

**DEMOGRAPHY AND ITS CHARACTERS  
ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS**

a.	Location	Bay of Bengal
	Longitude	92 to 94 Degree East
	Latitude	6 to 14 Degree North
b.	Altitude (Highest Point)	
<b>Andaman Islands</b>		
	Saddle Peak (North Andaman Island)	732 Metres
<b>Nicobar Islands</b>		
	Mount Thullier (Great Nicobar Island)	642 Metres
c.	<b>Length &amp; Breadth of Andaman Islands</b>	
	Total Length	467 Kms
	Maximum Width	52 Kms
	Average Width	24 Kms
d.	<b>Length &amp; Breadth of Nicobar Islands</b>	
	Total Length	259 Kms
	Maximum Width	58 Kms
e.	<b>Biggest inhabitant Island in Andaman Group</b>	
	Middle Andaman Islands	1536 Sq. Km.
f.	<b>Biggest inhabitant Island in Nicobar Group</b>	
	Great Nicobar Island	1045 Sq. Km.
g.	<b>Smallest inhabitant Island in Andaman Group</b>	
	Curlew Island	0.03 Sq. Km.
h.	<b>Smallest inhabitant Island in Nicobar Group</b>	
	Pillomillow Island	1.3 Sq. Km.
	<b>Distance by Sea</b>	(In Km)
	Between Port Blair & Chennai	1190
	Between Port Blair & Kolkata	1255
	Between Port Blair & Visakhapatnam	1200
	<b>Distance by Air</b>	(In Km)
	Between Port Blair & Chennai	1375
	Between Port Blair & Kolkata	1301
<b>Administrative Unit</b>		<b>No.</b>
	District	3
	Sub-Division	6
	Tahsil	9
	Town	3
	(i) Statutory Town	1
	(ii) Census Town	2
	C.D. Block	5
	Lok Sabha Seat	1
	Municipal Council	1
	Municipal Ward	18
	Gram Panchayat	67
	Panchayat Samiti	7
	Zilla Parishad	1
	Police Station	15
<b>Island /Village</b>		<b>No.</b>
<b>Total Island / Islets</b>		<b>556</b>
Inhabited Islands		38
	(i) Andaman District	25
	(ii) Nicobar District	13
Uninhabited Islands		518
Revenue Village		204
Census Village		547
	(i) Inhabited	501
	(ii) Uninhabited	46
<b>Per Capita Income (Rs.) 2004-05 (Prov.)</b>		
	At Current Prices	31256
	At Constant Prices	25653
<b>Climate 2006</b>		
	Normal Rainfall at Port Blair	3180
	Actual Rainfall at Port Blair	3004.2
	Rainy days at Port Blair	149
	Mean Minimum Temperature at Port Blair	23.9
	Mean Maximum Temperature at Port Blair	30.2
	Mean Relative Humidity at Port Blair (1730 hrs)	81%
	Mean Wind Speed at Port Blair ( Km/Hr)	8.0
Total no of felt shocks i.e 5 Richter & above since 26 <sup>th</sup> December 2004 to 31.12.2004		78
	01.01.2005 to 31.12.2005	198
	01.01.2006 to 31.12.2006	40