Can Orange and Green districts be the path to recovery for Indian Business?

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States	Green Districts	Orange Districts	Red Districts	Total Districts
Andaman and Nicobar	2		1	3
Andhra Pradesh		8	5	13
Arunachal Pradesh	25			25
Assam	29	3	1	33
Bihar	7	26	5	38
Chandigarh			1	1
Chhattisgarh	25	1	1	27
Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman	2	1		3
Goa	2			2
Gujarat	5	19	9	33
Haryana	1	19	2	22
Himachal Pradesh	5	7		12
Jammu and Kashmir	3	5	13	21
Jharkhand	13	10	1	24
Karnataka	12	15	3	30
Kerala	3	9	2	14
Ladakh		2		2
Lakshadweep	1			1
Madhya Pradesh	25	19	9	53
Maharashtra	6	17	13	36
Manipur	16			16
Meghalaya	10	1		11
Mizoram	11			11
Nagaland	11			11
National Capital Territory of Delhi			11	11
Odisha	15	11	4	30
Puducherry	3	1		4
Punjab	2	17	3	22
Rajasthan	5	20	8	33
Sikkim	4			4
Tamil Nadu	1	24	12	37
Telangana	9	18	6	33
Tripura	5	2	1	8
Uttar Pradesh	20	36	19	75
Uttarakhand	10	2	1	13
West Bengal	7	12	4	23
Grand Total	**295**	**305**	**135**	**735**

The story so far: India is divided into Red, Orange and Green districts depending on the quantum of, or the absence of, Covid-19 cases recorded in the district. While the Red districts face several debilitating curbs on the conduct of business, the Orange and Green districts are able to get back to less restrictive environments after the nationwise lockdown that ended on May 3, 2020.

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A statewise division of districts into Red, Orange and Green is given alongside.

An epiphany led to the creation of this report: Can the Green and Orange districts, lead the recovery of Indian Business?

The difference in the perspectives of the optimists and the 'others' has never been so stark. This is an optimists report. For the 'others', this is an 'opportunists' report – since dark words are often more fashionable.

Can the green and orange districts contribute to the economy more than before the virus cataclysm? Is this an opportunity for these areas to step up and be counted?

As this discussion deepened, we looked at the data to see what were the resources – human and natural – available to the green and orange districts. The story that these numbers create is interesting, to say the least.

