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PREFATORY NOTE

The Population Tables contained in this volume have been grouped into five series.

A SERIES

General Population Tables

This series consists of five tables dealing with the population of the state and districts with rural-urban break-up, variation in population during the past 50 years, the classification of towns and villages by size of population and livelihood pattern of the population in the towns. Based on geographical features, the state has been divided into three natural sub-divisions-the lowland, highland and midland. In the first two tables, figures for these sub-divisions have been added.

B SERIES

Economic Tables

The three tables in this series are the economic tables corresponding to the "Occupation or Means of Livelihood Table" of the 1931 Census. The introduction to the tables explains in detail the Indian Census Economic Classification Scheme 1951, and its relationship to the International Standard Industrial Classification Scheme of the United Nations.

The first table gives the number of self-supporting persons, non-earning dependants and earning dependants in the livelihood classes. In the second table self-supporting persons and earning dependants in each livelihood class are classified according to their secondary means of livelihood. The third table classifies self-supporting persons engaged in non-agricultural classes under employers, employees and independent workers. All the tables contain district-wise figures.

C SERIES

Household and Age (sample) Tables

These tables deal with the size and composition of households, livelihood classes by age groups, age, civil condition and literacy for the state and districts. The table on composition of households is based on a four per cent sample of households taken from the National Register of Citizens. This Register was prepared from census slips; for every village and every ward (of municipal towns) details relating to the inmates of each household are given in the serial order of households in the National Register of Citizens. The remaining tables are based on a ten per cent sample of census slips.

D Series

Social and Cultural Tables

This series deals with the social and cultural characteristics of the population. There are seven tables giving information on mother tongue, bilingualism, religion, migration, displaced persons, livelihood classes and educational standards for the state and districts.

E TABLE

Summary figures for districts and taluks

This table gives a summary of selected data for the districts and taluks in the state. The selected data are the same in form as in previous censuses; but livelihood classes have been substituted for religion.

Census slips of five towns in Trichur district were not separately labelled and despatched to the Tabulation Office. These slips were consequently treated as belonging to rural areas. The population in these towns has been classified as rural in all tables.

For purposes of comparison relevant information for these towns has been compiled from the National Register of Citizens and given as a note at the beginning of the A Series Tables.