	Tea- Packed	500g m	316.00	370.00	17.09
11	Coffee Powder (Local)	Kg.	740.00	880.00	18.92
12	Potato	"	33.00	30.00	-9.09
13	Onion (Bellary)	"	24.00	30.00	25.00
14	Salt -Tata	"	26.00	26.00	0.00
15	Salt -(Crystal)	"	13.00	18.00	38.46
16	Cane -Jaggery - I Sort	"	60.00	58.00	-3.33
17	Coconut Oil - V V D	Lit	229.00	305.00	33.19
18	Sunflower Oil	Lit	110.00	143.00	30.00
19	Dry Chilli (Long)	Kg.	264.00	180.00	-31.82
20	Green Gram Dal	"	126.00	130.00	3.17
21	Urad (Bl. Gram Broken)	"	130.00	130.00	0.00
22	Milk (Ponlait)	Lit	46.00	46.00	0.00

Source: Directorate of Economics & Statistics. Puducherry

27. ROADS AND TRANSPORT-2025

Sl. No	Item	Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
i.	Length of Roads (PWD) (as on 31.03.2025) Roads (in km)					
	(a) National Highways	36.085	21.400	1.988	-	59.473
	(b) State Highways Roads	11.076	0.527	-	-	11.603
	(b) Major District Roads	-	95.976	-	-	95.976
	(c) Other District Roads	181.343	-	19.796	31.365	232.504
	(d) Rural Roads	230.376	98.756	-	6.230	335.362
	Total (PWD)	458.880	216.659	21.784	37.595	734.918
ii.	Length of Roads (Municipalities) (as on 31.03.2025)	779.880	185.020	124.950	62.850	1152.700
	Length of Roads * (Commune Panchayats) (as on 31.03.2025)	1087.620	311.360	-	-	1398.980
	No. of Motor Vehicles Registered					
	Upto previous year 2023-2024 (Revised)	48957	7904	1136	800	58797
	During the year 2024-2025	55496	8455	1238	1284	66473
	Cumulative up to 2024-25	104453	16359	2374	2084	125270

Source: Transport Department, PWD, Municipalities and Commune Panchayats



28. RURAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEMES

Sl. No	Schemes	Unit	2024-2025*		
			Puducherry	Karaikal	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	National Rural Livelihood Mission,	No. of Self-Help Groups formed	532	146	678
		No. of Panchayat Level Federation formed	0	0	0
		No. of Revolving Fund Released	169	74	243
2	Swach Bharat Mission (G)	No. of IHHL constructed	147	87	234
3	Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MGNREGA)	Man days generated (in lakh man days)	17.10	4.79	21.89
		No. of works completed	204	435	639

Source: DRDA, Puducherry

* Provisional



29. SOCIAL WELFARE 2024-2025

Sl. No.	Schemes	No. of Beneficiaries				
		Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T. TOTAL
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1)	<i>Scemes for Differently abled persons</i>					
1	Award of Scholarship to Differently abled students	120	24	0	0	144
	i. Scholarship	0	0	0	0	0
	ii. Stipended to Vocational training	0	0	0	0	0
2	Pre-matric Scholarship	0	0	0	0	0
3	Post-matric Scholarship	0	0	0	0	0
4	Top Class Education	0	0	0	0	0
5	Welfare programmes for differently abled persons					
a)	Grant of Financial Incentive for the benefit of Eye Donor	67	0	0	0	67
b)	Grand of Financial incentive for Differently abled persons	0	0	0	0	0
	i. Marriage Assistance to differently abled and Normal persons	14	6	0	0	20
	ii. Marriage Assistance to Both Differently abled persons	8	0	0	0	8
c)	Fuel subsidy	276	1	0	0	277
d)	State Award	28	1	0	0	29
e)	World Disabled Day	1500	1500	400	1000	4400
f)	Transport Allowance to differently abled persons	3111	811	450	785	5157
g)	Ex-gratia for funeral expenses of differently abled person	331	49	0	0	380
h)	Reimbursement of Educational Expenses to the Differently abled students who are studying Higher Education Courses in the other states of U.T. of Puducherry	0	0	0	0	0
i)	Cell Phones	0	0	0	0	0
j)	Supply of Prosthetic appliances	0	0	0	0	0
	i. Supply for Free Radio to visually challenged					
	ii. Free supply of Hearing Aid	0	0	0	0	0
	lli. Sports wheelchair to the DAP	0	0	0	0	0