To be fair, the story is double edged. While it points to the depth of the economic strength of the country, it also points to the vast urban aggregations that are the hubs of our current economic structure, and also the hubs of the pandemic.
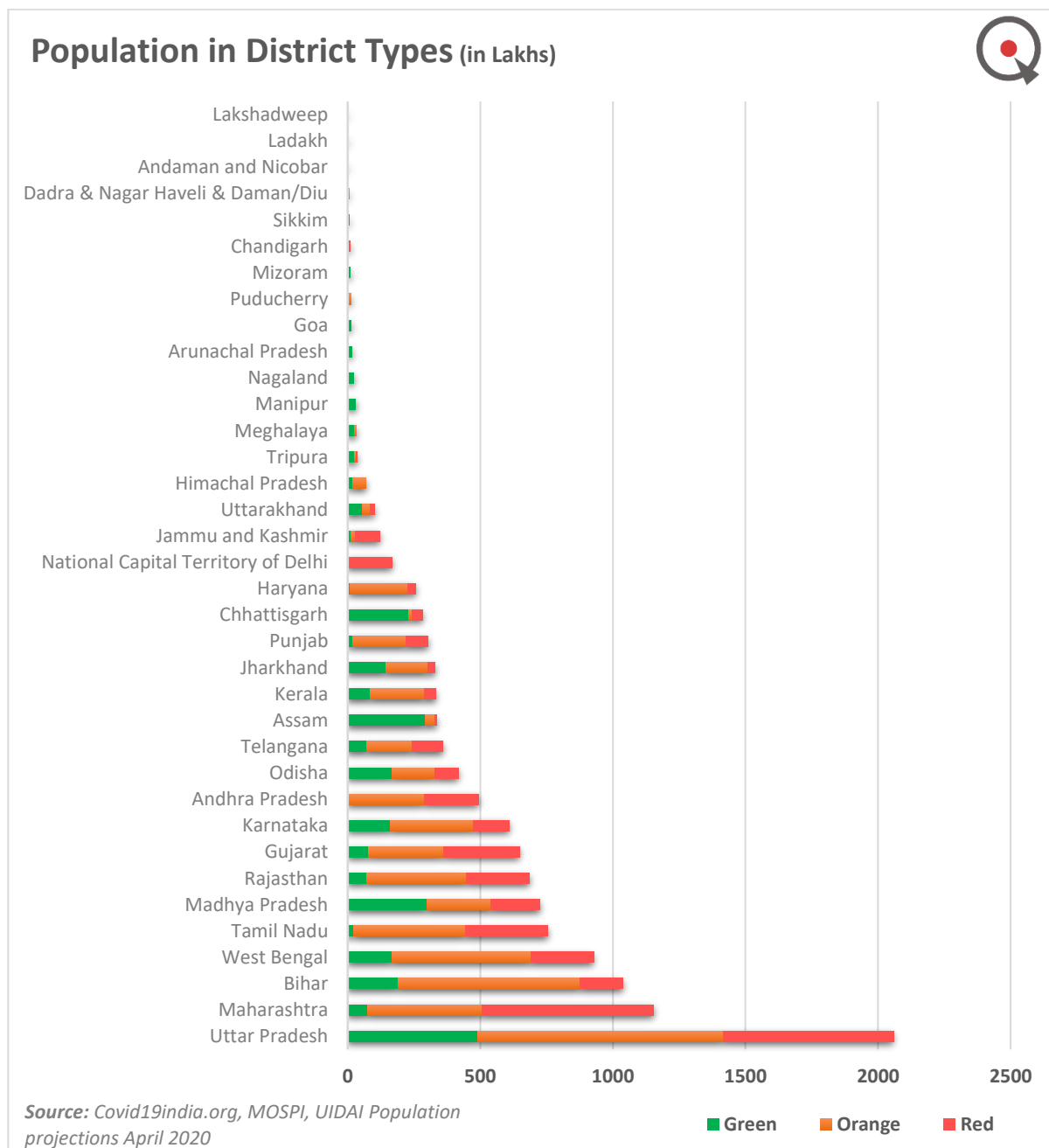
As of **May 8, 2020**, the data reads like this:

