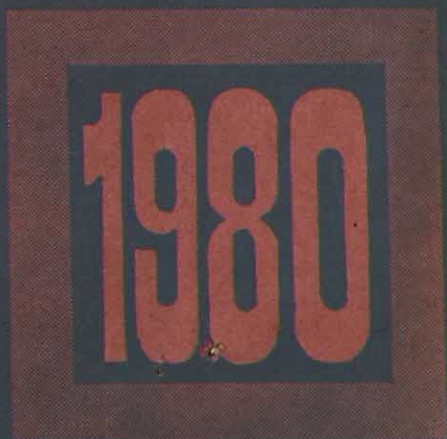
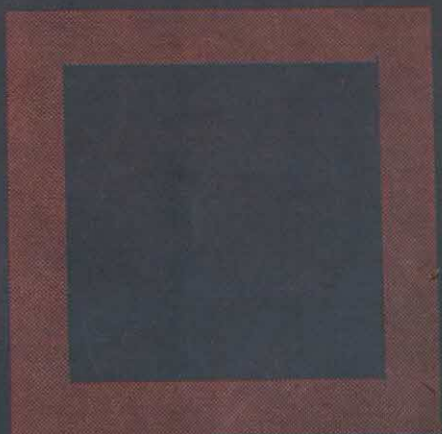
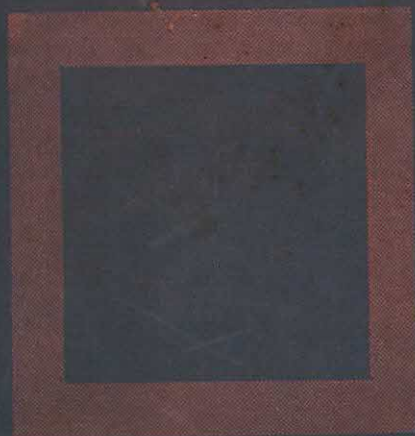


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PREFACE

This publication "Kerala Economic Progress in Figures 1980." seeks to present a statistical outline of the economy of the State in brief. It gives up-to-date information on all sectors of the economy as far as possible.

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I hope this publication will be of much use to planners, administrators and the general public.

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General

Area	Sq.Km.	38864
Districts	Nos.	11
Taluks	-do-	57
Revenue Villages	-do-	1334
Census Villages	-do-	6375
Towns (Census)	-do-	88
C.D. Blocks	-do-	144
Panchayats	-do-	997
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Population

Items	Unit	1961 census	1971 census
Population	Lakhs	169	213
Male Population	-do-	84	106
Female Population	-do-	85	107
Rural Population	-do-	144	179
Urban Population	-do-	25	34
Population per Sq. Km.	Nos.	435	549
Females per 1000 males	-do-	1022	1016
Decade Variation in Population	Percentage	25	26
Literacy	-do-	47	60
Male	-do-	55	67
Female	-do-	39	54
Birth rate	Per'000	38.9*	31.6+
Death rate	-do-	16.1	9.1+

+ + Estimated population for 1980 255.9 lakhs

*based on census data (1951-60)

+ Sample Registration

+ + Report on currency and finance 1975-76 (R.B.I)

Growth of Population and Decennial growth rates 1901-1981

<i>Year</i>	<i>Population</i>	<i>Decennial growth rate (%)</i>	<i>Density per sq. km.</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1901	63,96,262	..	163
1911	71,47,673	+11.75	181
1921	78,02,127	+09.16	201
1931	95,07,050	+21.85	245
1941	110,31,541	+16.04	284
1951	135,49,118	+22.82	349
1961	169,03,715	+24.76	435
1971	213,47,375	+26.29	549
1981+	257,67,000	+20.70	663

+Estimated B.E.S.

Area and Population of Districts in Kerala (1971)

<i>District</i>	<i>Area in sq.km.</i>	<i>(Population in lakhs)</i>	
(1)	(2)	<i>Male</i>	<i>Female</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Trivandrum	2192	10.95	11.04
Quilon	4623	12.06	12.07
Alleppey	1884	10.48	10.78
Kottayam	2196	7.73	7.66
Idukki	5087	3.95	3.70
Ernakulam	2377	10.89	10.75
Trichur	3032	10.23	11.06
Palghat	4400	8.19	8.66
Malappuram	3638	9.09	9.47
Kozhikode	3729	10.58	10.48
Cannanore	5706	11.72	11.93
State	38864	105.87	107.60

Area and Population of Corporations and Municipal towns in Kerala (1971 census)

Name of Municipality/Corporation		Area in sq.km	Population 1971 census in '000
(1)		(2)	(3)
Trivandrum	Corporation	74.93	409.63
Neyyatinkara	Municipality	9.70	23.98
Attingal	-do-	14.18	27.05
Quilon	-do-	18.48	124.21
Punalur	-do-	34.60	38.19
Kayamkulam	-do-	21.79	54.10
Mavelikara	-do-	12.65	25.65
Thiruvalla	-do-	14.47	26.65
Alleppey	-do-	46.77	160.17
Sherthalai	-do-	16.19	36.73
Changanacherry	-do-	13.50	48.53
Kottayam	-do-	15.55	59.71
Vaikom	-do-	8.73	20.01
Palai	-do-	15.93	20.73
Muvattupuzha	-do-	13.18	22.14
Cochin	Corporation	94.88	439.07
Perumbavoor	Municipality	13.59	20.89
Alwaye	-do-	7.18	24.07
Parur	-do-	9.03	24.39
Chalakudy	-do-	25.23	37.56
Irinjalakuda	-do-	11.24	25.41
Trichur	-do-	12.65	76.24
Kunnamkulam	-do-	6.96	18.37
Guruvayoor Township		6.49	15.86
Chittur-Thathamangalam	-do-	14.71	28.51
Palghat	-do-	26.60	95.79
Malappuram	-do-	33.60	32.00
Tirur	-do-	16.59	32.27
Calicut	Corporation	82.67	333.98
Badagara	Municipality	21.34	53.94
Tellicherry	-do-	15.35	68.76
Cannanore	-do-	11.03	55.16
Kasargode	-do-	16.68	34.98

District-wise Estimated Population of Kerala 1979 to 1981
(Population in lakhs)

<i>District</i>	1979	1980	1981
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Trivandrum ..	25.59	25.97	26.36
Quilon ..	27.72	28.08	28.45
Alleppey ..	23.44	23.63	23.81
Kottayam ..	16.89	17.03	17.16
Idukki ..	9.20	9.39	9.56
Ernakulam ..	25.42	25.84	26.26
Trichur ..	25.56	25.95	26.33
Palghat ..	19.24	19.49	19.71
Malappuram ..	22.64	23.13	23.60
Kozhikode ..	25.52	26.04	26.57
Cananore ..	28.69	19.29	29.86
State ..	249.90	253.84	257.67

Source: Bureau of Economics & Statistics

Population - Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (1971 Census)

District/State	Scheduled Castes		Scheduled Tribes		Total scheduled castes & scheduled Tribes		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Trivandrum ..	213741	105111	108630	11059	5523	5536	224800
Quilon ..	280632	139707	140925	3737	1901	1836	284369
Alleppey ..	200770	100074	100696	435	221	214	201205
Kottayam ..	94528	47566	46962	11059	5640	5419	105587
Idukki ..	97819	49723	48096	23181	11846	11335	121000
Ernakulam ..	182775	91403	91372	580	361	219	183355
Trichur ..	216237	100436	109801	9383	4604	4779	225620
Palghat ..	210765	103784	106981	25594	12870	12724	236359
Malappuram ..	140826	69254	71572	8882	4382	4500	149708
Kozhikode ..	76338	38447	37891	84982	42579	42403	161320
Cannanore ..	57737	29421	28316	90464	45069	45395	148201
Kerala ..	1772168	880926	891242	269356	134996	134360	2041524

Land Use Pattern

Total area and classification of Area

(Area in Hectares)

Classification of Land (Use)	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Total geographical area according to village papers	3885497	3885497	3885497
Forest	1081509	1081509	1081509
Land put to Non agricultural uses	260388	257276	260443
Barren and uncultivable land	78837	75382	74613
Permanent pastures and grazing lands	16095	10616	6245
Land under miscellaneous tree crops	72668	67960	66374
Cultivable waste land	115726	118256	123341
Fallow other than current fallow	22264	27188	26598
Current fallow	37409	46111	42246
Net area sown	2200601	2201269	2204128
Area sown more than once	732849	722535	681582
Total cropped area	2933450	2923804	2885710

Note: Figures for 1978-79 are Provisional

Agriculture

Classification of Area

Items	Unit	1956-57	1971-72	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Area according to village papers	'000' hectares	3809	3858	3885	3885	3885
Forest	"	1018	1055	1082	1082	1082
Land not available for cultivation	"	453	373	355	343	341
Net Area sown	"	1808	2187	2201	2201	2204
Total Cropped Area	"	2178	2958	2933	2924	2886

Production	Unit	1956-57	1971-72	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Rice	'000Tonnes	887	1352	1254	1295	1273
Tapioca	"	1449	5429	5126	4189	4044
Black Pepper	"	27	25	25	20	26
Coconuts	Million	3182	4054	3348	3053	3211
Tea	'000 Tonnes	35	43	42	52	47
Coffee	"	7	14	15	28	28
Rubber	"	22	89	139	136	124
Cashewnut	'000M.T.	..	112	87	85	84
Ginger	"	..	23	26	32	33
Cardamom	"	..	1	1	3	3
Arecanut	„Million	..	..	11303	10548	10919
Per capita Production of Rice	Kg.	57	62	52	54	52

Source: Area and production estimates Bureau of Economics & Statistics.