Sl. No.	Schemes	No. of Beneficiaries				
		Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T. TOTAL
k)	Annual Tour	200	0	45	0	245
l)	CM Insurance Schemes	0	0	0	0	0
	i. Laptop	10	0	0	0	10
	ii. Meritorious cash award	10	0	0	0	10
m)	Miscellaneous	0	0	0	0	0
6	Financial Assistance to the Differently abled persons	16132	2957	464	1225	20778
7	Free supply of Rice to the Differently abled persons	16132	2957	464	1225	20778
8	Supply of Sarees and Dhothes to the Differently abled persons	12370	2171	410	973	15924
9	Supply of Motorized tricycles to the Differently abled persons	149	0	0	0	149
10	Freebus pass to the Differently abled persons	0	0	0	0	0
11	UDID	1899	0	0	0	1899
12	National Programme for Rehabilitation of person with Disabilities (31Grand in Aid)	0	0	0	0	0
13	National Programme for Rehabilitation of person with Disabilities (36 Grand in Aid)	5	1	0	0	6
	<i>II. Schemes for Social Defence Action</i>					
1	Grant-in aid to Non-Governmental Organisation Running Residential Homes for the Welfare of Children in need of Care and protection, Aged Persons, Disabled and Vulnerable Persons" (No of NGOs)	4	0	0	0	4
2	Fee distribution of Blanket and chappel to Senior Citizen	95190	19570	4185	3291	122236
3	National Action Plan for Drug Demand Reduction (CSS) (Conduct of awareness programme and various schemes on Drug abuse prevention& Reduction to various Targe group of peoples under National Action Plan for Drug Demand Reduction)- (No. of Programmes)	171	24	0	0	195
4	National Action Plan for senior Citizens(No.of events)	0	0	0	0	0

Sl. No.	Schemes	No. of Beneficiaries				
		Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T. TOTAL
5	Scheme for support for Marginalised individuals for Livelihood & Enterprise (SMILE)	320	0	0	0	320
6	ARGSS, Pillaichavady	23	0	0	0	23
7	Home for Differently abled person (Visually Challenged), Lawspet	5	0	0	0	5
8	Aravanaippu Illam (Beggar Home)	3	0	0	0	3
9	Home for Aged and infirm , Lawspet	10	0	0	0	10
10	Home for mentally retarded children, Saram	0	0	0	0	0
11	Home for Differently Abled Person (Orthopacdically Challenged Children), Puducherry	0	0	0	0	0
12	Observation Home and Special School, Ariyankuppam	0	0	0	0	0
13	GSS for VH & HI, Karaikal	-	0	-	-	0
14	Home for Aged and infirm, Karaikal	-	7	-	-	7
15	Home for Differently Abled Person (Orthopacdically Challenged Children), Karaikal	-	-	-	-	
16	Home for Aged and infirm, Mahe	-	-	6	-	6
	IV. PONCARE					
1	Day care centre in Puducherry	6710	-	-	-	6710
2	Physiotherapy centre at Puducherry	454	-	-	-	454
3	Home for the aged in Puducherry	16	-	-	-	16
4	Day care centre in Karaikal	2833	0	0	0	2833
5	Monthly Medical caps in Puducherry (2 campus in a month)	9	-	-	-	9
6	Day centre at Ariyankuppam	2860				2860
7	World Elders Day celebration in Puducherry	420				420
8	World Elders Day celebration in Karaikal	-	330			330
9	Special Eye camp in Puducherry	450	-	-	-	450
10	Special Eye camp in Karaikal	-	300			300

30. GENERAL BUDGETARY POSITION

(Rupees in thousands)

Consolidated Fund	Accounts 2023-2024	Budget Estimate 2024-2025	Revised Estimate 2024-2025	Budget Estimate 2025-2026
Revenue Receipts	10042,41,09	10633,64,00	11168,64,00	11498,58,00
Expenditure met from Revenue (Net)	10066,44,84	10969,80,28	11572,66,55	11624,72,00
Surplus (+) / Deficit (-) on Revenue Account	(-)24,03,75	(-)336,16,28	(-)404,02,55	(-)126,14,00
Capital Receipts	1269,51,46	2066,36,00	2066,36,00	2101,42,00
Expenditure met from Capital including loans and advances (Net)	1395,98,07	1730,19,72	1662,33,45	1975,28,00
Surplus (+) / Deficit (-) on Capital Account	(-)126,46,61	(+)336,16,28	(+)404,02,55	(+)126,14,00
Total Consolidated Fund (Net)	(-)150,50,36	-	-	-
Opening Balance	(+)955,01,40	-	-	-
Closing Balance	(+)804,51,04	-	-	-

