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PREFACE

The year 1985 was the International Youth Year. Yet no publication with basic statistics of youth in the State is available. In this connection it is only befitting if all available data in respect of youth in Kerala is published in one volume. Every effort has been taken to give in this publication a comprehensive picture of the youth in the State.

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1. YOUTH IN KERALA AT A GLANCE

1.	Population (in lakhs)	..	254.5
2.	Youth ,,	..	92.9
3.	Percentage to total population	..	36.5
4.	Youths attending Schools/Colleges (in lakhs)	..	16.3
5.	Percentage to total youth	..	17.6
6.	Employment in the organised sector (in lakhs)	..	10.8
7.	Persons in the Live Register (31st March 1986) (in lakhs)	..	25.3
8.	Youths ,,	..	23.5
9.	Percentage to total persons in the Live Register (in lakhs)	..	92.9
10.	Placement	..	0.14



2. RURAL, URBAN DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION—1981

(in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Name of District	Population			Per cent to District Population	
		Rural	Urban	Total	Rural	Urban
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Trivandrum ..	19.40	6.56	25.96	74.71	25.29
2	Quilon ..	19.08	2.85	21.93	86.82	13.18
3	Alleppey ..	15.67	2.99	18.66	84.06	15.94
4	Pathanamthitta ..	9.45	1.60	11.05	86.00	14.00
5	Kottayam ..	15.38	1.59	16.97	90.54	9.46
6	Idukki ..	9.27	0.45	9.72	45.40	4.60
7	Ernakulam ..	15.32	10.03	25.35	60.42	39.58
8	Trichur ..	19.25	5.14	24.39	78.88	21.12
9	Palghat ..	18.38	2.06	20.44	89.88	10.12
10	Malappuram ..	22.25	1.78	24.03	92.60	7.40
11	Wayanad ..	5.54	..	5.54	100.00	..
12	Kozhikode ..	16.35	6.10	22.45	72.79	27.21
13	Cannanore ..	13.18	6.13	19.31	76.57	23.43
14	Kasargode ..	8.30	0.43	8.73	76.57	23.43
	Total ..	206.82	47.71	254.53	81.22	18.78

Source: 1981 Census

3. SEX-WISE DISTRIBUTION OF YOUTH—1981

(in thousands)

Age group	Total population				Rural				Urban			
	Male	Percent- age	Female	Percent- age	Male	Percent- age	Female	Percent- age	Male	Percent- age	Female	Percent- age
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
15-19	1444	11.5	1566	12.1	1168	11.5	1269	12.1	276	11.7	297	12.3
20-24	1251	10.0	1370	10.6	1001	9.8	1106	10.5	250	10.6	264	11.0
25-29	1000	8.0	1082	8.4	793	7.8	867	8.3	207	8.8	215	8.9
30-34	789	6.5	789	6.1	622	6.1	630	6.0	167	7.1	159	6.6
All ages	12528	100.0	12926	100.0	10168	100.0	10515	100.0	2360	100.0	2411	100.0

Source:—1981 census paper II—Special based on 5 per cent sample data

4. SEX-WISE DISTRIBUTION OF YOUTH ATTENDING SCHOOL/COLLEGE 1981 (TOTAL) (in thousands)

Age group	Total population			Total persons attending School/College			Percentage		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
15-19	1444	1566	3010	702	634	1336	48.6	40.5	44.4
20-24	1251	1370	2621	145	108	253	11.6	7.9	9.7
25-29	1000	1082	2082	19	12	31	1.9	1.1	1.15-2
30-34	789	789	1578	6	4	10	0.8	0.5	0.6
All ages	12528	12926	25454	3459	3204	6663	27.6	24.8	26.2

Source:—1981 census paper II—Based on 5 per cent sample data.

