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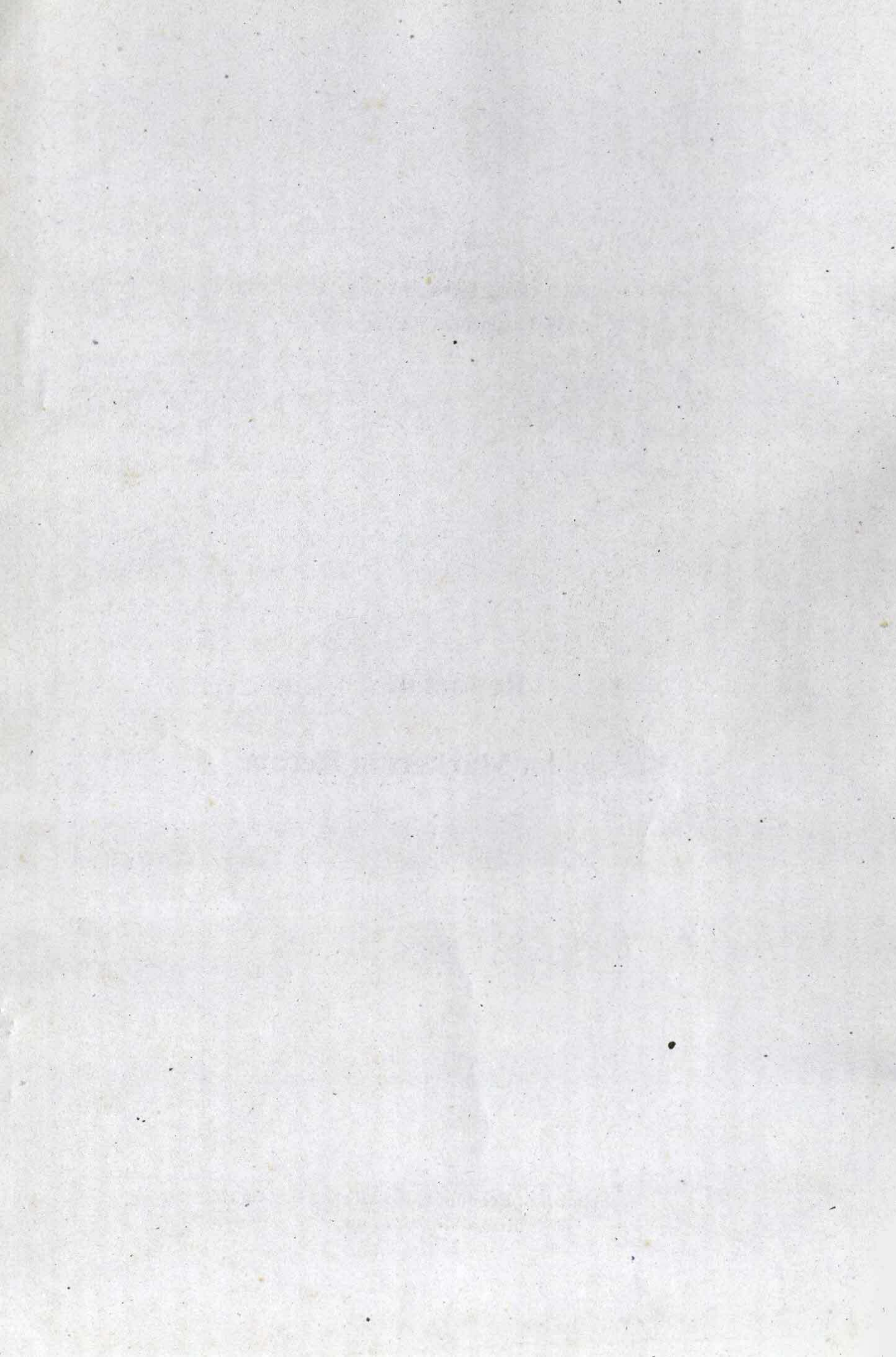
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Preface

Once markets were the centres of all economic activities in our state. People sold their products there and purchased everything they wanted. By the introduction of modern transport and communication and mechanisation, this trend has changed much and the rural markets are in the path of extinction. Large super markets took its place.

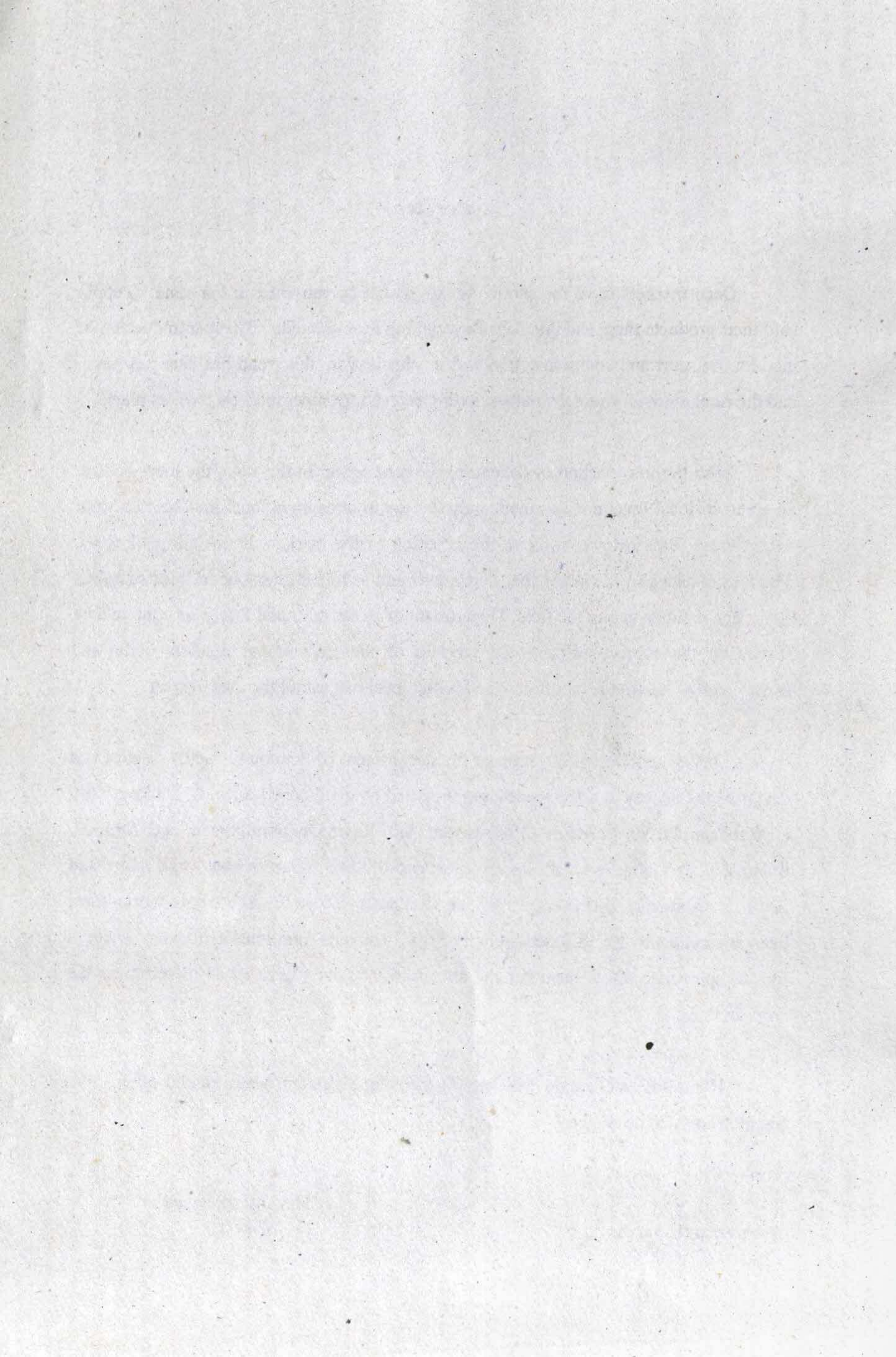
With the introduction of decentralisation of power in the state, the local bodies, as a part of local level development, started steps to strengthen local markets. To what extent these steps help to improve the situation of the markets is not clearly known. There exist data gap on the number of markets and as to the functions of these markets. To bridge the data gap in the field, Department of Economics and Statistics conducted a survey on the subject utilising the services of the staff in the districts under the supervision of District level officers and Taluk level officers of the Department.

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Hope this publication will benefit the administrators, planners and others who are interested in the subject.

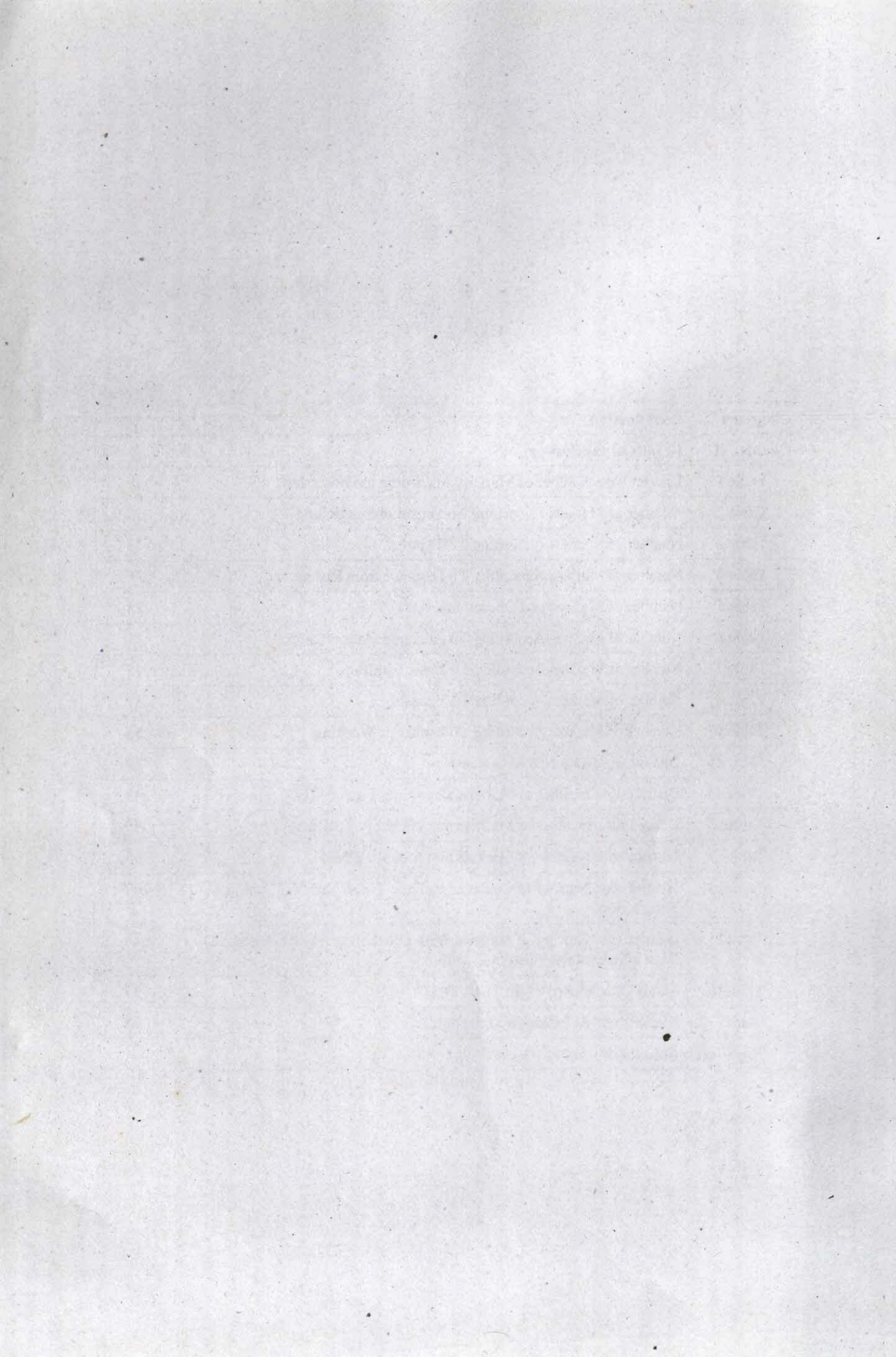
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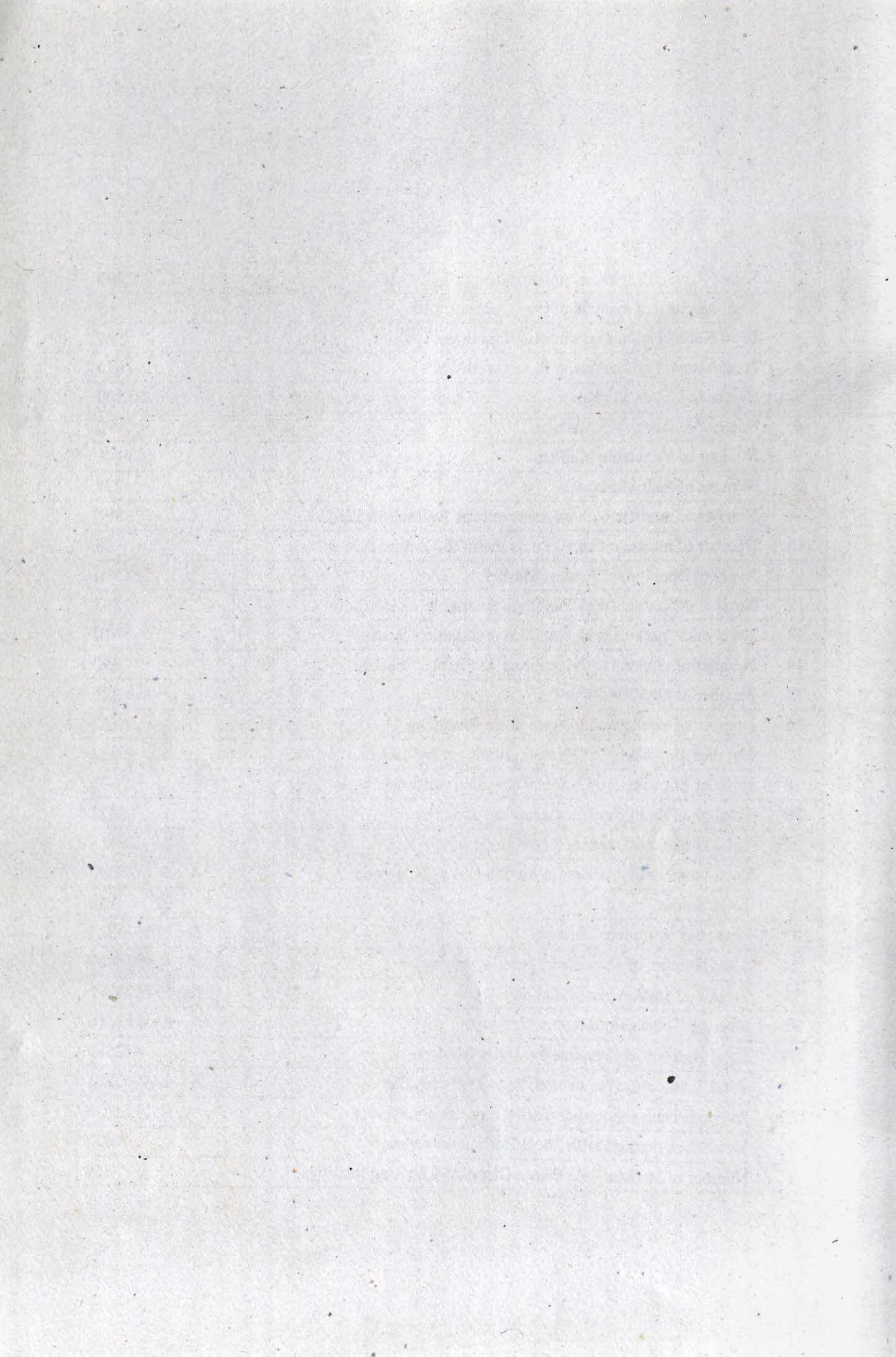
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At a Glance

1	Total Number of markets in the state	1290
2	Total Number of markets in City Corporations	85
3	Total Number of markets in Municipalities	129
4	Total Number of markets in Panchayaths	1076
5	Number of Open Markets	1200
6	Number of Regulated Markets	90
7	Number of Vegetable Markets	148
8	Number of Fish Markets	228
9	Number of markets with all items except Animals & Birds	586
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16	Number of markets with Agriculture Produces	1245
17	Number of markets with Non-Agriculture Produces	672
18	Number of markets with Social & Community Services	105
19	Total Number of Traders for buying goods	26371
20	Total Number of Traders for selling goods	46711
21	Total Number of Traders for buying and selling goods	15070
22	Total Traders	88152
23	Rent paid by traders - Annual	Rs. 119326529
24	Total Number of Consumers per market day	868429
25	Total Transaction per market day	Rs. 274404101
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27	Total Number of Consumers – Daily Market	422519
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REPORT OF SURVEY ON MARKETS IN KERALA

CHAPTER I

Introduction

Markets were considered as the economic and cultural centers in ancient times. The trading pattern and marketing system and the changes occurring to them were closely related to the history and culture of that region.

Once trade in Kerala was conducted mainly through our markets. At that time, farmers, small scale entrepreneurs, craftsmen, even gamblers were gathered in the market to sell their products and demonstrate their skills. Farmers sold their products and purchased everything they wanted from there. All the cultural activities and entertainments were attached to these centres, since there were no specialised trade as in these days. These markets were the centres of all economic activities and which shared and controlled the life of the villagers. Interaction between the people in different areas took place through these places. Moreover the producers got maximum benefit of their products because there were no intervention of middleman. Since the transportation facilities were very poor, the local markets were the only means of trade for the people.

With the introduction of mechanisation and other most modern methods of production, goods began to be produced in large scale. The local small scale producers could not withstand with the primitive style of production and hence most of them vanished from the scene. With the availability of large variety of commodities at comparatively cheaper prices, the taste and preference of the people have also undergone changes. They started purchasing goods from super markets or such establishments. Small scale industries were almost dead. The changes in consumer habits and availability of articles for their day to day use at comparatively low price has resulted in the extinct of rural markets.

The development of transportation system catalysed the change in the marketing pattern. The trade potential of all countries was developed by this. Specialists in marketing activity emerged. As time passed all the countries were integrated into the world economy.

The development of transport and communication facilities enables everyone to get anything in his doorsteps and thus the relevance of village markets has gone. With the introduction of decentralisation of power in the state, the local bodies got more powers to implement schemes for local level development. As a part of strengthening rural economy, many Grama Panchayaths started to strengthen local markets. Some private parties also started giving more facilities to activate the local markets. For the fulfillment of the idea of 'Gramaswaraj' these markets have a prominent role and the subject requires study. Hence a survey on the 'markets in Kerala' was taken up by the Economics and Statistics Department under the direction of the Government during 2005-2006.

OBJECTIVES

To ascertain

- 1) the number of markets functioning in the state.
- 2) the number of markets having trade of the rural products.
- 3) the volume of trade in these markets.
- 4) the number of traders and customers in the markets.
- 5) the basic facilities in these markets.
- 6) the involvement of the local authorities in the functioning of these markets.
- 7) the relevance of these markets in the transaction of farm products and the extent the rural economy is influenced by these markets.
- 8) whether the strengthening of these markets will help the People
- 9) the changes occurred in the markets and
- 10) To prepare a directory of markets in the state.

Methodology

The survey was covered in all the 14 districts and was conducted by the census type of enquiry. The investigators of the department conducted the fieldwork in addition to their normal duties. The details were collected through local enquiry.

Organisation of the survey

The survey was launched in January 2006 and was completed by March 2006. The Investigators conducted the fieldwork under the direct supervision of Taluk Statistical Officers and overall control of the District Level Officers. Training was imparted to the District Level Officers in the Directorate and they in turn imparted training to the field officials in the districts. The schedules were scrutinised at the Taluk level and district level and further in the Directorate.

Coverage

The investigators visited the Panchayat / Municipalities/City Corporations and prepared the list of markets Controlled by local bodies, etc. and the list of markets sponsored by individuals and other private organizations. All the centers known as markets and functioning under the control of local bodies and private ownership were surveyed. Footpath sales, sales of fish and vegetables in the roadsides or open places, temporary/permanent shops of above items situated away from the market places do not come under the purview of the survey. Investigators visited all the centers and collected details in the schedules designed for the purpose.

Computerisation of data

Software development and data processing of the survey was done in the computer division of the Department.

