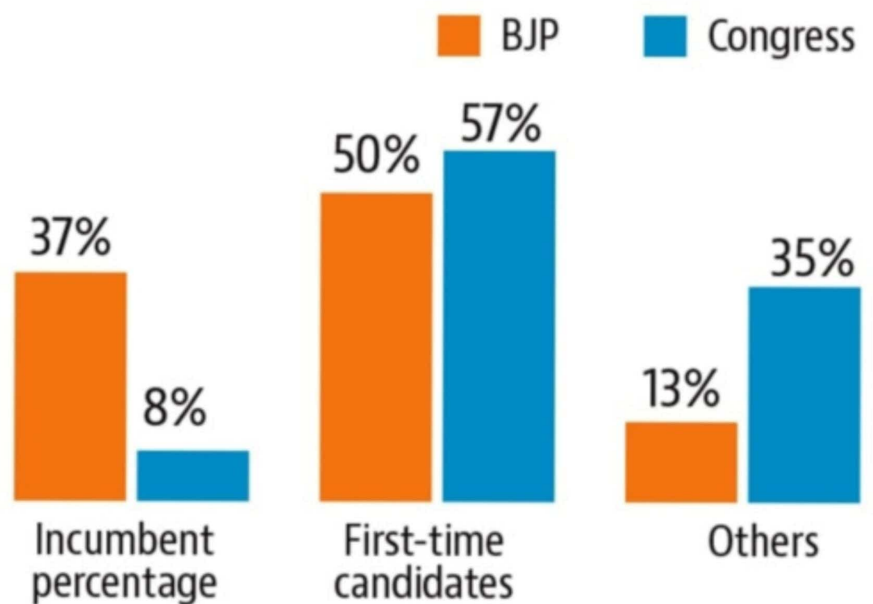
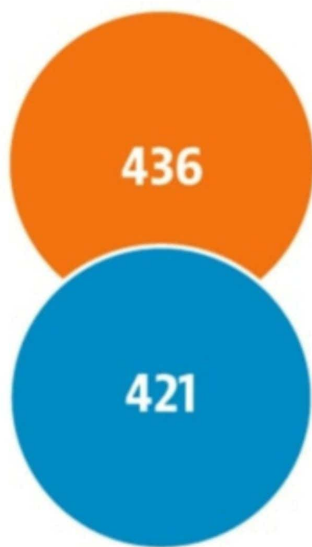


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Breakup of candidates contesting 2019 Lok Sabha polls

NO. OF CANDIDATES



Political Parties Involved in Mob Violence Events During the Indian General Elections (10 March - 25 May 2019)