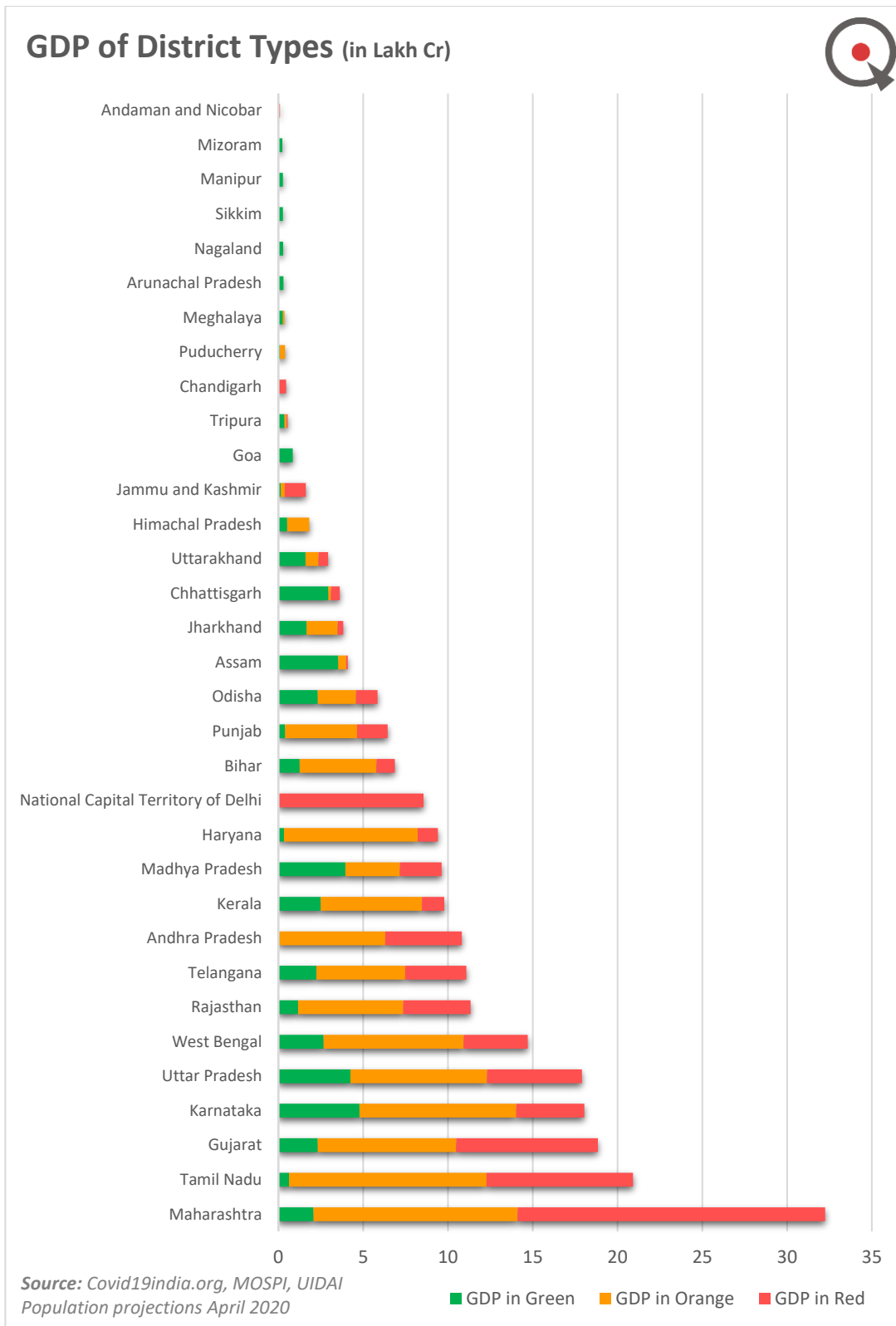|	Districts	Population (Crores)	GSDP (lakh crores)	Per Capita GSDP (Rs.)
Total	735	137	212 ($2.94 Tr)	1,90,410
Red Districts	135 (18%)	42 (31%)	73 (35%)	1,93,723
Orange Districts	**305 (41%)**	**64 (46%)**	**97 (46%)**	**1,70,017**
Green Districts	**295 (40%)**	**31 (23%)**	**40 (19%)**	**1,42,224**

Some observations from this table:

81% of the districts (600 in total) are in the **Orange** and **Green** categories, and should therefore be able to quickly reach their pre-Covid19 GDP per capita

69% of the country's population lives in these 600 districts

Population in District Types (in Lakhs)

Source: Covid19india.org, MOSPI, UIDAI Population projections April 2020

65% of the country's GDP
is created in these 600 Orange and Green districts

GDP of District Types (in Lakh Cr)

Andaman and Nicobar
Mizoram
Manipur
Sikkim
Nagaland
Arunachal Pradesh
Meghalaya
Puducherry
Chandigarh
Tripura
Goa
Jammu and Kashmir
Himachal Pradesh
Uttarakhand
Chhattisgarh
Jharkhand
Assam
Odisha
Punjab
Bihar
National Capital Territory of Delhi
Haryana
Madhya Pradesh
Kerala
Andhra Pradesh
Telangana
Rajasthan
West Bengal
Uttar Pradesh
Karnataka
Gujarat
Tamil Nadu
Maharashtra

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Source: Covid19india.org, MOSPI, UIDAI Population projections April 2020

■ GDP in Green   ■ GDP in Orange   ■ GDP in Red

Can the green and orange districts become the new manufacturing hubs?

