

NATIONAL SAMPLE SURVEY IN MIZORAM

The National Sample Survey (NSS) was set up by the Government of India in 1950 with a view to obtain comprehensive and continuing informations relating to social, economics, demographic, industrial and agricultural issues through a large scale scientific sampling methods in the country. The National Sample Survey Organisation (NSSO) is the nodal organisation with its headquarter at New Delhi having 48 regional and 165 Sub-Regional Offices.

The Directorate of Economics and Statistics, Mizoram had undertaken the programme in 1977 and created NSS wing with the State employees in the Directorate under the supervision of Asst. Superintendent deputed by the Government of India. The wing started functioning by participating NSS 32nd round during 1977-1978 covering rural and urban on sample basis.

The recurring expenditure of field works in respect of Central samples is borne by the Government of India on 100% basis and expenditures on state samples has been shared by the Central and the State Government on 50/50 basis. In other words, 75% of the over all expenditure incurred on NSS works was borne by the Central Government.

The subject coverage of the Sample Survey from 32nd round onwards are as follows:-

<u>Round</u>	<u>Period</u>	<u>Subject</u>
32 nd	July 1977 - June 1978	1) Consumer expenditure 2) Income & expenditure of rural household. 3) Employment and unemployment/urban labour force.
33 rd	July 1978 - June 1979	1) Small scale manufacture and handicrafts (household) 2) Small sclae manufacture and handicrafts - (Non-household).
34 th	July 1979 - June 1980	1) Hotel and restaurant enterprise. 2) Service and construction enterprise. 3) Mining and quarring enterprise.
35 th	July 1980 - June 1981	1) Maternity, child welfare etc. 2) Family planning. 3) Building activity. 4) Education. 5) Social consumption

36 th	July 1981 - Dec 1981	1) Disability.	
37 th	Jan 1982 - Dec 1982	1) Land holdings. 2) Livestock debt and investment. 3) Rural retail price.	
		Number of samples = village 128 blocks 40	} State & } Central
38 th	Jan 1983 - Dec 1983	1) Employment and unemployment. 2) Household consumer expenditure.	
		Number of samples = village 256 blocks 96	} State & } Central
39 th	Jan 1984 - June 1984	1) Population. 2) Birth and Death. 3) Rural retail price.	
		Number of samples = village 112 blocks 40	} State & } Central
40 th	July 1984 - June 1985	1) Unorganised manufacturing. 2) Repair enterprise (OAE, OATE, DME)	
		Number of samples = village 240 blocks 128	} State & } Central
41 st	July 1985 - June 1986	1) Non-directory trading establishment (NDTE & OATE) 2) Retail price in rural areas.	
		Number of samples = village 256 blocks 114	} State & } Central
42 nd	July 1986 - June 1987	1) Utilisation of educational and health services. 2) Maternity, child care, family planning. 3) Utilisation of public distribution system.	
		Number of samples = village 224 blocks 96	} State & } Central
43 rd	July 1987 - June 1988	1) Employment and unemployment. 2) Travel habits. 3) Household consumer expenditure.	
		Number of samples = village 224 blocks 96	} State & } Central

- 44th July 1988 - June 1989
- 1) Village characteristics.
 - 2) Level of living of tribals.
 - 3) Economic activities and enterprise accounts.
 - 4) Migration and ownership of land.
 - 5) Housing condition and construction.
 - 6) Consumer expenditure.
- Number of samples = rural 176 } State &
urban 96 } Central
- 45th July 1989 - June 1990
- 1) Economic and operational characteristics of small manufacturing and repairing enterprise in unorganised sector.
 - 2) Household expenditure.
 - 3) Rural retail price.
- Number of samples = rural 208 } State &
blocks 192 } Central
- 46th July 1990 - June 1991
- 1) Economic and operational characteristics of OATE, NDTE and DTE.
 - 2) Household consumer expenditure.
 - 3) Rural retail price.
- Number of samples = rural 112 } State &
urban 48 } Central
- 47th July 1991 - Dec 1991
- 1) Disability.
 - 2) Literature.
 - 3) Culture.
 - 4) Consumer expenditure.
 - 5) Employment and unemployment.
- Number of samples = rural 112 } State &
urban 48 } Central
- 48th Jan 1992 - Dec 1992
- 1) Land and livestock holdings.
 - 2) Debt and investment.
 - 3) This is repetition of 37th round.
 - 4) Consumer expenditure and rural retail price.
- Number of samples = rural 104 } State &
urban 72 } Central
- 49th Jan 1993 - June 1993
- 1) Housing condition, migration with special reference to slum dwellers.
 - 2) Employment and unemployment.
 - 3) Consumer expenditure and rural retail price.
- Number of samples = rural 128 } State &
urban 56 } Central