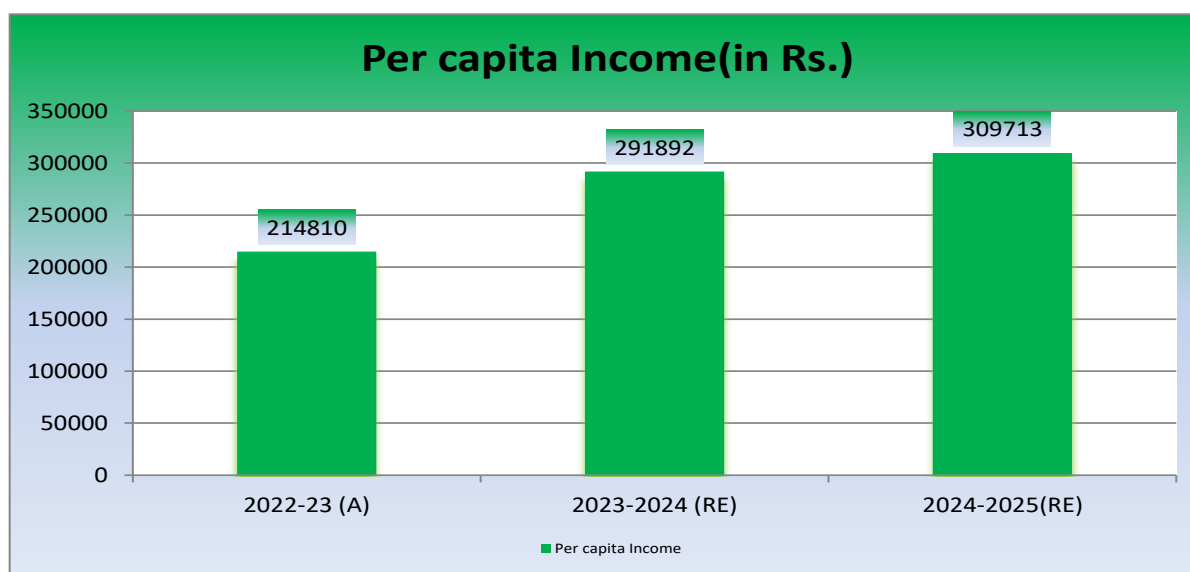
Source: Explanatory Memorandum on the Budget for 2024-2025



31. STATE INCOME (as on 14-3-2025)

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2022-2023 (P)	2023-2024 (RE)	2024-2025 (RE)
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	<u>GSDP at Current prices</u>				
	Primary Sector	Rs. In Lakh	234269	266206	211414
	Secondary Sector	"	1645770	1810880	1989715
	Tertiary sector	"	2080703	223223	2397596
	Gross State Value Added (GSVA)	"	3960742	4309309	4698726
	Taxes on Products	"	567127	596845	620719
	Subsidies on Product	"	48458	40316	41928
	Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP)	"	4479411	4865838	5277517
2	<u>NSDP at Current Prices</u>				
	Primary Sector	Rs. In Lakh	193102	226834	272042
	Secondary Sector	"	1449273	1645435	1817271
	Tertiary sector	"	1844824	2024156	2189530
	Net State Value Added (NSVA)	"	3487199	3896426	4278843
	Taxes on Products	"	567127	596845	620719
	Subsidies on Product	"	48458	40316	41928
	Net State Domestic Product (NSDP)	"	4005868	4452955	4857634
3	Per Capita Income	Rs.	274810	291892	309713