Limitations of the survey

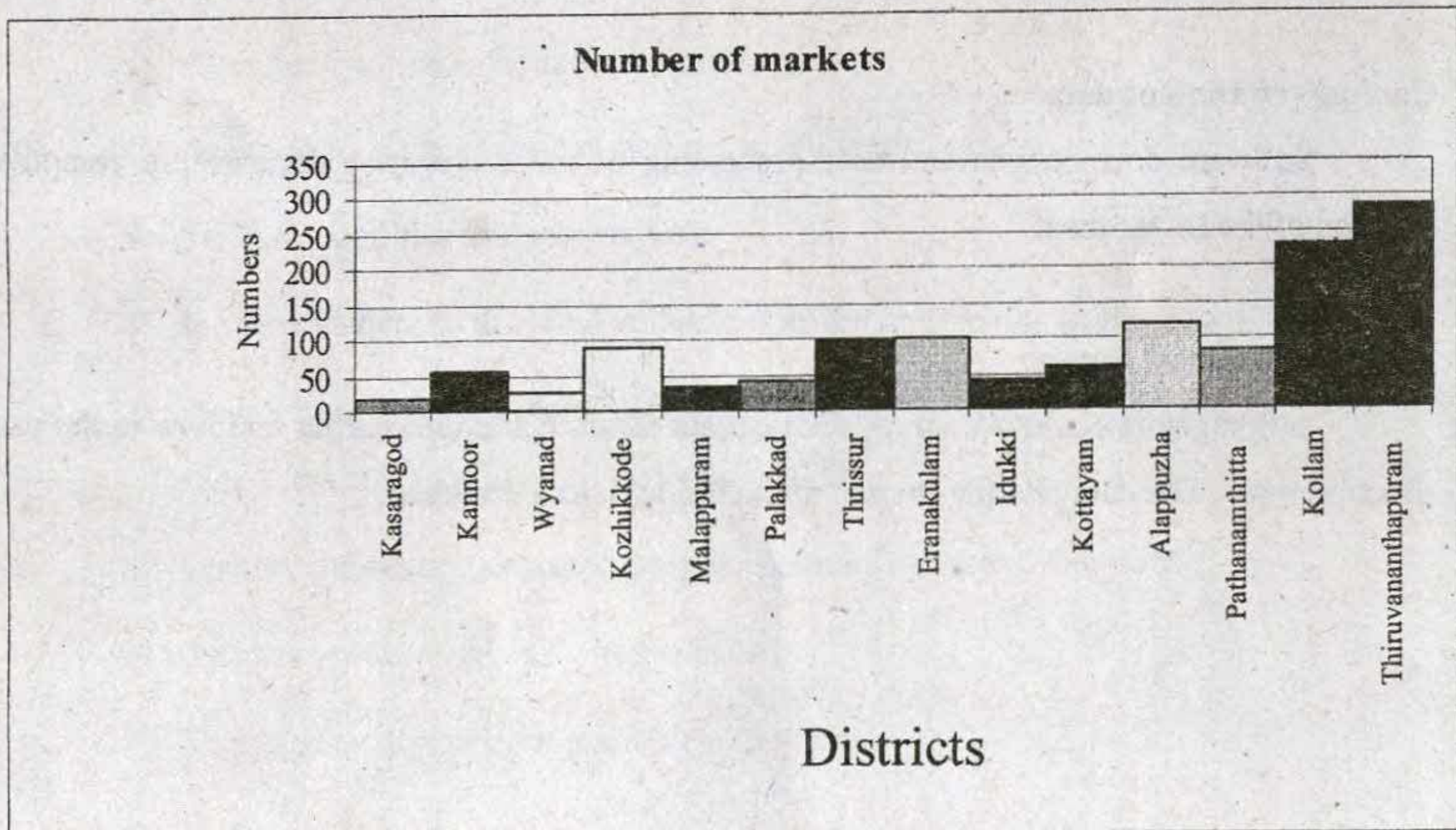
Investigators could not survey for markets which functioned earlier and now in the path of extinction. The data relating to such markets could not be studied.

CHAPTER II

RESULTS OF THE SURVEY

1) Category of Markets

The primary objective of the survey is to ascertain the number of markets functioning inside the state and whether the marketing system in our state is flourishing or is it in the path of extinction. Thus it is found that there are 1290 markets functioning in our state. Out of these, 1200 markets are open markets and 90 of them are regulated markets. In open markets, the price is fluctuating while in regulated market the price will be somewhat stable. This is controlled mainly by the farmer's 'self help groups' and they have to obey some rules and regulations fixed by these groups. The price fluctuations in the open markets will not affect these markets. The farmers sell their produces to the consumers in the markets as per the price fixed by these groups. The farmers themselves act as traders of these markets. Hence the price will be stable throughout the season. 85 markets are functioning in the Municipal Corporation area. 129 of them are functioning in the Municipal area. 1076 markets are functioning in the Grama Panchayats.

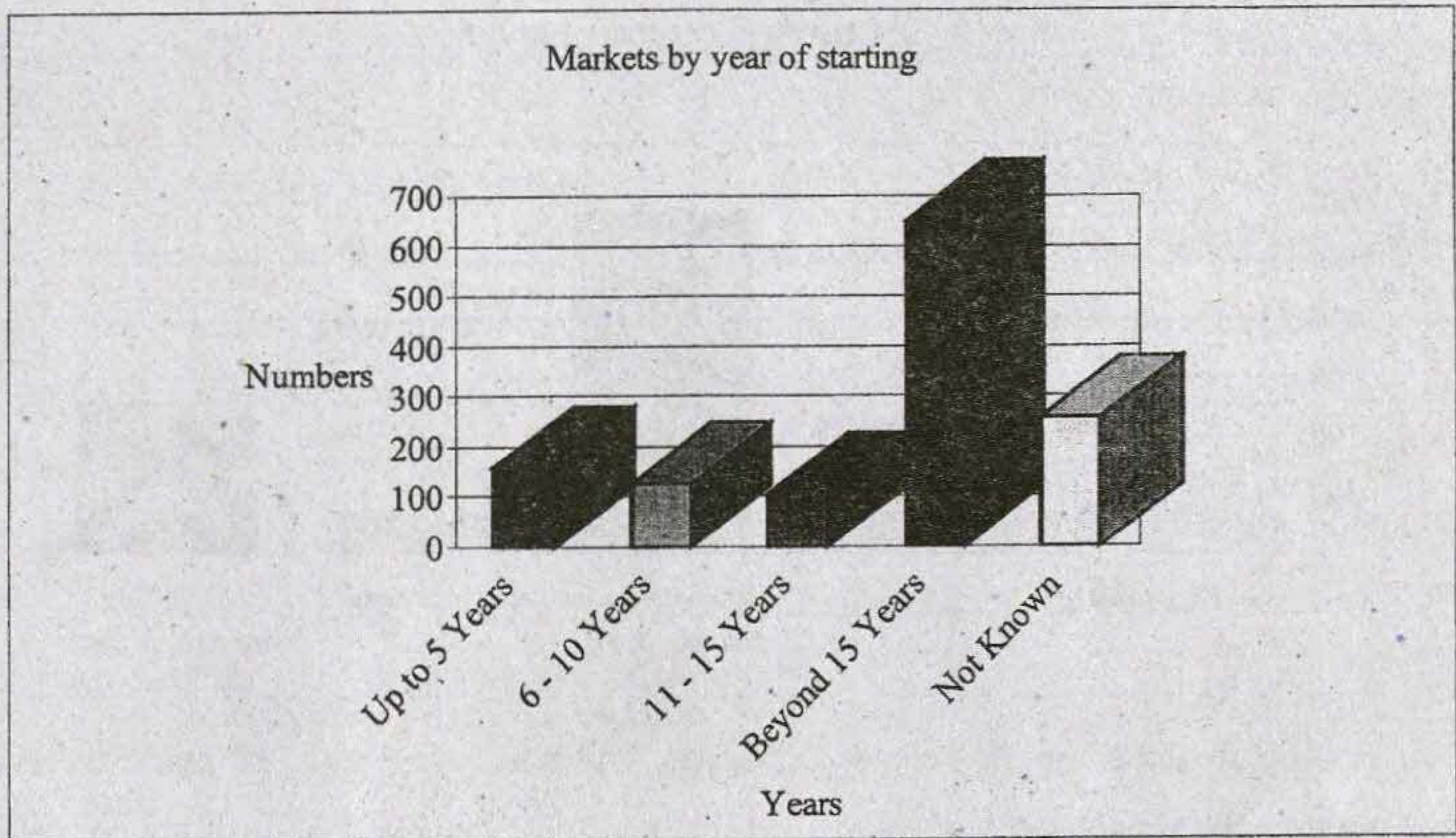


Out of the 85 markets functioning in Municipal Corporation area, 66 markets are functioning under the control of local bodies, 12 of them are owned by private parties and 7 markets are functioning with some other adjustments. In Municipal areas 90 markets are functioning under local bodies, 27 markets working under private parties and 12 with some

other adjustments. In Grama Panchayath area, out of the 1076 markets, 597 markets are functioning under the local bodies, 292 markets are controlled by private persons, 187 markets function with some other arrangements.

In the state, there are 753 markets functioning under local bodies, 331 markets under private ownership and 206 markets with some other arrangements.

2) Establishment of Markets



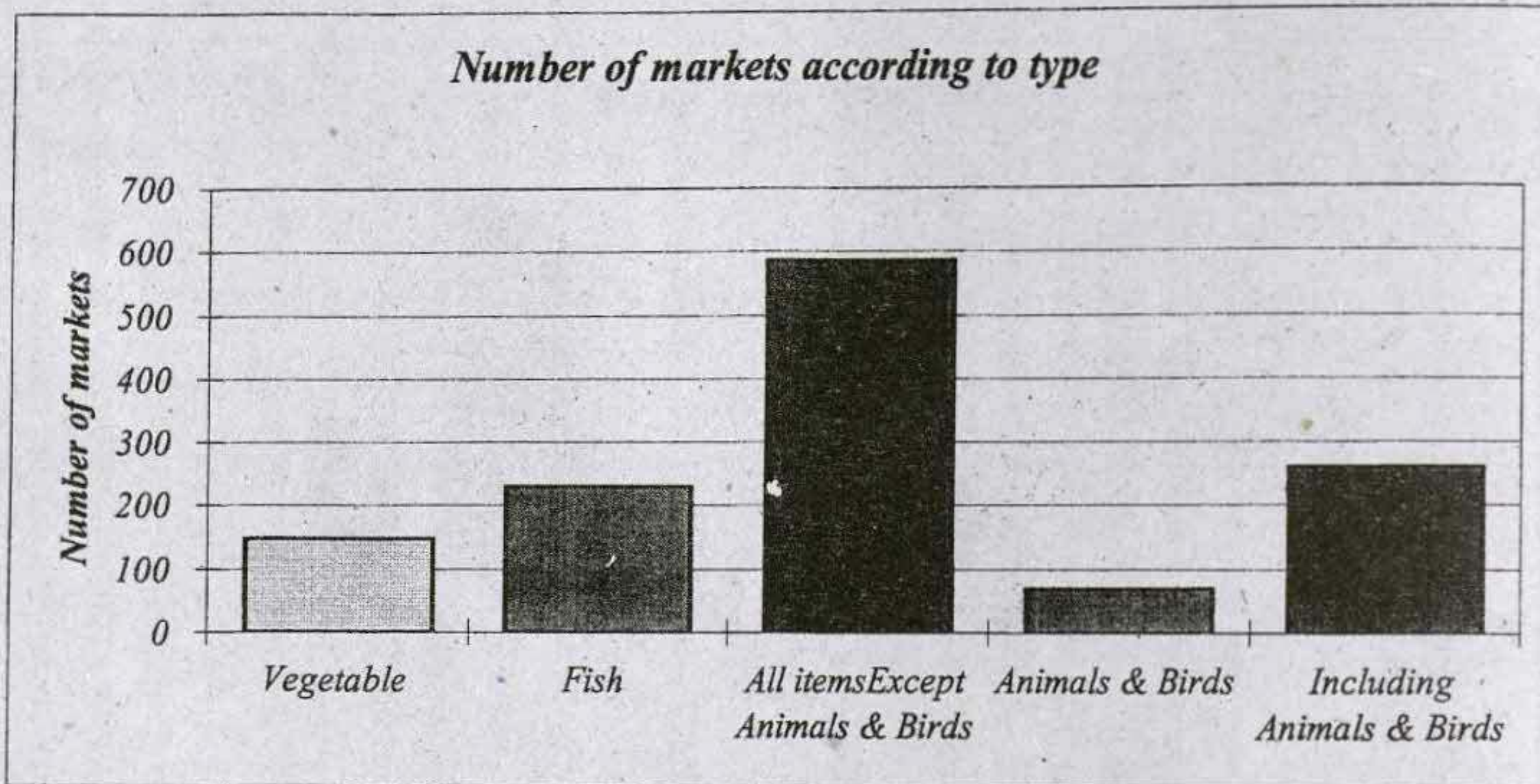
Considering the period of functioning, it is seen that out of the 1290 markets, more than 70% are functioning since 15 years. The year of start of 256 markets are not known. It is evident that the functioning of markets is seen in our state years back. There might have many markets in olden days and some of them might have been extincted by the passage of time. 158 markets have started within five years. 123 markets started functioning 6-10 years back. 103 markets started 11-15 years back. After 1990, the agricultural sector in our country was subject to a great change. As a result of this, the marketing system has also undergone changes. After 10 years, a slight increase may be seen in the number of markets due to the thrust given to the development of markets by the local bodies at present

3) Type Of Markets

Availability of everything under one roof is the primary concern of the modern people. Thus markets with all items required for daily life, i.e., markets with vegetables, fish and all the provision except animals and birds are 586 in numbers in the state and that where all items including animals and birds traded are 260 in numbers. Thus more than 65% of the markets

come under these two categories. There are 148 markets having vegetables only for trade, 228 markets have fish only for trade. There are 68 markets where animals and birds are traded.

In Thiruvananthapuram even though there are 288 markets, only 9 markets are having fish trade only. 25 markets are having vegetables trade only and 184 markets have everything for trade except animals and birds. There are 4 'animal and bird' markets and 66 markets having everything including animals and birds.



In Kollam there are 11 vegetable markets, 22 fish markets, 148 markets having everything except animals and birds and 9 'animal and bird' markets. 42 markets are having everything including animals and birds.

Kasaragod, the district which is having least number of markets, have only 2 vegetable markets and 8 fish markets, 7 markets having all items except animals and birds and 1 market having all items including animals and birds. Thrissur has the highest number of animals and birds markets with 15 numbers.

When classified according to local bodies, Thiruvananthapuram Corporation, which has the highest number of markets, has 30 markets with everything except animals and birds and Kollam has 13 markets of this type. Kozhikkode Corporation has 10 fish markets.

In the municipal area of Thiruvananthapuram district, there are 4 vegetable markets, 1 fish market and 9 markets which include both these items. There are 3 'animal and bird' markets and 5 markets having all items.

In Panchayath area, out of the 496 markets which have all items except animals and birds, 145 markets are in Thiruvananthapuram district, 135 are in Kollam district. Only 6 markets of this type are in Kasaragod district.

4) Infrastructure Facilities

Growth in the number of markets shows a decreasing trend while that of shopping establishments and super markets show a sharp increase. That is shopping in a comfortable, clean, amiable place is acceptable to modern people. These demands a well developed infrastructure for a market. Developed roads by which people can reach the market, sufficient space, spacial shops, electricity, water supply, comfort stations, cleaning facilities etc. are very essential factors. These facilities attract people to the market and is an incentive to traders.

On analysis, it is seen that out of the 1290 markets, 935 are accessible by bus. They are very near to bus route and 93 markets have 0.10 Kms distance from the bus route. 158 markets have 0.1 to 0.5 km distance from bus route. 63 markets have 0.5 to 1 km distance from bus route and 41 markets have more than 1 km to reach bus route. In Municipal Corporation area even though space is very valuable, 68% of the markets are very near to bus route. In Municipalities and Panchayaths this is 63% and 74% respectively. There are 3 markets in Municipal Corporation area, 13 markets in municipal area and 25 markets in Panchayath area which are more than 1 km away from the bus route.

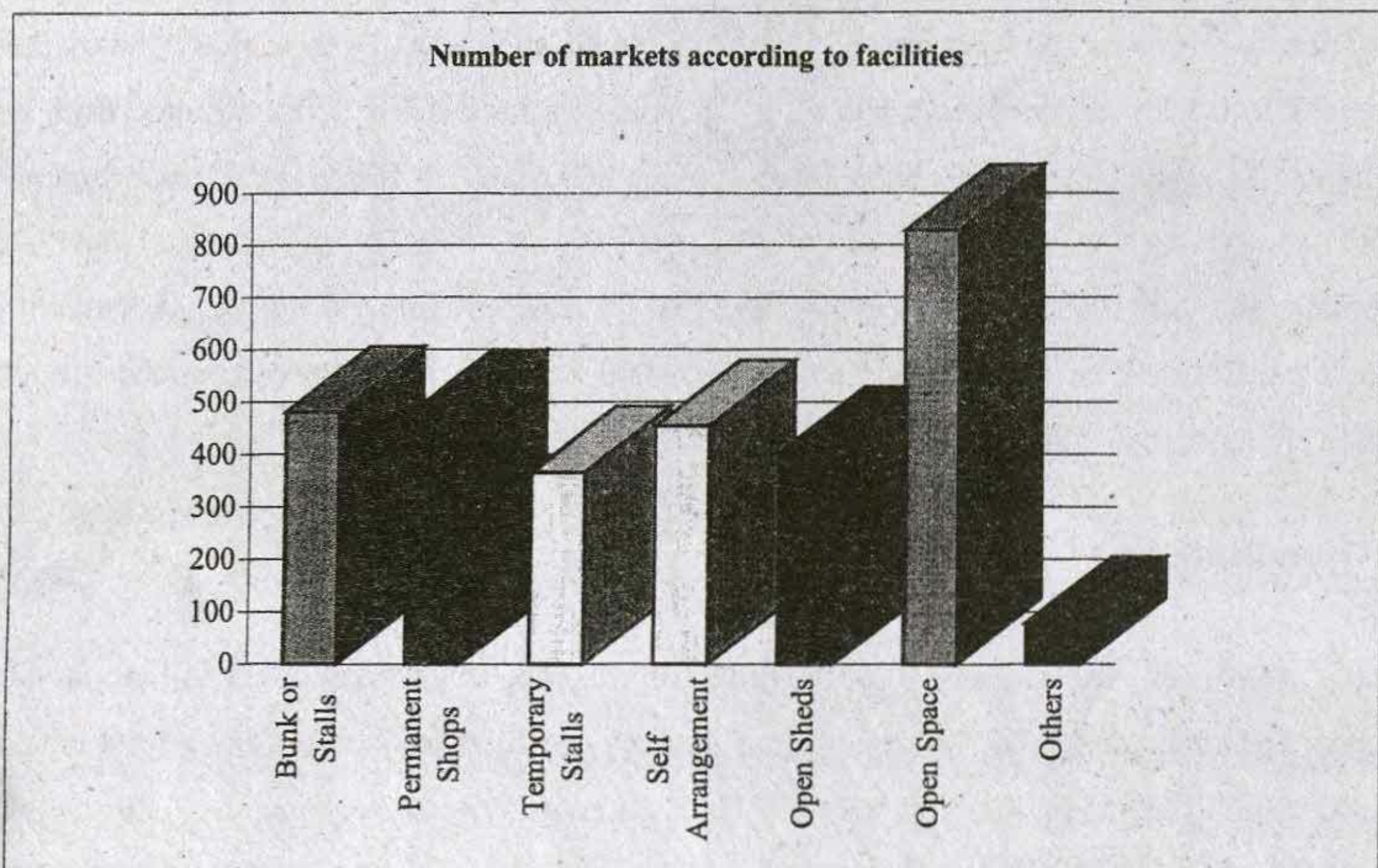
5) Operational Area

Sufficient area is essential for the proper functioning of a market. This will attract more traders and customers to the market. In our state all the 1290 markets occupy a total area of 71442 cents. The 753 markets controlled by the local bodies together occupy an operational area of 46965 cents and the 331 markets run by the private parties occupy an operational area of 11402 cents and other 206 markets occupy an area of 13075 cents.

When classified according to local body wise, 85 markets in the Municipal Corporation area together occupy an area of 11834 cents. 129 markets in the municipal area occupy an area of 13895 cents. 1076 markets in the Panchayath area occupy 45713 cents. The markets situating in the city corporation area have an average operational area of 139 cents and in municipal area the same is seen as 108 cents. In the Grama Panchayaths the average area is 42 cents only. It is seen that the markets in the Municipal Corporation area will have more space, and facilities to accommodate more traders so as to serve a large population with comparatively higher per capita income. Some of the farmers from rural areas also sell their products in these markets with a view to get more prices for their produces.

