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## MANIPUR

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FIGURES AT A GLANCE

(Census of India 1971-Provisional Population Totals of the Union Territory of Manipur)

A. POPULATION of Manipur Union Territory	Total	...	1,069,555
	Males	...	539,101
	Females	...	530,454
B. DECAENNIAL POPULATION GROWTH RATE 1961-71	...	...	37.12 %
C. DENSITY OF POPULATION	...		48 per Sq. Km.
D. SEX RATIO			984 females per 1000 males
E. PROPORTION OF URBAN POPULA- TION TO TOTAL POPULATION	...	...	13.25 %
F. LITERACY RATE	Total	...	32.80 %
	Males	...	46.16 %
	Females	...	19.22 %
G. WORK PARTICIPATION RATE i.e. PROPORTION OF ECONOMICALLY ACTIVE WORKERS	Total	...	35.92 %
	Males	...	45.68 %
	Females	...	26.00 %

The figures presented in this booklet give some basic particulars of the population as on the 1st April 1971 as recorded by the 1971 Census of India. These figures, however, are only the crude totals compiled from the abstracts furnished by the census enumerators themselves from the Census records. The figures so compiled from the abstracts collected from thousands of enumerators are bound to have their own limitations and are thus purely provisional which can be confirmed only after the census schedules are fully processed in a series of regional tabulation offices. After the final tabulation, apart from providing the Primary Census data down to every village and enumerators' block of a town, a series of cross tabulations of the Census data will be made to present the demographic, social and economic characteristics of the population in a meaningful way such as by sex, broad age groups educational levels, etc. It is our anxiety to make available to the Government and the people the provisional results of the 1971 Census count as quickly as possible after the completion of enumeration which has impelled us to compile and present this booklet of provisional population figures.

According to the 1971 Census Manipur occupies the 20th position among the States and Union Territories of India in respect of population. From the population figures presented in this booklet it appears that the total population of Manipur has increased from 780,037 in 1961 to 1,069,555 in 1971. The rate of increase is 37.12 per cent during the decade 1961-71. The total male population is 539,101 and the total female population is 530,454. There are 984 females per 1,000 males in 1971 as compared with 1015 females in 1961. The density of population per Sq. Km. has risen from 35 in 1961 to 48 in 1971. The proportion of urban population to the total population has shown a marked increase of 13.25 % in 1971 from 8.68 % in 1961. There was only one town in 1961, but 7 new small towns have been added in 1971. The population of Imphal Municipality is just over one lakh (being 100,605). The percentage of literacy has also shown a slight increase from 30.42% in 1961 to 32.80% in 1971. The percentage of literacy for males has increased from 45.12 in 1961 to 46.16 in 1971 and for females from 15.93 in 1961 to 19.22 in 1971. The percentage of workers to total population has, however, shown a decline from 45.89 in 1961 to 35.92 in 1971.

Statement showing a comparative picture of the  
population of States of INDIA  
( 1971 Census - Provisional Figures )

India/States and Union Territories	Total Population		Decennial Growth Rates Percentage		Density of popu- lation 1971 (per Sq.Km.)
	Population in 1961 (and rank)	Population in 1971 (and rank)	1951-61	1961-71	
1	2	3	4	5	6
INDIA	439,234,771	546,955,945	+ 21.64	+ 24.57	182
<u>STATES</u>					
Andhra Pradesh	35,983,447 (4)	43,394,951 (5)	+ 15.65	+ 20.60	157
Assam	- (14)	14,857,314 (13)	+ 35.06	+ 33.51	149
Bihar	46,455,610 (2)	56,387,296 (2)	+ 19.77	+ 21.38	324
Gujarat	20,633,350 (9)	26,660,929 (9)	+ 26.88	+ 29.21	136
Haryana	- (15)	9,971,165 (15)	+ 33.79	+ 31.36	225
Himachal Pradesh	- (17)	3,424,332 (18)	+ 17.87	+ 21.76	62
J & K	3,560,976 (16)	4,615,176 (16)	+ 9.44	+ 29.60	-
Kerala	16,903,715 (12)	21,280,397 (12)	+ 24.76	+ 25.89	548
Madhya Pradesh	32,372,408 (7)	41,449,729 (6)	+ 24.17	+ 28.04	93
Maharashtra	39,553,718 (3)	50,295,081 (3)	+ 23.60	+ 27.16	163
Mysore	23,586,772 (8)	29,224,046 (8)	+ 21.57	+ 23.90	152
Nagaland	369,200 (23)	515,561 (23)	+ 14.07	+ 39.64	31
Orissa	17,548,846 (11)	21,934,827 (11)	+ 19.82	+ 24.99	141
Punjab	-	13,472,972 (14)	+21.56	+ 21.00	268
Rajasthan	20,155,602 (10)	25,724,142 (10)	+ 26.20	+ 27.63	75
Tamil Nadu	33,683,953 (6)	41,103,125 (7)	+ 11.85	+ 22.01	316
Uttar Pradesh	73,746,401 (1)	88,299,453 (1)	+ 16.66	+ 19.73	300
West Bengal	34,926,279 (5)	44,440,095 (4)	+ 32.80	+ 27.24	507