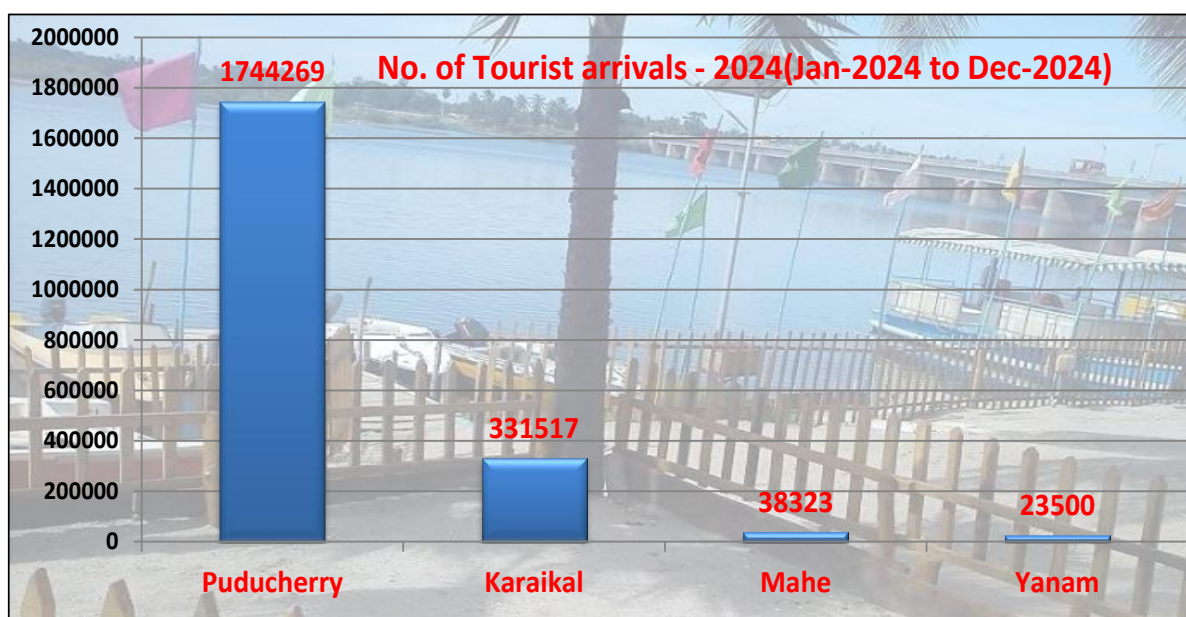
P-Provisional, QE- Quick Estimates, AE- Advance Estimates, RE- Revised Estimates



32. TOURISM (January 2024 to December 2024)

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	TOTAL
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I	Tourist Arrivals						
	Foreign	Person	15732	1753	201	133	17819
	Domestic	"	1728537	329764	38122	23367	2119790
	Total	"	1744269	331517	38323	23500	2137609
II	Accommodation						
a	Hotels / Guest Houses / Tourist Homes	No.	333	45	15	14	407
b	Rooms (Total)	"	7219	1039	177	210	8645
	Air-conditioned	"	5474	634	107	188	6403
	Non Air-conditioned	"	1669	401	63	30	2163
c	No.of Beds	"	13328	1705	340	310	15683
	In AC Rooms	"	10419	1139	230	273	12061
	In Non-AC rooms	"	2911	576	113	40	3640
d	Dormitory	"	53	10	4	0	67
e	Dormitory Beds	"	260	40	14	0	314

Source: Tourism Department, Puducherry.



33. VITAL STATISTICS

Sl. No.	Item	Unit	2024(Jan -Dec)				
			Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam	U.T.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I	Births Registered						
	Total	Nos.	28354	2506	172	228	31260
	Rural	"	4564	8	0	0	4572
	Urban	"	23790	2498	172	228	26688
II	Deaths Registered						
	Total	Nos.	11242	1997	278	320	13837
	Rural	"	2668	693	0	0	3361
	Urban	"	8574	1304	278	320	10476
III	Infant Mortality Registered						
	Total	Nos.	310	11	0	0	321
	Rural	"	29	1	0	0	30
	Urban	"	281	10	0	0	291

