

RANKING

HDI, GDI and GEM Scores and Ranks for States/UTS in - 2006

Sl.No.	States/Union Territories	HDI-2006	Rank	GDI-2006	Rank	GEM-2006	Rank
1	Andhra Pradesh	0.585	28	0.574	27	0.547	5
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0.647	20	0.642	18	0.469	17
3	Assam	0.595	26	0.585	26	0.417	28
4	Bihar	0.507	35	0.479	35	0.379	31
5	Goa	0.764	2	0.747	2	0.551	4
6	Gujarat	0.634	23	0.624	22	0.485	15
7	Haryana	0.643	21	0.632	20	0.532	7
8	Himachal Pradesh	0.667	15	0.664	13	0.540	6
9	Jammu & Kashmir	0.590	27	0.568	28	0.355	33
10	Karnataka	0.622	25	0.611	25	0.526	8
11	Kerala	0.764	2	0.745	3	0.525	9
12	Madhya Pradesh	0.529	33	0.516	33	0.463	21
13	Maharashtra	0.689	11	0.677	10	0.516	10
14	Manipur	0.702	7	0.699	6	0.418	27
15	Meghalaya	0.629	24	0.624	23	0.346	34
16	Mizoram	0.688	12	0.687	9	0.374	32
17	Nagaland	0.700	8	0.697	7	0.289	35
18	Orissa	0.537	32	0.524	32	0.393	29
19	Punjab	0.668	14	0.663	14	0.514	11
20	Rajasthan	0.541	31	0.526	31	0.442	24

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21	Sikkim	0.665	17	0.659	15	0.447	23
22	Tamil Nadu	0.666	16	0.655	16	0.498	14
23	Tripura	0.663	18	0.626	21	0.382	30
24	Uttar Pradesh	0.528	34	0.509	34	0.452	22
25	West Bengal	0.642	22	0.622	24	0.435	25
26	Chattisgarh	0.549	30	0.542	30	0.464	19
27	Jharkhand	0.574	29	0.558	29	0.435	26
28	Uttarakhand	0.652	19	0.647	17	0.466	18
29	Andaman & Nicobar	0.708	6	0.692	8	0.560	2
30	Chandigarh	0.784	1	0.763	1	0.500	13
31	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0.677	13	0.673	12	0.479	16
32	Daman & Diu	0.700	9	0.677	11	0.503	12
33	NCT Delhi	0.740	4	0.701	5	0.564	1
34	Lakshadweep	0.697	10	0.635	19	0.463	20
35	Puducherry	0.725	5	0.706	4	0.558	3
	All India	0.605		0.590		0.497	

Source: Ministry of Women and Child Development. Government of India

Human Development Index (HDI)

Chandigarh achieved the highest HDI score of 0.784 and ranked first in 2006. Kerala and Goa achieved a score of 0.764 and ranked second. Fourth rank goes to NCT Delhi (0.740). Union Territory of Puducherry ranked 5th in HDI (0.725) during 2006. Uttar Pradesh (0.528) and Bihar (0.507) had the lowest ranks in HDI viz.34th and 35th rank respectively.

Gender Development Index (GDI)

Chandigarh ranked first in GDI with the highest score of 0.763. Goa (0.747) and Kerala (0.745) achieved the 2nd and 3rd ranks respectively. Union Territory of Puducherry ranked fourth in GDI score with an Index of 0.706 Uttar Pradesh (0.509) and Bihar (0.479) had the last ranks viz.34th and 35th respectively in GDI.

Gender Empowerment Measure

The NCT Delhi ranked first in GEM (0.564). Andaman and Nicobar Islands ranked second (0.560). The Union Territory of Puducherry (0.558) achieved the third rank in GEM. Meghalaya and Nagaland got the lowest ranks in GEM i.e., 34th and 35th ranks respectively. Assam (28) Meghalaya (34) and Nagaland (35) were the only States that retained the rank in GEM over the decade.

Ranking differential in GDI and HDI

Mizoram, Nagaland and Manipur ranks 1st, 2nd, and 3rd in Gender differential between GDI and HDI. Union Territory of Puducherry which also has the highest differential of 0.019 between HDI and GDI ranks 26th among States/U.Ts. It is to be noted that Union Territory of Puducherry has moved from 12th rank in 1996 to 26th rank in 2006 in gender differential indicating that creative action is essential to set right gender imbalances in the U.T of Puducherry.