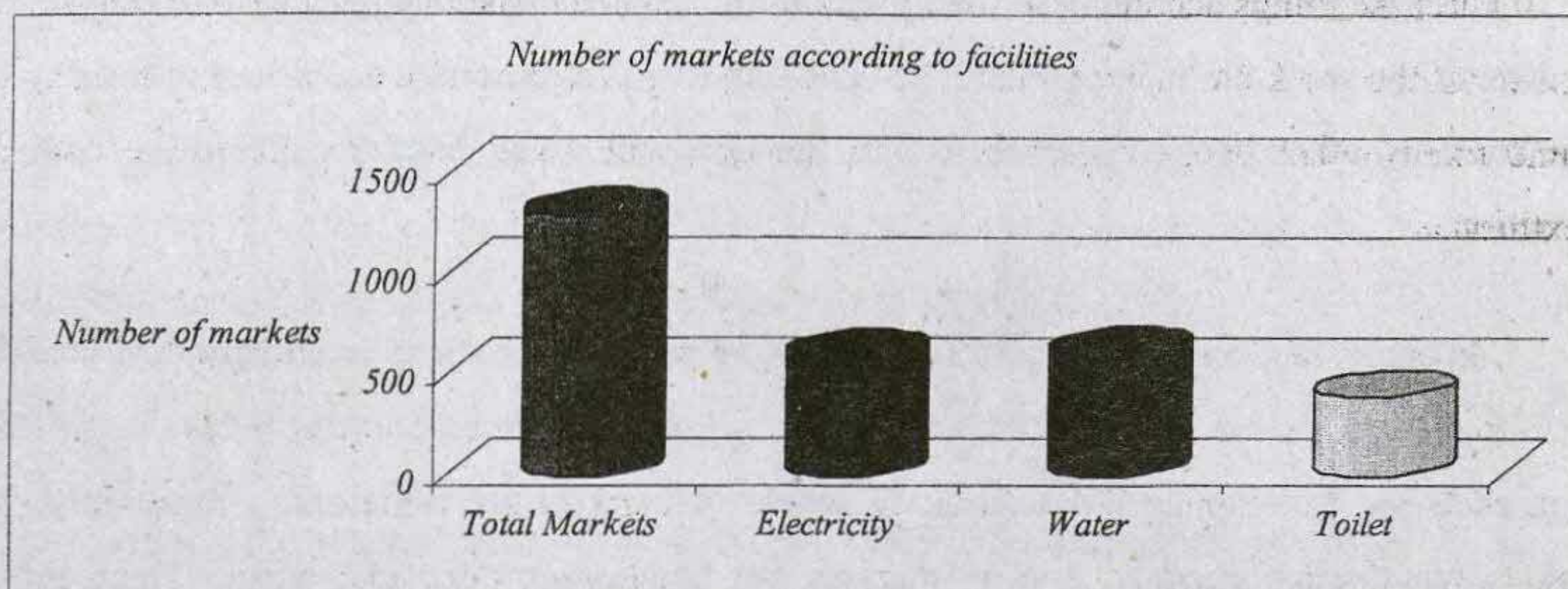
209 markets are having less than 6 cents of operational area, 155 markets with 6-10 cents, 316 markets with 11-25 cents, 337 markets with 26-50 cents, 153 markets with 51-100 cents, 107 markets with 101-500 cents and 13 markets have operational area more than 500 cents. Only 120 markets in the state have more than 1 acre of land for functioning. The highest group is 26-50 cents area (337 such markets) and it is clear that an average area of 25 cents are essential for the proper functioning of a market. In the case of area, markets of Thiruvananthapuram district have maximum area for operation.

6) Accommodation Facilities



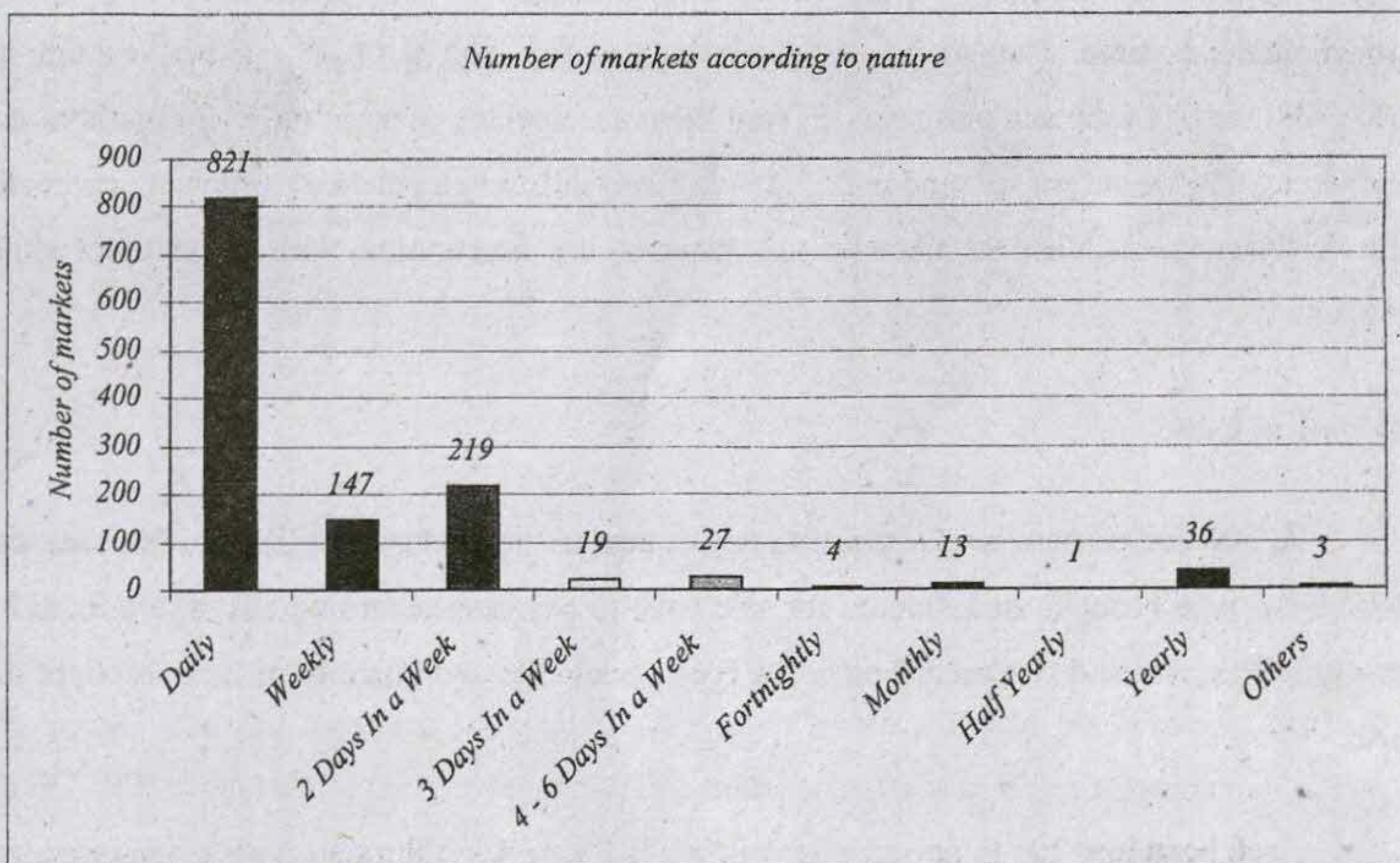
Infrastructure facilities include buildings, bunks, permanent shops, temporary stalls etc, and those are the essential factors for a market. In our state, 480 markets have permanent bunks/stalls. 474 markets have some permanent shops and 366 of them have temporary stalls also. In 454 markets some of the traders themselves are making arrangements for their business. In 403 markets some traders are doing their business in open sheds and in 828 markets, some traders have to depend on open space. In 79 markets there are some other arrangements for some traders. In a market it is a common scene that small traders are doing business in open spaces. But it is evident that most of the markets have a mixture of all these arrangements. They have some permanent shops, stalls, temporary shops and stalls, open space sales and other self-arrangements.

7) Electricity, Water, Etc



It is the duty of the authorities to provide the preliminary necessities like electricity, water, comfort stations etc for the welfare of the traders and the customers in any enterprises. In the case of these facilities our markets are very backward. Only 46% of our markets have power supply, 47% of them have facility to get water and only 30% has the very essential facilities like toilet etc. In city corporation area, 66% have power supply and in municipal area 65% while in rural area only 42% has this facility. 62% of the markets in City Corporation area and 60% in the Municipal area and 45% in Panchayath area has water supply facilities. Toilet facilities are available only in 58% of markets in Corporation area, 45% in municipal area while only 27% in Panchayath area.

8) Periodicity



Periodicity is also a factor which affects the popularity of this system. Modern people like to purchase things according to their own timing. Hence markets which are working in all the days of the week are now popular. No one like to go for purchase according to the day or time fixed by other people. Markets which function with some intervals are in the path of extinction.

In our state there are 821 markets functioning daily, 147 markets are functioning weekly and 219 markets are functioning 2 days in a week. 19 markets are functioning 3 days in a week. 27 markets are functioning 4-6 days in a week. 4 markets are functioning fortnightly, 13 markets functioning monthly, and 36 markets are functioning once in a year. There are 3 markets other than the above interval.

9) Nature Of Working

All the markets are not functioning throughout the day or in identical manner. The time schedule of each market is different. This timing might have been formed according to the regional trading practices or agricultural pattern of each region to help the farmers. With the passage of time these agricultural pattern and regional trade came to an end or became insignificant even though the marketing schedule is going on as earlier. Some markets are functioning in the forenoon, some in the afternoon. Some of the markets are functioning throughout the day, some are functioning part day and part night etc. It is seen that 534 markets function in forenoon only. 131 of them are seen functioning in afternoon and 393 are operating throughout the daytime. 50 markets are functioning part day and part night. 141 have a timing throughout the day time and partly night. 6 of them are working at night only. 24 markets are functioning throughout the day and night. These are usually annual markets which are operated with festivals in churches or likewise. 11 markets are functioning with some other time schedule.

10) Rate of Cess

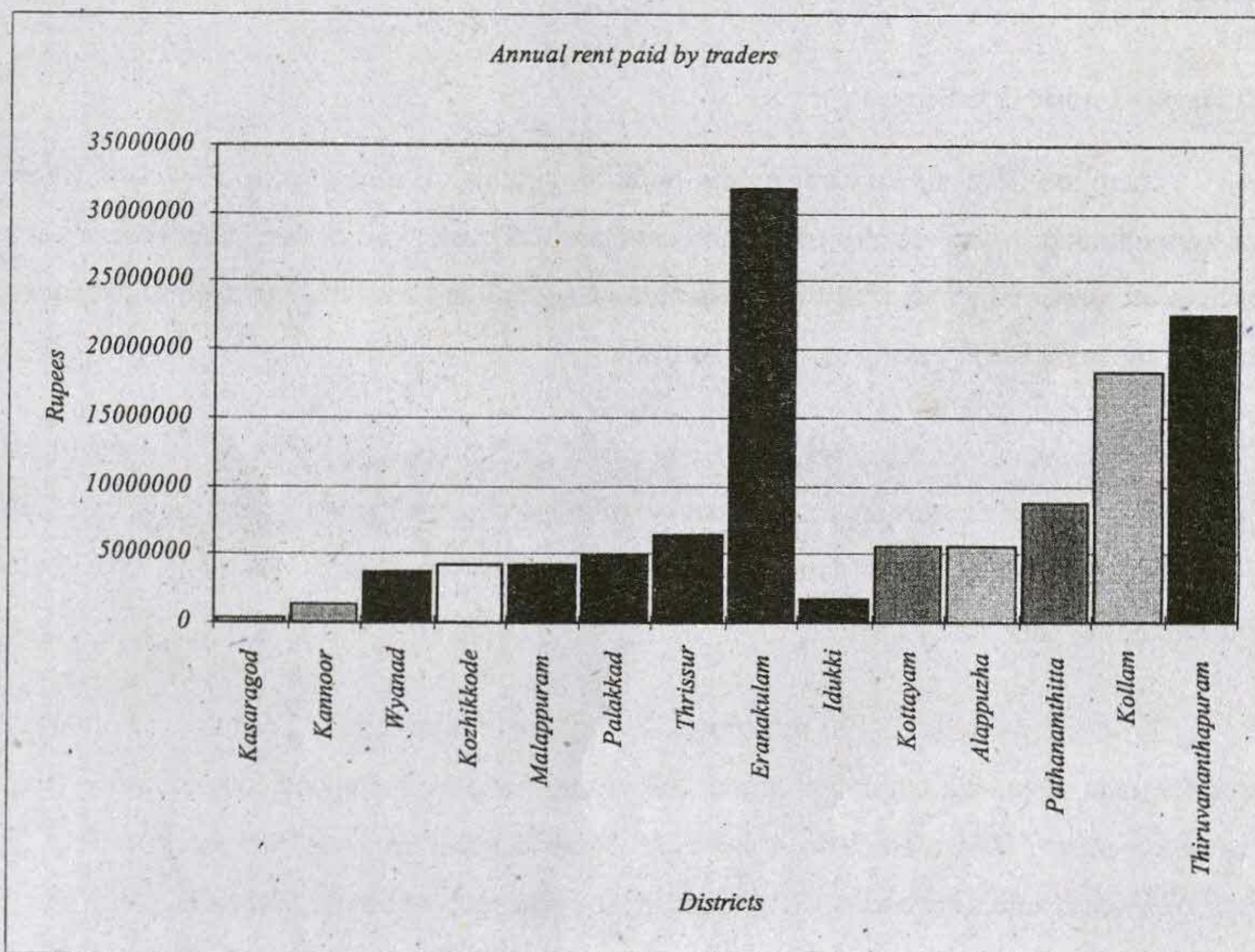
All the traders have to pay some money as cess in the market. The traders, vehicles, the farmers etc. who brought the produces for sale have to pay cess according to the rate fixed by the authorities, which differ according to the type of vehicles and quantity of item brought for trade.

Each head load has to pay an average cess of Rs..4.34 in the state. Two wheeler traders have to pay Rs..6.33/visit. Three wheelers have to pay Rs..15.23/load. Mini lorry has to pay Rs.

46.88/load. Large trucks have to pay Rs..74.17/load, bullock cart, which is a rare scene nowadays, also has to pay 18.53/load, handcart has to give Rs. 10.68 as cess. Others have to give Rs. 46.45 per load. This amount varies among the districts. It is within the range of Rs. 2 to Rs. 7 among the districts per load, Rs. 4 to Rs.9 for two wheelers, Rs. 8 to Rs. 25 for three wheelers, Rs. 13 to Rs. 96 for mini lorry, Rs. 25 to 163 for large trucks. Rs. 4 to 63 for bullock carts, Rs. 3 to 26 for handcarts and Rs. 4 to 193 for other vehicles.

11) Rent

Rent is the amount, to be remitted to the owner of the market for providing facilities for the functioning of the market. Since the nature of the market varies (Periodicity, time of functioning, their infrastructure facilities etc.) rent of different markets also varies. Thus while monitoring the structure of rent, it is understood that local bodies which are the largest provider of facilities for the functioning of the markets, have got the highest income from this source.



All the 753 markets functioning under local bodies together contribute an amount of Rs.97271388/- as rent to the local bodies. The share of markets in Eranakulam is the maximum (Rs.27449896/-), even though the number of markets are only 64 in the district. 181 markets in Thiruvananthapuram district contribute an amount of Rs.17689975/- as rent to local bodies.

331 markets functioning under private ownership together fetches an amount Rs.15741351/- as rent. In this category Thiruvananthapuram district has got the highest income of Rs.3914565/- with 65 markets functioning and Kollam stands in the second place with Rs.2670600/- (71 markets).

It can be noticed that markets are a good source of income to the owners, i.e. a market functioning under local body is contributing an average rent of Rs.10764/- per month. This includes all types of markets (daily, weekly, monthly etc). A private person is getting an average rent of Rs.3963/- per month for providing facilities for functioning of markets. All types of markets together contribute an average amount of Rs.7708/- per month to the owner.

Among the different category of markets, daily markets contribute 77% of rent to the authorities. It is also to be noted that among the local bodies, Grama Panchayats are getting highest income as rent.

12) Market According to Service

There are 1245 markets having the trade of agricultural produces, 672 markets where non agricultural products are also traded and there are 105 markets where social and community services are provided along with the transaction of agricultural and non agricultural produces. Some of the markets are having all these facilities.

In Municipal Corporation area, all the markets but one has the trade of agricultural produces. 32 markets in this area have the trade of nonagricultural products like tools, coir, coir products, mats, wooden items, earthenwares, animals, birds etc. Only 10 markets have social and community services.

In Municipality area, 120 markets have the trade of agricultural produces. 75 markets have the trade of non-agricultural produces and 19 markets have social and community services. In Panchayat area 1041 markets have the trade of agricultural products, 565 markets have the trade of nonagricultural products. 76 markets have social and community services.

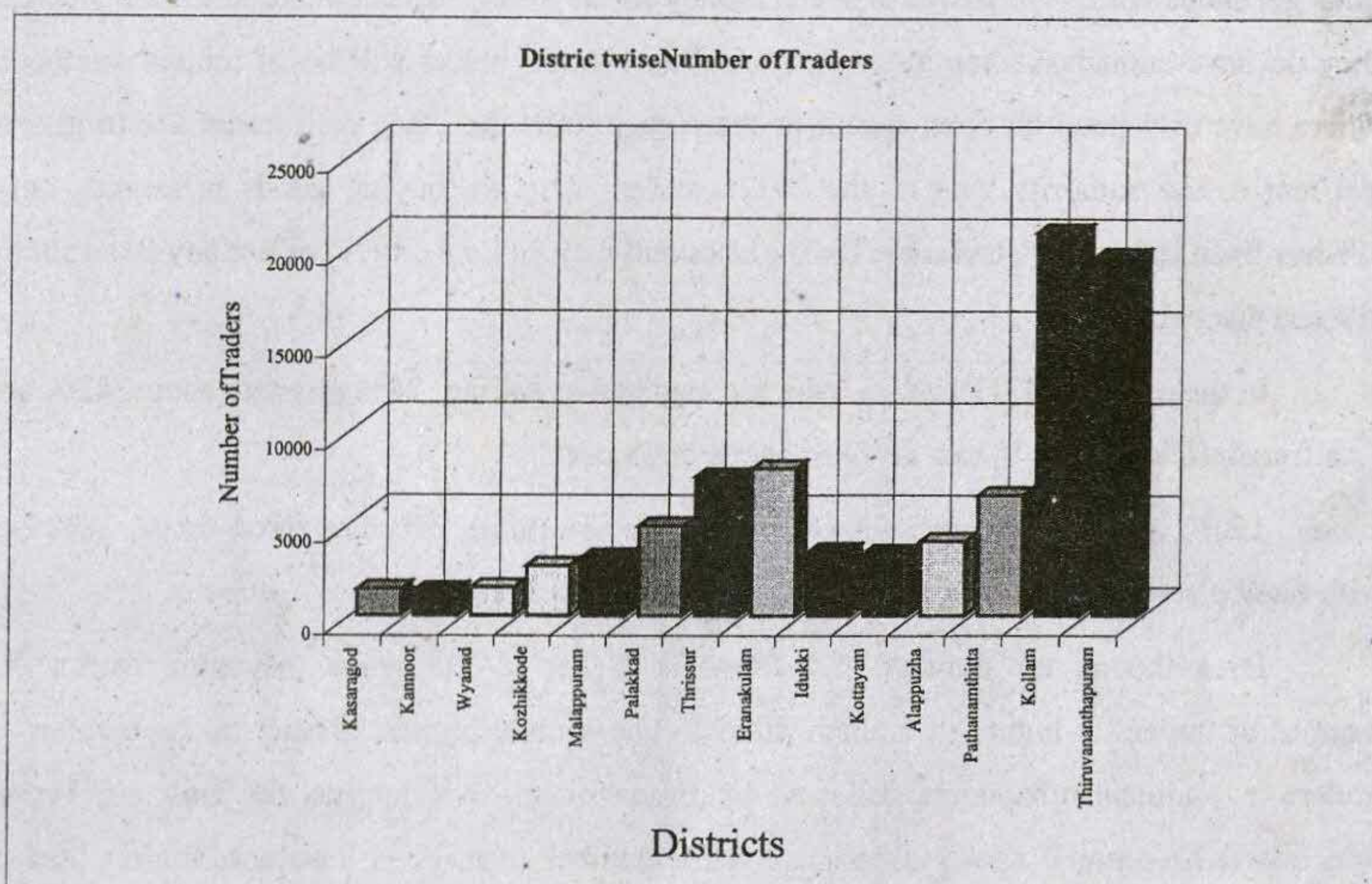
13) Number Of Traders

It is understood that about 1 lakh people are doing business in our markets directly. The number of people getting livelihood from these markets are even more than this taking into account the indirect beneficiaries like middlemen etc. In our 1290 markets, 26371 traders are

coming to buy goods from the farmers and from other traders. 46711 traders are coming to sell their goods. 15070 traders are doing both these activities that is buying and selling. There are some wholesale markets where most of the buyers are traders of some other markets.

