

TABLE 10.4  
**Number of Valid Votes Polled in favour of Political Parties in Parliament Elections of the  
State of West Bengal**

Party		Number of valid votes polled	Percentage
(1)		(2)	(3)
<b>2004</b>			
Total		37000233	100.00
1	Communist Party of India (Marxist)	14271042	38.57
2	All India Trinamul Congress	7786178	21.04
3	Indian National Congress (I)	5385754	14.56
4	Bharatiya Janata Party	2983950	8.06
5	Independent & others	1709902	4.62
6	Revolutionary Socialist Party of India	1658787	4.48
7	Communist Party of India	1484152	4.01
8	All India Forward Block	1352423	3.66
9	B.S.P.	331319	0.90
10	CPI(ML)	36726	0.10
Party		Number of valid votes polled	Percentage
(1)		(2)	(3)
<b>2009</b>			
Total		42725649	100.00
1	Communist Party of India (Marxist)	14145963	33.11
2	All India Trinamul Congress	13321321	31.18
3	Indian National Congress (I)	5746529	13.45
4	Bharatiya Janata Party	2625068	6.14
	Independent & others	2095519	4.91
6	Communist Party of India	1538059	3.60
7	Revolutionary Socialist Party of India	1518782	3.55
8	All India Forward Block	1299507	3.04
9	B.S.P.	434901	1.02
Party		Number of valid votes polled	Percentage
(1)		(2)	(3)
<b>2014</b>			
Total		51622555	100.00
1	All India Trinamul Congress	20313280	39.35
2	Communist Party of India (Marxist)	11720997	22.71
3	Bharatiya Janata Party	8691765	16.84
4	Indian National Congress (I)	4946581	9.58
5	Independent & others	1564596	3.03
6	Revolutionary Socialist Party of India	1255794	2.43
7	Communist Party of India	1202666	2.33
8	All India Forward Block	1106038	2.14
9	NOTA	568276	1.10
10	B.S.P.	252562	0.49

Source : Home (Constitution and Election) Department, GoWB.