Source: Local Administration Department, Puducherry



34. STATE WISE POPULATION 2011 CENSUS

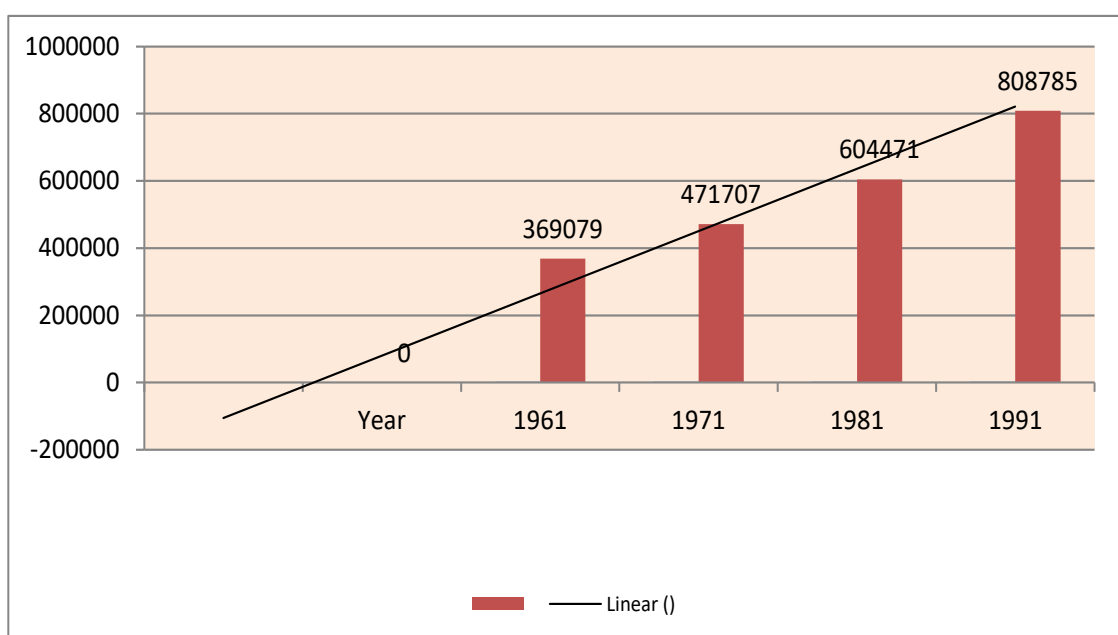
Sl. No.	India / States	Population (In.No.)			Sex Ratio*	
		Persons	Male	Female	2001	2011
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	INDIA	1210569573	623121843	587447730	933	943
1	Jammu & Kashmir	12541302	6640662	5900640	892	889
2	Himachal Pradesh	6864602	3481873	3382729	968	972
3	Punjab	27743338	14639465	13103873	876	895
4	Uttarakhand	10086292	5137773	4948519	962	963
5	Haryana	25351462	13494734	11856728	861	879
6	Rajasthan	68548437	35550997	32997440	921	928
7	Uttarpradesh	199812341	104480510	95331831	898	912
8	Bihar	104099452	54278157	49821295	919	918
9	Sikkim	610577	323070	287507	875	890
10	Arunachal Pradesh	1383727	713912	669815	893	938
11	Nagaland	1978502	1024649	953853	900	931
12	Manipur	2570390	1290171	1280219	978	992
13	Mizoram	1097206	555339	541867	935	976
14	Tripura	3673917	1874376	1799541	948	960
15	Meghalaya	2966889	1491832	1475057	972	989
16	Assam	31205576	15939443	15266133	935	958
17	West Bengal	91276115	46809027	44467088	934	950
18	Jharkhand	32988134	16930315	16057819	941	948
19	Odisha	41974218	21212136	20762082	972	979
20	Chhattisgarh	25545198	12832895	12712303	989	991
21	Madhya Pradesh	72626809	37612306	35014503	919	931
22	Gujarat	60439692	31491260	28948432	920	919
23	Maharashtra	112374333	58243056	54131277	922	929
24	Andhra Pradesh	84580777	42442146	42138631	978	993
25	Karnataka	61095297	30966657	30128640	965	973
26	Goa	1458545	739140	719405	961	973
27	Kerala	33406061	16027412	17378649	1059	1084
28	Tamilnadu	72147030	36137975	36009055	987	996

* Number of females per 1000 males

35. U.T. WISE POPULATION 2011 CENSUS

Sl. No.	Union Territories	Population (In.No.)			Sex Ratio*	
		Persons	Male	Female	2001	2011
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Chandigarh	1055450	580663	474787	777	818
2	NCT of Delhi	16787941	8987326	7800615	821	868
3	Daman & Diu	243247	150301	92946	710	618
4	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	343709	193760	149949	812	774
5	Lakshadweep	64473	33123	31350	948	946
6	Puducherry	1247953	612511	635442	1001	1037
7	Andaman & Nicobar	380581	202871	177710	846	876