Out of the 1290 markets, 821 are daily markets in which 15711 traders are coming for buying goods, 26348 traders are selling goods and 7821 traders are doing both these business. Thiruvananthapuram has the highest number of daily markets followed by Kollam.

There are 147 weekly markets where 3655 traders are buyers and 6744 traders are sellers, and 2383 traders doing both these business. Idukki stands in the top position regarding the number of weekly markets with 27 numbers.



In the 219 markets functioning twice in a week, there are 5676 traders engaged in buying, 6744 in selling and 2383 are doing both these activities. Majority of these types of markets are seen in Pathanamthitta district.

Markets functioning in 3 days in a week are 19 in numbers. There are 193 traders for buying 774 traders for selling and 153 traders are for buying and selling. Kollam stands first in these types of markets.

Number of markets functioning more than 3 days but less than 7 days in a week are 27 in numbers where the number of traders are 236, 748 and 119 for buying, selling and for both buying and selling respectively. Thiruvananthapuram has the highest number of such market.

Fortnightly markets are only 4 in numbers and number of traders are 255, 215 and 95 for buying, selling and for both buying and selling respectively.

Number of monthly markets is 13 with 269, 373 and 98 traders for buying, selling and both respectively. Half yearly markets are only one with 2 traders.

Functioning of yearly markets show a little difference and the number of them is 36. Traders are 376, 3107 and 416 for buying, selling and for both buying and selling. There are 3 markets not coming under the above categories with 99 traders

Getting shops in a market is a very difficult affair. Only traders having handsome funds get shops here. They have to spend money for deposits, rents/cess etc to the authorities. They do have enough income also. But the shops, stalls, bunks will be of limited numbers. Others have to depend on open spaces or temporary stalls etc. But each trader has to give a cess/rent to the authority. Out of the 26371 traders who are buying goods in market, only 21% has fixed shops, 39% has some fixed places and majority, i.e., 40% has not any fixed shops or fixed places.

In the case of 46711 traders, who are engaged in selling, 25% are with shops, 42% are with fixed places and 33% has no fixed shops or places.

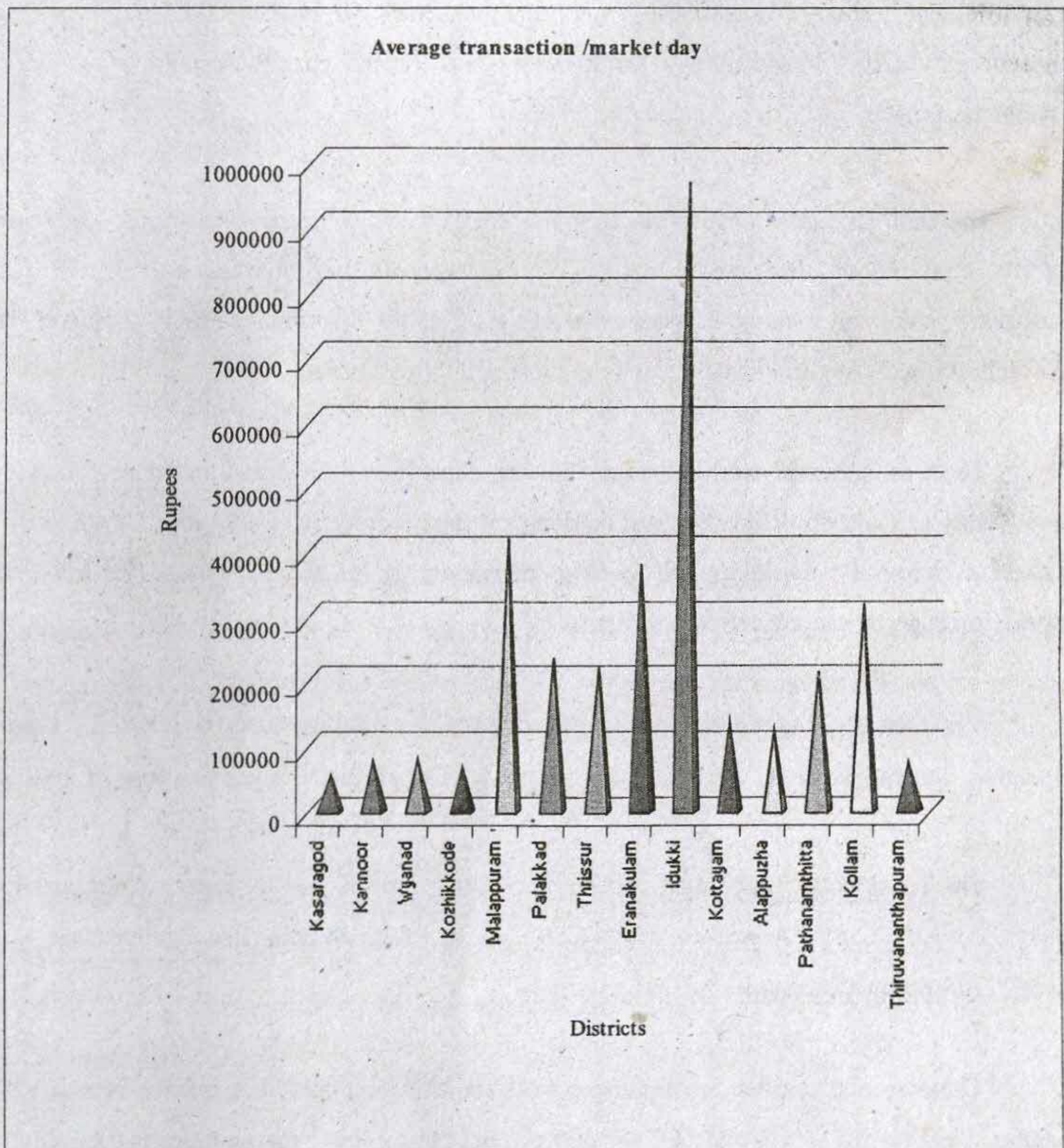
15070 traders who are engaged in buying and selling, 23% has fixed shops, 36% has with fixed places and 41% has not any fixed shops or fixed places.

Even though the number of markets is higher in Thiruvananthapuram district the number of traders is higher in Kollam district. The second highest district in the number of traders is Thiruvananthapuram, followed by Eranakulam. Kannur has the least number of traders and Kasaragod, which is the least in the number of markets, has more traders than in Kannur district.

All the Municipal Corporations together have a total of 85 markets, which account to 6.61% of the total markets and with 15035 traders (17% of the total traders). In 54 Municipalities there are 129 (i.e.; 10%) markets with 13072 (14.8%) traders. 1076 markets (83%) are in rural areas with 60045 (68%) traders. It is to be noted that there is an average of 17 markets per Municipal Corporation with 191 traders per market.

14) Volume Of Transaction

As per the survey on an average 8.5 lakhs consumers are visiting the markets in a market day. Total transaction worth Rs. 2744 lakhs and an average transaction worth Rs. 212716 are taking place in the state in these markets per market day. The volume of transaction is highest in Kollam district i.e. 27% of the total. Idukki is in the second place with 14% and in the third comes Eranakulam district (13.5%). The average transaction (in Rs.) is the highest in Idukki district. It can be seen that these figures are not in tune with the number of markets in these districts. Out of the 42 markets in Idukki district, 8 markets have transaction more than Rs. 15 lakhs per market day. In 4 markets, the main item of trade is Cardamom and a total transaction around Rs.338 lakhs had been taking place per market day.



15) Periodicity of Markets and Volume of Trade

In 821 daily markets functioning in the state there is a total transaction worth Rs 1439 lakhs and an average trade of Rs 1,75,326/- is taking place in a day. The highest trade is seen in Kollam district. An average of 422519 consumers are visiting the market in a day.

In 147 weekly markets there is a total transaction worth Rs 711 lakhs and an average trade worth Rs 484233/- is taking place in a market day. The number of consumers visiting these markets is 90328. In this case the highest trade is seen in Idukki district.

In the 219 markets functioning 2 days in a week, it is seen that total transaction is much higher than that in the previous cases. Total transaction worth Rs 4400/- lakhs and an average transaction of Rs 200931/- is taking place in the markets. In this case Pathanamthitta district is in the highest place.

There are 19 markets which function 3 days in a week. These markets are spread over 9 districts. In 5 districts there are no markets of these type. In these markets a total transaction worth Rs 9 lakhs and average transaction worth Rs 50,500/- is taking place in a market day. The highest transaction in this case also is in Pathanamthitta district.

There are other 27 markets which function more than 3 days and less than 7 days in a week. Only in 9 districts these types of markets are functioning. The total transaction in these markets is worth Rs 14 lakhs and average transaction is of Rs 52688/-. The maximum transaction is going on in Kozhikkode district.

4 markets are functioning once in a fortnight with a total income worth Rs 18 lakhs and an average income worth Rs 4,50,000 per market day. Only 2 districts has this type of markets.

The 13 markets functioning once in a month is spread in 4 districts. There are 4620 traders doing trade in these markets with a total trade worth Rs 44 lakhs and average trade worth Rs 342115/- per market day.

There is one market functioning once in a half year and this market is situated in Kannur district. An average of 100 consumers are visiting these markets per market day and having a total trade of Rs 5000/-.

But yearly market is popular than any other type of markets since the yearly markets might have been connected with some festivals or harvest or the yearly functioning of these markets itself might be a festival. There are 36 markets of this type in the state spread over 11 districts in the state. Kozhikkode has the maximum amount of trade in this type of markets which accounts for Rs 18 lakhs, The number of traders is 41700. The total trade going on in these markets worth to Rs 64 lakhs and an average trade of Rs179737/- On an average 1,67,450 consumers visit these markets in a market day.

There are 3 markets other than this working in 3 districts. Their periodicity is not known. A total trade worth Rs 1.7 lakhs and average trade for Rs 57,666/- is taking place in these markets per market day. 660 consumers seen visited these markets. The volume of trade is highest in Kozhikkode district.

16) Local Body Involvement

Since most of the markets are the services rendered by the local authority to the people, it is the duty of them to keep it clean and hygienic since they are receiving some cess/rent from the traders. Thus in 672 markets local bodies have some involvement in their function and in 759 markets cleaning or waste disposal is being attended by the local bodies.

17) Status of Market before 10 years

193 markets show no change in the working condition since 10 years. 475 markets were more active before 10 years, 341 markets were less active at that time. It can be seen that the number of markets started in our state within 10 years are 281 numbers while the number of shopping establishments started during this period is manifold.

18) Influence of Markets in the Population

The details collected from various people show that 626 markets have some influence among the population of that place. In 327 cases, markets have not influenced the life of the people while in 337 cases markets help the farmers and others to a certain extent.

19) Common Items Sold

The common items sold in the markets are vegetables, tubers, fish and meat, other agricultural products, coir and coir products, wooden items, earthenware, animals, poultry etc.

20) CONCLUSION

In all over the world markets are existing even now. These markets help the farmers to sell their produces directly to the consumers. The garden fresh produces at low price without margin attract many people to these markets, even though the colossal marketing establishments are active. Due to the thrust given to develop rural markets in the state by the local bodies we can expect steps to regain the lost glory of our rural markets.

There are few drawbacks in our existing market system. Due to the absence of proper storage system, most of the farmers have to sell their produces at the harvest season itself at comparatively lower prices. Price will rise unduly to higher levels during lean season and the markets at these time will be controlled by the middle men and stockists of agricultural produces. It causes heavy losses to the farmers in the harvest season due to the abundance of products. Thus seasonal fluctuations in prices will aggravate due to the absence of proper storage system.

In the era of globalisation, the market infrastructure may be of international standards. Quality of farm produces will have to play a crucial role in the years to come.

If steps are not taken to protect our markets, giant "Wal Mart's will engulf our rural markets and there by poor peasants and other weaker sections.

Identification and development of a suitable mix of rural virtues and urban amenities so as to help the farmers and others to reap the benefits of modernization are the need of the time. Steps on these lines are to be initiated so that our natural resources are properly and beneficially utilized.

Table 1
District wise Number of Markets According To Ownership

Sl No	District	Local Body			Private		
		Open	Regu lated	Total	Open	Regu lated	Total
1	Kasaragod	13	0	13	1	0	1
2	Kannur	9	0	9	29	1	30
3	Wayanad	15	0	15	8	0	8
4	Kozhikkode	63	0	63	19	0	19
5	Malappuram	15	4	19	8	1	9
6	Palakkad	17	2	19	10	2	12
7	Thrissur	35	4	39	29	0	29
8	Eranakulam	57	7	64	14	0	14
9	Idukki	17	1	18	6	2	8
10	Kottayam	41	4	45	9	0	9
11	Alappuzha	55	6	61	42	1	43
12	Pathanamthitta	63	3	66	13	0	13
13	Kollam	140	1	141	68	3	71
14	Thiruvananthapuram	172	9	181	63	2	65
State		712	41	753	319	12	331

Table 1(Contd.)

Sl No	District	Others			Total		
		Open	Regu lated	Total	Open	Regu lated	Total
1	Kasaragod	4	0	4	18	0	18
2	Kannur	16	0	16	54	1	55
3	Wayanad	4	0	4	27	0	27
4	Kozhikkode	8	1	9	90	1	91
5	Malappuram	7	0	7	30	5	35
6	Palakkad	3	8	11	30	12	42
7	Thrissur	29	1	30	93	5	98
8	Eranakulam	17	6	23	88	13	101
9	Idukki	15	1	16	38	4	42
10	Kottayam	3	2	5	53	6	59
11	Alappuzha	12	3	15	109	10	119
12	Pathanamthitta	4	0	4	80	3	83
13	Kollam	13	7	20	221	11	232
14	Thiruvananthapuram	34	8	42	269	19	288
State		169	37	206	1200	90	1290

Table 1(A)
District wise Number of Markets According To Ownership

SI No	District	Municipal Corporation area				Municipality area			
		Local Body	Private	Others	Total	Local Body	Private	Others	Total
1	Kasaragod	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3
2	Kannur	0	0	0	0	2	10	1	13
3	Wayanad	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2
4	Kozhikkode	11	1	1	13	3	3	0	6
5	Malappuram	0	0	0	0	7	1	2	10
6	Palakkad	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	6
7	Thrissur	5	0	1	6	10	2	0	12
8	Eranakulam	13	2	0	15	13	0	4	17
9	Idukki	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	3
10	Kottayam	0	0	0	0	6	2	0	8
11	Alappuzha	0	0	0	0	14	3	2	19
12	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0	0	7	1	0	8
13	Kollam	13	3	3	19	0	0	0	0
14	Thiruvananthapuram	24	6	2	32	19	1	2	22
State		66	12	7	85	90	27	12	129

Table 1(A) Contd..

SI No	District	Panchayath				Total			
		Local Body	Private	Others	Total	Local Body	Private	Others	Total
1	Kasaragod	10	1	4	15	13	1	4	18
2	Kannur	7	20	15	42	9	30	16	55
3	Wayanad	14	7	4	25	15	8	4	27
4	Kozhikkode	49	15	8	72	63	19	9	91
5	Malappuram	12	8	5	25	19	9	7	35
6	Palakkad	15	10	11	36	19	12	11	42
7	Thrissur	24	27	29	80	39	29	30	98
8	Eranakulam	38	12	19	69	64	14	23	101
9	Idukki	17	7	15	39	18	8	16	42
10	Kottayam	39	7	5	51	45	9	5	59
11	Alappuzha	47	40	13	100	61	43	15	119
12	Pathanamthitta	59	12	4	75	66	13	4	83
13	Kollam	128	68	17	213	141	71	20	232
14	Thiruvananthapuram	138	58	38	234	181	65	42	288
State		597	292	187	1076	753	331	206	1290

Table 1(B)
Number of Open Markets and Regulated Markets

Sl No	District	Municipal Corporation			Municipality		
		Open	Regu lated	Total	Open	Regu lated	Total
1	Kasaragod	0	0	0	3	0	3
2	Kannur	0	0	0	13	0	13
3	Wayanad	0	0	0	2	0	2
4	Kozhikkode	13	0	13	6	0	6
5	Malappuram	0	0	0	10	0	10
6	Palakkad	0	0	0	6	0	6
7	Thrissur	6	0	6	12	0	12
8	Eranakulam	15	0	15	15	2	17
9	Idukki	0	0	0	2	1	3
10	Kottayam	0	0	0	8	0	8
11	Alappuzha	0	0	0	19	0	19
12	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0	8	0	8
13	Kollam	19	0	19	0	0	0
14	Thiruvananthapuram	28	4	32	22	0	22
State		81	4	85	126	3	129

Table 1(B) Contd..

Sl No	District	Panchayath			Total		
		Open	Regu lated	Total	Open	Regu lated	Total
1	Kasaragod	15	0	15	18	0	18
2	Kannur	41	1	42	54	1	55
3	Wayanad	25	0	25	27	0	27
4	Kozhikkode	71	1	72	90	1	91
5	Malappuram	20	5	25	30	5	35
6	Palakkad	24	12	36	30	12	42
7	Thrissur	75	5	80	93	5	98
8	Eranakulam	58	11	69	88	13	101
9	Idukki	36	3	39	38	4	42
10	Kottayam	45	6	51	53	6	59
11	Alappuzha	90	10	100	109	10	119
12	Pathanamthitta	72	3	75	80	3	83
13	Kollam	202	11	213	221	11	232
14	Thiruvananthapuram	219	15	234	269	19	288
State		993	83	1076	1200	90	1290

Table 2

District wise Number of Markets According To Year of Establishment

Sl No	District	Up to 5 Years	6 - 10 Years	11 - 15 Years	Beyond 15 Years	Not Known	Total
1	Kasaragod	6	0	1	7	4	18
2	Kannur	18	10	5	13	9	55
3	Wayanad	8	2	6	7	4	27
4	Kozhikkode	12	8	7	49	15	91
5	Malappuram	1	2	0	15	17	35
6	Palakkad	6	5	4	22	5	42
7	Thrissur	9	20	10	40	19	98
8	Eranakulam	15	12	6	60	8	101
9	Idukki	17	6	2	14	3	42
10	Kottayam	4	3	3	34	15	59
11	Alappuzha	4	6	2	85	22	119
12	Pathanamthitta	5	4	4	54	16	83
13	Kollam	15	21	21	98	77	232
14	Thiruvananthapuram	38	24	32	152	42	288
	State	158	123	103	650	256	1290

Table 3

District wise Number of Markets According To Type

Sl No	District	Vegetable	Fish	All items Except Animals and Birds	Animals and Birds	Including Animals and Birds	Total
1	Kasaragod	2	8	7	0	1	18
2	Kannur	9	32	10	2	2	55
3	Wayanad	6	8	7	5	1	27
4	Kozhikkode	3	60	13	2	13	91
5	Malappuram	0	7	17	5	6	35
6	Palakkad	17	4	12	1	8	42
7	Thrissur	25	23	20	15	15	98
8	Eranakulam	22	15	17	7	40	101
9	Idukki	18	3	10	2	9	42
10	Kottayam	3	8	15	4	29	59
11	Alappuzha	4	24	77	6	8	119
12	Pathanamthitta	3	5	49	6	20	83
13	Kollam	11	22	148	9	42	232
14	Thiruvananthapuram	25	9	184	4	66	288
	State	148	228	586	68	260	1290

Table 3(A)
District wise Number of Markets According To Type

Sl No	District	Municipal Corporation					Municipality					Panchayath				
		Vege- table	Fish	All items Except Animals and Birds	Animals and Birds	All items Includ- ing Animals and Birds	Vege- table	Fish	All items Except Animals and Birds	Animals and Birds	All items Includ- ing Animals and Birds	Vege- table	Fish	All items Except Animals and Birds	Animals and Birds	All items Includ- ing Animals and Birds
1	Kasaragod	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	6	0	1
2	Kannur	0	0	0	0	0	3	6	1	1	6	26	8	1	1	1
3	Wayanad	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	5	7	7	5	1	1
4	Kozhikkode	1	10	1	0	1	0	3	2	1	2	47	10	2	2	11
5	Malappuram	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	5	0	0	4	12	3	6	6
6	Palakkad	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	0	16	3	8	1	8	8
7	Thrissur	4	0	0	1	1	1	2	5	1	20	21	15	13	11	11
8	Eranakulam	1	2	3	2	7	3	6	3	1	18	7	11	4	29	29
9	Idukki	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	3	10	2	6	6
10	Kottayam	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	6	15	4	24	24
11	Alappuzha	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	10	2	3	21	67	4	5	5
12	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	3	4	47	5	16	16
13	Kollam	0	4	13	0	2	0	0	0	0	11	18	135	9	40	40
14	Thiruvanantha- puram	1	0	30	0	1	4	1	9	3	20	8	145	1	60	60
	State	7	16	47	3	12	15	31	43	11	29	126	496	54	219	219

