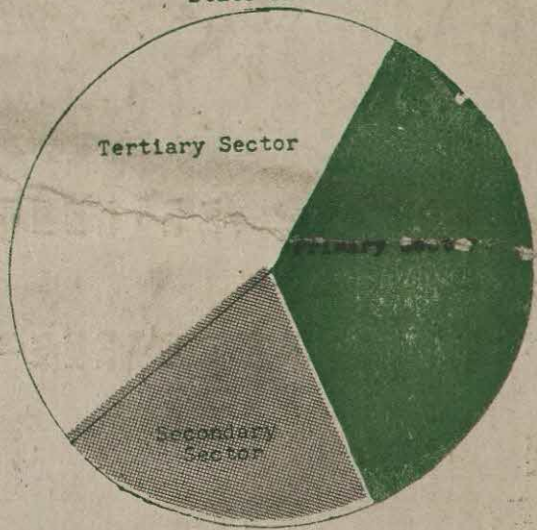


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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA  
State Income



# KERALA ECONOMY

1989

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## 1. General

|                           | Unit         | 1971  | 1981 |
|---------------------------|--------------|-------|------|
| Geographical area         | '000 Sq. km. | 38.86 |      |
| Districts                 | No.          | 14    |      |
| Taluks                    | "            | 61    |      |
| Revenue Villages          | "            | 1452  |      |
| Corporations              | "            | 3     |      |
| Municipalities/Township   | "            | 60    |      |
| Development Blocks        | "            | 151   |      |
| Panchayats                | "            | 983   |      |
| Estimated Population 1990 | lakhs        | 299   |      |
| <b>2. Population</b>      |              |       |      |
| Rural                     | "            | 179   | 207  |
| Urban                     | "            | 34    | 47   |
| Total                     | "            | 213   | 254  |
| Male                      | "            | 106   | 125  |
| Female                    | "            | 107   | 129  |
| Scheduled Caste           | "            | 18    | 25   |
| Scheduled Tribe           | "            | 3     | 3    |
| Density                   | Per sq. km.  | 549   | 655  |

## 2. Population

|                       | Female/<br>1000 Males | 1016 | 1032 |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|------|------|
| Sex Ratio             |                       | 60.4 | 70.4 |
| Literacy rate         | %                     |      |      |
| Birth rate            | Per 1000 persons      | 31.6 | 25.6 |
| Death rate            | "                     | 9.2  | 6.6  |
| Infant mortality rate | Per 1000 live birth   | 60.9 | 37.0 |

## 3. State Income (New Series) 1980-81 series

|   | (Rs. Crores) | 1980-81 | 1985-86 | 1988-89  |
|---|--------------|---------|---------|----------|
| At current prices   |              | 3702    | 6223    | 9135 (P) |
| At constant prices  | "            | 3702    | 3969    | 4444 (P) |
| Sector-wise share of State domestic product (at current prices) | %            |         |         |          |
| Primary Sector  |              | 40.51   | 36.78   | 36.29(P) |
| Secondary Sector  |              | 22.79   | 22.56   | 23.63(P) |
| Tertiary Sector   |              | 36.70   | 40.66   | 40.08(P) |
| Per capita income   | Rs.          | 1463    | 2251    | 3146 (P) |
| At current prices   | "            | 1463    | 1436    | 1530 (P) |
| At constant prices  | "            |         |         |          |

## 4. Agriculture

|                                   | '000 No. | 3822 | 4887 |
|-----------------------------------|----------|------|------|
| Total No. of operational holdings |          |      |      |
| Area operated                     | '000 ha. | 1801 | 1753 |

|   | '000 ha. | 2179 | 2190 |
|---|----------|------|------|
| Net area sown                             |          |      |      |
| Gross cropped area                        | '000 "   | 2884 | 2866 |
| Percentage of net area sown to gross area | %        | 56   | 56   |
| Percentage of cropped area to net area    | "        | 132  | 131  |