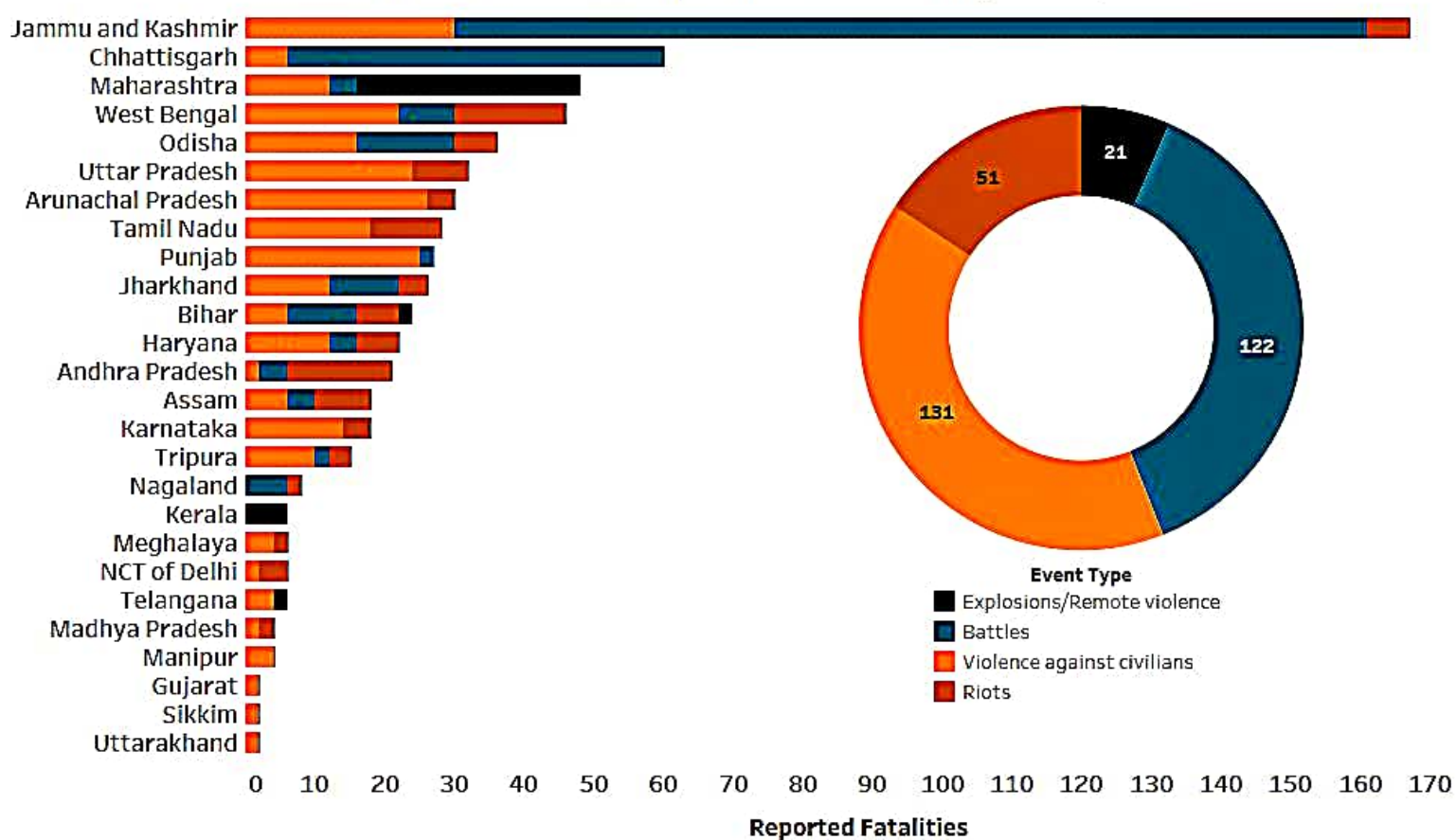


- AAP: Aam Aadmi Party
 AIADMK: All India Anna Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam
 AIUDF: All India United Democratic Front
 AMMK: Amma Makkal Munnetra Kazhagam
 BJD: Biju Janata Dal
 BJP: Bharatiya Janata Party
 BPF: Bodoland People's Front
 BSP: Bahujan Samaj Party
 CPI(M): Communist Party of India (Marxist)
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 DMK: Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam
 GJM: Gorkha Janmukti Morcha
 GNLF: Gorkha National Liberation Front
 INC: Indian National Congress
 INLD: Indian National Lok Dal
 IPFT: Indigenous Peoples Front of Tripura
 IUML: Indian Union Muslim League
 JD(S): Janata Dal (Secular)
 JD(U): Janata Dal (United)
 JKNC: Jammu and Kashmir National Conference
 JKPC: Jammu and Kashmir People's Conference
 JKPDP: Jammu and Kashmir Peoples Democratic Party