Table 3(B)
District wise Number of Markets and Average Households/Market

Sl No	District	Rural			Urban			Total		
		Number of Households	Number of Markets	Households per Market	Number of Households	Number of Market	Households per Market	Number of Households	Number of Markets	Households per Market
1	Kasaragod	181536	15	12102	43716	3	14572	225252	18	12514
2	Kannur	237932	42	5665	219436	13	16880	457368	55	8316
3	Wayanad	160398	25	6416	6365	2	3183	166763	27	6176
4	Kozhikkode	364557	72	5063	203101	19	10690	567658	91	6238
5	Malappuram	552722	25	22109	59691	10	5969	612413	35	17498
6	Palakkad	455911	36	12664	74305	6	12384	530216	42	12624
7	Thrissur	459526	80	5744	180345	18	10019	639871	98	6529
8	Eranakulam	364881	69	5288	328280	32	10259	693161	101	6863
9	Idukki	252256	39	6468	13088	3	4363	265344	42	6318
10	Kottayam	368727	51	7230	65793	8	8224	434520	59	7365
11	Alappuzha	345928	100	3459	138032	19	7265	483960	119	4067
12	Pathanamthitta	268498	75	3580	28636	8	3580	297134	83	3580
13	Kollam	491734	213	2309	101580	19	5346	593314	232	2557
14	Thiruvananthapuram	505653	234	2161	253729	54	4699	759382	288	2637
	State	5010259	1076	4656	1716097	214	8019	6726356	1290	5214

Table 4

District wise Number of Markets According To Distance From Bus Route

SI No	District	No. Km	Below 0.10 Km	0.1 To 0.5 Km	0.5 To 1 Km	Above 1 Km	Total
1	Kasaragod	12	0	1	0	5	18
2	Kannur	42	4	7	1	1	55
3	Wayanad	17	8	2	0	0	27
4	Kozhikkode	76	2	0	6	7	91
5	Malappuram	28	0	4	0	3	35
6	Palakkad	33	0	6	3	0	42
7	Thrissur	55	7	18	12	6	98
8	Eranakulam	54	9	22	10	6	101
9	Idukki	26	2	13	0	1	42
10	Kottayam	41	7	9	2	0	59
11	Alappuzha	70	9	23	11	6	119
12	Pathanamthitta	67	3	10	2	1	83
13	Kollam	195	10	15	7	5	232
14	Thiruvananthapuram	219	32	28	9	0	288
	State	935	93	158	63	41	1290

Table 4(A)

District wise Number of Markets According To Distance From Bus Route

Sl No	District	Municipal Corporation					Municipality				
		0 Km	Below 0.10 Km	0.1 To 0.5 Km	0.5 To 1 Km	Above 1 Km	0 Km	Below 0.10 Km	0.1 To 0.5 Km	0.5 To 1 Km	Above 1 Km
1	Kasaragod	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1
2	Kannur	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	4	0	1
3	Wayanad	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
4	Kozhikkode	10	0	0	2	1	4	0	0	0	2
5	Malappuram	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	1	0	2
6	Palakkad	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	3	0
7	Thrissur	3	0	2	1	0	7	0	1	1	3
8	Eranakulam	8	1	1	4	1	5	0	5	4	3
9	Idukki	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
10	Kottayam	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	3	0	0
11	Alappuzha	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	3	2	1
12	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0
13	Kollam	18	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
14	Thiruvananthapuram	19	5	3	5	0	19	1	2	0	0
State		58	6	6	12	3	81	5	20	10	13

Table 4(A) (Contd.)

Sl No	District	Panchayath				
		0 Km	Below 0.10 Km	0.1 To 0.5 Km	0.5 To 1 Km	Above 1 Km
1	Kasaragod	10	0	1	0	4
2	Kannur	34	4	3	1	0
3	Wayanad	17	6	2	0	0
4	Kozhikkode	62	2	0	4	4
5	Malappuram	21	0	3	0	1
6	Palakkad	31	0	5	0	0
7	Thrissur	45	7	15	10	3
8	Eranakulam	41	8	16	2	2
9	Idukki	23	2	13	0	1
10	Kottayam	38	5	6	2	0
11	Alappuzha	57	9	20	9	5
12	Pathanamthitta	59	3	10	2	1
13	Kollam	177	10	15	7	4
14	Thiruvananthapuram	181	26	23	4	0
State		796	82	132	41	25

Table 5

District wise Number of Markets And Operational Area (In Cents)

Sl No	District	Local Body		Private		Others		Total	
		Nos..	Area	Nos..	Area	Nos..	Area	Nos..	Area
1	Kasaragod	13	579	1	3	4	85	18	667
2	Kannur	9	120	30	355	16	461	55	936
3	Wayanad	15	1407	8	1524	4	575	27	3506
4	Kozhikkode	63	2673	19	629	9	631	91	3933
5	Malappuram	19	1143	9	140	7	1371	35	2654
6	Palakkad	19	2357	12	1063	11	139	42	3559
7	Thrissur	39	5653	29	855	30	1174	98	7682
8	Eranakulam	64	4495	14	737	23	2635	101	7867
9	Idukki	18	1343	8	259	16	461	42	2063
10	Kottayam	45	2812	9	291	5	125	59	3228
11	Alappuzha	61	2877	43	1645	15	339	119	4861
12	Pathanamthitta	66	4382	13	474	4	85	83	4941
13	Kollam	141	7979	71	2101	20	473	232	10553
14	Thiruvananthapuram	181	9145	65	1326	42	4521	288	14992
State		753	46965	331	11402	206	13075	1290	71442

Table 5(A)

District wise Number of Markets And Operational Area (In Cents)

Sl No	District	Municipal Corporation		Municipality		Panchayath		Total	
		Nos.	Area	Nos.	Area	Nos.	Area	Nos.	Area
1	Kasaragod	0	0	3	105	15	562	18	667
2	Kannur	0	0	13	331	42	605	55	936
3	Wayanad	0	0	2	80	25	3426	27	3506
4	Kozhikkode	13	704	6	217	72	3012	91	3933
5	Malappuram	0	0	10	1104	25	1550	35	2654
6	Palakkad	0	0	6	890	36	2669	42	3559
7	Thrissur	6	3050	12	2081	80	2551	98	7682
8	Eranakulam	15	1720	17	2600	69	3547	101	7867
9	Idukki	0	0	3	99	39	1964	42	2063
10	Kottayam	0	0	8	933	51	2295	59	3228
11	Alappuzha	0	0	19	1132	100	3729	119	4861
12	Pathanamthitta	0	0	8	1240	75	3701	83	4941
13	Kollam	19	2661	0	0	213	7892	232	10553
14	Thiruvananthapuram	32	3699	22	3083	234	8210	288	14992
State		85	11834	129	13895	1076	45713	1290	71442

Table 5(B)

District wise Number of Markets And Operational Area Range

Sl No	District	Upto 5 Cents	6 - 10 Cents	11 - 25 Cents	26 - 50 Cents	51 - 100 Cents	101 - 500 Cents	Above 500 Cents	Total
1	Kasaragod	5	2	3	7	0	1	0	18
2	Kannur	38	5	6	1	2	3	0	55
3	Wayanad	6	2	7	3	2	5	2	27
4	Kozhikkode	55	6	7	7	6	9	1	91
5	Malappuram	10	1	5	6	9	4	0	35
6	Palakkad	9	1	7	9	6	9	1	42
7	Thrissur	20	14	26	17	9	8	4	98
8	Eranakulam	3	11	27	32	11	16	1	101
9	Idukki	1	4	10	15	8	4	0	42
10	Kottayam	0	10	8	22	13	6	0	59
11	Alappuzha	20	12	46	21	12	8	0	119
12	Pathanamthitta	7	3	21	28	13	11	0	83
13	Kollam	15	34	70	75	26	10	2	232
14	Thiruvananthapuram	20	50	73	94	36	13	2	288
	State	209	155	316	337	153	107	13	1290

Table 6

District wise Number of Markets According To Accommodation Facility

Sl No	District	Bunk or Stalls	Permanent Shops	Temporary Stalls	Self Arrangement	Open Sheds	Open Space	Others
1	Kasaragod	8	4	3	5	6	8	1
2	Kannur	2	8	3	9	12	30	0
3	Wayanad	10	8	3	6	4	7	4
4	Kozhikkode	43	16	13	23	19	30	2
5	Malappuram	12	9	7	7	7	19	2
6	Palakkad	10	14	6	7	8	34	0
7	Thrissur	22	33	22	27	19	41	9
8	Eranakulam	40	37	12	17	30	46	9
9	Idukki	15	9	17	20	18	20	4
10	Kottayam	33	24	7	20	17	24	3
11	Alappuzha	49	58	15	36	29	80	0
12	Pathanamthitta	41	54	41	41	34	78	12
13	Kollam	84	105	118	124	120	170	20
14	Thiruvananthapuram	111	95	99	112	80	241	13
	State	480	474	366	454	403	828	79

Table-6(A)

Number of Markets In Municipal Corporation According To Accommodation

Sl No	District	Bunk or Stalls	Permanent Shops	Temporary Stalls	Self Arrangement	Open Sheds	Open Space	Others
1	Kasaragod	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	Kannur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	Wayanad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	Kozhikkode	9	5	1	1	1	3	0
5	Malappuram	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	Palakkad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	Thrissur	3	2	0	0	0	1	0
8	Eranakulam	7	3	2	2	2	4	0
9	Idukki	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	Kottayam	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	Alappuzha	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	Kollam	13	12	11	14	16	15	5
14	Thiruvananthapuram	18	15	9	12	12	30	0
	State	50	37	23	29	31	53	5

Table 6(B)

Number of Markets In Municipality According To Accommodation

Sl No	District	Bunk or Stalls	Permanent Shops	Temporary Stalls	Self Arrangement	Open Sheds	Open Space	Others
1	Kasaragod	3	2	0	0	1	2	0
2	Kannur	1	3	0	3	1	7	0
3	Wayanad	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
4	Kozhikkode	2	2	3	2	1	1	0
5	Malappuram	6	3	3	3	3	7	1
6	Palakkad	2	2	0	1	1	5	0
7	Thrissur	3	4	5	3	2	6	1
8	Eranakulam	10	7	2	5	3	7	2
9	Idukki	1	1	1	0	1	0	0
10	Kottayam	3	2	1	2	3	4	0
11	Alappuzha	10	11	2	4	8	13	0
12	Pathanamthitta	6	5	3	6	6	8	2
13	Kollam	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	Thiruvananthapuram	11	10	7	3	5	17	1
	State	59	52	27	32	35	78	7

Table 6(C)

Number of Markets In Grama Panchayat According To Accommodation

Sl No	District	Bunk or Stalls	Permanent Shops	Temporary Stalls	Self Arrangement	Open Sheds	Open Space	Others
1	Kasaragod	5	2	3	5	5	6	1
2	Kannur	1	5	3	6	11	23	0
3	Wayanad	9	8	3	6	4	6	4
4	Kozhikkode	32	9	9	20	17	26	2
5	Malappuram	6	6	4	4	4	12	1
6	Palakkad	8	12	6	6	7	29	0
7	Thrissur	16	27	17	24	17	34	8
8	Eranakulam	23	27	8	10	25	35	7
9	Idukki	14	8	16	20	17	20	4
10	Kottayam	30	22	6	18	14	20	3
11	Alappuzha	39	47	13	32	21	67	0
12	Pathanamthitta	35	49	38	35	28	70	10
13	Kollam	71	93	107	110	104	155	15
14	Thiruvananthapuram	82	70	83	97	63	194	12
	State	371	385	316	393	337	697	67

Table 7

District wise Number of Markets According To Facilities

SI No	District	Number of Markets	Electricity	Water	Toilet
1	Kasaragod	18	7	9	3
2	Kannur	55	11	13	6
3	Wayanad	27	18	18	14
4	Kozhikkode	91	53	46	23
5	Malappuram	35	16	14	9
6	Palakkad	42	24	23	13
7	Thrissur	98	51	59	32
8	Eranakulam	101	73	81	54
9	Idukki	42	30	27	25
10	Kottayam	59	27	27	23
11	Alappuzha	119	60	56	23
12	Pathanamthitta	83	46	45	25
13	Kollam	232	122	108	63
14	Thiruvananthapuram	288	57	84	77
	State	1290	595	610	390

Table 7(A)
District wise Number of Markets According To Facilities

Sl No	District	Municipal Corporation				Municipality				Panchayath			
		Number of Markets	Electricity	Water	Toilet	Number of Markets	Electricity	Water	Toilet	Number of Markets	Electricity	Water	Toilet
1	Kasaragod	0	0	0	0	3	1	1	0	15	6	8	3
2	Kannur	0	0	0	0	13	5	4	2	42	6	9	4
3	Wayanad	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	1	25	17	17	13
4	Kozhikkode	13	13	9	4	6	5	3	3	72	35	34	16
5	Malappuram	0	0	0	0	10	5	5	2	25	11	9	7
6	Palakkad	0	0	0	0	6	4	3	2	36	20	20	11
7	Thrissur	6	5	6	6	12	7	6	6	80	39	47	20
8	Eranakulam	15	13	10	9	17	15	16	13	69	45	55	32
9	Idukki	0	0	0	0	3	3	3	2	39	27	24	23
10	Kottayam	0	0	0	0	8	7	7	6	51	20	20	17
11	Alappuzha	0	0	0	0	19	14	11	6	100	46	45	17
12	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0	0	8	7	6	4	75	39	39	21
13	Kollam	19	14	12	9	0	0	0	0	213	108	96	54
14	Thiruvananthapuram	32	11	16	21	22	10	11	11	234	36	57	45
	State	85	56	53	49	129	84	77	58	1076	455	480	283

Table 8

District wise Number of Markets According To Periodicity

SI No	District	Daily	Weekly	2 Days In a Week	3 Days In a Week	4-6 Days In a Week	Fort-nightly	Monthly	Half Yearly	Yearly	Others	Total
1	Kasaragod	11	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	18
2	Kannur	37	4	2	0	4	0	0	1	6	1	55
3	Wayanad	18	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	27
4	Kozhikkode	63	15	1	1	2	0	0	0	8	1	91
5	Malappuram	12	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	35
6	Palakkad	11	23	6	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	42
7	Thrissur	69	13	12	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	98
8	Ernakulam	62	9	22	2	3	0	0	0	3	0	101
9	Idukki	7	27	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	42
10	Kottayam	28	5	21	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	59
11	Alappuzha	94	3	10	1	0	3	3	0	5	0	119
12	Pathanamthitta	9	5	55	2	5	1	5	0	1	0	83
13	Kollam	158	10	53	5	1	0	4	0	1	0	232
14	Thiruvananthapuram	242	4	31	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	288
	State	821	147	219	19	27	4	13	1	36	3	1290

Table 9
District wise Number of Markets According To Nature of Working

Sl No	District	Forenoon	Afternoon	Throughout Day Time	Part Day and Part Night	Throughout Day Time And Partly Night	Night Only	Throughout Day and Night	Others	Total
1	Kasaragod	5	0	10	0	2	0	0	1	18
2	Kannur	10	14	21	1	5	0	3	1	55
3	Wayanad	1	0	9	0	13	0	4	0	27
4	Kozhikkode	10	3	32	10	33	0	3	0	91
5	Malappuram	9	0	22	1	1	0	2	0	35
6	Palakkad	4	10	13	2	12	0	1	0	42
7	Thrissur	16	13	51	3	13	0	1	1	98
8	Eranakulam	13	12	46	8	19	0	2	1	101
9	Idukki	1	5	27	1	8	0	0	0	42
10	Kottayam	17	5	27	3	7	0	0	0	59
11	Alappuzha	21	21	47	9	13	2	6	0	119
12	Pathanamthitta	55	5	20	1	1	0	0	1	83
13	Kollam	139	28	43	6	9	3	2	2	232
14	Thiruvananthapuram	233	15	25	5	5	1	0	4	288
	State	534	131	393	50	141	6	24	11	1290

Table 10
District wise Rate of Average Cess In Markets (Rs.)

Sl No	District	Head Load	Two Wheeler	Three Wheeler	Mini Lorry	Large Truck	Bullock Cart	Hand Cart	Others
1	Kasaragod	4.46	4.33	25.50	78.75	163.00	4.67	3.00	70.00
2	Kannur	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	106.00
3	Wayanad	5.00	6.00	20.00	30.00	62.50	0.00	0.00	193.00
4	Kozhikkode	2.20	4.50	21.67	81.25	137.50	0.00	10.00	4.60
5	Malappuram	4.50	6.20	8.00	13.75	35.00	0.00	0.00	100.00
6	Palakkad	4.03	4.63	13.25	67.24	20.00	17.57	9.00	5.50
7	Thrissur	7.28	9.50	16.41	64.75	142.69	62.40	26.14	48.00
8	Eranakulam	3.05	8.00	24.83	96.62	132.31	10.88	7.00	33.56
9	Idukki	6.47	4.00	8.29	33.18	58.13	0.00	0.00	15.00
10	Kottayam	3.14	5.56	8.68	19.58	33.64	18.00	12.88	38.50
11	Alappuzha	3.62	4.51	11.21	23.48	60.71	8.43	6.38	9.94
12	Pathanamthitta	3.14	8.40	10.72	25.58	35.59	11.67	11.50	11.82
13	Kollam	5.77	9.72	15.49	44.52	25.86	19.06	11.84	7.41
14	Thiruvananthapuram	3.74	6.97	13.95	30.69	57.29	14.15	9.06	6.94
	State	4.34	6.33	15.23	46.88	74.17	18.53	10.68	46.45

Table 10(A)
District wise Rate of Average Cess in Municipal Corporation(Rs.)

Sl No	District	Head Load	Two Wheeler	Three Wheeler	Mini Lorry	Large Truck	Bullock Cart	Hand Cart	Others
1	Kasaragod	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	Kannur	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3	Wayanad	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
4	Kozhikkode	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5	Malappuram	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
6	Palakkad	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7	Thrissur	1.98	0.00	30.00	250.00	266.67	100.00	100.00	2.50
8	Eranakulam	4.29	50.00	50.00	322.22	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
9	Idukki	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
10	Kottayam	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
11	Alappuzha	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
12	Pathanamthitta	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
13	Kollam	7.20	12.63	21.18	41.07	78.00	28.00	18.85	16.50
14	Thiruvananthapuram	2.86	4.27	12.13	21.82	40.00	10.00	7.73	6.60
	State	4.08	22.30	28.33	129.02	171.17	46.00	42.19	8.53

Table 10(B)

District wise Rate of Average Cess in Municipality Markets(Rs.)

Sl No	District	Head Load	Two Wheeler	Three Wheeler	Mini Lorry	Large Truck	Bullock Cart	Hand Cart	Others
1	Kasaragod	2.33	3.33	7.67	16.67	26.67	8.00	0.00	10.00
2	Kannur	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3	Wayanad	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
4	Kozhikkode	3.50	7.00	20.00	50.00	75.00	0.00	10.00	7.00
5	Malappuram	2.00	3.00	6.00	15.00	27.50	0.00	0.00	0.00
6	Palakkad	3.67	3.67	10.00	13.33	5.00	5.00	10.00	5.00
7	Thrissur	11.33	7.50	20.71	43.75	120.83	2.00	6.00	114.33
8	Eranakulam	2.60	3.75	10.80	31.82	66.25	10.25	4.60	22.17
9	Idukki	30.00	5.00	5.00	75.00	125.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
10	Kottayam	5.67	3.00	5.00	25.00	37.50	10.00	5.00	0.00
11	Alappuzha	2.90	5.25	11.88	28.75	65.38	13.50	7.83	16.00
12	Pathanamthitta	2.14	4.14	8.33	20.83	32.00	10.00	5.00	10.00
13	Kollam	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
14	Thiruvananthapuram	4.71	9.88	22.71	47.50	110.00	18.33	12.00	7.40
	State	6.44	5.05	11.65	33.42	62.83	9.64	7.55	23.99

Table 10(C)
District wise Rate of Average Cess in Panchayath Markets (Rs.)