* Number of females per 1000 males



36. REVENUE VILLAGES IN THE U.T. OF PUDUCHERRY

Sl. No.	Name of the Villages	Sl. No	Name of the Villages	Sl. No	Name of the Villages
I	<u>Puducherry region</u>	46	Vambupet	10	Dharmapuram
1	Puducherry	47	Thethambakkam	11	Karaikal
2	Pudupalayam	48	Katteri	12	Vizhidhiyur
3	Olandai	49	Sellipet	13	Oduthurai
4	Thengaithittu	50	Manalipet	14	Keezhamanai
5	Murungapakkam	51	Chettipet	15	Neravy
6	Kombakkam	52	Kunichampet	16	Akkaivattam
7	Abishegapakkam**	53	Mannadipet	17	Keezhaiyur (North)
8	Ariankuppam	54	Vadhanur	18	T.R. Pattinam
9	Thimmanaickenpalayam**	55	Kalitheerthalkuppam	19	Pologam
10	Thavalakuppam	56	Madagadipet	20	Keezhaiyur (South)
11	Manavelly	57	Thirubuvana	21	Vanjore
12	Poornankuppam	58	Sanniyasikuppam	22	Melakasakudi
13	Alankuppam	59	Thiruvandarkoil	23	Puthakudi
14	Kalapet	60	Maducarai	24	Ponpethy
15	Pillaichavady	61	Kariamannickam	25	Kurumbagaram
16	Thattanchavady	62	Eripakkam	26	Nedungadu
17	Ozhukarai	63	Nettapakkam	27	Ambagarathur
18	Reddiarpalayam	64	Pandasozhanallur	28	Nallazhundur
19	Saram	65	Embalam	29	Sethur
20	Karuvadikuppam	66	Korkadu	30	Thennankudi
21	Villianur	67	Karikalamakkam	31	Sellur
22	Uruvaiyar	68	Kaduvanur	32	Thirunallar
23	Perungalore	69	Panayadikuppam**	33	Pettai
24	Thirukanji	70	Karayamputhur	34	Surakudy
25	Odiampet	71	Manamedu**	35	Devamapuram
26	Sathamangalam	72	Bahour	36	Subrayapuram
27	Manakuppam	73	Irulanchandai**	37	Keezhavoor
28	Mangalam	74	Kuruvinnatham	III	<u>Mahe Region</u>
29	Kizhur	75	Parikalpet**	1	Pandakkal
30	Ariyur	76	Kirumampakkam**	2	Chalakkara
31	Kurumbapet	77	Pillaiyarkuppam	3	Palloor
32	Thondamanatham	78	Seliamedu**	4	Kallayi
33	Karasur	79	Aranganur	5	Mahe
34	Thuthipet	80	Utchimedu	IV	<u>Yanam Region</u>
35	Sedarapet	81	Manapet	1	Yanam Town
36	Ramanathapuram	II	<u>Karaikal Region</u>	2	Mettacur
37	Koodapakkam	1	Varichikudi (South)	3	Kanakalapeta
38	Olavaikkal	2	Varichikudi (North)	4	Francethippa
39	Pillayarkuppam	3	Poovam	5	Adavipolam
40	Ossudu**	4	Thiruvettakudi	6	Isukithippa
41	Pudukuppam	5	Kottucherry	Puducherry region - 81 Karaikal region - 37 Mahe region - 5 Yanam region - 6 Total 129	
42	Kuppam	6	Keezhakasakudi		
43	Suthukeny**	7	Thalatheru		
44	Kodathur	8	Keezhaveli		
45	Sorapet	9	Kovilpathu		

** Villages having more than half of their population as Scheduled castes as per 2011 census.

37. ELECTIONS

37.1 General Elections to Puducherry Legislative Assembly - 2021

No.& Name of the Assembly Constituency	No. of Voters	No. of Votes Polled	Name of the Winning Candidate Thiru/ Tmt.	Name of the Party
Puducherry Region				
01. Mannadipet	32357	28830	A. Namachivayam	Bharathiya Janata Party
02. Thirubhuvanai (SC)	32883	28808	P.Angalane	Independent
03. Oussudu (SC)	32342	28947	AK Sai J Saravanan Kumar	Bharathiya Janata Party
04. Mangalam	38007	33353	Djeacoumar C.	All India N.R.Congress
05. Villianur	42448	35266	R.Siva	Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam
06. Ozhukarai	42027	32710	M.Sivasankar	Independent
07. Kadirgamam	34603	27005	K.S.P.@ S.Ramesh	All India N.R. Congress
08. Indira Nagar	35605	29212	V.Aroumougame @ AKD	All India N.R. Congress
09. Thattanchavady	30674	23586	N.Rangasamy	All India N.R. Congress
10. Kamaraj Nagar	37814	29741	A. Johnkumar	Bharathiya Janata Party
11. Lawspet	32535	26245	M. Vaithiyanathan	Indian National Congress
12. Kalapet	34646	29751	P.M.L.Kalyanasundaram	Bharathiya Janata Party
13. Muthialpet	29785	23423	J.Prakash kumar	Independent
14. Raj Bhavan	26329	19466	K.Lakshminarayanan	All India N.R. Congress
15. Oupalam	27882	23717	Anibal Kennedy	Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam
16. Orleampeth	24718	20257	G.Nehru @ Kuppusamy	Independent
17. Nellithope	33700	27823	Richards Johnkumar	Bharathiya Janata Party
18. Mudaliarpet	35583	29536	L. Sampath	Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam
19. Ariankuppam	39027	32874	R.Baskar @ Datchanamourty	All India N.R. Congress
20. Manavely	34513	29936	Embalam Selvam @ R.Selvam	Bharathiya Janata Party
21. Embalam (SC)	34614	30723	U.Lakshmikandhan	All India N.R. Congress
22. Nettapakkam (SC)	32350	28121	P.Rajavelu	All India N.R. Congress
23. Bahour	29527	26456	R.Senthilkumar	Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam
Karaikal Region				
24. Nedungadu (SC)	31557	26798	Chandira Priyanga	All India N.R. Congress
25. Thirunallar	31276	26874	P.R.Siva	Independent
26. Karaikal North	35661	28324	P.R.N.Thirumurugan	All India N.R. Congress
27. Karaikal South	31951	24456	A.M.H.Nazim	Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam
28. Neravy-T.R.Pattinam	31183	26006	Naga Thiagarajan	Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam
Mahe Region				
29. Mahe	31090	23408	Ramesh Parambath	Indian National Congress
Yanam Region				
30. Yanam	37820	34910	Gollapalli Srinivas Ashok	Independent
U.T of Puducherry I	1004507	836562		

