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PREFACE

This issue of the Hand-book of Basic Statistics of Maharashtra State presents as usual the latest available statistics on various socio-economic characteristics of Maharashtra State. A comparative picture of Maharashtra and India in respect of certain important socio-economic aspects is also given in the opening table. The last series of tables gives data on trends in some selected indicators.

In the present issue, new tables on districtwise employment in factories, employment in public sector, employment under Shops and Establishment Act and vital statistics are introduced.

In the attempt to give up-to-date information, sometimes provisional data have been presented. These data are likely to be revised when the final figures become available.

A Marathi edition of this Hand-book has also been brought out separately.

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3	Number of Districts	26
4	Number of Talukas	231
5	Number of Towns	266
6	Number of cities having more than one lakh of population.	12
7	Number of Villages— inhabited	35,851
	uninhabited	3,016
8	Area (in sq. kilometres)	<u>3,06,345</u>
9	Length of the coast line (kilometres)	720