(a) upto 1971-72 L.U.S

(b) 1975-76 to 1977-78 TRS

..Not available

District wise production of some important crops in Kerala (in metric tonnes)

District	Rice			Tapioca			Coconut in million nuts			Banana	
	1977-78	1978-79	1977-78	1978-79	1977-78	1978-79	1977-78	1978-79	1977-78	1978-79	
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)			
Trivandrum ..	46765	50449	71885	813506	320	369	5831	6800			
Quilon ..	71796	81499	1003967	988175	357	323	12481	12194			
Alleppey ..	160018	135561	349688	314263	283	349	7854	10449			
Kottayam ..	69060	65663	506167	448025	192	190	20614	24358			
Idukki ..	22813	15784	187360	167251	40	34	1811	2020			
Ernakulam ..	141437	150424	264935	229145	276	329	14644	21629			
Trichur ..	144157	153033	139415	113027	311	333	17297	22889			
Palghat ..	361048	349326	183023	233319	62	71	8107	12095			
Malappuram ..	114561	112670	325745	271460	266	326	16573	23935			
Kozhikode ..	58788	63443	169785	94722	524	535	6906	12418			
Cannanore ..	104192	94891	346596	371153	422	352	18561	22706			

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District-wise production of some important crops in Kerala (in Metric tonnes)

District	*Tea			*Coffee			*Rubber	
	1977-78	1978-79	1977-78	1978-79@	1977-78	1978-79	(6)	(7)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(5)	(6)	(6)	(7)
Trivandrum	1119	987	18	18	18	5146	5060	5060
Quilon	852	807	40	41	41	22749	24060	24060
Alleppey	..	..	7	7	7	2787	1730	1730
Kottayam	844	657	468	472	472	34766	32187	32187
Idukki	37506	34219	1712	1729	1729	10446	10140	10140
Ernakulam	..	..	65	66	66	13131	11421	11421
Trichur	971	995	12	12	12	6133	6158	6158
Palghat	1389	1334	1380	1394	1394	4933	4513	4513
Malappuram	127	75	..	95	95	10984	9785	9785
Kozhikode	7184	6553	14775	14923	14923	11276	9323	9323
Cannanore	1991	1737	9168	9260	9260	13556	9300	9300

*Commodity Board Estimates

@Provisional

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District-wise production of some important crops in Kerala (in Metric tonnes)

District	Black pepper		Ginger		Processed cardamom		Cashewnut	
	1977-78	1978-79	1977-78	1978-79	1977-78	1978-79	1977-78	1978-79
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Trivandrum	1271	1602	228	310	9	5	3923	2973
Quilon	2689	3123	2915	3335	8	4	8940	6905
Alleppey	1027	1047	728	637	..	..	2505	2892
Kottayam	1319	1076	11388	9553	..	..	746	374
Idukki	1232	1660	2075	2058	2418	2418	581	316
Ernakulam	1767	1304	5905	6682	..	..	2506	2655
Trichur	676	977	155	205	..	..	3629	2025
Palghat	158	214	779	824	193	193	5883	4617
Malappuram	687	705	1006	966	10	10	7373	13977
Kozhikode	5969	6112	4920	5714	189	189	5208	4460
Cannanore	3351	8411	2008	2626	73	73	43433	42996

Taluk-wise and season-wise mean yield of Dry Paddy in Kerala state

(K.g. per hectare)

Taluk and District	Autumn			Winter			Summer		
	1977-78	1978-79	1977-78	1977-78	1978-79	1977-78	1978-79	1977-78	1978-79
Neyyattinkara	2622	2759	2052	1981	1981	874	1184	874	1184
Trivandrum	2320	2466	2044	2257	2257	458	1565	458	1565
Nedumangad	1614	2042	2027	2238	2238	894	1186	894	1186
Chirayinkil	1960	2668	2524	2569	2569	854	945	854	945
TRIVANDRUM DISTRICT	2112	2481	2167	2266	2266	791	1251	791	1251
Quilon	1343	2206	2288	2509	2509	1070	1387	1070	1387
Kottarakkara	2256	2835	2482	2859	2859	827	1524	827	1524
Pathanapuram	2879	2627	2924	2678	2678	683	2087+	683	2087+
Kunnathur	1948	2100	2369	2289	2289	434	1432	434	1432
Pathanamthitta	2458	2765	2485	2103	2103	683@	2087	683@	2087
Karunagappally	1444	2033	1570	2302	2302	223	227	223	227
QUILON DISTRICT	2051	2424	2334	2504	2504	896	1035	896	1035
Karthigappally	1894	2500	1207	2012	2012	4357	4655	4357	4655
Mavelikkara	1553	2012	2101	1761	1761	3619	3625	3619	3625
Chengannur	2243	2434	2244	1795	1795	2893	4041	2893	4041
Thiruvalla	2158	1625	2839	2951	2951	4350	3899	4350	3899
Kuttanad	3330	2136	3874	3496	3496	3650	3950	3650	3950
Ambalapuzha	1116	1221	1943	732	732	1773	4116	1773	4116
Sherthala	690	1627	979	808	808	..	..	..	..
ALLEPPY DISTRICT	2049	1924	2458	1851	1851	3662	4031	3662	4031

+ Yield rate of pathanamthitta is applied

@ C. C. Experiments not conducted.

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Taluk-wise and season wise mean yield of Dry Paddy in Kerala state

Taluk and District	(Kg per hectares)					
	Autumn			Winter		
	1977-78	1978-79	1977-78	1978-79	1977-78	1978-79
Changanacherry	2572	2348	2670	2583	2930	5140
Kanjirappally	2726	2701	2372	2247	..	..
Kottayam	2312	2913	2529	2081	2601	2719
Vaikom	1939	2505	1921	2039	2106	..
Meenachil	2729	2573	2675	2545	3670	..
KOTTAYAM DISTRICT	2286	2678	2323	2176	2660	3297
Peermade	2285	..	3107	2263	1315@	1806+
Devikulam	2284*	2791	3943	2712	1315@	1806+
Udumbanchola	2285	2588	2382	3297	..	..
Thodupuzha	2286	2588	2428	2681	1315@	..
Idukki DISTRICT	2285	2599	2803	2837	1315@	1806
Kothamangalam	2318	2189	2118	2147	1548	1805
Muvattupuzha	2838	2434	2215	2575	1315	1806
Cochin	2972	2397	..	..	..	..
Kanayannur	1668	1882	1826	1750	2090	2048
Kunnathunad	2147	2476	1962	2258	1881	1809
Alwaye	2576	2673	1781	2344	2421	2003
Parur	1671	2796	2218	2357	2853	2201
ERNAKULAM DISTRICT	2312	2437	1986	2289	2236	1952

+ Yield rate of Muvattupuzha Taluk is applied

@ C.C. experiments not conducted mean yield of Muvattupuzha Taluk is used.