What kind of value addition activities can undertaken in these districts?
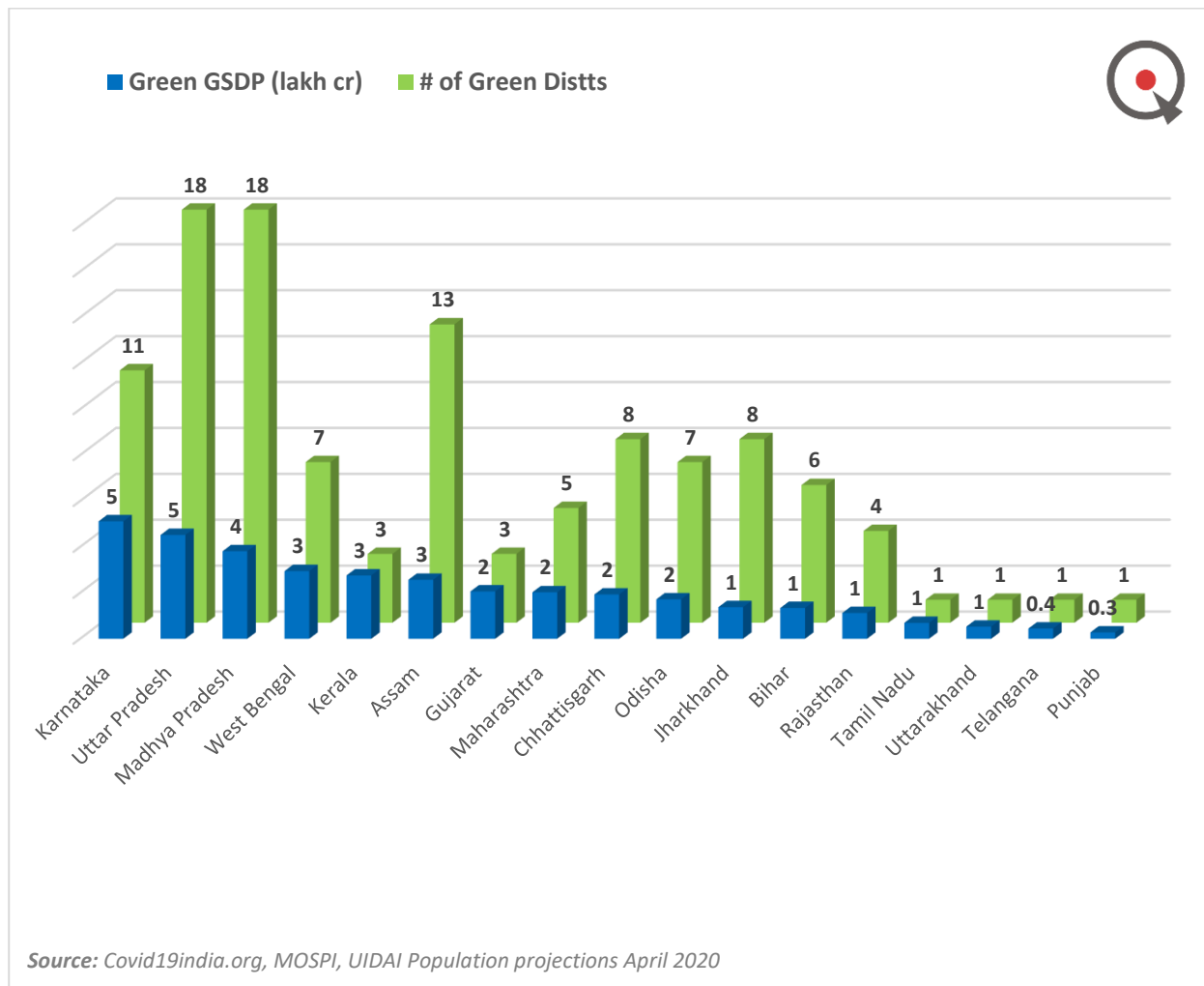
There are 115 Green districts with populations >10 lakhs

23 crores: The combined population of districts with more than 10 lakh population each

35 lakh crores: The cumulative GSDP of these 115 green districts (based on each states per capita GSDP)

41 districts: At the top of this pile are 41 disctricts with populations greater than **20 lakhs** with a combined population of >12 crores.