37.2 General Elections To Puducherry Parliamentary Lok Sabha-2024

No.& Name of the Assembly Constituency	No. of Electors including Service Voters				No. of Votes Polled				Votes Polled for NOTA on	
	M	F	TG	Total	M	F	TG	Total	EVM	Postal
01. Mannadipet	15507	17597	4	33108	13277	15039	4	28320	235	
02. Thirubhuvanai (SC)	15813	17942	0	33755	13606	15195	0	28801	263	
03. Oussudu (SC)	15966	18217	3	34186	13699	15605	3	29307	242	
04. Mangalam	19073	21162	14	40249	15777	17694	13	33484	345	
05. Villianur	22117	23895	5	46017	17198	19170	4	36372	391	
06. Ozhukarai	21028	23245	2	44275	15265	17028	1	32294	527	
07. Kadirgamam	16962	18357	2	35321	12785	13667	2	26454	457	
08. Indira Nagar	17021	18831	0	35852	13592	15121	0	28713	481	
09. Thattanchavady	14258	16073	5	30336	10584	11737	1	22322	388	
10. Kamaraj Nagar	18850	20445	3	39298	13959	15168	1	29128	487	
11. Lawspet	15238	16785	2	32025	11715	13026	2	24743	453	
12. Kalapet	16793	18607	2	35402	13743	15432	2	29177	387	
13. Muthialpet	13584	15325	7	28916	10351	11692	3	22046	366	
14. Raj Bhavan	11818	13824	4	25646	8605	9969	3	18577	310	
15. Oupalam	12711	15134	11	27856	10180	12063	9	22252	251	
16. Orleampeth	11543	13457	12	25012	8760	10086	5	18851	242	
17. Nellithope	14071	16266	2	30339	11444	13053	1	24498	390	
18. Mudaliarpet	17474	18934	3	36411	13682	14717	3	28402	445	
19. Ariankuppam	18637	20876	23	39536	14953	17147	18	32118	401	
20. Manavely	16869	19161	6	36036	13833	15966	2	29801	343	
21. Embalam (SC)	16263	18873	1	35137	13967	16046	1	30014	233	
22. Nettapakkam (SC)	15001	17692	7	32700	13034	15041	7	28082	231	
23. Bahour	13588	15672	7	29267	12045	13923	6	25974	188	
Puducherry Region	370185	416370	125	786680	296054	333585	91	629730	8056	
24. Nedungadu (SC)	15245	17563	3	32811	12233	14129	3	26365	226	
25. Thirunallar	14895	17760	0	32655	11557	14149	0	25706	160	
26. Karaikal North	17043	19446	21	36510	12481	14426	11	26918	228	
27. Karaikal South	15206	17621	1	32828	10690	12714	0	23404	206	
28. Neravy-T.R.Pattinam	14865	17187	1	32053	11326	13520	0	24846	206	
Karaikal Region	77254	89577	26	166857	58287	68938	14	127239	1026	
29. Mahe	14381	16677	0	31058	8720	11490	0	20210	347	
Mahe Region	14381	16677	0	31058	8720	11490	0	20210	347	
30. Yanam	19056	20373	0	39429	14873	15672	0	30545	327	
Yanam Region	19056	20373	0	39429	14873	15672	0	30545	327	0
Valid Postal Votes								3451		7
Invalid Postal Votes								257		
U.T.Total	480876	542997	151	1024024	377934	429685	105	811432	9756	7
EVM VOTES NOT COUNTED								-3235		
TOTAL VOTES COUNTED (EVM + Postal)								808197		
Name of the Winning Candidate		VE.VAITHILINGAM								
Name of the Party Affiliation		Indian National Congress								