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Taluk-wise and season wise mean yield of Dry Paddy in Kerala state

Taluk and District	(Kg. per bectare)					
	Autumn			Winter		
	1977-78	1978-79	1977-78	1977-78	1977-78	1978-79
Cranganore	959	678	1213	1470	2096	1498
Mukundapuram	1446	1907	1742	2048	2380	2176
Trichur	1878	2205	2035	2227	2987	2262
Thalappally	1683	2007	1992	2179	2309	2133
Chowghat	832	1040	1211	911	2067	2369
TRICHUR DISTRICT	1526	1903	1822	2018	2577	2207
Chittur	4726	3893	3090	3043	2196	2542
Alathur	3552	3585	3476	3163	2337	2327
Palghat	3856	3779	3451	3481	2372	3040
Ottappalam	2120	2046	2322	2114	2450	2014
Mannarghat	2111	2308	2129	2252	1436	1164
PALGHAT DISTRICT	3435	3235	2994	2887	2166	2206
Perinthalmanna	2171	2585	2286	2185	2335	2528
Ponnani	1740	1931	1732	1902	2408	2669
Tirur	2028	1687	1879	1595	2516	3097
Ernad	1818	2159	1958	2222	1582	1611
MALAPPURAM DISTRICT..	1939	2103	1961	2010	2295	2731

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Taluk-wise and season wise mean yield of Dry Paddy in Kerala state

(Kg. per hectare)

Taluk and District	Autumn		Winter		Summer		
	1977-8	1978-79	1977-78	1978-79	1977-78	1978-79	
Kozhikode	..	1035	1174	1784	1762	1602	1872
Quilandy	..	1058	1094	1163	1490	1475	1441
Badagara	..	1565	1145	1506	1151	1377	2020
South Wynad	..	1156*	..	2762	2886	2057	2522
KOZHIKODE DISTRICT	..	1156	1142	2083	2208	1856	2208
North Wynad	..	1894*	..	2526	1905	3292	2637
Tellicherry	..	1695	1549	1718	1643	1636	1281
Cannanore	..	1944	1981	1653	1194	1476	1249
Taliparamba	..	1812	1429	1981	1551	2129	1696
Hosdurg	..	1944	1635	2025	1896	2211	2300
Kasargode	..	2028	2085	2148	2298	2245	2847
CANNANORE DISTRICT	..	1894	1744	2088	2038	2476	2470

* Average yield of the District

Number of holdings and area under paddy 1977-78

Stage	Virippu			Mundakan			Punja		
	Number of holdings	Area in acres	Number of holdings	Area in acres	Number of holdings	Area in acres	Number of holdings	Area in acres	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
Up to 2 acres	865660	634241	804069	564475	139833	131875			
2 to 5 acres	51926	153471	37065	107588	13375	41206			
5 to 10 acres	5287	3464	3149	19965	1372	9091			
Above 10 acres	427	5332	185	2246	115	1744			
Total	923300	827408	844468	694274	154695	183916			

1978-79

1979-80

Stage	Virippu			Mundakan			Punja			Virippu 1979-80		
	Number of holdings	Area in acres	Number of holdings	Area in acres	Number of holdings	Area in acres	Number of holdings	Area in acres	Number of holdings	Area in acres	Number of holdings	Area in acres
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
Up to 2 acres	851543	619212	798541	562656	160313	149940	889030	652695				
2 to 5 acres	53304	156532	38111	108563	13202	40580	56246	164795				
5 to 10 acres	5689	36946	3456	22294	1386	9090	6095	40811				
Above 10 acres	352	4519	140	1687	101	1366	253	3419				
Total	910888	817209	840248	695200	175002	200976	951624	861720				

Source: Board of revenue, Civil Supplies, Trivandrum

District-wise details of non-agricultural enterprises in Kerala 1977

District	Units/Households in agricultural activities		Total members of family including workers & employees	Workers on daily wages/monthly payments
	Total enterprises	(2)			(3)	(4)
Trivandrum	Total	74329	255473	175632
	Urban	21383	110744	89271
	Rural	52946	144729	86361
Quilon*	Total	72576	299147	208758
	Urban	5964	34398	28517
	Rural	66612	264749	180241
Alleppey	Total	91637	238827	120094
	Urban	18277	67145	44268
	Rural	73360	171682	75826
Kottayam	Total	61190	143769	74242
	Urban	12941	44823	31083
	Rural	48249	98946	43159
Idukki*	Total	18622	58299	40696
	Urban	1235	4591	3273
	Rural	17387	53702	37423
Ernakulam	Total	76513	269084	182920
	Urban	25837	138389	110910
	Rural	50676	130695	72010

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District-wise details of non-agricultura enterprises in Kerala 1977

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Trichur*	Total	71638	182649	108896
	Urban	11571	46005	34489
	Rural	60067	136644	74407
Palghat*	Total	47091	119120	69987
	Urban	9011	31129	21965
	Rural			
Malappuram	Total	47143	100974	58801
	Urban	3764	13142	9678
	Rural	43379	87832	49123
Kozhikode*	Total	65671	175321	111285
	Urban	19627	78226	57821
	Rural	46044	97095	53464
Cannanore	Total	64296	203702	134384
	Urban	11236	42741	30019
	Rural	53060	160961	104365
State	Total	690706	2046365	1285695
	Urban	140846	611339	461294
	Rural	549860	1435026	824401

* House to house collection of details in the hilly tracks of these districts were not done. As such it does not include the details concerning the small units run exclusively by the member of the family living in these regions.

District-wise details of non-agricultural establishments in Kerala 1977

Establishments

District/State	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
		Unit establishments	Household establishments	Total establishments	Total members of family including workers in daily wages and monthly payments
Trivandrum		19341	3018	22359	193344
	Total				
	Urban	8302	620	8922	96393
	Rural	11039	2398	13437	96951
	Total	15004	2894	17898	232955
Quilon*		3115	128	3243	30907
	Urban				
	Rural	11889	2766	14655	202048
Alleppey		14151	3750	17901	136428
	Total				
	Urban	4249	579	4828	48434
	Rural	9902	3171	13073	87994
	Total	11410	697	12107	83947
Kottayam		3959	114	4073	34707
	Urban				
	Rural	7451	583	8034	49240
Idukki		5086	498	5584	44197
	Total				
	Urban	454	83	537	3733
	Rural	4632	415	5047	40464
Ernakulam		20374	2191	22565	201539
	Total				
	Urban	10259	842	11101	119763
	Rural	10115	1349	11464	81776

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District-wise details of non-agricultural Establishments in Kerala 1977

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Trichur*	14745	1567	16312	120634
Urban	4746	152	4898	39231
Rural	9999	1415	11414	81403
Palghat	9875	753	10628	76330
Urban	2598	159	2757	24068
Rural	7277	594	7871	52262
Malappuram	12271	502	12773	65366
Urban	1440	21	1461	10495
Rural	10831	481	11312	54871
Kozhikode	17142	804	17946	123383
Urban	7034	200	7234	63242
Rural	10108	604	10712	60141
Cannanore	16503	1000	17503	146812
Urban	4209	103	4312	34084
Rural	12294	897	13191	112728
State	155902	17674	173576	1424935
Urban	50365	3001	53366	505057
Rural	105537	14673	120210	919878

* House to house collection of details in the hilly tracks of these districts were not done. As such it does not include the details concerning the small units run exclusively by the members of family living in these regions.

Irrigation and Power

Items	Unit	1956-57	1971-72	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Area irrigated (Net)	0'00 hect.	256.00	439.00	221.00	240.00*	..
Consumers of power	1000 No.	94.00	638.00	991.00	1072.01	1166.75
Per capita consumption of power per annum	Units	19.34	73.00	88.45	96.47	98.41
Per capita consumption for domestic purpose	"	1.26	4.51	9.45	10.34	11.49
Per capita consumption for commercial purpose	"	0.07	3.37	4.32	5.40	5.85
Per capita consumption for industrial purpose	"	14.29	56.60	63.90	71.21	70.80
Per capita consumption for agricultural purpose	"	0.69	3.08	4.24	3.25	3.49

* provisional

Industries

Items	Unit	1956-57	1971-72	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79
Registered working factories	Nos.	N.A.	3487	6921	7625	7784
Estimated average						
Daily employment in factories	*1000 Nos.	N.A.	226	281	286	326

* Calendar year

**District-wise and Industry-wise distribution of employment in working factories
in Kerala for the year ending 31-12-1978**

<i>Industry</i>	<i>Trivandrum</i>	<i>Quilon</i>	<i>Alleppey</i>	<i>Kottayam</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Oil ..	86	155	423	79
Tea ..	141	147	..	49
Cashew ..	7969	103519	5171	..
Cotton Textiles ..	94	9	2	..
Coir ..	76	107	3204	52
Plywood splints & veneers ..	176	978	544	933
Saw mills ..	89	448	175	335
Printing & publishing ..	1277	255	236	626
Rubber & Rubber products ..	98	411	136	1579
Chemicals & Chemical products	1007	107	441	360
Matches ..	108	272	109	46
Soaps ..	5	35	27	5
Tiles ..	37	1776	118	140
General Engineering ..	573	452	149	266
Automobiles ..	1347	317	517	573
Others ..	4108	6627	4073	2886
Total ..	17191	115615	15325	7929