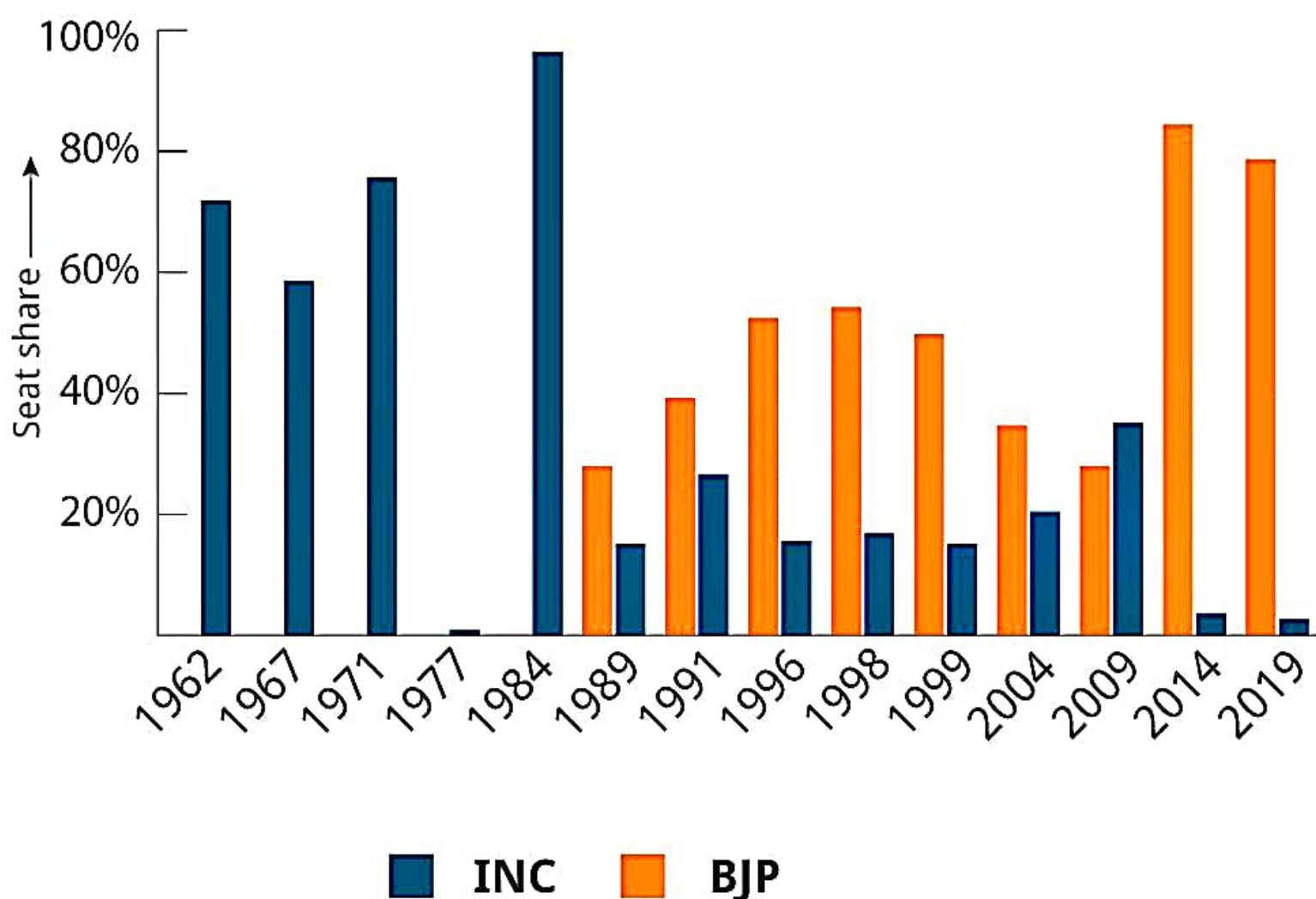
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- JMM: Jharkhand Mukti Morcha
 JSD(L): Jansatta Dal (Loktantrik)
 JSP: Jana Sena Party
 LIP: Lok Insaaf Party
 MNM: Makkal Needhi Maiam
 PDA: Punjab Democratic Alliance
 PMK: Pattali Makkal Katchi
 RJD: Rashtriya Janata Dal
 RLD: Rashtriya Lok Dal
 RSS: Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh
 SAD: Shiromani Akali Dal
 SDPI: Social Democratic Party of India
 SKM: Sikkim Krantikari Morcha
 SP: Samajwadi Party
 TDP: Telugu Desam Party
 TMC: Trinamool Congress Party
 TRS: Telangana Rashtra Samithi
 TVK: Tamizhaga Vazhvurimai Katchi
 VCK: Viduthala Chiruthaigal Katchi
 VHP: Vishwa Hindu Parishad
 YSRCP: Yuvajana, Sramika, Rythu Congress Party

