

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2536
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TEN FASTEST GROWING STATES
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the ten fastest growing States in the country in 1990-91, 2000-01 and 2003-04; and
(b) States come in the lowest growth category in these years?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI S.S. PALANIMANICKAM)

(a) & (b) A Statement is attached.

Statement referred to in reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2536 for answer on 18th March 2005

(a) & (b) The growth of Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP) at current prices as per the latest available data with the Central Statistical Organisation for 1990-91, 2000-01 and 2003-04 are as follows.

GSDP at current prices
(percentage change over the previous year)
(in descending order of growth rates in 2000-01)

| States/ Union Territories | 1990-91 | 2000-2001 | 2003-2004 | |
|------------------------------|---------|-----------|-----------|------|
| 1 Nagaland | 20.2 | 44.4 | NA | |
| 2 Mizoram | 9.3 | 25.6 | NA | |
| 3 Pondicherry | 11.5 | 21.2 | 5.4 | |
| 4 Delhi | | 15.0 | 18.2 | NA |
| 5 Sikkim | 14.7 | 16.2 | 8.6 | |
| 6 Tripura | 10.1 | 16.0 | NA | |
| 7 Bihar | 16.9 | 14.5 | 5.6 | |
| 8 Uttaranchal | N.A. | 14.1 | NA | |
| 9 Meghalaya | 17.0 | 13.3 | NA | |
| 10 Haryana | | 22.3 | 12.4 | 12.8 |
| 11 Andhra Pradesh | 17.9 | 11.9 | 11.4 | |
| 12 Kerala | | 15.4 | 11.6 | 11.5 |
| 13 Tamil Nadu | | 15.5 | 11.6 | 10.3 |
| 14 Goa | | 11.4 | 11.2 | NA |
| 15 Himachal Pradesh | | 15.6 | 10.4 | NA |
| 16 West Bengal | 13.6 | 10.3 | NA | |
| 17 Karnataka | 15.3 | 10.0 | NA | |
| 18 Arunachal Pradesh | | 23.3 | 9.3 | NA |
| 19 Punjab | 11.2 | 8.0 | 8.8 | |
| 20 Chandigarh | N.A. | 8.0 | 16.5 | |
| 21 Assam | 16.9 | 7.6 | 9.8 | |
| 22 Jammu & Kashmir | 9.5 | 5.7 | NA | |
| 23 Uttar Pradesh | 18.3 | 5.0 | NA | |
| 24 Manipur | 14.0 | 4.4 | 10.4 | |
| 25 Rajasthan | 31.1 | 0.9 | 17.3 | |
| 26 Andaman & Nicobar Islands | | 12.4 | 0.9 | NA |
| 27 Orissa | -1.1 | 0.3 | 15.4 | |
| 28 Gujarat | | 13.0 | -0.4 | 18.6 |
| 29 Maharashtra | 15.7 | -1.9 | 12.0 | |
| 30 Chattisgarh | N.A. | -3.0 | NA | |
| 31 Madhya Pradesh | 24.4 | -5.4 | 22.4 | |
| 32 Jharkhand | | N.A. | -7.6 | NA |

N.A. : Not available