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<i>Industry</i>	<i>Idukki</i>	<i>Ernakulam</i>	<i>Trichur</i>	<i>Palghat</i>
(1)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Oil ..	45	234	510	62
Tea ..	3610	33	77	112
Cashew ..	..	417	2759	..
Cotton textiles ..	..	3	..	43
Coir ..	..	326	41	..
Plywood splints and veneers ..	66	833	801	1064
Saw Mills ..	..	1287	710	563
Printing & Publishing ..	29	1219	1007	531
Rubber & Rubber products ..	134	367	301	102
Chemicals & Chemical Products	9	6681	262	217
Matches ..	..	76	218	197
Soaps ..	..	1163	81	..
Tiles ..	..	569	3954	550
General Engineering ..	104	3136	447	329
Automobiles ..	38	1089	405	276
Others ..	293	20256	7823	6858
Total ..	4328	37689	19396	10904

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<i>Industry</i>	<i>Malappuram</i>	<i>Kozhikode</i>	<i>Cannanore</i>
(1)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Oil ..	51	302	122
Tea ..	22	667	146
Cashew ..	..	903	1291
Cotton Textiles ..	..	577	1321
Coir ..	45	580	87
Plywood splints & Veeners ..	236	1631	2406
Saw Mills ..	264	1416	965
Printing & Publishing ..	57	670	319
Rubber & Rubber products..	185	301	81
Chemicals & Chemical products	480	250	29
Matches ..	57	339	35
Soaps ..	..	488	58
Tiles ..	167	3025	693
General Engineering ..	46	531	164
Automobiles ..	66	1106	543
Others ..	778	9802	10718
Total ..	2454	22588	18978

District-wise and Industry wise distribution of working Factories in Kerala for the year ending 31-12-1978

<i>Industry</i>	<i>Trivandrum</i>	<i>wuilon</i>	<i>Alleppey</i>	<i>Kottayam</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Oil ..	18	31	51	16
Tea ..	5	6	..	1
Cashew ..	13	213	5	..
Cotton Textiles ..	1	1	1	..
Coir ..	4	5	200	3
Plywood splints & Veeners ..	10	33	16	20
Saw Mills ..	15	79	39	60
Printing & Publishing ..	39	35	32	77
Rubber & Rubber Products..	30	39	16	126
Chemicals & Chemical Products ..	9	5	13	15
Matches ..	9	23	11	3
Soaps ..	1	3	3	2
Tiles ..	1	47	5	16
General Engineering ..	12	20	18	25
Automobiles ..	30	20	19	46
Others ..	106	227	151	209
Total ..	303	787	580	619

<i>Industry</i>	<i>Idukki</i>	<i>Ernakulam</i>	<i>Trichur</i>	<i>Palghat</i>
(1)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Oil ..	7	44	81	10
Tea ..	70	5	1	3
Cashew ..	..	2	5	..
Cotton Textiles ..	..	1	..	9
Coir ..	..	19	7	..
Plywood splints & Veeners ..	3	29	31	48
Saw Mills ..	..	185	117	113
Printing & Publishing ..	4	104	60	35
Rubber & Rubber Products	14	45	37	16
Chemicals & Chemical products ..	1	34	13	10
Matches ..	..	3	21	8
Soaps ..	..	12	2	..
Tiles ..	..	29	135	11
General Engineering ..	3	96	51	29
Automobiles ..	3	72	33	38
Others ..	9	569	282	480
Total ..	114	1249	876	816

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<i>Industry</i>	<i>Malappuram Kozhikode Cannanore</i>		
(1)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Oil ..	6	48	17
Tea ..	1	11	4
Cashew	2	3
Cotton Textiles ..	..	8	97
Coir ..	5	38	9
Plywood splints & Veeners ..	15	90	50
Saw Mills ..	44	120	86
Printing & Publishing ..	9	66	47
Rubber & Rubber products ..	18	47	24
Chemicals & Chemical products ..	3	16	3
Matches ..	3	26	3
Soaps ..	..	17	3
Tiles ..	5	32	9
General Engineering ..	6	57	29
Automobiles ..	12	102	74
Others ..	42	492	641
Total ..	169	1172	1099

Average daily wage rates of workers in the construction sector (urban) 1977-78 skilled workers

District	Carpenter		Mason			Painter	
	I Class (2)	II Class (3)	I Class (4)	II Class (5)	I Class (6)	II Class (7)	
Trivandrum	14.40	12.30	14.50	12.15	13.55	11.60	
Quilon	15.45	13.93	15.45	13.93	15.37	14.00	
Alleppey	15.03	13.03	15.16	12.93	14.53	12.74	
Kottayam	14.71	13.46	14.78	13.37	14.08	12.17	
Idukki	15.11	14.00	15.11	14.33	14.33	12.00	
Ernakulam	15.00	13.34	15.00	13.33	12.75	12.00	
Trichur	15.33	14.28	15.33	14.28	14.54	12.64	
Palghat	12.92	11.75	12.75	11.93	11.10	10.00	
Malappuram	15.39	12.81	15.52	12.80	14.66	..	
Kozhikode	16.70	14.28	16.66	14.28	15.76	13.63	
Cananore	17.00	13.80	16.38	14.73	16.21	..	
Kerala State Total	15.19	13.36	15.15	13.46	14.26	12.34	

Average daily wage rates of workers in the construction sector (urban) 1978-79

District	Carpenter				Mason			Painter
	I Class		II Class		I Class	II Class	I Class	II Class
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Trivandrum	14.75	12.55	14.93	12.38	13.73	11.81		
Quilon	16.00	14.88	16.00	14.88	15.95	14.57		
Alleppey	15.38	13.15	15.38	13.23	14.55	12.75		
Kottayam	14.93	13.75	15.04	13.71	14.19	12.19		
Idukki	15.50	14.00	15.75	14.61	15.80	13.00		
Ernakulam	15.25	13.64	15.25	13.64	14.42	12.00		
Trichur	16.43	15.35	16.40	15.30	15.25	13.29		
Palghat	13.75	12.65	13.25	12.35	13.51	12.03		
Malappuram	16.18	13.36	16.48	13.50	15.00	14.50		
Kozhikode	17.55	15.25	17.60	15.50	16.25	14.25		
Cannanore	17.00	14.45	16.38	14.80	16.57	13.00		
Kerala State	15.70	13.91	15.68	13.99	14.94	13.04		

Source: Survey of wages of workers in the construction sector (urban) 1978-79

Average daily wage rates of workers in the construction sector (urban) 1977-78

District	Unskilled workers					
	Sawyer	Plumber	Electrical wireman	Men	Women	Children
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Trivandrum	12.98	14.58	14.90	8.82	7.76	7.57
Quilon	14.45	14.97	15.00	9.28	7.90	6.57
Alleppey	14.46	15.00	16.38	10.14	7.94	6.14
Kottayam	15.00	15.00	15.00	9.93	7.90	7.07
Idukki	..	..	..	10.00	8.00	..
Ernakulam	..	..	..	11.85	8.18	..
Trichur	15.00	13.50	15.96	10.22	7.37	..
Palghat	..	..	..	7.83	5.60	4.59
Malappuram	..	15.78	18.50	9.75	7.50	7.31
Kozhikode	17.50	17.00	..	11.65	7.95	7.18
Cannanore	..	..	..	11.60	7.53	6.12
Kerala State	14.90	15.12	15.96	10.10	7.61	6.57

Average daily wage rates of workers in the construction sector-urban 1978-79

District	Unskilled workers						
	Sawyer	Plumber	Electrical wireman	Men	Women	Children	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	
Trivandrum	13.83	14.91	15.10	9.15	8.19	7.89	
Quilon	14.88	15.04	15.09	9.40	8.00	6.75	
Alleppey	14.50	15.00	16.50	10.78	8.35	6.18	
Kottayam	..	..	15.00	10.04	7.95	7.21
Idukki	..	..	..	10.42	8.25	..
Ernakulam	..	..	15.50	12.03	8.88	..
Trichur	..	16.00	16.13	10.65	7.71	..	
Palghat	..	14.80	15.40	7.89	5.84	..	
Malappuram	..	16.33	19.25	10.33	8.10	7.38	
Kozhikode	..	..	..	12.20	8.15	7.30
Cannanore	..	..	..	11.63	7.55	6.13
State	14.40	15.35	16.00	10.42	7.91	6.98	

Growth of Livestock Population

Category	Year			
	1956	1972	1977	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
LIVESTOCK				
Cattle	2510376	2856320	3006059	
Buffaloes	487653	471747	454400	
Sheep	97820	10321	2546	
Goats	955570	1467657	1683297	
Horses and ponies	1690	457	90	
Mules	2	14	Nil	
Donkeys	1415	861	266	
Camels	..	11	Nil	
Pigs	113711	129087	172375	
Total Livestock	4168237	4936469	5319033	
POULTRY				
Fowls	6462799	1183598	13056186	
Ducks	332085	361941	429569	
Others	161	965	3095	
Total Poultry	6795045	12207454	13488850	