## Area under :

|                    | '000 ha.     | 801  | 678  | 577  |
|--------------------|--------------|------|------|------|
| Paddy              |              |      |      |      |
| (i) Autumn         | "            | 349  | 280  | 233  |
| (ii) Winter        | "            | 354  | 313  | 274  |
| (iii) Summer       | "            | 98   | 85   | 70   |
| Coconut            | "            | 661  | 704  | 817  |
| Tapioca            | "            | 273  | 203  | 169  |
| Rubber             | "            | 214  | 330  | 380  |
| Cashew             | "            | 137  | 138  | 125  |
| Pepper             | "            | 107  | 122  | 157  |
| Arecanut           | "            | 62   | 59   | 62   |
| Production of Rice | '000 Ton     | 1272 | 1173 | 1013 |
| Autumn             | "            | 554  | 462  | 388  |
| Winter             | "            | 548  | 527  | 473  |
| Summer             | "            | 170  | 184  | 152  |
| Coconut            | Million nuts | 3008 | 3377 | 4215 |
| Tapioca            | '000 MT.     | 4061 | 3277 | 3165 |
| * Rubber           | "            | 140  | 185  | 238  |

|                             | Million nuts <th>10805 <th>10664 <th>11450 </th></th></th> | 10805 <th>10664 <th>11450 </th></th> | 10664 <th>11450 </th> | 11450 |
|-----------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------|
| Cashew nut                  | "  | 82                                   | 80                    | 108   |
| Pepper                      | "  | 29                                   | 33                    | 43    |
| Arecanut                    | Million nuts   | 238                                  | 296                   | 317   |
| Net area irrigated          | '000 ha.   |                                      |                       |       |
| Consumption of fertilizers/ | kg.  | 34                                   | 49                    | 72    |
| Hat. of cropped area        |  |                                      |                       |       |

## 5. Livestock

|                      | Lakhs <th>49 <th>56 <th>55 </th></th></th> | 49 <th>56 <th>55 </th></th> | 56 <th>55 </th> | 55    |
|----------------------|--|-----------------------------|-----------------|-------|
| Livestock population |  | 122                         | 151             | 180   |
| Poultry              | "  | 9                           | 13              | 15.13 |
| Milk Production      | Lakhs MT                                   | 962                         | 1360            | 1478  |
| Egg Production       | Million Nos.                               |                             |                 |       |

## 6. Fisheries

|                      | '000 MT   | 268  | 351   | 375   |
|----------------------|-----------|------|-------|-------|
| Marine fish landings | Rs. lakhs | 8222 | 12760 | 20958 |
| " Value              | '000 MT   | 26   | 29    | 29    |
| Inland fish landings | Rs. lakhs | 1093 | 1779  | 2770  |
| " Value              |           |      |       |       |

## 7. Co-operation &amp; Banking

|                                       | No.        | 1558 | 1574 | 1580        |
|---------------------------------------|------------|------|------|-------------|
| Primary Agricultural Credit Societies |            | 3691 | 5767 | 7809        |
| Membership                            | '000 No.   | 130  | 498  | 751         |
| Loans advanced                        | Rs. crores |      |      | (30-6-1989) |
| Bank Offices                          | No.        | 2399 | 2724 | 2799        |
|                                       |            |      |      | (June 1989) |

**8. Industries**

|  |    |              |               |               |                   |
|--|----|--------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------|
| No. of working factories                           | .. | No.          | 9099          | 11107         | 12483             |
| Employment   | .. | '000 Nos.    | 300           | 294           | 310               |
| Registered Small Scale Industrial Units            | .. | "            | 19            | 39            | 55<br>(31-3-1989) |
| Central Sector Industrial Investment in Kerala     | .. | (Rs. Crores) | 423<br>(1980) | 831<br>(1985) | 1307<br>(1988)    |
| Annual Index of Industrial Production (Base 70-71) | .. | No.          | 187           | 201           | 175<br>(1987-88)  |

**9. Electricity**

|   |    |             |      |      |      |
|---|----|-------------|------|------|------|
| Electricity generated                           | .. | Million KWH | 5242 | 5357 | 4550 |
| Consumers of Electricity                        | .. | '000 No.    | 1869 | 2396 | 2934 |
| Per capita consumption of Electricity per annum | .. | KWH         | 113  | 136  | 148  |