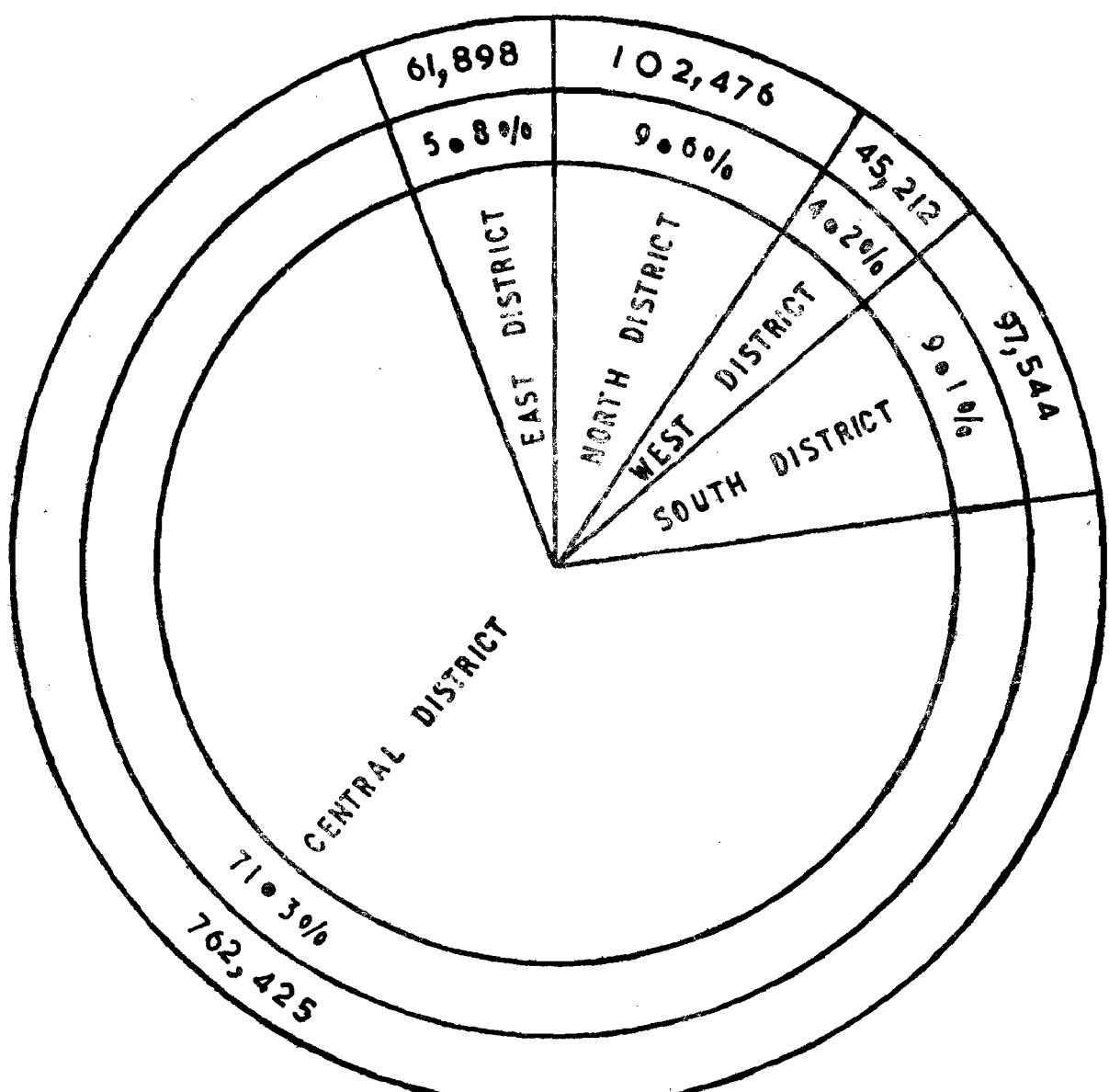
1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>UNION TERRITORIES &amp; OTHER AREAS</b>					
A & N Islands*	63,548 (27)	115,090 (27)	+105.19	+ 81.11	14
Chandigarh	- (26)	256,979 (26)	+394.13	+114.36	2,254
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	57,963 (28)	74,165 (28)	+ 39.56	+ 27.95	151
Delhi	- (18)	4,044,338 (17)	+ 52.44	+ 52.12	2,723
Goa, Daman & Diu	626,667 (22)	857,180 (22)	+ 5.14	+ 36.78	225
L.M. & A. Islands	24,108 (29)	31,798 (29)	+ 14.61	+ 31.90	994
Manipur	780,037 (20)	1,069,555 (20)	+ 35.04	+ 37.12	48
Meghalaya	- (21)	983,336 (21)	+ 25.97	+ 32.02	44
NEFA	336,558 (25)	444,744 (25)	-	+ 32.14	-
Pondichery	369,079 (24)	471,347 (24)	+ 16.34	+ 27.71	982
Tripura	1,142,005 (19)	1,556,822 (19)	+ 78.71	+ 36.32	149