5. SEX-WISE DISTRIBUTION OF YOUTH ATTENDING SCHOOL/COLLEGE—1981 (URBAN)
(in thousands)

Age group	Total population			Total persons attending school/college			Percentage to total population		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
15-19	276	297	573	142	139	281	51.5	46.8	49.0
20-24	250	264	514	37	29	66	14.8	11.0	12.8
25-29	207	215	422	6	4	10	2.9	1.9	2.4
30-34	167	159	326	2	1	3	1.2	0.6	0.9
All ages	2360	2411	4771	664	629	1293	28.1	26.1	27.1

Source: 1981 census paper II—Based on 5 per cent sample data.

6. SEX-WISE DISTRIBUTION OF YOUTH ATTENDING SCHOOL/COLLEGE—1981 (RURAL)
(in thousands)

Age group	Total population			Total persons attending school/college			Percentage		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
15-19	1168	1269	2437	561	494	1055	48.0	38.9	43.3
20-24	1001	1106	2107	108	79	187	10.8	7.1	8.9
25-29	793	867	1660	13	8	21	1.6	0.9	1.3
30-34	622	630	1252	4	3	7	0.6	0.5	0.6
All ages	10168	10515	20683	2795	2575	5370	27.5	24.5	26.0

Source: 1981 census paper II—Based on 5 per cent sample

7. ENROLMENT OF STUDENTS IN ARTS AND SCIENCE COLLEGES IN KERALA (1984-85)

<i>Sl. No.</i>		<i>Boys</i>	<i>Girls</i>	<i>Total</i>
1	Pre-degree	94636	93965	188601
2	Degree	48745	51861	100606
3	Postgraduate	4227	4311	8538
	Total	147608	150137	297745

8. ENROLMENT OF STUDENTS IN ENGINEERING COLLEGES (1984-85)

<i>Sl. No.</i>		<i>Boys</i>	<i>Girls</i>	<i>Total</i>
1	Government	2806	830	3636
2	Private	3495	749	4244
3	Quasi Govern- ment (Regional Engineering College)	882	151	1033
	Total	7183	1730	8913

Source: Economic Review—1985.

9. ENROLMENT OF STUDENTS IN MEDICAL EDUCATION (1984-85)

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Type of medicine</i>	<i>No. of students</i>
1	Allopathy	1625
2	Ayurveda	174
3	Homoeopathy	215
	Total	2014

Source: Economic Review—1985.

10. STUDENT STRENGTH IN ARTS AND SCIENCE COLLEGES (1983-84)

District	Government College			Scheduled Caste			Scheduled Tribe		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Trivandrum ..	5478	5350	10828	523	774	1297	18	35	53
Quilon ..	472	334	806	84	53	137	1	..	1
Pathanamthitta ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Alleppey ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kottayam ..	1299	880	2179	102	115	217	4	1	5
Idukki ..	202	153	355	18	22	40	7	1	8
Ernakulam ..	2568	2708	5276	334	262	696	78	45	123
Trichur ..	1846	1745	3591	221	282	503	5	1	6
Palghat ..	4324	3117	7441	397	247	644	1	1	2
Malappuram ..	1742	1058	2800	151	95	246	..	..	..
Kozhikode ..	5067	2996	8063	477	312	789	..	..	..
Wayanad ..	425	230	655	20	9	29	11	6	17
Cannanore ..	3334	2869	6203	194	159	353	82	18	100
Total ..	26757	21440	48197	2521	2330	4851	207	108	315