Sl No	District	Head Load	Two Wheeler	Three Wheeler	Mini Lorry	Large Truck	Bullock Cart	Hand Cart	Others
1	Kasaragod	5.05	5.33	32.19	99.44	221.43	3.00	3.00	130.00
2	Kannur	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	106.00
3	Wayanad	5.00	6.00	20.00	30.00	62.50	0.00	0.00	193.00
4	Kozhikkode	1.33	2.00	22.50	132.50	200.00	0.00	0.00	3.00
5	Malappuram	5.33	8.33	10.00	12.50	50.00	0.00	0.00	100.00
6	Palakkad	4.12	4.94	14.33	88.80	28.57	22.60	7.75	6.00
7	Thrissur	7.00	12.50	10.50	21.67	82.50	10.00	6.00	30.00
8	Eranakulam	2.85	7.38	19.25	19.12	23.33	11.50	10.00	40.40
9	Idukki	5.00	3.00	8.83	29.00	48.57	0.00	0.00	15.00
10	Kottayam	2.84	5.73	9.05	19.09	32.78	20.00	15.50	38.50
11	Alappuzha	3.76	4.28	10.98	21.65	57.95	7.58	5.80	9.53
12	Pathanamthitta	3.25	8.98	11.08	26.26	37.08	12.50	12.22	12.00
13	Kollam	5.62	9.36	14.87	44.86	20.75	18.60	10.85	7.04
14	Thiruvananthapuram	3.79	7.09	13.26	29.58	50.94	14.41	8.81	7.00
	State	4.23	6.53	15.14	44.19	70.49	13.36	8.88	49.82

Table 11

District wise Number of Markets According To Products/ Services Available

Sl No	District	Number of Markets	Agricultural Produce	Non Agricultural Produce	Social and Community Services
1	Kasaragod	18	17	6	3
2	Kannur	55	48	9	2
3	Wayanad	27	22	10	3
4	Kozhikkode	91	88	27	11
5	Malappuram	35	31	17	3
6	Palakkad	42	39	23	4
7	Thrissur	98	93	33	10
8	Eranakulam	101	99	56	19
9	Idukki	42	40	15	0
10	Kottayam	59	57	30	7
11	Alappuzha	119	116	62	6
12	Pathanamthitta	83	81	56	7
13	Kollam	232	228	127	5
14	Thiruvananthapuram	288	286	201	25
	State	1290	1245	672	105

Table 11(A)

District wise Number of Markets According To Products/ Services Available

Sl No	District	Municipal Corporation			Municipality			Panchayath		
		Agricultural Produce	Non Agricultural Produce	Social and Community Services	Agricultural Produce	Non Agricultural Produce	Social and Community Services	Agricultural Produce	Non Agricultural Produce	Social and Community Services
1	Kasaragod	0	0	0	3	1	1	14	5	2
2	Kannur	0	0	0	11	3	0	37	6	2
3	Wayanad	0	0	0	2	0	0	20	10	3
4	Kozhikkode	13	2	1	6	3	3	69	22	7
5	Malappuram	0	0	0	8	7	2	23	10	1
6	Palakkad	0	0	0	5	3	0	34	20	4
7	Thrissur	5	1	0	12	8	3	76	24	7
8	Eranakulam	15	11	6	17	12	6	67	33	7
9	Idukki	0	0	0	3	1	0	37	14	0
10	Kottayam	0	0	0	8	4	2	49	26	5
11	Alappuzha	0	0	0	18	11	1	98	51	5
12	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0	7	6	0	74	50	7
13	Kollam	19	7	3	0	0	0	209	120	2
14	Thiruvananthapuram	32	11	0	20	16	1	234	174	24
	State	84	32	10	120	75	19	1041	565	76

Table 12
District wise Number of Markets And Number of Traders

Sl No	District	Number of Markets	Traders Buying Goods			Traders Selling Goods			Traders Buying and Selling Goods					
			With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total
1	Kasaragod	18	120	51	115	286	73	397	381	851	6	212	74	292
2	Kannur	55	10	100	244	354	471	123	2	596	203	189		392
3	Wayanad	27	58	147	150	355	132	251	445	828	12	30	300	342
4	Kozhikkode	91	26	29	45	100	454	1363	658	2475	23	38	67	128
5	Malappuram	35	256	329	315	900	595	291	446	1332	291	442	187	920
6	Palakkad	42	439	473	706	1618	771	1185	764	2720	123	251	120	494
7	Thrissur	98	757	463	2492	3712	1097	677	1092	2866	333	207	401	941
8	Eranakulam	101	1171	766	730	2667	1220	1044	1285	3549	659	436	665	1760
9	Idukki	42	220	199	446	865	1119	686	394	2199	90	180	137	407
10	Kottayam	59	343	264	309	916	822	526	321	1669	324	223	233	780
11	Alappuzha	119	254	197	548	999	733	1137	667	2537	106	120	278	504
12	Pathanamthitta	83	438	774	973	2185	862	1171	1216	3249	301	446	345	1097
13	Kollam	232	716	4773	2353	7842	1702	2730	4764	9196	672	929	2154	3755
14	Thiruvananthapuram	288	525	1808	1483	3816	1888	7587	2927	12402	559	1674	1023	3256
	State	1290	5333	10373	10665	26371	11712	19516	15483	46711	3516	5391	6173	15070

Table 12(A)
Number of Markets And Number of Traders According to Local Bodies

Sl No	District	Municipal Corporation		Municipality		Panchayath		Total	
		Number of Markets	Total No. of Traders	Number of Markets	Total No. of Traders	Number of Markets	Total No. of Traders	Number of Markets	Total No. of Traders
1	Kasaragod	0	0	3	522	15	507	18	1429
2	Kannur	0	0	13	651	42	691	55	1342
3	Wayanad	0	0	2	26	25	1499	27	1525
4	Kozhikkode	13	492	6	502	72	1709	91	2703
5	Malappuram	0	0	10	924	25	2228	35	3152
6	Palakkad	0	0	6	1410	36	3422	42	4832
7	Thrissur	6	1084	12	1256	80	5179	98	7519
8	Eranakulam	15	1325	17	2429	69	4222	101	7976
9	Idukki	0	0	3	116	39	3355	42	3471
10	Kottayam	0	0	8	736	51	2629	59	3365
11	Alappuzha	0	0	19	1006	100	3034	119	4040
12	Pathanamthitta	0	0	8	1357	75	5174	83	6531
13	Kollam	19	8731	0	0	213	12062	232	20793
14	Thiruvananthapuram	32	3403	22	2137	234	13934	288	19474
	State	85	15035	129	13072	1076	60045	1290	88152

Table 12(B)
District wise Number of Traders For Buying Goods

Sl No	District	Municipal Corporation				Municipality				Panchayath			
		With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total
1	Kasaragod	0	0	0	0	0	50	100	150	120	1	15	136
2	Kannur	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	7	100	0	107
3	Wayanad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	58	147	150	355
4	Kozhikkode	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	26	28	45	99
5	Malappuram	0	0	0	0	88	70	193	351	168	259	122	549
6	Palakkad	0	0	0	0	53	75	48	176	386	398	658	1442
7	Thrissur	175	65	50	290	213	168	442	823	369	230	2000	2599
8	Eranakulam	106	26	10	142	592	292	376	1260	473	448	344	1265
9	Idukki	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	220	199	445	864
10	Kottayam	0	0	0	0	57	90	75	222	286	174	234	694
11	Alappuzha	0	0	0	0	33	22	64	119	221	175	484	880
12	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0	0	61	182	271	514	377	592	702	1671
13	Kollam	32	4078	936	5046	0	0	0	0	684	695	1417	2796
14	Thiruvananthapuram	91	252	69	412	29	177	448	654	405	1379	966	2750
	State	404	4421	1065	5890	1129	1127	2018	4274	3800	4825	7582	16207

Table 12(C)
District wise Number of Traders For Selling Goods

Sl No	District	Municipal Corporation				Municipality				Panchayath			
		With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total
1	Kasaragod	0	0	0	0	15	60	145	220	58	337	236	631
2	Kannur	0	0	0	0	160	134	53	347	84	337	70	491
3	Wayanad	0	0	0	0	13	7	6	26	119	244	439	802
4	Kozhikkode	266	122	96	484	16	370	60	446	172	871	502	1545
5	Malappuram	0	0	0	0	189	69	110	368	406	222	336	964
6	Palakkad	0	0	0	0	450	453	275	1178	321	732	489	1542
7	Thrissur	254	157	92	503	147	91	86	324	696	429	914	2039
8	Eranakulam	313	104	285	702	294	316	103	713	613	624	897	2134
9	Idukki	0	0	0	0	41	13	47	101	1078	673	347	2098
10	Kottayam	0	0	0	0	124	109	61	294	698	417	260	1375
11	Alappuzha	0	0	0	0	349	351	118	818	384	786	549	1719
12	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0	0	114	326	181	621	748	845	1035	2628
13	Kollam	362	223	1750	2335	0	0	0	0	1340	2507	3014	6861
14	Thiruvananthapuram	608	1001	829	2438	168	697	343	1208	1112	5889	1755	8756
	State	1803	1607	3052	6462	2080	2996	1588	6664	7829	14913	10843	33585

Table 12(D)
District wise Number of Traders For Buying And Selling Goods

SI No	District	Municipal Corporation			Municipality			Panchayath					
		With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total
1	Kasaragod	0	0	0	0	0	97	55	152	6	115	19	140
2	Kannur	0	0	0	0	0	138	163	301	2	65	26	93
3	Wayanad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	30	300	342
4	Kozhikkode	8	0	0	8	15	17	23	55	0	21	44	65
5	Malappuram	0	0	0	0	87	25	93	205	204	417	94	715
6	Palakkad	0	0	0	0	50	6	0	56	73	245	120	438
7	Thrissur	167	74	50	291	21	67	21	109	145	66	330	541
8	Eranakulam	267	115	99	481	200	100	156	456	192	221	410	823
9	Idukki	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	14	76	180	137	393
10	Kottayam	0	0	0	0	98	80	42	220	226	143	191	560
11	Alappuzha	0	0	0	0	16	12	41	69	90	108	237	435
12	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0	0	28	131	63	222	278	315	282	875
13	Kollam	187	372	791	1350	0	0	0	0	485	557	1363	2405
14	Thiruvananthapuram	162	298	93	553	45	107	123	275	352	1269	807	2428
	State	791	859	1033	2683	574	780	780	2134	2141	3752	4360	10253

Table 12 (E)
Total Traders In Markets According To Type

Sl. No.	District	Vegetable	Fish	All Items Except Animals and Birds	Animals and Birds	All Items Including Animals and Birds	Total
1	Kasaragod	43	757	557	0	72	1429
2	Kannur	87	583	222	242	208	1342
3	Wayanad	85	83	557	760	40	1525
4	Kozhikkode	332	625	747	96	903	2703
5	Malappuram	0	492	1023	358	1279	3152
6	Palakkad	1168	215	2229	130	1090	4832
7	Thrissur	2107	2319	1355	852	886	7519
8	Eranakulam	2729	759	1278	546	2664	7976
9	Idukki	1154	163	1075	275	804	3471
10	Kottayam	434	632	963	23	1313	3365
11	Alappuzha	124	248	2527	613	528	4040
12	Pathanamthitta	167	178	3433	477	2276	6531
13	Kollam	686	8796	6893	1402	3016	20793
14	Thiruvananthapuram	1197	553	10767	775	6182	19474
	State	10313	16403	33626	6549	21261	88152

Table 12 (F)

Total Traders In Markets According To Nature of Working

Sl No	District	Forenoon	Afternoon	Through Out Day Time	Part Day and Part Night
1	Kasaragod	308	0	807	0
2	Kannur	323	58	625	6
3	Wayanad	25	0	152	0
4	Kozhikkode	109	101	621	98
5	Malappuram	473	0	1889	165
6	Palakkad	380	825	1466	38
7	Thrissur	1357	231	4146	124
8	Eranakulam	895	883	3435	537
9	Idukki	175	184	2210	66
10	Kottayam	1043	120	1724	76
11	Alappuzha	969	437	1295	257
12	Pathanamthitta	3555	131	2317	65
13	Kollam	6982	1283	2611	201
14	Thiruvananthapuram	13957	431	2695	285
	State	30551	4684	25993	1918

Table 12 (F) Contd

Sl No	District	Throughout Day Time And Partly Night	Night Only	Throughout Day and Night	Others	Total
1	Kasaragod	282	0	0	32	1429
2	Kannur	130	0	192	8	1342
3	Wayanad	833	0	515	0	1525
4	Kozhikkode	1481	0	293	0	2703
5	Malappuram	10	0	615	0	3152
6	Palakkad	2083	0	40	0	4832
7	Thrissur	1152	0	440	69	7519
8	Eranakulam	1769	0	98	359	7976
9	Idukki	836	0	0	0	3471
10	Kottayam	402	0	0	0	3365
11	Alappuzha	534	83	465	0	4040
12	Pathanamthitta	380	0	0	83	6531
13	Kollam	8413	326	425	552	20793
14	Thiruvananthapuram	1578	21	0	507	19474
	State	19883	430	3083	1610	88152

Table 12(G)
District wise Number of Traders in Daily Market

Sl No	District	No. of Markets	Traders Buying Goods			Traders Selling Goods		
			With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Kasaragod	11	20	51	115	48	285	132
2	Kannur	37	10			154	232	50
3	Wayanad	18	58	2		117	9	30
4	Kozhikkode	63	1		5	328	573	144
5	Malappuram	12	90	211	186	281	104	21
6	Palakkad	11	131	181	116	465	363	280
7	Thrissur	69	525	151	2158	685	302	610
8	Eranakulam	62	913	332	368	855	437	259
9	Idukki	7	110	30	15	304	25	74
10	Kottayam	28	167	133	143	360	256	108
11	Alappuzha	94	146	103	169	647	819	232
12	Pathanamthitta	9	4	28	111	61	83	38
13	Kollam	158	495	4361	1585	1296	1682	3454
14	Thiruvananthapuram	242	347	1246	894	1581	6196	2368
State		821	3017	6829	5865	7182	11366	7800

Table 12(G) Contd.

Sl No	District	Traders Buying And Selling Goods			Total Traders			
		With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total
1	2	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	Kasaragod	6	175	62	74	511	309	894
2	Kannur	2	188	189	166	420	239	825
3	Wayanad	12	5		187	16	30	233
4	Kozhikkode	8	5		337	578	149	1064
5	Malappuram	76	41	20	447	356	227	1030
6	Palakkad	80	46	25	676	590	421	1687
7	Thrissur	279	118	153	1489	571	2921	4981
8	Eranakulam	536	235	266	2304	1004	893	4201
9	Idukki	46	11	25	460	66	114	640
10	Kottayam	117	83	91	644	472	342	1458
11	Alappuzha	69	69	102	862	991	503	2356
12	Pathanamthitta	14	20	29	79	131	178	388
13	Kollam	384	648	1320	2175	6691	6359	15225
14	Thiruvananthapuram	445	1171	650	2373	8613	3912	14898
	State	2074	2815	2932	12273	21010	16597	49880

Table 12(H)

District wise Number of Traders in Weekly Market

Sl No	District	No. of Markets	Traders Buying Goods			Traders Selling Goods		
			With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Kasaragod	5			25	84	145	
2	Kannur	4				7	11	
3	Wayanad	4	120	150	15	75	50	
4	Kozhikkode	15	25	29	34	68	242	92
5	Malappuram	20	71	63	99	219	117	320
6	Palakkad	23	300	291	522	295	775	409
7	Thrissur	13	35	63	256	72	49	267
8	Eranakulam	9	12	7	108	31	35	473
9	Idukki	27	74	106	398	762	509	268
10	Kottayam	5	12	16	7	94	62	17
11	Alappuzha	3	13	7	34	6	7	6
12	Pathanamthitta	5	19	12	14	27	37	42
13	Kollam	10	41	92	186	139	150	440
14	Thiruvananthapuram	4	15	130	294	22	230	50
State		147	617	936	2102	1775	2379	2590

Table 12(H) Contd.

Sl No	District	Traders Buying And Selling Goods			Total Traders			
		With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total
1	2	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	Kasaragod		37	12	84	182	37	303
2	Kannoor				7	11	0	18
3	Wyanad		25	300	195	225	315	735
4	Kozhikkode	15	31	35	108	302	161	571
5	Malappuram	70	276	107	360	456	526	1342
6	Palakkad	43	205	95	638	1271	1026	2935
7	Thrissur	40	2	229	147	114	752	1013
8	Eranakulam	10	30	31	53	72	612	737
9	Idukki	28	148	96	864	763	762	2389
10	Kottayam	15	6	15	121	84	39	244
11	Alappuzha	9	8	4	28	22	44	94
12	Pathanamthitta	24	15	5	70	64	61	195
13	Kollam	82	70	150	262	312	776	1350
14	Thiruvananthapuram	20	35	60	57	395	404	856
State		356	888	1139	2748	4203	5831	12782

Table 12 (I)

District wise Number of Traders in Markets Functioning in Two days in a Week

Sl No	District	No. of Markets	Traders Buying Goods			Traders Selling Goods		
			With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop
1	Kannur	2		100			124	
2	Wayanad	1		25			17	
3	Kozhikkode	1			6			50
4	Palakkad	6			60	10	35	75
5	Thrissur	12	197	249	68	168	120	80
6	Eranakulam	22	231	379	241	265	490	311
7	Idukki	5	17	54	5	8	110	34
8	Kottayam	21	153	115	159	304	188	176
9	Alappuzha	10	62	63	92	47	117	58
10	Pathanamthitta	55	393	652	562	729	933	736
11	Kollam	53	156	295	512	212	823	735
12	Thiruvananthapuram	31	138	405	287	193	854	494
State		219	1347	2337	1992	1936	3811	2749

Table 12(I) Contd

Sl No	District	Traders Buying And Selling Goods			Total Traders			
		With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total
1	Kannur		15		0	239	0	239
2	Wayanad				0	42	0	42
3	Kozhikkode			2	0	0	58	58
4	Palakkad				10	35	135	180
5	Thrissur	14	84	19	379	453	167	999
6	Eranakulam	105	168	352	601	1037	904	2542
7	Idukki	8	16	10	33	180	49	262
8	Kottayam	133	134	127	590	437	462	1489
9	Alappuzha	19	35	46	128	215	196	539
10	Pathanamthitta	252	385	256	1374	1970	1554	4898
11	Kollam	186	180	617	554	1298	1864	3716
12	Thiruvananthapuram	94	419	307	425	1678	1088	3191
State		811	1436	1736	4094	7584	6477	18155

Table 12(J)

District wise Number of Traders in Markets Functioning in Three days in a Week

Sl No	District	No. of Markets	Traders Buying Goods			Traders Selling Goods		
			With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Kozhikkode	1					24	20
2	Thrissur	1				2	2	5
3	Eranakulam	2	13	8	13	41	10	13
4	Idukki	1	12	4	3	5	6	3
5	Kottayam	2				25	12	6
6	Alappuzha	1				15	6	
7	Pathanamthitta	2		38	10	4	50	125
8	Kollam	5	24	16	37	47	26	30
9	Thiruvananthapuram	4		12	3	7	92	5
State		19	49	78	66	146	228	207

Table 12(J)Contd

Sl No	District	Traders Buying And Selling Goods			Total Traders			
		With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total
1	2	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	Kozhikkode				0	24	20	44
2	Thrissur				2	2	5	9
3	Eranakulam	8	3	7	62	21	33	116
4	Idukki	3	2	4	20	12	10	42
5	Kottayam	25			50	12	6	68
6	Alappuzha				15	6	0	21
7	Pathanamthitta		9	5	4	97	140	241
8	Kollam	20	21	32	91	63	99	253
9	Thiruvananthapuram		12	2	7	116	10	133
State		56	47	50	251	353	323	927

Table 12(K)

District wise Number of Traders in Markets Functioning in More than Three days But Less than Seven Days in a Week

Sl No	District	No. of Markets	Traders Buying Goods			Traders Selling Goods		
			With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Kannur	4					18	
2	Kozhikkode	2					68	
3	Palakkad	1	8	1		1		16
4	Eranakulam	3	2	40		23	18	
5	Idukki	2	7	5	25	40	36	15
6	Kottayam	2	11			39	8	4
7	Pathanamthitta	5	22	36	31	33	33	60
8	Kollam	1			3	8	14	4
9	Thiruvananthapuram	7	25	15	5	85	215	10
State		27	75	97	64	229	410	109

Table 12(K)Contd

Sl No	District	Traders Buying And Selling Goods			Total Traders			
		With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total
1	2	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	Kozhikkode				0	18	0	18
2	Thrissur				0	68	0	68
3	Eranakulam				9	1	16	26
4	Idukki				25	58	0	83
5	Kottayam	5	3	2	52	44	42	138
6	Alappuzha	34			84	8	4	96
7	Pathanamthitta	16	10	8	71	79	99	249
8	Kollam				8	14	7	29
9	Thiruvananthapuram		37	4	110	267	19	396
State		55	50	14	359	557	187	1103

Table 12(L)
District wise Number of Traders in Fortnightly Market

Sl No	District	No. of Markets	Traders Buying Goods			Traders Selling Goods		
			With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Alappuzha	3			170			180
2	Pathanamthitta	1			85			35
State		4			255			215

Table 12(L)Contd

Sl No	District	Traders Buying And Selling Goods			Total Traders			
		With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total
1	2	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	Alappuzha			85	0	0	435	435
2	Pathanamthitta			10	0	0	130	130
State				95	0	0	565	565

Table 12(M)
District wise Number of Traders in Monthly Market

Sl No	District	No. of Markets	Traders Buying Goods			Traders Selling Goods		
			With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Palakkad	1			8		12	
2	Alappuzha	3			67			85
3	Pathanamthitta	5						160
4	Kollam	4		6	28		25	91
	State	13		6	263		37	336