\* Excluding Jawar & Sentinel.

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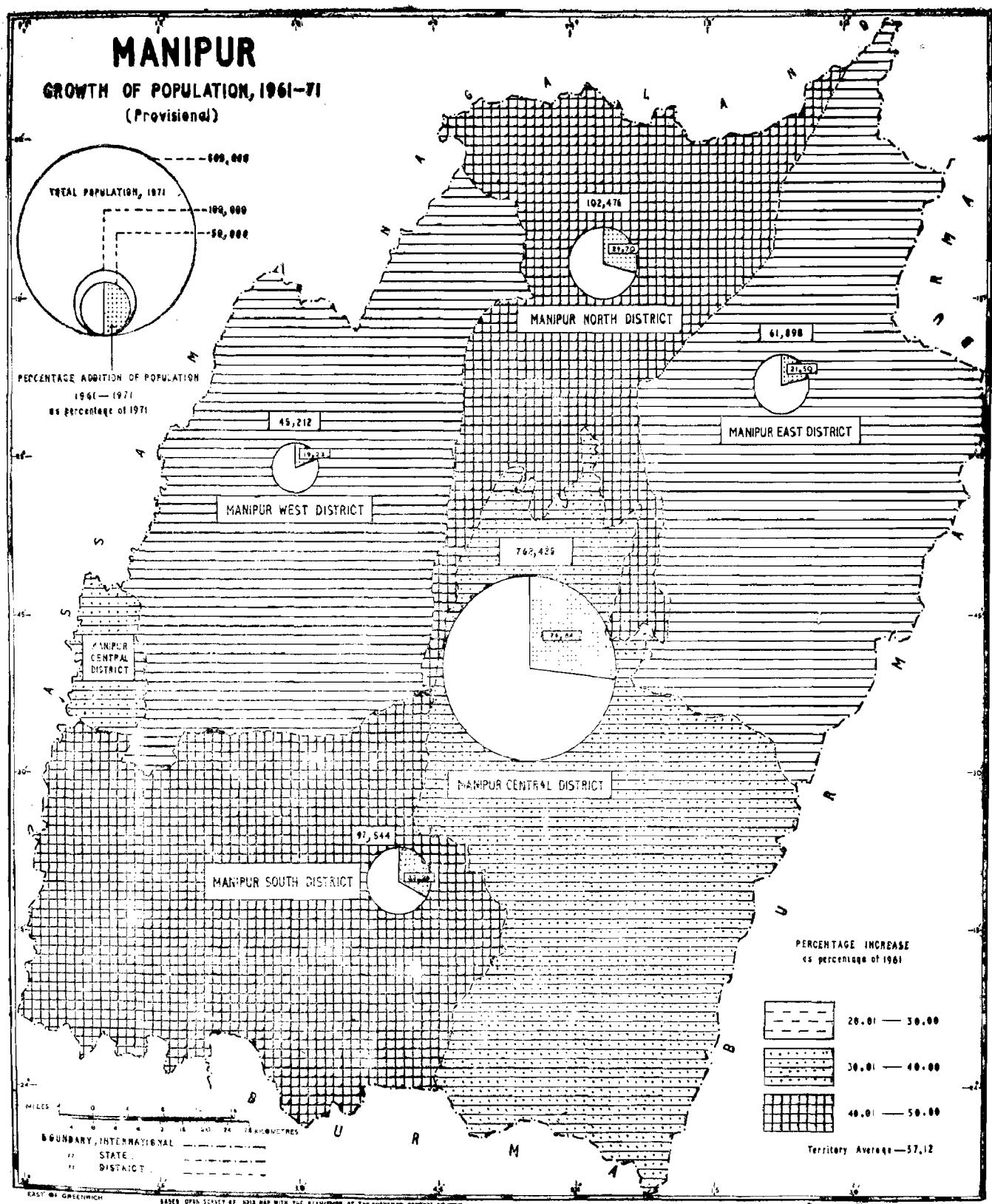
