

**Table IV.3: Sex differential in literacy rates,
West Bengal: 1991, 2001 and 2011**

	1991	2001	2011 (P)
(a) Male/Female Differential in Literacy Rate	21.25	17.41	11.51
(b) Literate Sex Ratio (Female literates per 1000 male)	623	719	814

Source: Census of India, 1991, 2001 & 2011

P : Provisional