(Annexure 1: List of Green districts with populations > 10 lakhs)

Brands concerned about fragmented consumer bases… please note!

■ Green GSDP (lakh cr)   ■ # of Green Distts

State	Green GSDP (lakh cr)	# of Green Distts
Karnataka	5	11
Uttar Pradesh	5	18
Madhya Pradesh	4	18
West Bengal	3	7
Kerala	3	3
Assam	3	13
Gujarat	2	3
Maharashtra	2	5
Chhattisgarh	2	8
Odisha	2	7
Jharkhand	1	8
Bihar	1	6
Rajasthan	1	4
Tamil Nadu	1	1
Uttarakhand	1	1
Telangana	0.4	1
Punjab	0.3	1

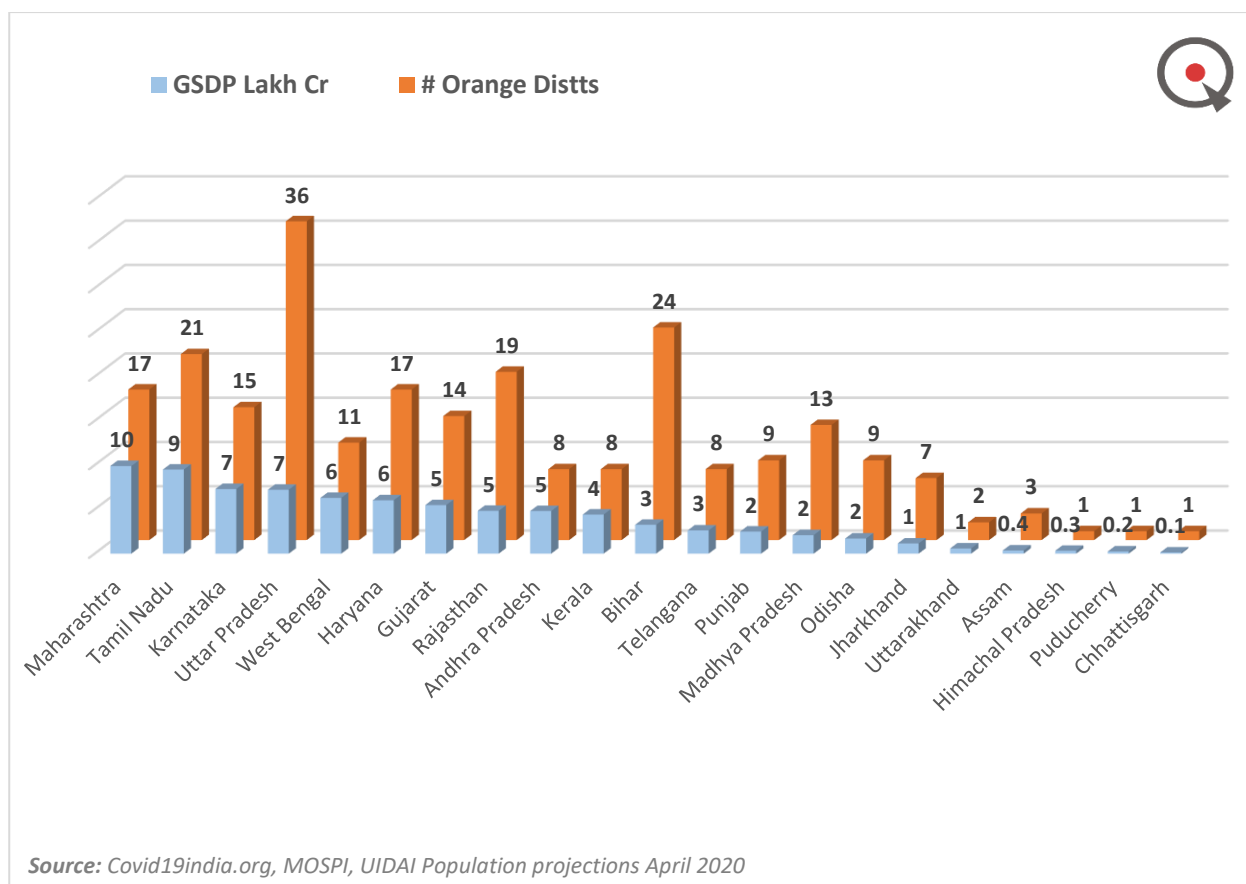*Source: Covid19india.org, MOSPI, UIDAI Population projections April 2020*