### CHART SHOWING THE COMPARATIVE POPULATION SIZE OF THE DISTRICTS

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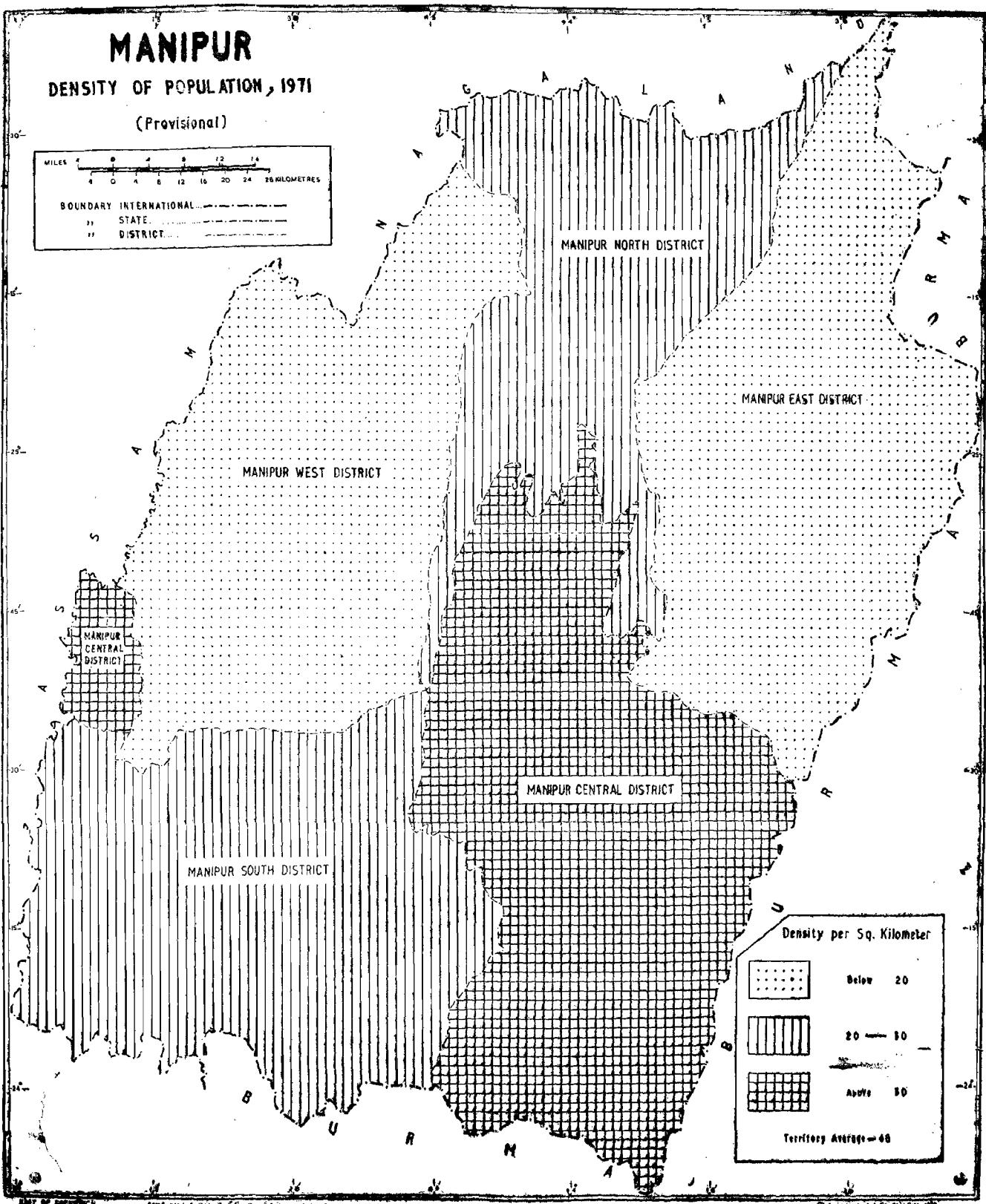