Livestock Population - District-wise--1977 Census

District	Cattle	Buffaloes	Sheep	Goats	Horses and ponies
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Trivandrum	177098	39473	Nil	156493	23
Quilon	421501	29680	91	208150	Nil
Alleppey	357867	11148	Nil	116355	1
Kottayam	293537	9819	23	162760	9
Idukki	168162	16113	138	89093	Nil
Ernakulam	297443	28690	Nil	156280	Nil
Trichur	220065	57714	Nil	162763	3
Palghat	258924	127049	2237	138672	45
Malappuram	184970	63991	4	169658	9
Kozhikode	255775	24878	39	151760	Nil
Cannanore	370717	45845	14	171313	Nil
Kerala	3006059	454400	2546	1683297	90

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District	Mules and Donkys	Pigs	Total Live- stock	Total Poultry
(1)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Trivandrum	Nil	11644	384731	1122405
Quilon	Nil	2523	661945	1399309
Alleppey	1	509	485881	1705771
Kottayam	11	55727	521886	1184087
Idukki	36	39643	313185	623204
Ernakulam	Nil	22720	505133	1550939
Trichur .. ..	..	1985	442530	1278324
Palghat	200	1378	528505	1004392
Malappuram .. ..	..	77	418709	1362432
Kozhikode	17	9053	441522	1118150
Cannanore	1	27116	615006	1139837
Kerala	266	172375	5319033	13488850

Source: Livestock Census Reports

Fisheries

Item	Unit	1956-57	1971-72	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Marine fish land- ing in Kerala- Quantity	'000 tonnes	N.A.	405	317	341	368
Marine fish land- ing in Kerala- Value	Rs. in lakhs	N.A.	3231	6392	8679	8808
Export of Marine Products- Quantity	'000 tonnes	N.A.	22	32	30	32
Export of Marine Products-Value	Rs. crores	N.A.	33.70	90.12	77	93.99

Classification of societies as on 30-6-1979

(Rs. in lakhs)

Type of Societies	Number of societies	Membership	Paid up share capital		Reserves
			Total	Govt. contribution	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Kerala state Co-operative bank	1	12	226.57	38.00	301.18
Co-operative Central bank	11	3990	1129.36	353.85	728.47
Central Land Mortgage Bank	1	32	199.78	103.54	102.58
Primary Land Mortgage Bank	33	255877	234.44	15.71	60.32
Primary Agricultural Co-operative Societies	1630	2676535	1889.84	356.33	921.93
Primary Non-agricultural credit societies	541	720000	525.85	15.32	207.65
Harijan societies	291	68449	15.50	6.67	8.26
Marketing societies:					
(i) Apex societies	2	110	136.12	124.46	38.07
(ii) Primary Marketing Societies	91	149490	133.85	72.55	87.37
Processing Societies:					
Consumer Societies					
(i) Consumer Federation	1	484	2.48	1.90	3.65
(ii) College Central Stores (Apex)	1	25	54.90	41.41	0.91
(iii) Wholesale stores	11	1272	0.16	..	3.60
(iv) Primary Consumer Stores	321	14032	105.68	91.69	44.39
(v) School and College Stores	3235	134856	56.50	17.44	47.99
		2107758	40.36	0.45	11.83
Housing Societies:					
(i) Apex Society	1	120	78.65	..	16.92
(ii) Primary Housing Societies	156	33324	118.56	..	24.55
Poultry Societies	42	6107	4.43	3.08	1.56
Other livestock Societies	3	544	0.09

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Type of Societies	Paid up share capital			Reserves	
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
	Number of societies	Membership	Total	Govt. contribution	
(1)					
Farming Societies:					
(i) Joint Farming Societies	52	6137	6.15	2.98	2.66
(ii) Collective Farming Societies	10	2492	2.07	1.03	0.33
Irrigation Societies	20	2801	0.64	..	1.18
Co-operative Weavers Societies	3	799	0.23	..	2.03
Other Industrial Societies	6	3313	1.74	..	3.09
Labour Contract Societies	77	12258	8.55	0.87	6.79
Forest Labour Societies	12	1587	0.23	..	0.22
Transport Societies:					
(i) Ex-service Men	5	1003	4.94	0.99	63.59
(ii) Others	11	948	12.48	3.72	30.92
Other Non Credit Societies:					
(a) Agri. Land colonisation	6	1054	0.28	..	2.50
(i) Better Farming	37	6531	2.21	0.03	1.42
(ii) Others	37	6928	2.35	0.08	1.93
(b) Non Agricultural					
(i) Rickshaw pullers	3	207	0.08	..	0.07
(ii) Washerman	2	143	0.02	..	0.02
(iii) Women	3	447	0.13	..	0.19
(iv) Hospital and Dispensaries	68	14291	29.84	18.80	5.08
(v) Others	168	46833	59.59	23.22	19.44
State	6893	6280789	5084.65	1294.12	2752.69

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Type of Societies	Deposits			Borrowing	Working Capital	No. of Societies	
	(1)	(2)	(3)			(4)	Profit
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(6)
Kerala State Co-operative Bank	..	2556.58	1325.09	4409.42	1	..	..
Co-operative Central Bank	..	6962.07	2835.79	11655.69	11	..	..
Central Land Mortgage Bank	..	11.75	3916.18	4230.29	1	..	..
Primary Land Mortgage Bank	..	5.88	3190.55	3491.19	28	5	5
Primary Agricultural Co-operative Societies	..	5565.37	5090.79	13467.93	905	691	691
Primary Non-Agricultural Credit Societies	..	2487.92	761.02	3982.44	362	158	158
Harijan Societies	..	6.62	20.12	50.50	49	221	221
Marketing Societies:							
(i) Apex Societies	..	0.46	206.58	381.23	..	2	2
(ii) Primary Marketing Societies	..	59.05	184.09	464.36	28	60	60
Processing Societies	1.00	7.13	1	..	..
Consumer Societies:							
(i) Consumer Federation	115.16	170.97	1	..	..
(ii) College Central Stores(Apex)	..	2.02	..	5.78	1	..	..
(iii) Wholesale Stores	..	6.09	287.62	443.78	1	10	10
(iv) Primary Consumer Stores	..	31.72	51.05	187.26	144	170	170
(v) School and College Stores	..	2.68	8.55	63.42	2612	606	606
Housing Societies:							
(i) Apex Society	523.75	619.32	1	..	..
(ii) Primary Housing Society	662.43	805.54	68	84	84
Poultry Societies	4.12	10.11	6	33	33
Other Livestock Societies	0.15	0.24	..	3	3
Farming Societies							
(i) Joint Farming Societies	76.85	85.66	8	40	40
(ii) Collective Farming Societies	14.89	17.29	2	8	8

(Contd....)

Type of Societies	Deposits			Borrowing	Working Capital	No. of Societies	
	(1)	(2)	(3)			(4)	Profit	Loss
Irrigation Societies	0.42	2.24	5	14	
Co-operative Weavers Societies	2.26	2	1	
Other Industrial Societies	..	0.21	1.02	6.06	..	4	
Labour Contract Societies	15.71	31.05	14	59	
Forest Labour Societies	0.61	1.06	1	10	
Transport Societies:							
(i) Ex-Service Men	21.59	90.12	..	5	
(ii) Others	44.59	87.99	3	8	
Others Non Credit Societies:							
(a) Agri-Land Colonisation:							
(i) Better Farming	5.15	7.93	2	3	
(ii) Others	7.54	11.17	5	30	
(b) Non Agricultural:							
(i) Rickshaw Pullers	0.15	0.30	..	..
(ii) Washerman	0.04	..	..
(iii) Women	0.01	0.33	..	..
(iv) Hospital and Dispensaries	10.09	45.01	9	58	
(v) Others	71.39	150.42	42	101	
State	..	17698.42	19455.26	44991.02	4324	2405	

(Contd.)

Communication

Items	1956-57	1971-72	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Length of P. W. D. Roads Total	..	10	15	15	16
Length of P. W. D. (Surfaced)	..	'000KM	7	13	14
Length of Railways	..	K. M.	748	886.35	886.35
Post Offices	..	Nos	3920	4117	4352
Telegraph Offices	..	"	693	1208	1309
Telephone Exchanges	..	"	248	339	371
Telephone Connections	..	"	41207	73521	78368
Radio Licenses	..	"	481970	982191	1224611

@ Calendar year

(Contd.)

