

**1. WORK PARTICIPATION RATE  
(MAIN AND MARGINAL WORKERS) 1991 AND 2001**

Region	Male				Female			
	1991	Rank	2001	Rank	1991	Rank	2001	Rank
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Puducherry	50.94	3	53.65	1	16.27	1	18.50	1
Karaikal	51.15	2	52.65	2	13.02	3	15.16	2
Mahe	39.34	4	44.81	4	7.18	4	8.24	4
Yanam	51.75	1	52.32	3	15.10	2	10.28	3

Source : Directorate of Census Operations, Puducherry.