MANIPUR TOTAL POPULATION 1,069,555











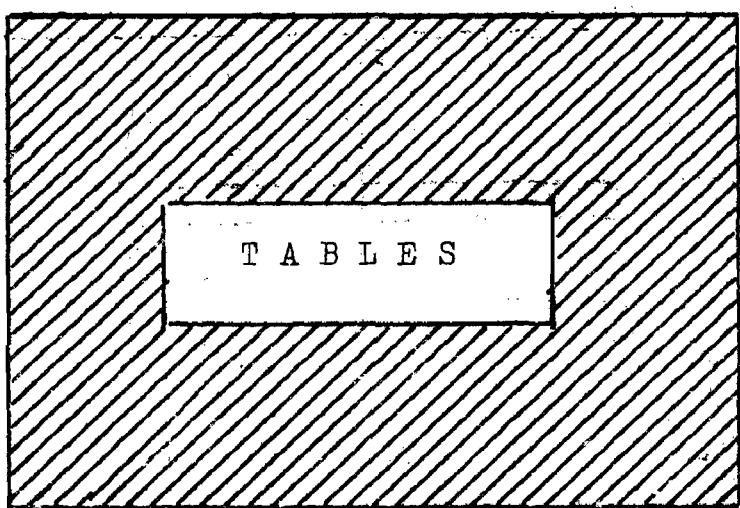


TABLE - I

Distribution of Population, Sex Ratio,

State/District	Population 1971			Sex Ratio for 1,000  1961
	Persons	Males	Females	
1	2	3	4	5
Manipur North District	102,476	52,378	50,098	1,002
Manipur West District	45,212	21,929	23,283	1,061
Manipur South District	97,544	49,301	48,243	1,006
Manipur Central District	762,425	384,195	378,230	1,014
Manipur East District	61,898	31,298	30,600	1,034
Manipur	1,069,555	539,101	530,454	1,015

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Growth Rate and Density of Population by Districts

i.e. females males	Density of Popula- tion per Sq. Km.		Decennial Growth Rate of Population	
	1971	1961	1951-61	1961-71
6	7	8	9	10
956	21	30		42.25
1,062	8	10		23.81
979	14	21		49.83
984	100	136		36.69
978	11	14		27.39
984	35	48	35.04	37.12