Education

Items	1956-57	1971-72	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Lower Primary Schools	..	Nos	7882	6895	6969
Upper Primary Schools	..	"	1665	2551	2718
High Schools	..	"	763	1393	1666
Students at Primary Stage (Std I to IV)	..	'000	1791	2898	2608
Students at Upper Primary stage (Std V to VII)	..	"	803	1331	1742
Students at High School stage (Std VIII to X)	..	"	267	750	1004
Teachers in Schools	..	"	81	147	164
Arts and Science Colleges	..	Nos	28	117	130
Students in Arts & Science Colleges	..	'000	25	116	176
Professional Colleges	..	Nos	12	38	40
Students in Professional Colleges	..	"	2640	7505	13186
Per capita Govt. Expenditure on education	..	Rs.	N.A.	3030	5942
	..			N.A.	60.11
	..				66.53

District-wise Length of Public Works Department Roads as on 1-4-79 (K.M)

<i>District</i>	<i>State Highways</i>	<i>Major District Roads</i>	<i>Other District Roads</i>	<i>Village Roads</i>	<i>Total</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Trivandrum	117.116	281.336	1008.237	70.766	1477.455
Quilon	268.600	701.000	1144.400	265.000	2370.000
Alleppey	190.260	222.080	791.917	12.095	1216.352
Kottayam	258.488	651.205	825.481	..	1735.174
Idukki	419.440	797.626	777.148	..	1994.214
Ernakulam	95.193	473.705	506.932	..	1075.830
Trichur	186.272	490.3	597.605	32.196	1306.454
Palghat	142.855	605.478	290.967	146.324	1185.624
Malappuram	160.530	399.075	262.363	246.503	1068.471
Calicut	99.254	612.942	133.131	396.150	1241.477
Cannanore	84.200	338.521	521.000	506.380	1450.101
Total	2022.208	5573.349	6859.181	1666.414	16121.152

Health and Family Planning

Item	Unit	1956-57	1971-72	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Medical Institutions						
Allopathy	Nos	331	571	888	893	899
(Govt. and grant in aid)						
Medical Institutions						
Ayurveda						
Hospital		N.A.	66	67	67	68
Dispensaries		N.A.	325	390	401	406
Homoeopathy		N.A.	N.A.	122	122	143
Beds in Medical Institutions						
Allopathy						
(Govt. and grant in aid)		9405	23386	27607	28862	29947
Beds in Medical Institutions						
Ayurveda		283	1372	1352	1362	1438
Homoeopathy		N.A.	N.A.	275	300+	325 [@]

+ in 9 Hospitals

[@] in 10 Hospitals

Distribution of Commercial Bank Offices in Kerala State

District	Year	
	1978	1979
(1)	(2)	(3)
Trivandrum ..	196	205
Quilon ..	177	180
Alleppey ..	222	227
Kottayam ..	182	186
Idukki ..	62	62
Ernakulam ..	356	357
Trichur ..	260	268
Palghat ..	168	171
Malappuram ..	101	112
Kozhikode ..	162	173
Cannanore ..	193	209
State ..	2079	2150

Consumer price Index numbers

Base: 1970 = 100

Centre	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Trivandrum ..	179	164	160	166	179
Quilon ..	181	167	163	167	179
Punalur ..	182	165	160	161	173
Alleppey ..	180	164	159	161	173
Kottayam ..	174	158	154	162	175
Mundakayam ..	184	167	156	158	170
Munnar ..	189	175	172	175	186
Ernakulam ..	176	161	158	162	171
Chalakyudy ..	176	164	157	165	178
Trichur ..	175	163	158	166	179
Palghat ..	171	163	160	163	175
Malappuram ..	174	162	161	164	178
Kozhikode ..	179	166	163	170	181
Meppadi ..	181	167	165	170	183
Cannanore ..	174	161	157	164	175

(The 1975 index given for each centre is the average of only 5 months from August 1975 to December 1975 whereas the index for all other years is the average of 12 months)

Wholesale Price Index of Agricultural Commodities - Kerala

(Base: 1952-53 = 100)

Group	Index			
	1976	1977	1978	1979
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Foodgrains ..	319	319	319	319
Molasses ..	423	368	289	384
Condiments and Spices ..	318	309	324	378
Fruits and Vegetables ..	380	497	564	518
Food Crops ..	332	349	360	364
Oil Seeds ..	525	606	677	648
Plantation Crops ..	236	310	308	306
Non food crops ..	438	516	565	545
All crops ..	370	410	435	430

Percentage variation in the retail price of commodities during the period between January 76 and December 79

Commodities	Percentage variation	
	Increase	Decrease
(1)	(2)	(3)
Dhall	67%	..
Gingelly oil	67%	..
Coconut oil	64%	..
Coconut	53%	..
Blackgram	42%	..
Potatoes	53%	..
Sugar	26%	..
Tapioca	*(89%), 19%	..
Onion	306%	..
Rice .. ..	..	17%
Coriander .. ..	..	36%
Chillies .. ..	..	15%

*Between November and December 1979

LOANS

Details regarding loans sanctioned, Disbursed and amount outstanding in respect of loans advanced by the KFC as on 31-3-1979.

District/State	Sanction		Disbursement		Outstanding	
	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Trivandrum	436	689.50	372	502.29	309	446.63
Quilon	558	671.90	432	448.77	353	382.72
Alleppey	300	714.03	222	428.32	189	363.93
Kottayam	241	490.32	195	349.98	159	331.52
Idukki	42	37.81	33	22.14	29	17.67
Ernakulam	651	1514.67	526	957.82	865	28.00
Trichur	287	626.67	231	403.39	209	379.37
Palghat	73	151.41	49	96.35	49	87.88
Malappuram	186	322.04	148	207.90	146	220.81
Kozhikode	393	467.82	338	320.93	319	300.86
Cannanore	192	338.29	137	197.65	134	186.63
Mahi and other Area	4	3.13	4	3.06	1	0.22
State	3363	6027.59	2687	3938.60	2352	3583.52

**District-wise Distribution of Non-agricultural sector (Establishments and own Account Enterprises)
Number and Employment 1977**

District	Establishment (where atleast one-hired worker is employed on fairly regular basis)		Own Account enterprises (without any hired worker)		Total Non-agriculture enterprises	
	Number	Number of persons employed (both household & hired)	Number	Number of persons employed	Number	Number of persons employed (both household & hired)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Trivandrum	22359	193344	51970	62129	74329	255473
Quilon	17898	232955	54678	66192	72576	299147
Alleppey	17901	136428	73736	102399	91637	238827
Kottayam	12107	83947	49083	59822	61190	143769
Idukki	5584	44197	13038	14102	18622	58299
Ernakulam	22565	201539	53948	67545	76513	269084
Trichur	16312	120634	55326	62015	71638	182649
Palghat	10628	76330	36463	42790	47091	119120
Malappuram	12773	65366	34370	35608	47143	100974
Kozhikode	17946	123383	47725	51938	65671	175321
Cannanore	17503	146812	46793	56890	64296	203702
State	173576	1424935	517130	621430	690706	2046365

Note: This does not include the own account enterprises in certain Forest area in Kozhikode, Idukki and Quilon Districts. The number of own account enterprises in such areas is however considered to be very small.

Number of Ration Cards issued and units as on March 1978

Districts	No. of Ration Cards				Units		
	Urban*	Rural	Total	Urban*	Rural	Total	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	
Trivandrum	107171	363383	470554	988184	3333094	4321278	
Quilon	30539	431073	461612	318838	4163159	4481997	
Alleppey	56449	335712	392161	559542	3229996	3789538	
Kottayam	30967	238493	269460	315763	2451591	2767354	
Yotukki	..	153133	153133	..	1520747	1520747	
Ernakulam	100277	296486	396763	1049915	3063222	4113137	
Trichur	41936	360011	401947	441731	3749752	4191483	
Palghat	26397	305403	331800	242742	2837000	3079742	
Malappuram	11116	329025	340141	118076	3427250	3545326	
Kozhikode	75940	319478	395418	730622	3212899	3943521	
Cannanore	32538	391200	423738	318492	4026634	4345126	
Total	513330	3323387	4036717	5083905	35015344	40099249	

*Comprises only Corporation and Municipalities

Source: Board of Revenue (C.S.)