Table 12(M)Contd

Sl No	District	Traders Buying And Selling Goods			Total Traders			
		With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total
1	2	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	Palakkad				0	12	8	20
2	Alappuzha			26	0	0	178	178
3	Pathanamthitta				0	0	160	160
4	Kollam		10	35	0	41	154	195
	State		10	88	0	53	687	740

Table 12(N)
District wise Number of Traders in Half Yearly Market

Sl No	District	No. of Markets	Traders Buying Goods			Traders Selling Goods		
			With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Kannur	1					2	
	State	1					2	

Table 12(N)Contd

Sl No	District	Traders Buying And Selling Goods			Total Traders			
		With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total
1	2	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	Kannur				0	2	0	2
	State				0	2	0	2

Table 12(O)
District wise Number of Traders in Yearly Market

Sl No	District	No. of Markets	Traders Buying Goods			Traders Selling Goods		
			With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop
1	Kasaragod	2	100				28	104
2	Kannur	6				90	84	62
3	Wayanad	4					150	365
4	Kozhikkode	8				48	442	336
5	Malappuram	3	95	55	30	95	70	105
6	Thrissur	2			10	140	165	130
7	Eranakulam	3				5	54	229
8	Kottayam	1						10
9	Alappuzha	5	33	24	16	18	188	106
10	Pathanamthitta	1		8		8	35	20
11	Kollam	1		3	2		10	10
State		36	228	90	58	404	1226	1477

Table 12(O)Contd

Sl No	District	Traders Buying And Selling Goods			Total Traders			
		With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total
1	Kasaragod				100	28	104	232
2	Kannur				90	84	62	236
3	Wayanad				0	150	365	515
4	Kozhikkode			30	48	442	366	856
5	Malappuram	145	125	60	335	250	195	780
6	Thrissur		33		140	198	140	478
7	Eranakulam			9	5	54	238	297
8	Kottayam				0	0	10	10
9	Alappuzha	9	8	15	60	220	137	417
10	Pathanamthitta		7	5	8	50	25	83
11	Kollam				0	13	12	25
State		154	143	119	786	1459	1654	3899

Table 12(P)
District wise Number of Traders in Markets Functioning With Other Periodicity

Sl No	District	No. of Markets	Traders Buying Goods			Traders Selling Goods		
			With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Kannur	1					4	
2	Kozhikkode	1				10	14	
3	Thrissur	1				30	39	
State		3				40	57	

Table 12(P)

Sl No	District	Traders Buying And Selling Goods			Total Traders			
		With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	With Shops	With Fixed Place	Without Fixed Place or Shop	Total
1	2	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	Kannur					4		4
2	Kozhikkode			2	10	14	2	26
3	Thrissur				30	39		69
State				2	40	57	2	99

Table 13

District wise Number of Markets And Total Rent Paid (Rs.) By Traders Last Year

Sl No	District	Local Body		Private		Others		Total	
		Nos..	Rent	Nos..	Rent	Nos..	Rent	Nos..	Rent
1	Kasaragod	13	254685	1	0	4	1500	18	256185
2	Kannur	9	651114	30	338380	16	305385	55	1294879
3	Wayanad	15	2349308	8	1216700	4	209500	27	3775508
4	Kozhikkode	63	3491553	19	503400	9	135900	91	4130853
5	Malappuram	19	4005960	9	119736	7	78000	35	4203696
6	Palakkad	19	3983234	12	851000	11	89800	42	4924034
7	Thrissur	39	4991135	29	964500	30	505800	98	6461435
8	Eranakulam	64	27449896	14	2145000	23	2247260	101	31842156
9	Idukki	18	1079195	8	413300	16	269050	42	1761545
10	Kottayam	45	4148468	9	1269100	5	150000	59	5567568
11	Alappuzha	61	3822032	43	1166970	15	575775	119	5564777
12	Pathanamthitta	66	8470493	13	168100	4	62700	83	8701293
13	Kollam	141	14884340	71	2670600	20	798000	232	18352940
14	Thiruvananthapuram	181	17689975	65	3914565	42	885120	288	22489660
State		753	97271388	331	15741351	206	6313790	1290	119326529

Table 13(A)

Total Rent Paid by Traders

Sl No	District	Municipal Corporation	Municipality	Panchayath	Total
1	Kasaragod		3600	252585	256185
2	Kannur		910354	384525	1294879
3	Wayanad		212000	3563508	3775508
4	Kozhikkode	2978913	133650	1018290	4130853
5	Malappuram		2078400	2125296	4203696
6	Palakkad		2649300	2274734	4924034
7	Thrissur	3458298	849187	2153950	6461435
8	Eranakulam	23158400	4034686	4649070	31842156
9	Idukki		276000	1485545	1761545
10	Kottayam		1642345	3925223	5567568
11	Alappuzha		2734733	2830044	5564777
12	Pathanamthitta		2750400	5950893	8701293
13	Kollam	5810000		12542940	18352940
14	Thiruvananthapuram	4242607	3577231	14669822	22489660
State		39648218	21851886	57826425	119326529

Table 13(B)
Rent Paid By Traders According To Nature of Functioning of Markets

Sl. No.	District	Daily	Weekly	2 Days in a Week	3 Days in a Week	4 - 6 Days in a Week
1	Kasaragod	187085	67600	0	0	0
2	Kannur	999379	130200	22000	0	0
3	Wayanad	2944808	113300	50500	0	0
4	Kozhikkode	3542723	229280	0	15000	99400
5	Malappuram	3113036	1090660	0	0	0
6	Palakkad	2870319	2052515	0	0	1200
7	Thrissur	5171214	549984	655237	0	0
8	Eranakulam	29779036	239000	1538220	148900	107000
9	Idukki	330500	1191400	74000	18000	147645
10	Kottayam	2867171	422200	1737047	91150	450000
11	Alappuzha	4201641	20000	1112400	68086	0
12	Pathanamthitta	980850	118250	7119093	70500	182300
13	Kollam	14911310	702030	2445100	123500	80000
14	Thiruvananthapuram	19552299	648000	1822601	223320	243440
State		91451371	7574419	16576198	758456	1310985

Table 13(B) Contd

Sl. No.	District	Fortnightly	Monthly	Half Yearly	Yearly	Others	Total
1	Kasaragod	0	0	0	1500	0	256185
2	Kannur	0	0	0	143300	0	1294879
3	Wayanad	0	0	0	666900	0	3775508
4	Kozhikkode	0	0	0	242250	2200	4130853
5	Malappuram	0	0	0	0	0	4203696
6	Palakkad	0	0	0	0	0	4924034
7	Thrissur	0	0	0	30000	55000	6461435
8	Eranakulam	0	0	0	30000	0	31842156
9	Idukki	0	0	0	0	0	1761545
10	Kottayam	0	0	0	0	0	5567568
11	Alappuzha	35000	85000	0	42650	0	5564777
12	Pathanamthitta	40000	179300	0	11000	0	8701293
13	Kollam	0	91000	0	0	0	18352940
14	Thiruvananthapuram	0	0	0	0	0	22489660
State		75000	355300	0	1167600	57200	119326529

Table 13(C)

Total Rent Paid By Traders According To Type of Markets

Sl. No.	District	Vegetable	Fish	Except Animals and Birds	Animals and Birds	Including Animals and Birds	Total
1	Kasaragod	0	185620	70565	0	0	256185
2	Kannur	13800	372965	671114	142000	95000	1294879
3	Wayanad	263300	1085500	1220900	282336	923472	3775508
4	Kozhikkode	939820	1040783	172550	34000	1943700	4130853
5	Malappuram	0	719576	2270420	663600	550100	4203696
6	Palakkad	1303800	1197594	670115	63000	1689525	4924034
7	Thrissur	3694428	609650	565750	491634	1099973	6461435
8	Eranakulam	2448361	1038596	20852910	470000	7032289	31842156
9	Idukki	708850	77645	354050	82000	539000	1761545
10	Kottayam	310135	409995	977336	156200	3713902	5567568
11	Alappuzha	6000	499050	3813577	120000	1126150	5564777
12	Pathanamthitta	397450	81400	4433093	219300	3570050	8701293
13	Kollam	306000	3538200	10822440	456000	3230300	18352940
14	Thiruvananthapuram	590220	3317600	9592483	579000	8410357	22489660
	State	10982164	14174174	56487303	3759070	33923818	119326529

Table 13(D)

Rent Paid By Traders According To Nature of Working

Sl No	District	Forenoon	Afternoon	Throughout Day Time	Part Day and Part Night
1	Kasaragod	59600	0	171085	0
2	Kannur	479280	9000	587439	0
3	Wayanad	4500	0	755200	0
4	Kozhikkode	92900	5475	348195	133400
5	Malappuram	369976	0	3828920	0
6	Palakkad	93600	198930	2744604	1200
7	Thrissur	1035350	57500	2001465	178000
8	Eranakulam	601400	405400	5555030	1665100
9	Idukki	82000	141650	872895	36500
10	Kottayam	1430881	70575	2236211	22601
11	Alappuzha	520050	430983	2007361	563345
12	Pathanamthitta	5741400	121400	2676493	55000
13	Kollam	6820330	1210910	3837700	279000
14	Thiruvananthapuram	10745285	266850	5523623	108300
State		28076552	2918673	33146221	3042446

Table 13(D) Contd

Sl No	District	Throughout Day Time And Partly Night	Night Only	Throughout Day and Night	Others	Total
1	Kasaragod	24000	0	0	1500	256185
2	Kannur	87400	0	101700	30060	1294879
3	Wayanad	2348908	0	666900	0	3775508
4	Kozhikkode	3393383	0	157500	0	4130853
5	Malappuram	4800	0	0	0	4203696
6	Palakkad	1813700	0	72000	0	4924034
7	Thrissur	3104120	0	30000	55000	6461435
8	Eranakulam	23609226	0	0	6000	31842156
9	Idukki	628500	0	0	0	1761545
10	Kottayam	1807300	0	0	0	5567568
11	Alappuzha	1330388	70000	642650	0	5564777
12	Pathanamthitta	96000	0	0	11000	8701293
13	Kollam	4130000	150000	1500000	425000	18352940
14	Thiruvananthapuram	2560602	0	0	3285000	22489660
State		44938327	220000	3170750	3813560	119326529

Table 14

District wise Number of Consumers, Total Transactions And Average Transactions

Sl No	District	Local Body			Private		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction (in Rs.)	Average Transaction of Markets (in Rs.)	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction (in Rs.)	Average Transaction (in Rs.)
1	Kasaragod	16350	769300	59176	220	9600	9600
2	Kannur	6720	719800	79977	15595	2985250	99508
3	Wayanad	3286	1481201	98746	34489	414400	51800
4	Kozhikkode	65390	3170150	50319	34610	2223500	117026
5	Malappuram	17980	10779000	567315	2160	362500	40277
6	Palakkad	22988	5314500	279710	10006	3944500	328708
7	Thrissur	38523	13589350	348444	8541	5392000	185931
8	Eranakulam	47105	34533100	539579	5602	1830800	130771
9	Idukki	15025	10190500	566138	1579	29137070	3642133
10	Kottayam	31035	6788200	150848	2337	605500	67277
11	Alappuzha	46433	12373250	202840	15230	1526950	35510
12	Pathanamthitta	52651	17162515	260038	2460	521000	40076
13	Kollam	103078	70332000	498808	18765	1985000	27957
14	Thiruvananthapura	101059	18472000	102055	14257	1977800	30427
State		567623	205674866	273140	165851	52915870	159866

Table 14 (Contd..)

Sl No	District	Others			Total		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction (in Rs.)	Average Transaction (in Rs.)	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction (in Rs.)	Average Transaction (in Rs.)
1	Kasaragod	3920	212500	53125	20490	991400	55077
2	Kannur	6265	452200	28262	28580	4157250	75586
3	Wayanad	4050	228500	57125	41825	2124101	78670
4	Kozhikkode	20310	833000	92555	120310	6226650	68424
5	Malappuram	7005	3578600	511228	27145	14720100	420574
6	Palakkad	2318	648000	58909	35312	9907000	235880
7	Thrissur	61665	2612000	87066	108729	21593350	220340
8	Eranakulam	4968	2082450	90541	57675	38446350	380656
9	Idukki	4530	1355965	84747	21134	40683535	968655
10	Kottayam	1160	635000	127000	34532	8028700	136079
11	Alappuzha	5475	605200	40346	67138	14505400	121894
12	Pathanamthitta	545	53250	13312	55656	17736765	213695
13	Kollam	5185	1797500	89875	127028	74114500	319459
14	Thiruvananthapura	7559	719200	17123	122875	21169000	73503
State		134955	15813365	76763	868429	274404101	212716

Table 14 (A)

District wise Number of Consumers, Total Transactions And Average Transactions

Sl No	District	Municipal Corporation			Municipality		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction (in Rs.)	Average Transaction of Markets (in Rs.)	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction (in Rs.)	Average Transaction (in Rs.)
1	Kasaragod	0	0	0.00	8300	307500	102500
2	Kannur	0	0	0.00	12265	2923450	224880
3	Wayanad	0	0	0.00	600	95000	47500
4	Kozhikkode	29130	1595750	122750	26150	715000	119166
5	Malappuram	0	0	0.00	14580	4215000	421500
6	Palakkad	0	0	0.00	11724	1455000	242500
7	Thrissur	21440	5310000	885000	9589	2391850	199320
8	Eranakulam	15992	21829100	1455273	12240	5076500	298617
9	Idukki	0	0	0.00	640	113500	37833
10	Kottayam	0	0	0.00	9080	2960000	370000
11	Alappuzha	0	0	0.00	27375	11230900	591100
12	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0.00	9030	7644500	955562
13	Kollam	39975	54195000	2852368	0	0	0.00
14	Thiruvananthapura	18433	6574600	205456	11305	3658200	166281
State		124970	89504450	1052993	152878	42786400	331677

Table 14(A) Contd..

Sl No	District	Panchayath			Total		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction (in Rs.)	Average Transaction of Markets (in Rs.)	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction (in Rs.)	Average Transaction (in Rs.)
1	Kasaragod	12190	683900	45593	20490	991400	55077
2	Kannur	16315	1233800	29376	28580	4157250	75586
3	Wayanad	41225	2029101	81164	41825	2124101	78670
4	Kozhikkode	65030	3915900	54387	120310	6226650	68424
5	Malappuram	12565	10505100	420204	27145	14720100	420574
6	Palakkad	23588	8452000	234777	35312	9907000	235880
7	Thrissur	77700	13891500	173643	108729	21593350	220340
8	Eranakulam	29443	11540750	167257	57675	38446350	380656
9	Idukki	20494	40570035	1040257	21134	40683535	968655
10	Kottayam	25452	5068700	99386	34532	8028700	136079
11	Alappuzha	39763	3274500	32745	67138	14505400	121894
12	Pathanamthitta	46626	10092265	134563	55656	17736765	213695
13	Kollam	87053	19919500	93518	127028	74114500	319459
14	Thiruvananthapura	93137	10936200	46735	122875	21169000	73503
State		590581	142113251	132075	868429	274404101	212716

Table 14(B)

Total Consumers per Day In Markets According To Type

Sl. No.	District	Vegetable	Fish	Except Animals and Birds	Animals and Birds	Including Animals and Birds	Total
1	Kasaragod	340	11650	8300	0	200	20490
2	Kannur	4030	13715	4560	275	6000	28580
3	Wayanad	1018	1775	37950	582	500	41825
4	Kozhikkode	11650	37795	43185	700	26980	120310
5	Malappuram	0	6150	12340	2950	5705	27145
6	Palakkad	4048	3558	18726	400	8580	35312
7	Thrissur	27103	11743	56364	4009	9510	108729
8	Eranakulam	10944	3630	7080	1342	34679	57675
9	Idukki	11484	1500	2130	800	5220	21134
10	Kottayam	1200	7860	8195	482	16795	34532
11	Alappuzha	730	4135	38938	3050	20285	67138
12	Pathanamthitta	275	1340	35699	880	17462	55656
13	Kollam	2650	28885	70295	2968	22230	127028
14	Thiruvananthapuram	4190	2230	64763	4250	47442	122875
	State	79662	135966	408525	22688	221588	868429

Table 14(C)

Total Transaction In Rupees per Day In Markets According To Type

Sl. No.	District	Vegetable	Fish	All Items Except Animals and Birds	Animals and Birds	All Items Including Animals and Birds	Total
1	Kasaragod	22100	444300	495000	0	30000	991400
2	Kannur	156600	2216450	654200	700000	430000	4157250
3	Wayanad	73001	196600	584500	1190000	80000	2124101
4	Kozhikkode	223750	1375900	1346500	850000	2430500	6226650
5	Malappuram	0	1572500	2072600	5925000	5150000	14720100
6	Palakkad	1091500	349000	2609500	1400000	4457000	9907000
7	Thrissur	6365000	1348450	6727400	4955500	2197000	21593350
8	Eranakulam	6273000	1329450	2509500	3636600	24697800	38446350
9	Idukki	21747815	103500	11483500	4733220	2615500	40683535
10	Kottayam	510000	2067000	1197000	287000	3967700	8028700
11	Alappuzha	145000	203850	9333550	2900000	1923000	14505400
12	Pathanamthitta	180000	226750	8452000	2275000	6603015	17736765
13	Kollam	1440000	52361500	11422500	4935000	3955500	74114500
14	Thiruvananthapuram	364250	1638300	10348400	2568000	6250050	21169000
	State	38592016	65433550	69236150	36355320	64787065	274404101

Table 14 (D)
Consumers In a Markets Day According To Nature of Working of Market

Sl No	District	Forenoon	Afternoon	Throughout Day Time	Part Day and Part Night
1	Kasaragod	4370	0	12970	0
2	Kannur	2110	1830	14400	350
3	Wayanad	40	0	1746	0
4	Kozhikkode	3405	1510	17245	10490
5	Malappuram	3260	0	18235	2000
6	Palakkad	2480	8850	9583	150
7	Thrissur	7709	2596	29235	555
8	Eranakulam	3156	3925	32241	2345
9	Idukki	400	849	12290	430
10	Kottayam	11665	1225	16632	500
11	Alappuzha	8770	4860	15593	2945
12	Pathanamthitta	28839	460	19107	250
13	Kollam	59343	7910	17590	2850
14	Thiruvananthapuram	91390	2585	16680	1150
State		226937	36600	233547	24015

Table 14 (D)

Sl No	District	Throughout Day Time And Partly Night	Night Only	Throughout Day and Night	Others	Total
1	Kasaragod	2750	0	0	400	20490
2	Kannur	6300	0	3300	290	28580
3	Wayanad	3289	0	36750	0	41825
4	Kozhikkode	71660	0	16000	0	120310
5	Malappuram	150	0	3500	0	27145
6	Palakkad	13249	0	1000	0	35312
7	Thrissur	18554	0	50000	80	108729
8	Eranakulam	8735	0	7100	173	57675
9	Idukki	7165	0	0	0	21134
10	Kottayam	4510	0	0	0	34532
11	Alappuzha	6570	2000	26400	0	67138
12	Pathanamthitta	2000	0	0	5000	55656
13	Kollam	34950	235	3500	650	127028
14	Thiruvananthapuram	9700	70	0	1300	122875
State		189582	2305	147550	7893	868429

Table 14 (E)

Total Transaction In Rupees per Day In Markets According To Nature of Working

Sl No	District	Forenoon	Afternoon	Throughout Day Time	Part Day and Part Night
1	Kasaragod	254500	0	536900	0
2	Kannur	2236500	67500	1271350	5200
3	Wayanad	175000	0	687200	0
4	Kozhikkode	168400	153000	1592500	266750
5	Malappuram	1507500	0	11807600	400000
6	Palakkad	370000	815000	4636000	28000
7	Thrissur	6644500	314000	8991350	305000
8	Eranakulam	1443000	725000	25953400	4165950
9	Idukki	1800000	7130835	28037720	227000
10	Kottayam	2784000	259500	3441000	34200
11	Alappuzha	1744500	362250	8225750	268000
12	Pathanamthitta	7863750	71500	9231500	70000
13	Kollam	14418500	1247000	3688500	135500
14	Thiruvananthapuram	12271800	101500	2632700	99000
State		53681950	11247085	110733470	6004600

Table 14(E) Contd

Sl No	District	Throughout Day Time And Partly Night	Night Only	Throughout Day and Night	Others	Total
1	Kasaragod	180000	0	0	20000	991400
2	Kannur	221500	0	347000	8200	4157250
3	Wayanad	762401	0	499500	0	2124101
4	Kozhikkode	2991000	0	1055000	0	6226650
5	Malappuram	5000	0	1000000	0	14720100
6	Palakkad	2833000	0	1225000	0	9907000
7	Thrissur	4738500	0	500000	100000	21593350
8	Eranakulam	5284000	0	800000	75000	38446350
9	Idukki	3487980	0	0	0	40683535
10	Kottayam	1510000	0	0	0	8028700
11	Alappuzha	443350	1725000	1736550	0	14505400
12	Pathanamthitta	15	0	0	500000	17736765
13	Kollam	52670000	115000	1550000	290000	74114500
14	Thiruvananthapuram	4450000	5000	0	1609000	21169000
State		79576746	1845000	8713050	2602200	274404101