TABLE - II

Decadal Variation in

State/District	Percentage Decadal Variation		
	1901-11	1911-21	1921-31
1	2	3	4
Manipur North District			
Manipur West District			
Manipur South District			
Manipur Central District			
Manipur East District			
Manipur	21.71	10.92	16.04

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Population since 1901

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in Population			
1931-41 5	1941-51 6	1951-61 7	1961-71 8
			42.25
			23.81
			49.83
			36.69
			27.39
14.92	12.80	35.04	37.12

N.B. - In the absence of table volumes relating to Assam containing the village-wise Primary Census Abstracts, it has not been possible to show district-wise variation for 1901-1961 in this paper.

TABLE-III

Rural and Urban Composition

State/District	Population 1971		
	Total	Rural	Urban
1	2	3	4
Manipur North District	102,476	102,476	
Manipur West District	45,212	45,212	
Manipur South District	97,544	88,858	8,686
Manipur Central District	762,425	629,416	133,009
Manipur East District	61,898	61,898	
Manipur	1,069,555	927,860	141,695

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of Population

Percentage of Urban to Total Population		Decennial Growth Rate 1961-71		
1961	1971	Total	Rural	Urban
5	6	7	8	9
		42.25	42.25	
		23.81	23.81	
	8.90	49.83	36.49	
8.68	17.45	36.69	28.45	96.42*
		27.39	27.39	
8.68	13.25	37.12	30.26	109.25*

\* On account of inclusion of new towns which were not in existence in 1961.

TABLE - IV

Population of

Total of each size class/ Towns of Population size 2,000+	Population 1971		
	Persons	Males	Females
1	2	3	4
ALL CLASSES (Np.of towns 8)	141,695	71,429	70,266
A. Total Class I (100,000+) (No.of towns 1).			
Imphal Municipality	100,605	50,734	49,871
B. Total Class II (50,000-99,999) (No.of towns Nil)			
C. Total Class III (20,000-49,999) (No.of towns Nil)			
D. Total Class IV (10,000-19,999) (No.of towns Nil)			
E. Total Class V (5,000-9,999) (No.of towns 4)	31,340	15,824	15,516
Moirang Town	8,374	4,256	4,118
Thoubal Town	5,683	2,797	2,886
Kakching Town	8,597	4,304	4,293
Churachandpur Town	8,686	4,467	4,219
F. Total Class VI (less than 5,000) (No.of towns 3)	9 ,750	4,871	4,879
Lamlai Town	2,220	1,106	1,114
Bishenpur Town	4,238	2,169	2,069
Nambol Town	3,292	1,596	1,696

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Towns

Proportion of Population in Each Size Class to Total Urban Population	Growth Rate			Sex Ratio 1971
	1961	1971	1951-61	
	5	6	7	
100.00	100.00	2,266.07*	109.25	984
100.00	71.00	2,266.07*	48.57	983
	22.12			981
	5.91			968
	4.91			1,032
	6.07			997
	6.13			944
	6.88			1,002
	1.57			1,007
	2.99			954
	2.32			1,063

\* Due to growth and extension of Urban areas.

TABLE - V

LITERACY

State/District 1	Total Population 1971			Literate Population	
	Persons 2	Males 3	Females 4	Persons 5	Males 6
Manipur North District	102,475	52,378	50,098	22,871	17,031
Manipur West District	45,212	21,929	23,283	9,559	6,915
Manipur South District	97,544	49,301	48,243	34,079	21,922
Manipur Central District	762,425	384,195	378,230	263,889	188,922
Manipur East District	61,898	31,298	30,600	20,401	14,058
Manipur	1,069,555	539,101	530,454	350,799	248,848

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Females 7	Percentage of Literates to Total Population						
	1961			1971			
	Persons 8	Males 9	Females 10	Persons 11	Males 12	Females 13	
5,840	19.18	27.81	10.57	22.32	32.52	11.66	
2,644	21.66	30.48	13.35	21.14	31.53	11.36	
12,157	36.21	46.47	26.00	34.94	44.47	25.20	
74,967	32.14	48.77	15.73	34.61	49.17	19.82	
6,343	26.17	38.02	14.71	32.96	44.92	20.73	
101,951	30.42	45.12	15.93	32.80	46.16	19.22	

N.B : While calculating percentages of literacy,  
(0-4) age-group population has been included  
in the Total Population.