Number of Ration Cards issued and Units as on March 1979

District	Units						
	No. of Cards			Units			
(1)	Urban* (2)	Rural (3)	Total (4)	Urban* (5)	Rural (6)	Total (7)	
Trivandrum	..	111619	352957	464576	1043308	3217760	4261068
Quilon	..	31110	437213	468323	322186	4172814	4495000
Chingleppay	..	56763	337202	393965	560245	3227996	3788241
Kottayam	..	31200	237294	268494	315491	2247170	2562661
Idukki	153249	153249	..	1521196	1521196
Ernakulam	..	159176	237245	396421	1639866	2463917	4103783
Trichur	..	42276	361167	403443	443017	3750318	4198335
Palghat	..	32722	299644	332366	302309	2780098	3082407
Malappuram	..	26640	317139	343779	301500	3258469	3559969
Kozhikode	..	75908	444589	420497	738978	3432259	4171237
Cannanore	..	32287	370376	402663	313614	3816735	4130349
Total	..	599701	3448075	4047776	5980514	33888732	39869246

*Comprises only Corporations and Municipalities

Source: Board of Revenue (C.S)

District-wise list of Taluks

TRIVANDKUM DISTRICT

Neyyattinkara
 Trivandrum
 Nedumangad
 Chirayinkil

QUILON DISTRICT

Quilon
 Karunagappally
 Kunnathur
 Pathanamthitta
 Pathanapuram
 Kottarakkara

ALLEPPY DISTRICT

Karthigappally
 Mavelikara
 Chengannoor
 Thiruvalla
 Kuttanad
 Ambalapuzha
 Sherthalai

KOTTAYAM DISTRICT

Changanacherry
 Kanjirappally
 Kottayam
 Meenachil
 Vaikom

IDUKKI DISTRICT

Peermade
 Thodupuzha
 Udumbanchola
 Devikulam

ERNAKULAM DISTRICT

Cochin
 Kanayannur
 Parur
 Alwaye
 Kunnathunad
 Muvattupuzha
 Kothamangalam

TRICHUR DISTRICT

Kodungallur
 Mukundapuram
 Chavakkad
 Trichur
 Talappilly

PALGHAT DISTRICT

Chittur
 Alathur
 Palghat
 Ottapalam
 Mannarghat

MALAPPURAM DISTRICT

Ponnani
 Tirur
 Perinthalmanna
 Ernad

KOZHIKODE DISTRICT

Badagara
 Kozhikode
 Quilandi

CANNANORE DISTRICT

Tellicherry
 Cannanore
 Taliparamba
 Hosdurg
 Kasargod

WYNAD DISTRICT (From 1-11-80)

Mananthavady
 Vythri
 Sultan's battery

District-wise List of C.D. Blocks

<i>District</i>	<i>District Total</i>	<i>Sl.No.</i>	<i>C.D. Blocks</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1. Trivandrum	12	1	Parassala
		2	Perumkadavila
		3	Athiyannur
		4	Nemom
		5	Trivandrum Rural
		6	Kazhakuttom
		7	Vellanad
		8	Nedumangad
		9	Vamanapuram
		10	Kilimanoor
		11	Chirayinkil
		12	Varkala
2. Quilon	17	13	Ithikkara
		14	Mukhathala
		15	Anchalumoodu
		16	Chittumala
		17	Chavara
		18	Karungappally
		19	Ochira
		20	Sasthamcotta
		21	Parakode
		22	Elanthur
		23	Ranni
		24	Konni
		25	Pathanapuram
		26	Anchal
		27	Chadayamangalam
		28	Vettikkavala
		29	Kottarakkara
3. Alleppey	17	30	Muthukulam
		31	Haripad
		32	Bharanicavu
		33	Mavelikara
		34	Pandalam
		35	Kulanada
		36	Chengannur
		37	Koipuram
		38	Mallappally
		39	Pulikkeezh
		40	Veliyanad
		41	Champakulam
		42	Ambalapuzha
		43	Aryad
		44	Kanjikuzhy
		45	Pattanakkad
46	Thycattuserry		

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<i>District</i>	<i>District Total</i>	<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>C. D. Blocks</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
4. Kottayam	11	47	Madappally
		48	Pallam
		49	Pampady
		50	Vazhur
		51	Kanjirappally
		52	Ettumanoor
		53	Uzhavur
		54	Lalam
		55	Erattupeltah
		56	Kaduthuruthy
		57	Vaikkom
5. Idukki	4	58	Arudai
		59	Devikulam
		60	Thodupuzha
		61	Elamdesom
6. Ernakulam	15	62	Palluruthi
		63	Vypeen
		64	Mulanthuruthy
		65	Vythila
		66	Edappally
		67	Alangad
		68	Parur
		69	Vazhakulam
		70	Pampakadavu
		71	Ankāmally
		72	Vadavucode
		73	Koovappady
		74	Pampakuda
		75	Moovattupuzha
		76	Kothamangalam
		7. Trichur	17	77	Cranganore
78	Mala		
79	Vellangallur		
80	Chalakkudy		
81	Kodakara		
82	Irinjalakuda		
83	Ollukkara		
84	Puzhakkal		
85	Cherpu		
86	Anthikkad		
87	Vadakkancherry		
88	Chowannur		
89	Pazhayannur		
90	Mathilakom		
91	Thalikkulam		
92	Chowghat		
93	Mullasserri		

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<i>District</i>	<i>District Total</i>	<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>C. D. Blocks</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
8. Palghat	12	94	Thrithala
		95	Pattambi
		96	Ottapalam
		97	Coyalmannam
		98	Alathur
		99	Kollengode
		100	Nemmara
		101	Chittur
		102	Palghat
		103	Sreekrishnapuram
		104	Mannarghat
9. Malappuram	13	105	Attappadi
		106	Andathode
		107	Ponnani
		108	Tirur
		109	Kuttiapuram
		110	Tanur
		111	Mankada
		112	Perinthalmanna
		113	Vengara
		114	Thirurangadi
		115	Malappuram
10. Kozhikode	14	116	Manjeri
		117	Kondotty
		118	Wandoor
		119	Kozhikode
		120	Kunnamangalam
		121	Chevayoor
		122	Koduvally
		123	Kalpatta
		124	Sultan's Battery
		125	Balusseri
		126	Panthalayani
11. Cannanore	12	127	Melady
		128	Perambra
		129	Badagara
		130	Thodannur
		131	Munnummel
		132	Tuneri
		133	Manathody
		134	Kuthuparamba
		135	Tellicherry
		136	Edakkad
		137	Cannanore
138	Irikkur		
139	Taliparamba		
140	Payyannur		
141	Necleswar		
142	Kanhangad		
143	Kasargod		
144	Manjeswar		

POLITICAL AWARENESS

1. Numbers of voters 1979

		<i>Females</i>	<i>Males</i>	<i>Total</i>
General	..	6683131	6493237	13176368
Service	..	22122	67574	89696
Total	..	6705253	6560811	13266064

2. Number of constituencies 1979

	<i>General</i>	<i>S.C.</i>	<i>S.T.</i>	<i>Total</i>
1. House of the People	18	2	..	20
2. Kerala Legislative Assembly	128	10	2	140
3. Nomination to Legislative Assembly (Anglo-Indian)	1	..	..	..
4. Total Number of polling stations	..	..	..	14000

Number of Electors in the Legislative Assembly Constituencies

<i>Number and Name of Legislative Assembly Constituency</i>	<i>Number of electors including service voters as on 30-11-1979.</i>		
	<i>Men</i>	<i>Women</i>	<i>Total</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1. TRIVANDRUM DISTRICT			
Varkala ..	44130	47209	91339
Attingal ..	44322	47686	92008
Kilimannoor (SC) ..	49901	51839	101740
Vamanapuram ..	46387	46357	92744
Aryanad ..	42708	42067	84775
Nedumangad ..	48633	48083	96716
Kazhakuttom ..	51060	50333	101393
Trivandrum North ..	53504	54534	108038
Trivandrum West ..	53201	53054	106255
Trivandrum East ..	51421	51152	102573
Nerom ..	48997	48277	97274
Kovalam ..	53340	52506	105846
Neyyattinkara ..	50238	49058	99296
Parassala ..	48718	46687	95405

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
2. QUILON DISTRICT			
Ranni	43282	41983	85265
Pathanamthitta	44780	47383	92163
Konni	41764	43775	85539
Pathanapuram	46721	45706	92427
Punalur	50579	50019	100598
Chadayamangalam	41262	41616	82878
Kottarakara	41278	42708	83986
Neduvathur (SC)	42753	43920	86673
Adoor	39943	39740	79683
Kunnthur (SC)	49814	49554	99368
Karunagappally	44794	45221	90015
Chavara	43522	44687	88209
Kundara	42096	44097	86193
Quilon	48181	50152	98333
Eravipuram	51198	52819	104017
Chathannoor	47113	47931	95044
3. ALLEPPY DISTRICT			
Aroor	44585	45909	90494
Shertallai	40879	41775	82654
Mararikulam	51463	53190	104653
Alleppey	46154	45109	91263
Ambalapuzha	43177	44656	87833
Kuttanad	45503	45416	90919
Haripad	47095	51411	98506
Kayamkulam	44106	47268	91378
Thiruvalla	39245	41703	80948
Kalloopara	40089	43587	83676
Aranmula	39670	43650	83320
Chenganur	43889	45797	89686
Mavelikara	46094	48137	94231
Pandalam (SC)	49489	51190	100679
4. KOTTAYAM DISTRICT			
Kanjirapally	49500	42882	92382
Vazhoor	41189	41569	82758
Changanacherry	45710	46501	92211
Kottayam	50122	49174	99296
Ettumannoor	50258	49067	99325
Puthenpally	49943	51733	101676
Poonjar	42143	40094	82237
Palai	45721	44264	89985
Kaduthuruthy	44957	44856	89813
Vaikom (SC)	47202	47149	94351