Number of Reported Fatalities by State and Event Type During the Indian General Elections (10 March - 25 May 2019)

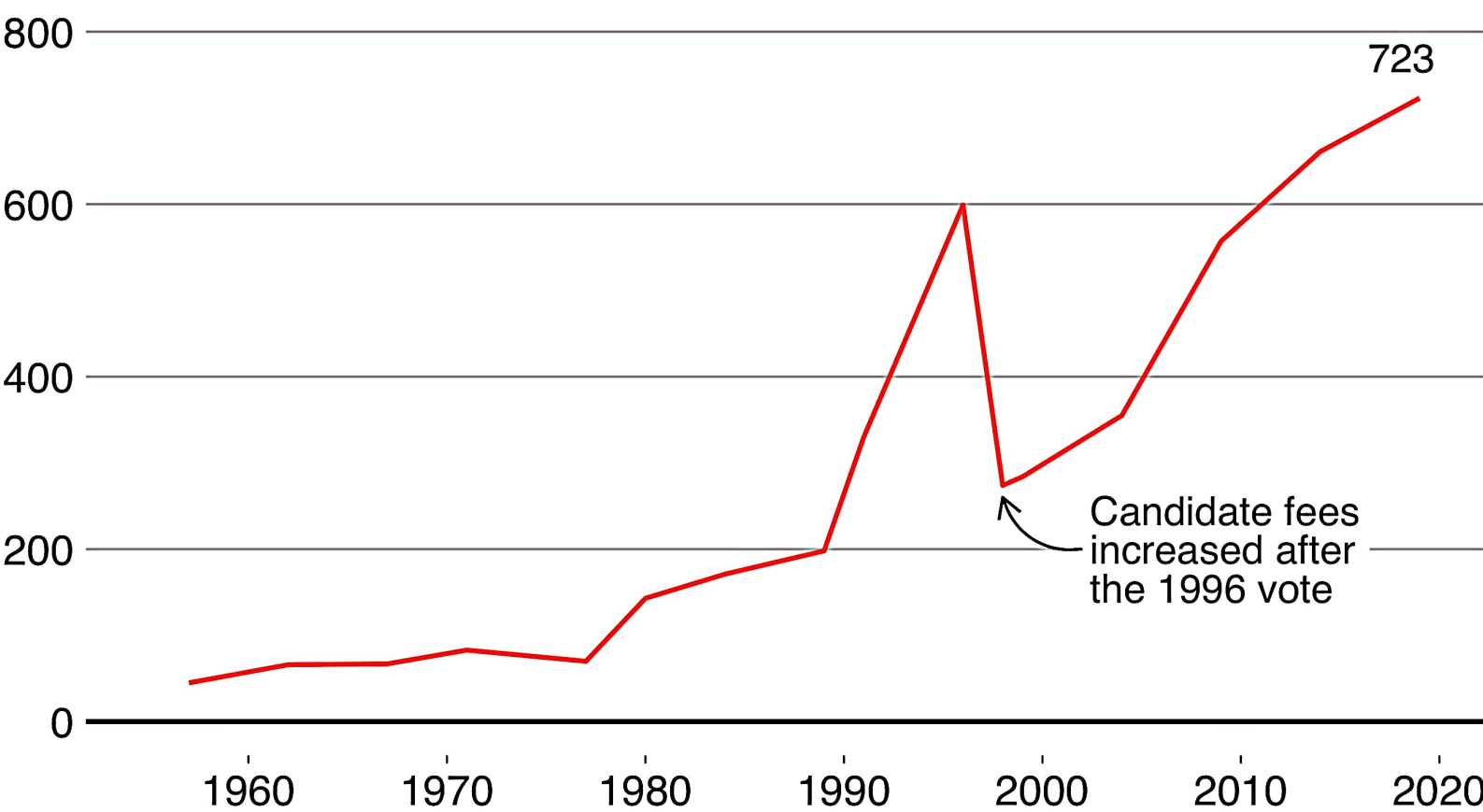


INC and BJP seat shares in