

Illiterate population (Million)

National	2000	2002	2004	2006	2007	2008	Change1999-2000 to 2007-2008
Total illiterate Population	67.69	69.38	68.66	70.18	69.44	68.39	0.70
Urban	14.87	16.10	15.83	16.64	16.50	16.00	1.13
Rural	52.82	53.28	52.83	53.55	52.94	52.39	-0.43
illiterate Population 15+	42.45	43.39	43.31	44.59	44.09	43.98	1.54
Urban	8.72	9.92	9.95	10.41	10.16	10.10	1.38
Rural	33.73	33.47	33.35	34.18	33.94	33.88	0.15
illiterate Population 15+	42.45	43.39	43.31	44.59	44.09	43.98	1.54
Males	16.63	16.74	16.34	16.73	16.17	16.07	-0.57
Females	25.82	26.65	26.97	27.86	27.92	27.92	2.10