There are 244 Orange districts with populations >10 lakhs

60 crores: the combined population of Orange Districts with more than 10 lakh population each

81 lakh crores: the cumulative GSDP of these 244 orange districts computed via the per capita GSDP of the respective states

128 districts: Number of Orange districts with populations of **>20 lacs** each

(Annexure 2: List of Orange districts with populations > 10 lakhs)

Source: Covid19india.org, MOSPI, UIDAI Population projections April 2020

In sum

This is an incredible opportunity for the brands and media owners to exploit. With the opening up of the districts and the restart of production and commerce, the RoI on all **addressable, hyper-localisable advertising media** that are most suited to these districts needs to be looked at in earnest.

There are vast, underutilised areas of the country with significant human resources, and it is up to Indian businesses to utilise, to 'exploit' (negative words more fashionable!) this opportunity.

The **number of districts in each colour code will change** as the pandemic flows and ebbs – which implies that the story we relate today will change somewhat next week. We shall therefore send you an update every week, over the next several weeks, to track the movement of the 'opportunity'.

Will it change somewhat, significantly or massively? That is the trillion dollar question what we seek to address.

Next update – May 15, 2020

Annexure 1: List of Green districts with populations > 10 lakhs[*]

Annexure 1: Part 1 of 3

> • Estimate based on extrapolation of Census 2011 populations

State/UT	District	Popn 2019	Density (per sq km)	Classification-8th May 2020
Bihar	Muzaffarpur	52,87,817	1,506	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Lakhimpur Kheri	44,41,325	523	Green
Bihar	West Champaran	43,54,358	753	Green
West Bengal	Bankura	39,79,511	523	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Kushinagar	39,40,271	1,226	Green
Bihar	Sitamarhi	37,84,015	1,491	Green
Chhattisgarh	Durg	36,99,316	391	Green
Kerala	Ernakulam	36,29,360	1,069	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Barabanki	36,05,152	739	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Ballia	35,67,152	1,081	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Pratapgarh	35,11,946	854	Green
Kerala	Thrissur	34,41,762	1,026	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Deoria	34,28,826	1,220	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Shahjahanpur	33,22,308	673	Green
West Bengal	Uttar Dinajpur	33,20,618	956	Green
West Bengal	Purulia	32,39,968	468	Green
Assam	Nagaon	31,27,144	738	Green
West Bengal	Cooch Behar	31,23,574	833	Green
Bihar	Araria	31,05,227	992	Green
Gujarat	Junagadh	30,34,508	310	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Maharajganj	29,49,304	903	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Fatehpur	29,13,222	634	Green
Odisha	Cuttack	28,97,756	666	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Siddharthnagar	28,25,629	882	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Amethi	28,21,655	830	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Ambedkar Nagar	26,54,314	1,021	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Rewa	26,15,624	374	Green
Jharkhand	East Singhbhum	25,35,163	648	Green
Tamil Nadu	Erode	25,00,391	397	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Satna	24,66,100	297	Green
Gujarat	Jamnagar	23,89,206	153	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Balrampur	23,78,070	642	Green
Kerala	Alappuzha	23,48,056	1,501	Green
Rajasthan	Ganganagar	21,79,391	179	Green
Chhattisgarh	Bilaspur	21,70,984	337	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Chandauli	21,60,793	768	Green
Assam	Sonitpur	21,31,206	362	Green
Karnataka	Raichur	21,29,876	228	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Farrukhabad	20,88,716	865	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Sonbhadra	20,61,091	274	Green
Rajasthan	Jalore	20,25,171	172	Green
Odisha	Kendujhar	19,94,880	217	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Kanpur Dehat	19,86,376	594	Green
Karnataka	Hassan	19,65,494	261	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Chhatarpur	19,50,706	203	Green
Bihar	Jamui	19,43,205	567	Green
Karnataka	Shivamogga	19,42,579	207	Green
Assam	Cachar	19,21,340	459	Green

