

DISTRICT : PASCHIM MEDINIPUR

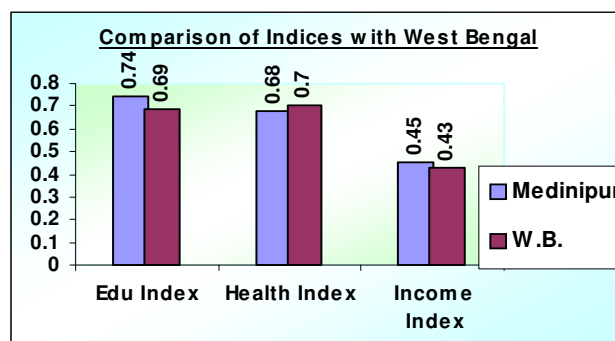
Demography			
Population		1991	2001
	Total	4486279	5193411
	Male	2301869	2648048
	Female	2184410	2545363
% Share in State's Population		6.59	6.48
% share of Urban Population (W.B)		12.65 (27.48)	11.90 (27.97)
% share of Rural Population (W.B)		87.35 (72.52)	88.1 (72.03)
% share of major religious communities (W.B)	Hindus	86.81 (74.72)	85.58 (72.47)
	Muslims	10.78 (23.61)	11.33 (25.25)
% share of SC (W.B)		16.34* (23.62)	18.05 (23.02)
% share of ST (W.B)		8.28* (5.59)	14.87 (5.50)
% share of Children (0-6) (W.B)		17.68* (16.98)	14.36* (14.24)
Sex Ratio (W.B)	All	949 (917)	961 (934)
	SC	952* (931)	973 (949)
	ST	969* (964)	977 (982)
	Children of (0-6)	953* (967)	951* (960)
Population Density (per Sq. Km) (W.B)		458 (767)	531 (903)
Decadal Growth rate (%) (W.B)		23.57* (24.73)	15.35* (17.77)

Administrative Information	
No. of Sub-divisions	4
No. of Municipalities (2003)	8
No. of Blocks	29
No. of Mouzas	8701
No. of Police Stations	27
No. of Gram Panchayats	290
No. of Inhabited Villages(2001)	7580
No. of Gram Sansad	3491
Area (Sq. Km.)	9786
No. of Family Welfare Centres	35
No. of PHCs	84
No. of Electrified Mouzas ('03-'04)	4729
% of Rural HHs Electrified(W.B) (01.04.05)	20.08* (24.34)
Av. Population per Bank Offices (RBI-2005)(W.B)	21000*(19000)

Indices (Purba & Paschim Medinipur Combined)		
WBHDR-2004	Value	Rank
Human Development Index	0.62	7
Gender Development Index	0.55	5
Education Index	0.74	4
Health Index	0.68	8
Income Index	0.45	7

Education				
			1991	2001
Literacy Rate(%) (W.B)	All	Total	65.4 (57.70)	70.4 (68.64)
		Male	77.5 (67.81)	81.3 (77.02)
		Female	52.5 (46.56)	59.1 (59.61)
		Rural	63.5 (50.50)	68.7 (63.42)
		Urban	77.6 (75.27)	82.4 (81.25)
	SC	Total	54.56* (42.21)	63.57* (59.04)
		Male	68.66* (54.55)	76.88* (70.54)
		Female	39.75* (28.87)	49.84* (46.90)
	ST	Total	40.31* (27.78)	47.05* (43.40)
		Male	55.57* (40.07)	62.92* (57.38)
		Female	24.56* (14.98)	30.83* (29.15)
	Gender Gap in Literacy (W.B)		25 (21.25)	22.2 (17.41)
		Primary	Upper Primary	
No of Schools-SSA-2006		4687 (Govt)	816 (Govt/Govt aided)	
Pupil - Teacher Ratio(Govt)-SSA-2006 (W.B)		41.24 (45.20)	61.91 (61.41)	
Net Enrolment Ratio(overall)SSA 2006 (W.B)		98.52 (98.03)	77.86 (78.74)	
Drop-out Rate(Cohort study SSA 2004)(W.B)		17.65 (19.92)	N.A (29.70)	

Health		
Infant Mortality Rate of W.B (2004)	Male	45
	Female	34
Infant Mortality Rate (2001)	Male	47*
	Female	51*
Life Expectancy (2001) (W.B)	Male	65* (65)
	Female	67* (69)
Mean age at Marriage(IIPS-2004) (W.B)	Male	24.6* (24.7)
	Female	17.6* (18.5)
Beds per lakh of population(2003)(W.B)		66 (86)



Employment			
		2001	
		Male	Female
Work participation rate (W.B)	Rural	55.0* (54.1)	24.3*(20.9)
	Urban	50.6* (53.7)	10.1*(11.6)
% of main worker (W.B)	Rural	43.4* (45.8)	8.3* (9.1)
	Urban	45.4* (50.2)	7.4* (9.2)
% of marginal worker (W.B)	Rural	11.6* (8.3)	15.9*(11.8)
	Urban	5.1* (3.6)	2.7* (2.4)
% of agricultural labourers(W.B)		28.7*(22.7)	39.6*(32.2)
No. of applications on live register of employment exch.(2003)	408092		
No. of Placements effected during 2003	310		

Others		
Per Capita Income(2003-2004) at current prices (in Rs) (W.B)	20914.35* (20895.64)	
% of cultivable area to total area('04-'05) (W.B)	61.81 (65.48)	
Cultivable area per agri worker('04-'05) (hectares) (W.B)	0.39* (0.44)	
% of forest area('04-'05)	18.52 (13.52)	
% of BPL families(P&RD,2002) (W.B)	32.88 (36.38)	
Offences reported against women	2002	452
	2003	530
% change in offences reported against women	2001-2002	- 1.31
	2002-2003	17.26

(*=> Figures of Purba & Paschim Medinipur Combined)

Sources : Publications of 2001 Population. Census Power Dept., B.A.E.& S., Econ. Review(WB).Health on the March.

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