the Hindi Belt in general elections, 1962-2019



2019 had the most women candidates

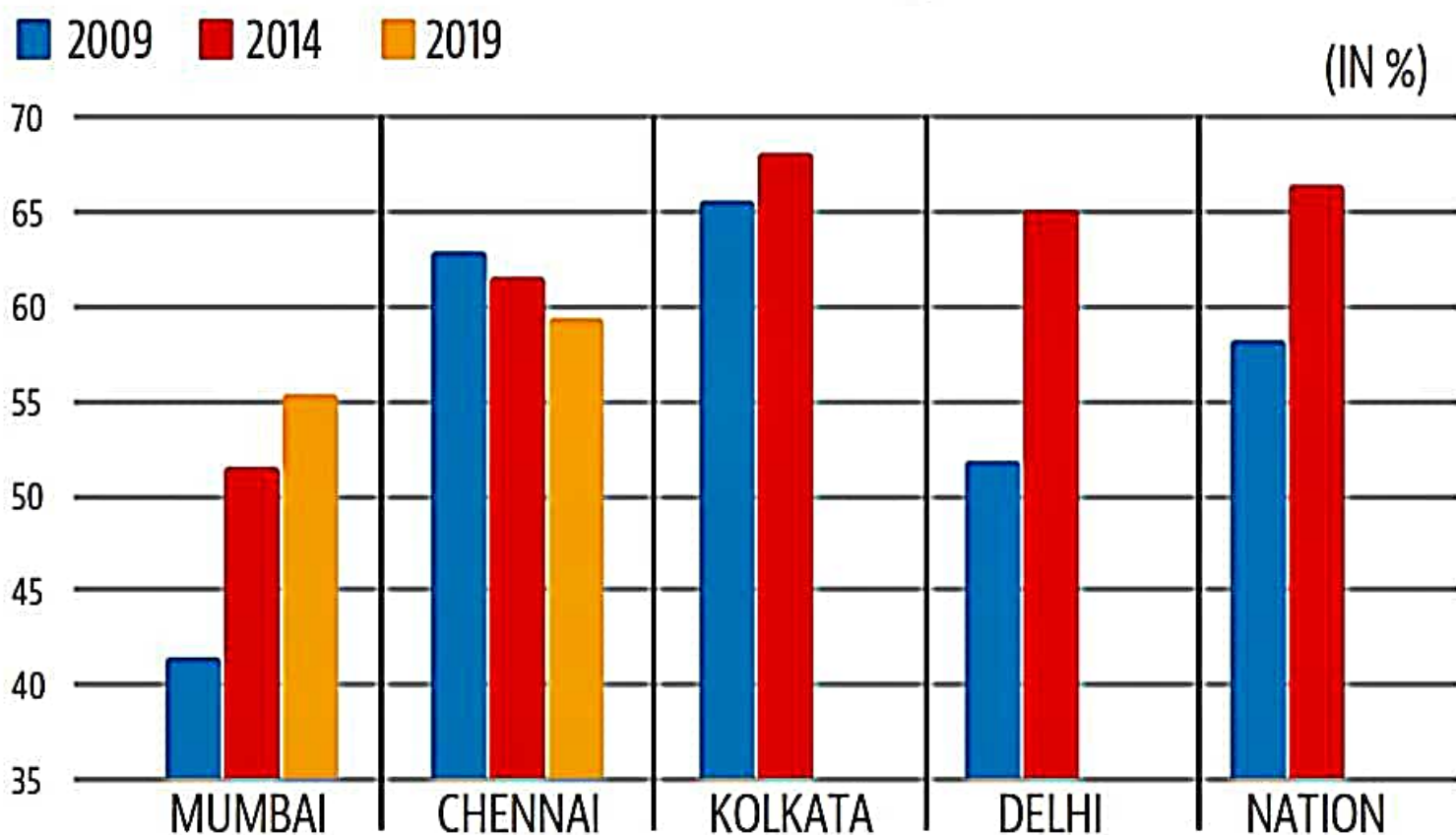
Female participation has been increasing since independence