State/UT	District	Popn 2019	Density (per sq km)	Classification-8th May 2020
Madhya Pradesh	Shivpuri	19,09,720	168	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Bhind	18,85,093	382	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Balaghat	18,82,430	184	Green
West Bengal	Alipurduar	18,81,151	400	Green
Odisha	Puri	18,78,919	488	Green
Assam	Barpeta	18,73,616	522	Green
West Bengal	Dakshin Dinajpur	18,48,985	753	Green
Karnataka	Chitradurga	18,37,307	197	Green
Maharashtra	Osmanabad	18,37,233	219	Green
Bihar	Khagaria	18,34,232	1,115	Green
Uttarakhand	Udham Singh Nagar	18,24,016	648	Green
Chhattisgarh	Janjgir Champa	17,93,326	421	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Rajgarh	17,11,340	251	Green
Karnataka	Kolar	17,04,357	384	Green
Chhattisgarh	Rajnandgaon	17,01,357	191	Green
Assam	Kamrup	16,78,874	436	Green
Gujarat	Amreli	16,74,904	205	Green
Jharkhand	West Singhbhum	16,61,631	209	Green
Chhattisgarh	Raigarh	16,52,787	211	Green
Odisha	Bargarh	16,36,417	253	Green
Karnataka	Koppal	15,39,547	250	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Seoni	15,25,808	157	Green
Assam	Dibrugarh	14,69,232	393	Green
Maharashtra	Gondia	14,63,238	253	Green
Jharkhand	Dumka	14,61,871	300	Green
Assam	Tinsukia	14,57,281	347	Green
Jharkhand	Godda	14,51,122	622	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Sehore	14,50,708	199	Green
Chhattisgarh	Baloda Bazar	14,44,440	275	Green
Telangana	Bhadradri Kothagudem	14,43,851	143	Green
Chhattisgarh	Bastar	14,41,021	87	Green
Maharashtra	Wardha	14,34,275	205	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Katni	14,29,325	261	Green
Odisha	Angul	14,07,215	199	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Damoh	13,98,363	173	Green
Assam	Kamrup Metropolitan	13,94,729	2,010	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Guna	13,73,172	194	Green
Rajasthan	Baran	13,54,342	175	Green
Odisha	Nabarangapur	13,48,633	230	Green
Uttar Pradesh	Lalitpur	13,47,792	242	Green
Assam	Karimganj	13,46,685	673	Green
Maharashtra	Washim	13,24,235	244	Green
Punjab	Fazilka	13,06,275	379	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Singrauli	13,03,673	208	Green
Karnataka	Udupi	13,03,425	304	Green
Karnataka	Yadgir	12,97,978	224	Green
Assam	Sivasagar	12,72,823	431	Green
Jharkhand	Sahibganj	12,72,586	719	Green