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
5. IDUKKI DISTRICT			
Thodupuzha ..	51129	49162	100291
Devicolam ..	56671	50973	107644
Idukki ..	53540	45684	99224
Udumbanchola ..	65373	56680	122053
Peermade ..	47101	43365	90466
6. ERNAKULAM DISTRICT			
Ankamaly ..	49062	48682	97744
Vadakkekara ..	43697	44035	87732
Parur ..	39601	39927	79528
Narakkal (SC) ..	42526	43719	86245
Ernakulam ..	54172	51401	105573
Mattancherry ..	43369	42337	85706
Palluruthy ..	51208	51413	102621
Tripunithura ..	53026	52901	105927
Alwaye ..	57993	52238	110231
Perumbavoor ..	48087	46251	94338
Kunnathunad ..	45626	44686	90312
Piravom ..	44199	48015	92214
Muvattupuzha ..	48087	45707	93794
Kothamangalam ..	48183	45218	93401
7. TRICHUR DISTRICT			
Chelakkara (SC) ..	43351	48970	92321
Wadakkancherry ..	45761	51200	96961
Kunnamkulam ..	44559	50636	95195
Cherpu ..	41340	46799	88139
Trichur ..	44774	48013	92787
Ollur ..	43873	46605	90478
Kodakara ..	44861	47145	92006
Chalakydy ..	41925	43045	84970
Mala ..	42890	44381	87271
Irrijalakuda ..	45088	46941	92029
Manalur ..	35601	47136	82737
Guruvayur ..	41111	48557	89668
Nathika ..	39350	47146	86496
Kodungallur ..	48360	42089	90449

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
8. PALGHAT DISTRICT			
Thrithala ..	43195	48328	91523
Pattambi ..	46737	50128	96865
Ottappalam ..	43322	49685	93007
Sreekrishnapuram ..	47546	56100	103646
Mannarghat ..	51798	51834	103632
Malampuzha ..	42850	45883	88733
Palghat ..	50240	54188	104428
Chittur ..	47656	50128	97784
Kollengode ..	50200	52458	102658
Coyalmanam (SC) ..	46247	54181	100428
Alathur ..	51978	52320	104298
9. MALAPPURAM DISTRICT			
Wandoor (SC) ..	48422	49238	97660
Nilambur ..	50128	51956	102084
Manjeri ..	44268	46290	90558
Malappuram ..	48009	49922	97931
Kondotty ..	46632	48930	95562
Thirurangdi ..	47067	50269	97336
Tanur ..	46461	51542	98003
Tirur ..	48256	53069	101325
Ponnani ..	48196	55963	104159
Kuttiapuram ..	41205	45148	86353
Mankada ..	44226	47236	91462
Perintalmanna ..	44446	47917	92363
10. KOZHIKODE DISTRICT			
Badagara ..	50527	51453	101980
Nadapuram ..	48600	49871	98471
Meppayur ..	48860	51930	100790
Quilandy ..	50672	52295	102967
Perambra ..	48193	48009	96202
Balussery ..	44489	45399	89888
Koduvally ..	49261	47579	96840
Calicut-I ..	60565	60852	121417
Calicut-II ..	56968	55084	112052
Beypore ..	51704	52013	103717
Kunnamangalam ..	44406	42130	86536
Thiruvambadi ..	47484	43965	91449
Kalpetta ..	49612	44536	94148
Sultan's Battery (ST) ..	52097	47039	99136

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
11. CANNANORE DISTRICT			
Manjeswar ..	40478	39669	80147
Kasargod ..	40861	39794	80655
Udma ..	46715	48022	94737
Hosdurg ..	51042	54022	105064
Trikapur ..	52722	56246	108968
Trikkur ..	47861	46031	93892
Payyannur ..	49468	52112	101580
Taliparamba ..	51886	55439	107325
Azhikode ..	40375	41615	81990
Cannanore ..	44469	47100	91569
Edakkad ..	43858	44651	88509
Tellicherry ..	43348	49120	92468
Peringalam ..	43254	49500	92754
Kuthuparamba ..	44425	45764	90189
Peravoor ..	48717	47581	96298
North Wynad (ST) ..	49261	46267	95528
Total ..	6560811	6705253	13266064

Number of electors in the Parliamentary Constituencies

Number and Name of Parliamentary constituency	Total Number of electors including service voters as on 30-11-1979		
	Men	Women	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1. Trivandrum ..	359419	355268	714687
2. Chirayinkil ..	327141	333574	660715
3. Quilon ..	326718	334461	661179
4. Adoor (SC) ..	304300	307484	611784
5. Mavelikara ..	302582	321332	623914
6. Alleppey ..	318856	327466	646322
7. Idukki ..	361876	335230	697106
8. Kottayam ..	329381	330049	659430
9. Muvattupuzha ..	323690	311021	634711
10. Ernakulam ..	341895	333936	675831
11. Mukundapuram ..	319109	315424	634533
12. Trichur ..	290910	331401	622311
13. Ottappallam (SC) ..	313172	353128	666300
14. Palghat ..	342268	362911	705179
15. Ponnani ..	319857	351144	671001
16. Manjeri ..	333569	340479	674048
17. Kozhikode ..	360476	344454	704930
18. Badagara ..	333454	352178	685632
19. Cannanore ..	318966	319009	637995
20. Kasargode ..	333172	345304	678476
Total ..	6560811	6705253	13266064

INDIA
Area and population

<i>Item</i>	<i>Unit</i>	1960-61	1970-71	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Geographical Area	.. Million Sq. K.M.	3.27	3.27	3.29	3.29	3.29	3.29
Population* :							
Total	.. Million	439	557**	613**	622	634	647
Rural	.. "	360	439	479	490	499	507
Urban	.. "	79	109	127	132	136	140
Birth rate+	.. Per '000	42	37	35	34	33	33
Death rate+	.. "	23	16	16	15	15	14
National Income							
Net National Product:							
At current prices	.. Rs. '000 Million	133	345	616**	669	748	801
At constant prices	.. "	133	191	398C**	405C	439	456C
Per Capita Income:							
At current prices	.. Rs.	306	637	1020**	1086	1189	1249
At constant prices	.. "	306	353	6660C**	658C	697C	712C

*As on first March of the year ie. Figures under 1976-77 relate to First March 1977 and so on

+Data relate to calendar year ie. Figures under 1976-77 relate to 1976 and so on

C Base year 1970-1971

**Source: Report on currency & Finance

Item	Unit	1960-61	1970-71	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Public Expenditure							
Education and science	Rs. Million	2350	9620	20374	22749	25720	28679
Medical and Public Health	"	980	3500	6627	9819	10661	12802
Agriculture, Irrigation and							
Electricity	"	2890	7300	24081	25475	28888	39391
Agriculture							
Net area sown	M. Hectare	133	141	143	140	143	..
Area sown more than once	"	20	25	28	27	28	..
Net irrigated area	"	25	31	34	35	37	..
Consumption of fertilizers	1000 tonnes	306	2256	2754	3411	4335	..
Production of food-grains	Metric tonnes	82	108	121	111	126	131
Railways							
Route length	'000 Km	57	60	60	61	61	..
Passenger kilometre	'000 million	78	118	149	164	177	..
Passenger coaches	'000	28	35	37	37	37	..
Net earnings	Rs. million	973	1602	1925	3169	3603	..

Item	Unit	1960-61	1970-71	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Roads							
Surfaced	,000 km	263	421	513	460	..	..
Unsurfaced	"	261	543	787	617	..	..
Motor vehicles on							
Road	'000	665	1859	2635	2637	3236	..
Postal and other services							
Post offices	,000	77	109	119	121	125	131
Telegraph offices	"	12	15	20	21	23	27
Telephones	"	463	1293	1914	2096	2247	2424
Radio licenses	Million	2	12	17	17	20	20
Television licenses	,000	..	25	455	479	677	899

.. Not available.

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