TABLE - VI

Distribution of Population by

State/District 1	Persons Males Females 2	Total Population 3	Workers 4
Manipur North District	P	102,476	53,611
	M	52,378	28,067
	F	50,098	25,544
Manipur West District	P	45,212	22,868
	M	21,929	11,039
	F	23,283	11,829
Manipur South District	P	97,544	39,157
	M	49,301	22,545
	F	48,243	16,812
Manipur Central District	P	762,425	238,771
	M	386,195	170,747
	F	378,230	68,024
Manipur East District	P	61,898	29,775
	M	31,298	14,079
	F	30,600	15,696
Manipur	P	1,069,555.	384,182
	M	539,101	246,277
	F	530,454	137,905

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Workers and Non-workers

Non-workers 5	Percentage of Workers to Total Population	
	1961 6	1971 7
48,865	53.99	52.32
24,311	52.52	53.59
24,554	55.45	50.99
22,344	52.61	50.58
10,890	49.73	50.34
11,454	55.32	50.81
58,387	46.17	40.14
26,956	48.09	45.32
31,431	44.26	34.85
523,654	44.03	31.32
213,448	46.62	44.44
310,206	41.47	17.98
32,123	49.77	48.10
17,219	44.66	44.98
14,904	54.72	51.29
685,373	45.89	35.92
292,824	47.31	45.68
392,549	44.48	26.00

TABLE -VII

Distribution of Working Popula-

State/District	Persons Males Females	Total Workers	Cultiva- tors	Agricul- tural Labourers
1	2	3	4	5
Manipur North District	P	53,611	48,040	168
	M	28,067	23,437	119
	F	25,544	24,603	49
Manipur West District	P	22,868	20,747	28
	M	11,039	9,116	21
	F	11,829	11,631	7
Manipur South District	P	39,157	32,752	645
	M	22,345	17,653	500
	F	16,812	15,099	145
Manipur Central District	P	238,771	125,838	13,717
	M	170,747	106,900	8,224
	F	68,024	18,938	5,493
Manipur East District	P	29,775	25,542	107
	M	14,079	10,126	75
	F	15,696	15,416	32
Manipur	P	384,182	252,919	14,665
	M	246,277	167,232	8,939
	F	137,905	85,637	5,726

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tion by Agricultural and other Workers

Other Workers	Percentage of Agricultural and Other Workers to Total Workers					
	Cultivators		Agricultural Labourers		Other Workers	
	1961	1971	1961	1971	1961	1971
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
5,403	93.07	89.61	2.40	.31	4.53	10.08
4,511	90.81	83.50	2.59	.43	6.60	16.07
892	95.20	96.32	2.22	.19	2.58	3.49
2,093	93.08	90.73	-	.12	6.92	9.15
1,902	91.40	82.58	-	.19	8.60	17.23
191	94.50	98.33	-	.06	5.50	1.61
5,760	90.05	83.64	.02	1.65	9.93	14.71
4,192	87.84	79.00	.01	2.24	12.15	18.76
1,568	92.46	89.81	.02	.86	7.52	9.33
99,216	53.45	52.70	.50	5.75	46.05	41.55
55,623	72.02	62.61	.53	4.82	27.45	32.57
43,593	32.85	27.84	.46	8.08	66.69	64.08
4,126	89.99	85.78	.12	.36	9.88	13.86
3,878	86.67	71.92	.12	.53	13.21	27.55
248	92.62	98.22	.12	.20	7.26	1.58
116,598	65.43	65.83	.61	3.82	33.96	30.35
70,106	77.09	67.90	.65	3.63	22.26	28.47
46,492	53.20	62.14	.57	4.15	46.23	33.71