

TABLE 1.3
Population and Density of Population Per Square Kilometre by District in West Bengal

District	Population(Number)				Density of population(Per Sq. Km.)			
	1981	1991	2001	2011	1981	1991	2001	2011
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
West Bengal	54580647	68077965	80176197	91276115	615	767	903	1028
Burdwan	4835388	6050605	6895514	7717563	688	861	982	1099
Birbhum	2095829	2555664	3015422	3502404	461	562	663	771
Bankura	2374815	2805065	3192695	3596674	345	408	464	523
Paschim Midnapore	6742796	8331912	9610788	5913457	479	592	683	631
Purba Midnapore				5095875				1081
Howrah	2966861	3729644	4273099	4850029	2022	2542	2913	3306
Hooghly	3557306	4355230	5041976	5519145	1130	1383	1601	1753
24-Parganas (N)	5529497	7281881	8934286	10009781	1351	1779	2182	2445
24-Parganas (S)	5209942	5715030	6906689	8161961	441	574	693	819
Kolkata	3305006	4399819	4572876	4496694	22260	23783	24718	24306
Nadia	2964253	3852097	4604827	5167600	755	981	1173	1316
Murshidabad	3697552	4740149	5866569	7103807	695	890	1102	1334
Uttar Dinajpur	1440075	1897045	2441794	3007134	461	604	778	958
Dakshin Dinajpur	964872	1230608	1503178	1676276	448	555	677	755
Malda	2031871	2637032	3290468	3988845	544	706	881	1069
Jalpaiguri	2214871	2800543	3401173	3872846	356	450	546	622
Darjeeling	1024269	1299919	1609172	1846823	325	413	511	586
Cooch Behar	1771643	2171145	2479155	2819086	523	641	732	832
Purulia	1853801	2224577	2536516	2930115	296	355	405	468

Source : Directorate of Census Operation, West Bengal.