- 50th July 1993 - June 1994
- 1) 5th quinquennial round of survey on household consumer expenditure.
 - 2) Employment and unemployment.
 - 3) Rural retail price.
- Number of samples = rural 96 } State &
urban 192 } Central
- 51st July 1994 - June 1995
- 1) Economic and operational characteristics of small manufacturing and repair enterprise in unorganised sector.
 - 2) Consumer expenditure and rural retail price.
- Number of samples = rural 128 } State &
urban 224 } Central
- 52nd July 1995 - June 1996
- 1) Health care and education.
 - 2) Problems of age (60 years & above)
 - 3) Consumer expenditure.
 - 4) Availability of some infrastructural facilities to villages.
- Number of samples = rural 112 } State &
urban 192 } Central
- 53rd Jan 1997 - Dec 1997
- 1) Survey of small trading units. OATE and non-directory trading establishment NDTE excluding those that are in public sector.
 - 2) Consumer expenditure.
- Number of samples = rural 32 } State &
urban 48 } Central
- 54th Jan 1998 - June 1998
- 1) Survey of common property resources, sanitation and hygiene services.
 - 2) Consumer expenditure.
- Number of samples = rural 84 } State &
urban 72 } Central
- Special Enterprise Survey(VAPW)
(August 1998 - June 1999)
- 1) Value added per worker in 14 non-agricultural activities.
 - 2) Unorganised manufacture, repair services, whole sale rate, retail trade, hotel, restaurants, transport, health, education, communication, real estate, business, services, legal services, personal services.
- Number of samples = rural 150 } State &
urban 206 } Central
- 55th July 1999 - June 2000
- 1) Employment and unemployment.
 - 2) Informal non-agricultural enterprise.
 - 3) Consumer expenditure.
- Number of samples = rural 80 } State &
urban 144 } Central

56th July 2000 - June 2001 1) Economic and operation characteristics of small manufacturing enterprises in unorganised sector.
 2) Employment and unemployment.
 3) Consumer expenditure.
 Number of samples = rural 144 } State &
 urban 224 } Central

57th July 2001 - June 2002 1) Survey on all OAE and establishment of unorganised service sector (excluding trade and finance)
 2) Consumer expenditure.
 3) Employment and unemployment.
 Number of samples = rural 64 } State &
 urban 64 } Central

58th July 2002 - Dec 2002 1) Disability, housing, condition village facilities, slum particulars.
 2) Employment and unemployment.
 3) Consumer expenditure.
 Number of samples = rural 160 } State &
 urban 304 } Central

59th Jan 2003 - Dec 2003 1) Land & livestock holdings, debt & investment and situation assessment for farmers.
 2) Consumer expenditure.
 3) Employment and unemployment.
 Number of samples = rural 272 } State &
 urban 272 } Central

60th Jan 2004 - June 2004 1) Morbidity & health care.
 2) Employment and unemployment.
 3) Consumer expenditure

Number of samples	:	Central	State	Total
Rural	:	44	44	88
Urban	:	64	64	128

61st July 2004 - June 2005 1) Employment and unemployment. This is the 7th quinquennial in the series last being 55th round.
 2) Consumer expenditure.

Number of samples	:	Central	State	Total
Rural	:	232	232	464
Urban	:	88	88	176

62nd July 2005 - June 2006 1) Unorganised manufacturing enterprises under two digit code 15-37 of NIC-2004.
2) Enterprises under cotton ginning, cleaning & baling (NIC 2004 code 01405)
3) Employment and unemployment.

Number of samples	:	Central	State	Total
Rural	:	80	80	160
Urban	:	128	128	256

63rd July 2006 - June 2007 1) Survey of service sector enterprise (excluding trade)
2) Consumer expenditure.
3) Basically repetition of 57th round in terms of concept & definitions. Financial sector included in this round.

Number of samples	:	Central	State	Total
Rural	:	72	72	144
Urban	:	216	216	432

64th July 2007 - June 2008 1) Employment and unemployment
2) Migration particulars.
3) Participation & expenditure in Education.
4) Consumer expenditure.

Number of samples	:	Central	State	Total
Rural	:	128	128	256
Urban	:	192	192	384

All the survey Schedules of Central Samples has been sent to the Data Processing Division, Kolkatta meanwhile survey Schedules of State Samples were kept in the Directorate for further processing. Two officials who are in-charge of tabulation were deputed to the Data Processing Division, Kolkatta to undergo a short course training on data processing during July, 2007.

As desired by the Govt. of India data processing in respect of State Samples from 60th Round is being undertaken by the Directorate of Economics & Statistics, Mizoram. Data entries in respect of 60th and 61st Round has been completed and validation is under process. Tabulation reports of the State Samples will be incorporated in the web site as soon as tabulation process is finalised. Moreover, progress of achievements will also be updated in the web site.

Administrative set up of NSS wing including District Offices as on 1.7.2007 is as follows :-

1) Deputy Director	-	1 no.
2) Research Officer	-	1 no.
3) Inspector of Statistics	-	7 nos.
4) Sub-Inspector of Statistics	-	26 nos.
5) L.D.C.	-	1 no.
6) IV Grade	-	1 no.