10. STUDENT STRENGTH IN ARTS AND SCIENCE COLLEGES (1983-84)--(cont.)

District	Private College			Scheduled Caste			Scheduled Tribe		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Trivandrum ..	10688	13292	23980	731	995	1726	33	43	76
Quilon ..	14361	14833	29194	1221	1331	2552	56	67	123
Pathanamthitta ..	7863	10071	17934	710	952	1662	28	35	63
Alleppey ..	10966	12674	23640	805	979	1784	12	22	34
Kottayam ..	17772	22079	39851	1235	1288	2523	109	155	264
Idukki ..	1855	2099	3954	100	135	235	47	37	84
Ernakulam ..	14756	17496	32252	1249	2366	3615	15	52	67
Trichur ..	12299	14623	26922	1070	1184	2254	1	3	4
Palghat ..	4324	4606	8930	186	206	392	7	4	11
Malappuram ..	5970	3087	9057	461	264	725	2	1	3
Kozhikode ..	7078	4874	11952	536	364	900	6	5	11
Wayanad ..	1177	749	1926	31	27	58	57	31	88
Cannanore ..	9260	5370	14630	510	268	778	8	8	16
Total ..	118369	125853	244222	8845	10359	19204	381	463	844

Source: Directorate of Collegiate Education.

11. INTAKE OF STUDENTS (1984-85)

<i>Item</i>	<i>Intake</i>
<i>I. General Education</i>	
Pre-Degree	96785
Degree	37022
Postgraduate	3877
<i>II. Engineering Colleges</i>	
A. Postgraduate Course	128
B. Undergraduate course	
Full time	1975
Do. Part-time	205
<i>III. Polytechnics</i>	
A. Post Diploma Courses	50
B. Diploma Courses	3333
C. Part-time Diploma Courses	231
D. Certificate Courses in Textile Technology	60
E. Craft Courses in Polytechnic	36
<i>IV. Medical</i>	
M.B.B.S.	700
B.D.S.	70
Pharmacist	120
B.Sc. Nursing	50
Health Worker/A.N.M.	699
Nurses	1154
Health Supervisor	100
Dental Technician	5
<i>V. Ayurveda</i>	
1. B.A.M.	140
2. M.D. Ayurveda	40
<i>VI. Veterinary</i>	
1. B.V.Sc. and A.H.	114
2. M.V. Sc.	13
3. Ph.D.	3
<i>VII. Agriculture</i>	
1. B.Sc.	160
2. M.Sc.	97
3. Ph.D.	3
<i>VIII. Fisheries</i>	
B.F.Sc.	32
M.F.Sc.	5

Source: Administration Report of the Technical Education (1984-85) and Annual (1984-85) Report of Kerala Agricultural University.

12. DETAILS OF STUDENTS APPEARED AND PASSED IN VARIOUS EXAMINATIONS DURING THE YEAR 1985

A. General Education

<i>Examination</i>	<i>Appeared</i>	<i>Passed</i>	<i>Percentage</i>
1. S.S.L.C.	488260	222090	45.5
2. I.T.I./I.T.C.	24255	8742	36.0

B. College Education

<i>Examination</i>	<i>Kerala University</i>			<i>Calicut University</i>		
	<i>Appeared</i>	<i>Passed</i>	<i>Percentage</i>	<i>Appeared</i>	<i>Passed</i>	<i>Percentage</i>
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1. Pre-Degree	137201	26414	19.3	69160	22706	32.8
2. Degree	33319	12562	37.7	19860	8455	42.6
3. Postgraduate	8230	3256	39.6	2290	1500	65.5
4. M.S.W.	29	29	100.0	..	..	..
5. B.Ed.	1256	1104	87.9	745	611	82.0
6. M.Ed.	38	38	100.0	..	..	..
7. LL.B.	600	280	46.7	54	42	77.8
8. Agriculture (Under various Courses)	549	395	72.0	..	..	..
9. Medicine						
(a) Allopathy	869	647	74.5	93	71	76.3
(b) Ayurveda	94	60	63.8	12	10	83.3
(c) Homoeopathy	14	7	50.0	15	10	66.7
(d) Engineering	877	691	78.8	727	556	76.5

Source : (1) Economic Review, (2) Annual Reports of Kerala University—1985 and Annual Report of Calicut University—1985.

