EOPP Indian States Data Base

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Socioeconomic Variables

All socioeconomic variables except for 'land area by state' (LAREA) come from the World Bank data set, *A Database on Poverty and Growth in India*, prepared by Ozler, Datt and Ravallion (1996) as part of the research project on 'Poverty in India 1950-1990'.

Price indexes have been updated following Ozler et al (1996) methodology.

LAREA comes from the Registrar of General, Ministry of Home Affairs, India. It is available from the *Statistical Abstract*, published by the Central Statistical Organization, Department of Statistics, Ministry of Planning, India.

Net State Domestic Product variables are in '00000 Rs. At current prices

| Stata Name Of The Variable | Full Name Of The Variable | Years Covered |
|----------------------------|--|---------------|
| NSDP | Net State Domestic Product, total all | |
| | sectors | |
| NSDPAG | Net State Domestic Product, agriculture | |
| NSDPFOR | Net State Domestic Product, forestry & | |
| | logging | |
| NSDPFIS | Net State Domestic Product, fishery | |
| NSDPMIN | Net State Domestic Product, mining | |
| | and quarrying | |
| NSDPMAN | Net State Domestic Product, | |
| | manufacturing (registered + | 1960-97 |
| | unregistered) | |
| NSDPMANR | Net State Domestic Product, registered | |
| | manufacturing | |
| NSDPUMAN | Net State Domestic Product, | |
| | unregistered manufacturing | |
| NSDPCON | Net State Domestic Product, | |
| | construction | |
| NSDPEWG | Net State Domestic Product, electricity, | |
| | water and gas | |
| NSDPU | Net State Domestic Product, total all | 1960-2002 |
| | sectors, updated | |
| NSDPTSC | Net State Domestic Product, transport, | |
| | storage and communication | |
| NSDPRLY | Net State Domestic Product, railways | |
| NSDPTOTH | Net State Domestic Product, transport | |
| | by other means | |
| NSDPSTO | Net State Domestic Product | |
| NSDPCOM | Net State Domestic Product, | |
| | communication | |
| NSDPTHR | Net State Domestic Product, trade, | 1980-97 |
| | hotels and restaurants | |
| NSDPB_I | Net State Domestic Product, banking | |
| | and insurance | |

| NSDPREST | Net State Domestic Product, real estate, ownership of dwellings, business services | |
|----------|---|-----------|
| NSDPADM | Net State Domestic Product, public administration | |
| NSDPOSER | Net State Domestic Product, other services | |
| POP1 | Rural Population ('000) | |
| POP2 | Urban Population ('000) | 1958-2002 |
| SCPIAL | Consumer Price Index For Agricultural Labourers (State Rural Prices, Base Year 1973-74) | 1956-2000 |
| STCPIW | Consumer Price Index For Industrial Workers (State Urban Prices, Base Year 1973-74) | |
| RAINFALL | Monthly Average Rainfall By State (mm) | 1958-90 |
| RAINSD | Standard Deviation Of Rainfall By State (mm) | |
| NSA1 | Net Sown Area By State ('000 Hectares)* | 1960-93 |
| RWAGE | Agricultural Wage By State (Rs Per Day, at 1973-74 All-India Rural Prices) | 1958-92 |
| SDPAG1 | Same as SDPAG, with separate observations for Punjab and Haryana from 1965 | 1960-92 |
| SDP1 | Same as SDP, with separate observations for Punjab and Haryana from 1965 | |
| SCPIAL1 | Same as SCPIAL, with separate observations for Punjab and Haryana from 1965 | 1958-2000 |
| STCPIW1 | Same as STCPIW, with separate observations for Punjab and Haryana from 1965 | |
| LAREA | Land Area By State (km ²) | 1957-92 |

^{*} For net sown area, Punjab and Haryana share a single series.