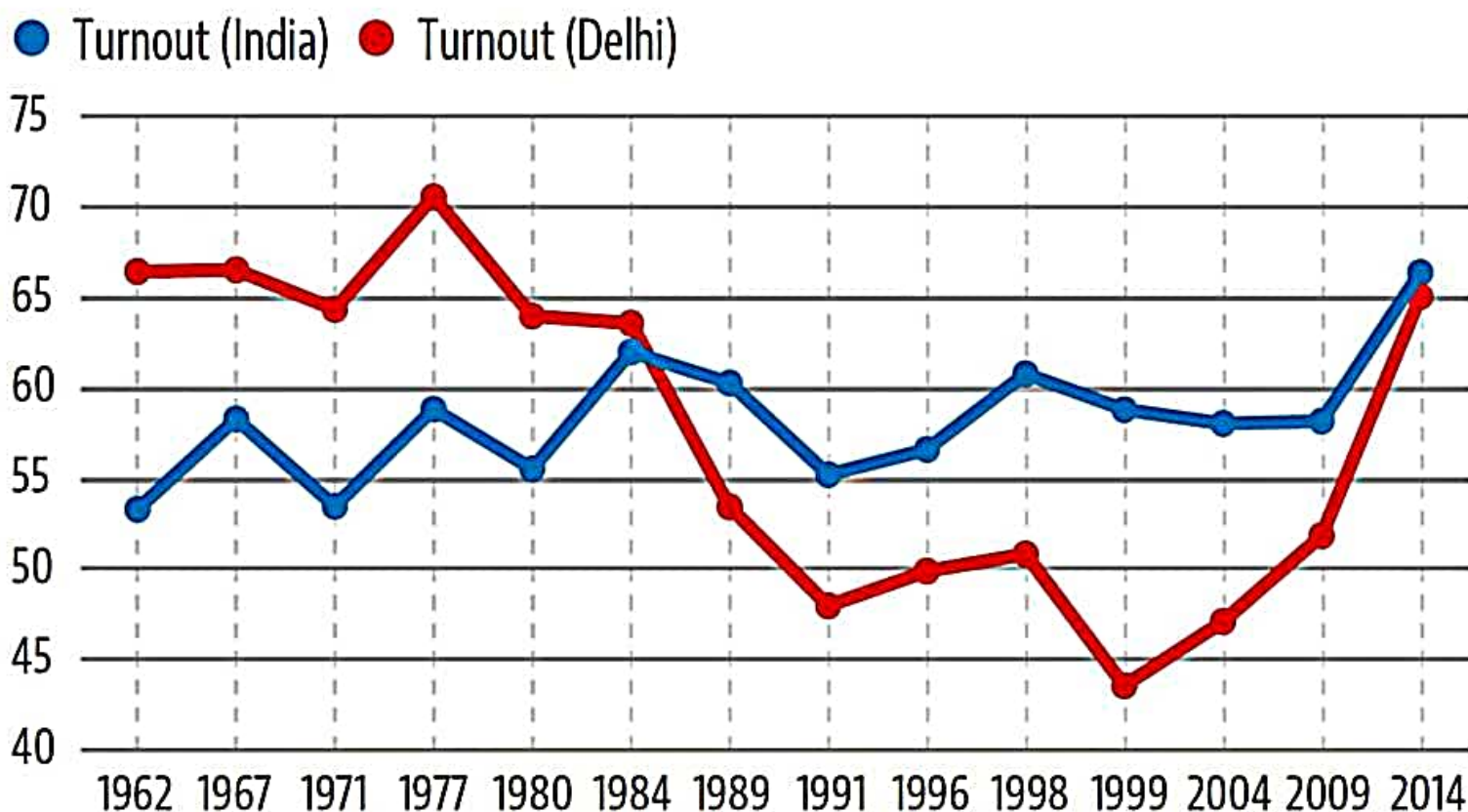
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Voter turnout in four metropolitan cities



Delhi and all-India voter turnout in general elections over time



When asked which government they would like to change immediately, more respondents said centre than state