Table 14(F)

District wise Number of Consumers And Average Transaction (Rs.) in Daily Markets

Sl. No	District	Local Body			Private		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	Kasaragod	11800	462300	51367	0	0	0.00
2	Kannoor	6720	719800	79978	14135	2227750	111387
3	Wyanad	2804	316201	28746	1489	112400	18733
4	Kozhikkode	47410	1745650	32937	5050	405000	50625
5	Malappuram	11850	2826000	314000	500	22500	11250
6	Palakkad	7858	1355000	225833	5416	899000	224750
7	Thrissur	29410	6061850	252577	4681	1154500	52477
8	Eranakulam	26559	27658500	709192	4402	1740800	133907
9	Idukki	680	65000	32500	60	3500	3500
10	Kottayam	16840	4415200	220760	1637	398500	66416
11	Alappuzha	16755	8293250	184294	9880	669800	16745
12	Pathanamthitta	1940	487500	69643	600	120000	120000
13	Kollam	67108	59703500	641973	13355	1310500	23827
14	Thiruvananthapuram	70439	13321500	90010	12047	1859800	31522
State		318173	127431251	268276	73252	10924050	46093

Table 14(F) Contd

Sl. No	District	Others			Total		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	Kasaragod	320	42500	21250	12120	504800	45890
2	Kannoor	1890	56950	7118	22745	3004500	81202
3	Wyanad	150	6000	6000	4443	434601	24144
4	Kozhikkode	1460	138000	69000	53920	2288650	36327
5	Malappuram	200	144600	144600	12550	2993100	249425
6	Palakkad	180	40000	40000	13454	2294000	208545
7	Thrissur	10055	1685000	73260	44146	8901350	129005
8	Eranakulam	2105	1100450	110045	33066	30499750	491931
9	Idukki	2125	587000	146750	2865	655500	93642
10	Kottayam	460	515000	257500	18937	5328700	190310
11	Alappuzha	2645	275800	30644	29280	9238850	98285
12	Pathanamthitta	60	12000	12000	2600	619500	68833
13	Kollam	2785	380000	38000	83248	61394000	388569
14	Thiruvananthapuram	6659	604200	17262	89145	15785500	65229
State		31094	5587500	51261	422519	143942801	175326

Table 14(G)
District wise Number of Consumers And Average Transaction (Rs.) in Weekly Markets

Sl. No	District	Local Body			Private		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	Kasaragod	2550	177000	59000	220	9600	9600
2	Kannur	0	0	0.00	65	104500	52250
3	Wayanad	440	665000	221666	0	0	0.00
4	Kozhikkode	5780	384500	64083	4500	1174500	167785
5	Malappuram	6130	7953000	795300	1660	340000	48571
6	Palakkad	15130	3959500	304576	4590	3045500	380687
7	Thrissur	2334	692500	98928	2600	4052500	1350833
8	Eranakulam	1310	91000	18200	0	0	0.00
9	Idukki	13370	10047000	717642	1519	29133570	4161938
10	Kottayam	3200	516000	129000	200	75000	75000
11	Alappuzha	1000	25000	25000	0	0	0.00
12	Pathanamthitta	2295	272000	68000	200	100000	100000
13	Kollam	4380	1477500	184687	400	35000	35000
14	Thiruvananthapuram	4700	2725000	681250	0	0	0.00
State		62619	28985000	353475	15954	38070170	1001846

Table 14(G) Contd

Sl. No	District	Others			Total		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	Kasaragod	3200	150000	150000	5970	336600	67320
2	Kannur	200	8000	4000	265	112500	28125
3	Wayanad	150	25000	25000	590	690000	172500
4	Kozhikkode	650	32750	16375	10930	1591750	106116
5	Malappuram	1305	2034000	678000	9095	10327000	516350
6	Palakkad	1450	350000	175000	21170	7355000	319782
7	Thrissur	410	320000	106666	5344	5065000	389615
8	Eranakulam	1175	310000	77500	2485	401000	44555
9	Idukki	1865	457465	76244	16754	39638035	1468075
10	Kottayam	0	0	0.00	3400	591000	118200
11	Alappuzha	1150	140000	70000	2150	165000	55000
12	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0.00	2495	372000	74400
13	Kollam	200	300000	300000	4980	1812500	181250
14	Thiruvananthapuram	0	0	0.00	4700	2725000	681250
State		11755	4127215	152859	90328	71182385	484233

Table 14(H)
District wise Number of Consumers And Average Transaction (Rs.) in Markets
Functioning in Two Days in a Week

Sl. No	District	Local Body			Private		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Kannur	0	0	0.00	250	600000	600000
2	Wayanad	42	500000	500000	0	0	0.00
3	Kozhikkode	0	0	0.00	60	15000	15000
4	Palakkad	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
5	Thrissur	6779	6835000	854375	980	70000	35000
6	Eranakulam	10251	5726000	409000	0	0	0.00
7	Idukki	150	15000	15000	0	0	0.00
8	Kottayam	9965	1507000	83722	0	0	0.00
9	Alappuzha	20828	1858000	232250	0	0	0.00
10	Pathanamthitta	40056	13161015	292467	1055	199000	28428
11	Kollam	30820	8311000	224621	2600	287000	31888
12	Thiruvananthapuram	23950	2264500	90580	400	28500	28500
State		142841	40177515	255907	5345	1199500	57119

Table 14(H)

Sl. No	District	Others			Total		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	2	9	10	11	12	13	14
1	Kannur	45	4250	4250.00	295	604250	302125
2	Wayanad	0	0	0.00	42	500000	500000
3	Kozhikkode	0	0	0.00	60	15000	15000
4	Palakkad	623	209000	34833	623	209000	34833
5	Thrissur	1050	95000	47500	8809	7000000	583333
6	Eranakulam	1618	665000	83125	11869	6391000	290500
7	Idukki	340	297000	74250	490	312000	62400
8	Kottayam	700	120000	40000	10665	1627000	77476
9	Alappuzha	280	85000	42500	21108	1943000	194300
10	Pathanamthitta	485	41250	13750	41596	13401265	243659
11	Kollam	1500	1017500	145357	34920	9615500	181424
12	Thiruvananthapuram	510	93000	18600	24860	2386000	76967
State		7151	2627000	64073	155337	44004015	200931

Table 14(I)
District wise Number of Consumers And Average Transaction (Rs.) in Markets
Functioning in Three Days in a Week

Sl. No	District	Local Body			Private		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Kozhikkode	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
2	Thrissur	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
3	Eranakulam	765	136000	136000	0	0	0.00
4	Idukki	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
5	Kottayam	680	150000	75000	0	0	0.00
6	Alappuzha	150	22000	22000	0	0	0.00
7	Pathanamthitta	800	280000	280000	200	22000	22000
8	Kollam	475	40000	20000	610	70000	35000
9	Thiruvananthapuram	1300	120000	60000	200	4000	4000
State		4170	748000	83111	1010	96000	24000

Table 14(I)

Sl. No	District	Others			Total		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	2	9	10	11	12	13	14
1	Kozhikkode	700	40000	40000	700	40000	40000
2	Thrissur	150	12000	12000	150	12000	12000
3	Eranakulam	70	7000	7000	835	143000	71500
4	Idukki	50	4500	4500	50	4500	4500
5	Kottayam	0	0	0.00	680	150000	75000
6	Alappuzha	0	0	0.00	150	22000	22000
7	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0.00	1000	302000	151000
8	Kollam	200	50000	50000	1285	160000	32000
9	Thiruvananthapuram	350	2000	2000	1850	126000	31500
State		1520	115500	19250	6700	959500	50500

Table 14(J)

District wise Number of Consumers And Average Transaction (Rs.) in Markets Functioning More than Three Days and Less than Seven Days in a Week

Sl. No	District	Local Body			Private		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Kannur	0	0	0.00	65	10500	5250
2	Kozhikkode	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
3	Palakkad	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
4	Eranakulam	420	181600	60533	0	0	0.00
5	Idukki	825	63500	63500	0	0	0.00
6	Kottayam	350	200000	200000	400	125000	125000
7	Pathanamthitta	1800	237000	79000	285	30000	15000
8	Kollam	0	0	0.00	500	35000	35000
9	Thiruvananthapuram	670	41000	20500	1610	85500	21375
State		4065	723100	72310	2860	286000	28600

Table 14(J)Contd

Sl. No	District	Others			Total		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	2	9	10	11	12	13	14
1	Kannur	130	9000	4500	195	19500	4875
2	Kozhikkode	12500	347250	173625	12500	347250	173625
3	Palakkad	30	24000	24000	30	24000	24000
4	Eranakulam	0	0	0.00	420	181600	60533
5	Idukki	150	10000	10000	975	73500	36750
6	Kottayam	0	0	0.00	750	325000	162500
7	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0.00	2085	267000	53400
8	Kollam	0	0	0.00	500	35000	35000
9	Thiruvananthapuram	40	20000	20000	2320	146500	20928
State		12850	410250	58607	19775	1419350	52568

Table 14(K)
District wise Number of Consumers And Average Transaction (Rs.) in Fortnightly Markets

Sl. No	District	Local Body			Private		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Alappuzha	450	250000	125000	350	800000	800000
2	Pathanamthitta	140	750000	750000	0	0	0.00
State		590	1000000	333333	350	800000	800000

Table 14(K) Contd

Sl. No	District	Others			Total		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	2	9	10	11	12	13	14
1	Alappuzha	0	0	0.00	800	1050000	350000
2	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0.00	140	750000	750000
State		0	0	0.00	940	1800000	450000

Table 14(L)
District wise Number of Consumers And Average Transaction (Rs.) in Monthly Markets

Sl. No	District	Local Body			Private		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Palakkad	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
2	Alappuzha	2250	1850000	616666	0	0	0.00
3	Pathanamthitta	620	1475000	368750	120	50000	50000
4	Kollam	295	800000	800000	1300	247500	82500
	State	3165	4125000	515625	1420	297500	74375

Table 14(L)Contd

Sl. No	District	Others			Total		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	2	9	10	11	12	13	14
1	Palakkad	35	25000	25000.00	35	25000	25000.00
2	Alappuzha	0	0	0.00	2250	1850000	616666.67
3	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0.00	740	1525000	305000.00
4	Kollam	0	0	0.00	1595	1047500	261875.00
	State	35	25000	25000.00	4620	4447500	342115.38

Table 14(M)
District wise Number of Consumers And Average Transaction (Rs.) in Half Yearly Markets

Sl. No	District	Local Body			Private		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Kannur	0	0	0.00	100	5000	5000.00
	State	0	0	0.00	100	5000	5000.00

Table 14(M)Contd

Sl. No	District	Others			Total		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	2	9	10	11	12	13	14
1	Kannur	0	0	0.00	100	5000	5000.00
	State	0	0	0.00	100	5000	5000.00

Table 14(N)
District wise Number of Consumers And Average Transaction (Rs.) in Yearly Markets

Sl. No	District	Local Body			Private		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Kasaragod	2000	130000	130000	0	0	0.00
2	Kannur	0	0	0.00	900	29500	9833
3	Wayanad	0	0	0.00	33000	302000	151000
4	Kozhikkode	11700	975000	325000	25000	629000	209666
5	Malappuram	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
6	Thrissur	0	0	0.00	200	15000	15000
7	Eranakulam	7800	740000	370000	1200	90000	90000
8	Kottayam	0	0	0.00	100	7000	7000
9	Alappuzha	5000	75000	75000	5000	57150	28575
10	Pathanamthitta	5000	500000	500000	0	0	0.00
11	Kollam	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
State		31500	2420000	302500	65400	1129650	86896

Table 14(N)Contd

Sl. No	District	Others			Total		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	2	9	10	11	12	13	14
1	Kasaragod	400	20000	20000	2400	150000	75000
2	Kannur	4000	374000	124667	4900	403500	67250
3	Wayanad	3750	197500	98750	36750	499500	124875
4	Kozhikkode	5000	275000	137500	41700	1879000	234875
5	Malappuram	5500	1400000	466667	5500	1400000	466666
6	Thrissur	50000	500000	500000	50200	515000	257500
7	Eranakulam	0	0	0	9000	830000	276666
8	Kottayam	0	0	0	100	7000	7000
9	Alappuzha	1400	104400	52200	11400	236550	47310
10	Pathanamthitta	0	0	0	5000	500000	500000
11	Kollam	500	50000	50000	500	50000	50000
State		70550	2920900	194726	167450	6470550	179737

Table 14(O)

**District wise Number of Consumers And Average Transaction (Rs.) in Markets
Functioning With Other Periodicity**

Sl. No	District	Local Body			Private		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Kannur	0	0	0.00	80	8000	8000
2	Kozhikkode	500	65000	65000	0	0	0.00
3	Thrissur	0	0	0.00	80	100000	100000
State		500	65000	65000	160	108000	54000

Table 14(O)Contd

Sl. No	District	Others			Total		
		No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction	No. of Consumers	Total Transaction	Average Transaction
1	2	9	10	11	12	13	14
1	Kannur	0	0	0.00	80	8000	8000
2	Kozhikkode	0	0	0.00	500	65000	65000
3	Thrissur	0	0	0.00	80	100000	100000
State		0	0	0.00	660	173000	57666

Table 15

District wise Number of Markets With Local Body Involvement and Waste Disposal Facilities

SI No	District	Number of Markets		
		Total	With Local Body involvements	With Waste Disposal/ Cleaning
1	Kasaragod	18	12	12
2	Kannur	55	7	24
3	Wayanad	27	17	14
4	Kozhikkode	91	49	42
5	Malappuram	35	18	24
6	Palakkad	42	20	29
7	Thrissur	98	38	68
8	Eranakulam	101	57	73
9	Idukki	42	22	31
10	Kottayam	59	29	30
11	Alappuzha	119	57	55
12	Pathanamthitta	83	57	46
13	Kollam	232	141	133
14	Thiruvananthapuram	288	148	178
	State	1290	672	759

Table 15(A)

**District wise Number of Markets With Local Body Involvement and Waste Disposal /
Cleaning Facilities**

Sl No	District	Municipal Corporation		Municipality		Panchayath	
		With Local Body Action	With Waste Disposal/ Cleaning	With Local Body Action	With Waste Disposal/ Cleaning	With Local Body Action	With Waste Disposal/ Cleaning
1	Kasaragod	0	0	3	3	9	9
2	Kannur	0	0	1	6	6	18
3	Wayanad	0	0	1	1	16	13
4	Kozhikkode	9	5	3	6	37	31
5	Malappuram	0	0	7	9	11	15
6	Palakkad	0	0	1	3	19	26
7	Thrissur	5	6	10	8	23	54
8	Eranakulam	10	11	14	14	33	48
9	Idukki	0	0	2	2	20	29
10	Kottayam	0	0	4	6	25	24
11	Alappuzha	0	0	13	13	44	42
12	Pathanamthitta	0	0	5	8	52	38
13	Kollam	16	13	0	0	125	120
14	Thiruvananthapuram	14	26	13	18	121	134
	State	54	61	77	97	541	601

Table 16

Status of Markets before 10 Years

SI No	District	Total Number of Markets	Number of Markets Same As Now	Number of Markets More Active	Number of Markets Less Active	No Market
1	Kasaragod	18	2	5	5	6
2	Kannur	55	7	10	10	28
3	Wayanad	27	2	7	8	10
4	Kozhikkode	91	8	38	25	20
5	Malappuram	35	5	15	12	3
6	Palakkad	42	8	13	10	11
7	Thrissur	98	20	31	18	29
8	Eranakulam	101	14	38	22	27
9	Idukki	42	6	8	5	23
10	Kottayam	59	6	25	21	7
11	Alappuzha	119	9	51	49	10
12	Pathanamthitta	83	11	42	21	9
13	Kollam	232	33	100	63	36
14	Thiruvananthapuram	288	62	92	72	62
	State	1290	193	475	341	281

Table 17

District wise Number of Markets According To Influence in Local people

Sl No	District	Number of Markets	Have Much Influence	Not Having Much Influence	Help Farmers But Not Influencing Much
1	Kasaragod	18	8	3	7
2	Kannur	55	16	17	22
3	Wayanad	27	23	0	4
4	Kozhikkode	91	9	70	12
5	Malappuram	35	14	7	14
6	Palakkad	42	29	4	9
7	Thrissur	98	48	37	13
8	Eranakulam	101	73	19	9
9	Idukki	42	24	1	17
10	Kottayam	59	24	16	19
11	Alappuzha	119	28	38	53
12	Pathanamthitta	83	48	14	21
13	Kollam	232	132	29	71
14	Thiruvananthapuram	288	150	72	66
	State	1290	626	327	337

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I. Name of Market

II. Identification

1. District Name and Code :
2. Block Name & Code :
3. Panchayath/Municipality/Corporation -
Name
(Code) :
4. Ownership (Code) :
(Local body -1, Private -2, Others - 9)
5. Year of Starting (Code) :
(upto 5 yrs -1, 6-10 yrs -2, 11-15 yrs-3, above 15 yrs -4, Not known-9)
6. Open market or Regulated Market :
(Open market -1, Regulated market - 2)
7. Type of market (Code) :
(Vegetable market-1, Fish market-2, All items except animals & Birds-3, Animals & Birds-4, All items including animal & Birds-5)
8. Nature of Market (Code) :
(Daily -1, Weekly-2, 2 days in a week-3, 3 days in a week-4, more than 3 days but less than 7 days in a week-5, fortnightly-6, monthly-7, half yearly-8, yearly-9, others-19)
9. Working time (Code) :
(Forenoon only-1, Afternoon only -2, through out day time -3, Part day and part night -4, throughout day time and partly night -5, night only-6, throughout day & night -7, others -9)

III. Facilities

- 10 Total area used for market (in cents) :
- 11 Accommodation facilities (Code) :
- (Building provided by local body like Bunk or Stalls-1, Permanent shops-2, Temporary arrangements like rooms or stalls of Katcha nature-3, arrangements made by traders themselves-4, open sheds-5, Open space-6, Others - 9)
- 12 Availability of Electricity (Code) : (Yes - 1, No -2)
- 13 Availability of Water (Code) : (Yes - 1, No -2)

- 14 Toilet facility (Code) : (Yes - 1, No -2)
- 15 Average No. of Traders (for buying goods) with shops :
16. Average No. of Traders (for buying goods) with no fixed shops but have fixed places :
- 17 Average No. of Traders (for buying goods) without fixed shop or fixed place :
- 18 Average No. of Traders (for selling goods) with fixed shops :
- 19 Average No. of Traders (for selling goods) with no fixed shops but have fixed places :
- 20 Average No. of Traders (for selling goods) without fixed shops or fixed places :
- 21 Average No. of Traders (for buying and selling goods) with fixed shops :
- 22 Average No. of Traders (for buying and selling goods) with no fixed shops but have fixed places :
- 23 Average No. of Traders (for buying and selling goods) without fixed shops or fixed store or fixed places :
- Common Items Traded and Services available in the market (mark to be given to applicable items)*
- 24 Agricultural produce including fish & meat, etc. :
- 25 Non agriculture produces :
- 26 Social and community Services :
- 27 Distance from Bus route Road to the market (in KM) :
- 28 Is there any entertainment programme in connection with the market (Code) : (Yes - 1, No -2)

Rate of cess/fare charged by local authority (in Rs)

- 29 Headload :
- 30 Two wheeler load :
- 31 Three wheeler load :
- 32 Mini Lorry load :
- 33 Large truck load :
- 34 Bullock Cart load :
- 35 Hand Cart load :
- 36 Others :
- 37 Total rent paid by Traders during the last year in rupees :
- 38 Whether Local body is involved in the affairs of the market last year (Code) : (Yes - 1, No -2)
- 39 Facility for disposal of waste/cleaning : (Yes - 1, No -2)
- 40 Average No. of people visiting the market in normal time in a day :
- 41 Average transaction in rupees taking place in normal time in a day (total of all traders) :
- 42 Status of the market before 10 years (Code) :
(same as now-1, more active-2, less active-3, no market-4)
- 43 Name of local items sold in the market (specify) :
(Agriculture produces (list out 5 important items), Coir and Coir products, mats, seeds, wood items, earthenware, animals, birds, etc.)

44 *Assessment of the enumerator on the influence of the market in the day to day life of the people of the area (opinion of the local knowledgeable persons to be collected while filling the item) (Code)*



(have considerable influence-1, not having much influence-2, help the agriculturists and others to sell the products or to buy their essential items, but doesn't influence much the life and economy of the area-3)

Name & Address of informant

Signature & Name of Investigator

Survey work inspected

Taluk Level Officer, Signature with Name

District Level Officer, Signature with Name

Schedule scrutinised by - Taluk Level

Signature with Name

District Level

Signature with Name

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