13. SEX-WISE EMPLOYMENT IN THE ORGANISED SECTORS

(in '000)

Sector	31-3-1985			31-3-1986		
	M	F	T	M	F	T
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Public Sector ..	408.8	154.5	563.3	415.3	153.9	571.2
Private Sector ..	291.5	218.0	509.5	285.6	224.2	509.8
Total ..	700.3	372.5	1072.8	700.9	380.1	1081.0

Source : Kerala Annual Employment Review.

14. NUMBER OF PLACEMENTS THROUGH PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION/ EMPLOYMENT EXCHANGE

Year	Number
(1)	(2)
A. Public Service Commission :	
1982-83	15983
B. Employment Exchange :	
1982	18548
1983	14545
1984	11361
1985	12045
1986	13905

Source : (1) Annual Report of Kerala Public Service Commission for the year 1982-83.
(2) Directorate of Employment.

15. REGISTRATION, SUBMISSION AND PLACEMENTS THROUGH EMPLOYMENT EXCHANGES AS ON 31-3-1986

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<i>District</i>	<i>Registration</i>		<i>No. in live register</i>		<i>Vacancies notified</i>	<i>No. of placements given</i>
	<i>During the year 1985-86</i>		<i>Total</i>	<i>Women</i>		
(1)	(2)		(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Trivandrum ..	48380		477858	227020	4166	2136
Quilon ..	37349		260812	121767	1044	822
Alleppey ..	33186		220679	116291	809	635
Pathanamthitta ..	18055		87944	47891	702	562
Kottayam ..	34422		222935	112915	727	462
Idukki ..	12770		69221	32723	787	437
Ernakulam ..	42366		297821	132098	1757	1101
Trichur ..	29109		168243	86402	1421	767
Palghat ..	19906		169332	53243	1306	837
Malappuram ..	21990		135254	49586	2598	1735
Kozhikode ..	26388		203340	82386	1050	790
Wayanad ..	7677		41675	16631	1221	740
Cannanore ..	22023		133973	55629	1699	987
Kasargod ..	9512		43235	14078	2141	1894
Total ..	363133		2532322	1148660	21428	13905

Source : Directorate of Employment.

16. WORK SEEKERS ACCORDING TO EDUCATIONAL STATUS AS ON 31-3-1986

Level of education					Number	
Local	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(2)	(3)
1. Illiterate					46165	1884
2. Below Matric					1137773	382
3. Matric					1103057	346
4. Inter, P.D.C., Higher Secondary					145137	300
5. Graduates					87943	1332
6. Postgraduates					12247	332
	Total				2532322	1101

Source: Directorate of Employment.

17. AGE-WISE DISTRIBUTION OF JOB SEEKERS IN THE LIVE REGISTER AS ON
31st DECEMBER 1985

District	Up to 14			15 to 19			20 to 24		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Trivandrum ..	6709	6214	12923	40332	38028	78360	75292	70236	145528
Quilon ..	24	13	37	16040	19935	35975	43875	58091	101966
Alleppey ..	201	176	377	27891	33008	60899	38295	40304	78599
Pathanamthitta ..	7	3	10	10684	12011	22695	14459	17259	31718
Kottayam ..	4436	3144	7580	35613	44895	80508	39072	37420	76492
Idukki ..	514	523	1037	8363	6733	15096	12344	13451	25795
Ernakulam ..	464	93	557	42817	35305	78122	43647	32929	76576
Trichur ..	11	11	22	10569	11613	22182	23134	24051	47185
Palghat ..	..	..	..	27194	15088	42252	40316	20962	61278
Malappuram ..	62	40	102	17669	11491	29160	22491	13315	35806
Kozhikode ..	41	35	76	27617	19808	47425	45626	28472	74098
Wayanad ..	..	..	..	7253	9122	16375	9846	6262	16108
Cannanore ..	..	..	..	23879	11597	35476	30842	24560	55402
Kasargode ..	..	..	..	6381	3365	9746	9146	4647	13793
Total ..	12469	10252	22721	302302	271969	574271	448385	391959	840344

AGE-WISE DISTRIBUTION OF JOB SEEKERS IN THE LIVE REGISTER AS ON 31st DECEMBER, 1985—(cont.)