**10. Transport & Communication**

|                        |    |           |       |        |        |
|------------------------|----|-----------|-------|--------|--------|
| Total Road length      | .. | Km.       | 78955 | 108748 | 120481 |
| PWD roads              | .. | "         | 17165 | 19459  | 19815  |
| Goods vehicles on Road | .. | '000 Nos. | 25    | 45     | 59     |
| Stage carriages        | .. | "         | 9     | 16     | 14     |
| Motor cars & jeeps     | .. | "         | 84    | 128    | 168    |
| Autrickshaws           | .. | "         | 10    | 31     | 49     |
| Others                 | .. | "         | 67    | 142    | 233    |
| Total Motor Vehicles   | .. | "         | 195   | 362    | 523    |

**11. Education**

|   |    |            |      |      |      |
|---|----|------------|------|------|------|
| Rail route length                         | .. | Km.        | 916  | 916  | 941  |
| Post Offices                              | .. | No.        | 4581 | 4748 | 4782 |
| Telephone Exchanges                       | .. | "          | 463  | 584  | 621  |
| Telephone connection                      | .. | '000 Nos.  | 93   | 152  | 209  |
| L. P. Schools                             | .. | No.        | 6861 | 6845 | 6819 |
| U. P. Schools                             | .. | "          | 2753 | 2870 | 2890 |
| High Schools                              | .. | "          | 1976 | 2429 | 2432 |
| Students strength in Schools              | .. | lakhs Nos. | 56   | 57   | 59   |
| Arts & Science Colleges                   | .. | Nos.       | 134  | 172  | 172  |
| No. of Medical Colleges (Allopathy)       | .. | No.        | 4    | 5    | 5    |
| No. of Ayurveda Colleges                  | .. | "          | 5    | 5    | 4    |
| No. of Homoeo Colleges                    | .. | "          | 4    | 5    | 6    |
| No. of Engineering Colleges               | .. | "          | 6    | 6    | 7    |
| No. of Polytechnics                       | .. | "          | 18   | 25   | 28   |
| No. of Technical High Schools             | .. | "          | 25   | 44   | 47   |
| Per capita Govt. expenditure on Education | .. | Rs.        | 83   | 151  | 192  |

**12. Medical & Health**

|  |    |     |     |      |      |
|--|----|-----|-----|------|------|
| (i) Medical Institutions :                     | .. | No. | 981 | 1015 | 1126 |
| Allopathy                                      | .. | "   | 514 | 567  | 599  |
| Ayurveda (excluding grant in aid institutions) | .. | "   | 174 | 251  | 286  |
| Homoeopathy                                    | .. | "   |     |      |      |
| (ii) No. of beds in Medical Institutions :     | .. | "   |     |      |      |

|  |    |          |      |      |               |
|--|----|----------|------|------|---------------|
| Allopathy                              | .. | '000 No. | 31   | 36   | 37            |
| Ayurveda                               | .. | Nos.     | 1744 | 1689 | 1929          |
| Homoeopathy                            | .. | "        | 535  | 700  | 715           |
| (iii) Per Capita expenditure on health | .. | Rs.      | 32   | 50   | 86<br>(87-88) |

### 13. Budget

|                     |    |              |     |      |      |
|---------------------|----|--------------|-----|------|------|
| Revenue Receipts    | .. | Rs. (Crores) | 640 | 1371 | 1897 |
| Revenue expenditure | .. | "            | 668 | 1445 | 2061 |

### 14. Employment & Un-employment

|  |    |          |      |      |                    |
|--|----|----------|------|------|--------------------|
| Proportion of workers to total population (including marginal workers) | .. | %        | 29.8 | 30.5 |                    |
| Employment in Establishments (Public & Private sectors)                | .. |          | 1017 | 1081 | 1103<br>(31-12-88) |
| Work seekers in the Employment Exchange of Kerala                      | .. | in 000's | 71   | 81   | 89                 |
|  | .. |          | 367  | 1579 | 3067               |

\* Rubber Board estimates

(P) Provisional