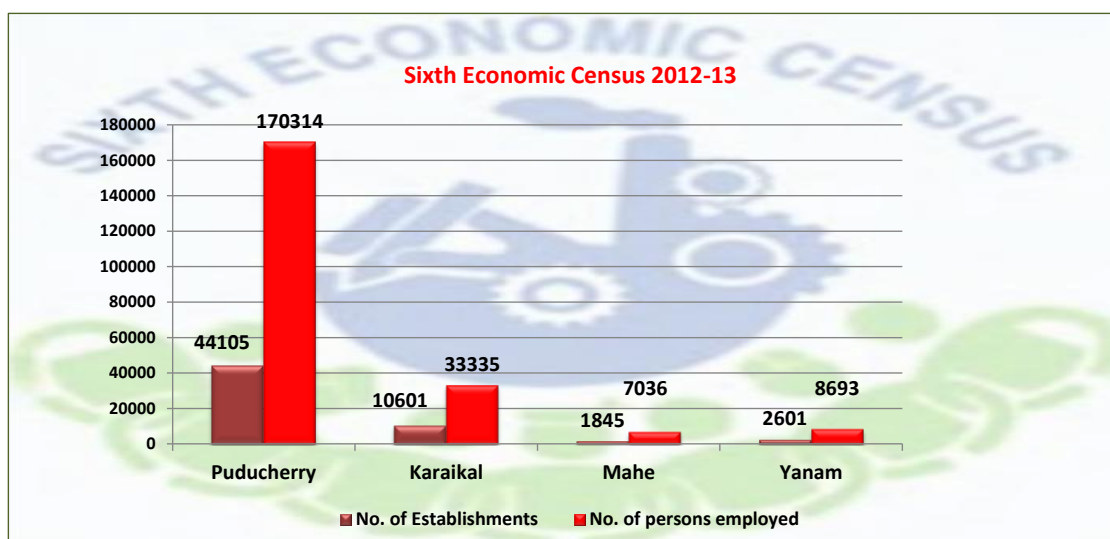
Source : Elections Department

38. SIXTH ECONOMIC CENSUS - 2012-13

Total No. of Establishments & Total persons Employed

(Excluding crop production, Plantation, Public administration,
Defence & Compulsory Social security service activities)

Sl. No.	Items	Agricultural Activities			Non-Agricultural Activities			Total in U.T.		
		Rural	Urban	Total	Rural	Urban	Total	Rural	Urban	Total
1	No. of Establishments	3967	2886	6853	13792	38507	52299	17759	41393	59152
a.	Without hired worker	3303	1905	5208	8088	20279	28367	11391	22184	33575
b.	With atleast one hired worker	664	981	1645	5704	18228	23932	6368	19209	25577
District wise Establishments										
	Puducherry	3250	1816	5066	9988	29051	39039	13238	30867	44105
	Karaikal	717	378	1095	3802	5704	9506	4519	6082	10601
	Mahe	0	32	32	0	1813	1813	0	1845	1845
	Yanam	0	660	660	0	1941	1941	0	2601	2601
	Total	3967	2886	6853	13790	38509	52299	17757	41395	59152
2	No. of Persons employed	6994	6823	13817	61750	143811	205561	68744	150634	219378
a.	Without hired worker	4098	2603	6701	10703	26207	36910	14801	28810	43611
b.	With atleast one hired worker	2896	4220	7116	51047	117604	168651	53943	121824	175767
District wise Persons employed										
	Puducherry	5727	3371	9098	48677	112539	161216	54404	115910	170314
	Karaikal	1267	1339	2606	13017	17712	30729	14284	19051	33335
	Mahe	0	41	41	0	6995	6995	0	7036	7036
	Yanam	0	2072	2072	0	6621	6621	0	8693	8693
	Total	6994	6823	13817	61694	143867	205561	68688	150690	219378



**Statistical Cells are functioning
in the following Departments**

- 1. Adi-Dravidar Welfare**
- 2. Agriculture**
- 3. Animal Husbandry**
- 4. Civil Supplies**
- 5. Co-operative**
- 6. District Industries Centre**
- 7. Education**
- 8. Health and Family Welfare**
- 9. Industries**
- 10. Labour**
- 11. Local Administration**
- 12. Municipalities**
- 13. Public Works**
- 14. Social Welfare**
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