District	25 to 34			35 and above			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Trivandrum ..	102396	91665	194061	25518	20079	45597	250247	226222	476469
Quilon ..	73603	40055	113658	7468	5704	13172	141010	123798	264808
Alleppey ..	31309	36042	67351	6438	7070	13508	104134	116600	220734
Pathanamthitta ..	13894	17696	31590	2037	2316	4353	41081	49285	90366
Kottayam ..	32752	32388	65140	6830	6634	13464	118703	124481	243184
Idukki ..	13530	10692	24222	1198	1049	2247	35949	32448	68397
Ernakulam ..	61760	49369	111129	15908	13408	29316	164596	131104	295700
Trichur ..	39140	41336	80476	12355	13082	25437	85209	90093	175302
Palghat ..	31656	13747	45403	17240	3893	21133	116406	53660	170066
Malappuram ..	38430	20061	58491	7206	4683	11889	85858	49590	135448
Kozhikode ..	46953	33079	80032	7714	4389	12103	127951	85783	213734
Wayanad ..	6705	1476	8181	1610	74	1684	25414	16934	42348
Cannanore ..	20993	16749	37742	3691	2178	5869	79405	55084	134489
Kasargode ..	13209	5862	19071	342	76	418	29078	13950	43028
Total ..	526330	410217	936547	115555	84635	200190	1405041	1169032	2574073

Source: Directorate of Employment.

18. ASSISTANCE GIVEN TO EDUCATED UNEMPLOYED YOUTH UNDER
SELF EMPLOYMENT SCHEME

Year	Number of applications			Amount disbursed (Rs. in lakhs)
	Recommended	Sanctioned	Disbursed	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1983-84 ..	20918	13091	9217	1,293.89
1984-85 ..	16233	12221	8759	1,399.47
1985-86 ..	16153	13033	9091	1,663.53
Total ..	53304	38345	27067	4,356.89

Source: Directorate of Industries and Commerce.

19. ASSISTANCE GIVEN TO EDUCATED UNEMPLOYED YOUTH UNDER
SELF EMPLOYMENT SCHEME 1985-86

District	Number of applications			Amount disbursed (Rs. in lakhs)
	Recommended	Sanctioned	Disbursed	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Trivandrum ..	907	783	505	80.25
Quilon ..	899	791	725	131.55
Alleppey ..	1186	973	741	151.18
Kottayam ..	1222	1047	915	193.30
Pathanamthitta ..	842	772	601	107.10
Idukki ..	1166	944	681	106.66

**ASSISTANCE GIVEN TO EDUCATED UNEMPLOYED YOUTH UNDER
SELF EMPLOYMENT SCHEME 1985-86—(cont.)**

<i>District</i>	<i>Number of applications</i>			<i>Amount disbursed (Rs. in lakhs)</i>
	<i>Recommended</i>	<i>Sanctioned</i>	<i>Disbursed</i>	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ernakulam ..	1743	1314	884	172.33
Trichur ..	1121	982	529	98.36
Palghat ..	1208	807	363	67.75
Malappuram ..	1466	1087	671	101.15
Kozhikode ..	1272	1024	786	133.62
Wayanad ..	801	605	437	90.61
Cannanore ..	1344	1143	638	116.04
Kasargod ..	976	761	615	113.63
Total ..	16153	13033	9091	1,663.53

Source: Directorate of Industries and Commerce.

20. NUMBER OF PERSONS RECEIVING UNEMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Year</i>	<i>Number of applications sanctioned</i>	<i>Amount disbursed (Rs. in lakhs)</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1.	1982	44011	80.23
2.	1983	98261	649.80
3.	1984	136479	768.53
4.	1985	179149	1,012.08
5.	1986	208977	626.82*

* Till 30-9-1986.

Source: Directorate of Employment.

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