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Karnataka	Chikkamagaluru	12,58,991	158	Green
West Bengal	Jhargram	12,57,658	370	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Sidhi	12,46,556	232	Green
Rajasthan	Bundi	12,32,403	193	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Narsinghpur	12,08,519	213	Green
Assam	Jorhat	12,07,583	383	Green
Karnataka	Ramanagara	11,98,115	303	Green
Maharashtra	Gadchiroli	11,86,005	74	Green
Jharkhand	Saraikela-Kharsawan	11,76,780	390	Green
Assam	Golaghat	11,71,486	302	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Mandla	11,65,785	182	Green
Odisha	Sambalpur	11,55,702	158	Green
Jharkhand	Chatra	11,53,371	275	Green
Assam	Lakhimpur	11,51,535	457	Green
Chhattisgarh	Mahasamund	11,42,274	216	Green
Jharkhand	Gumla	11,34,949	193	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Jhabua	11,33,218	285	Green
Karnataka	Chamarajanagara	11,29,755	200	Green
Madhya Pradesh	Panna	11,24,296	142	Green

Annexure 2: List of Orange districts with populations > 10 lakhs[*]

Annexure 2: Part 1 of 5

State/UT	District	Popn 2019	Density (per sq km)	Classification-8th May 2020
West Bengal	South 24 Parganas	90,21,975	819	Orange
West Bengal	Murshidabad	78,59,262	1,334	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Prayagraj	65,94,872	1,087	Orange
West Bengal	Hooghly	61,08,639	1,753	Orange
West Bengal	Nadia	57,19,240	1,316	Orange
Andhra Pradesh	East Godavari	57,00,496	477	Orange
West Bengal	Paschim Medinipur	56,37,078	1,076	Orange
Bihar	East Champaran	56,24,496	1,281	Orange
West Bengal	Purba Bardhaman	53,50,804	890	Orange
Karnataka	Belagavi	52,87,627	356	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Ghaziabad	51,58,174	3,967	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Azamgarh	51,08,442	1,139	Orange
Maharashtra	Ahmednagar	50,27,192	266	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Jaunpur	49,53,040	1,108	Orange
Bihar	Madhubani	49,53,009	1,279	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Sitapur	49,51,241	779	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Gorakhpur	49,09,003	1,336	Orange
Andhra Pradesh	Visakhapatnam	47,45,053	384	Orange
Bihar	Samastipur	47,08,170	1,465	Orange
Kerala	Malappuram	45,49,018	1,058	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Hardoi	45,27,356	683	Orange
Andhra Pradesh	Anantapur	45,18,431	213	Orange
West Bengal	Malda	44,23,992	1,071	Orange
Bihar	Saran	43,63,273	1,493	Orange
Andhra Pradesh	West Godavari	43,54,071	508	Orange
Bihar	Darbhanga	43,39,895	1,721	Orange
Maharashtra	Kolhapur	42,86,828	504	Orange
West Bengal	Jalpaiguri	42,82,026	621	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Sultanpur	41,94,881	855	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Budaun	41,08,366	718	Orange
Maharashtra	Aurangabad	40,89,765	365	Orange
Rajasthan	Alwar	40,63,286	438	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Ghazipur	40,08,763	1,072	Orange
West Bengal	Birbhum	38,75,600	771	Orange
Bihar	Vaishali	38,67,449	1,717	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Salem	38,50,836	663	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Coimbatore	38,42,614	748	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Gonda	37,97,033	857	Orange
Andhra Pradesh	Prakasam	37,54,295	192	Orange
Maharashtra	Nanded	37,14,240	319	Orange
Bihar	Siwan	36,71,759	1,495	Orange
Kerala	Thiruvananthapuram	36,59,707	1,509	Orange
Bihar	Purnia	36,21,910	1,014	Orange
Gujarat	Rajkot	34,94,157	282	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Unnao	34,42,059	682	Orange
Kerala	Kozhikode	34,18,763	1,318	Orange
Bihar	Katihar	33,95,090	1,004	Orange
Rajasthan	Udaipur	33,94,426	242	Orange
Bihar	Bhagalpur	33,55,339	1,180	Orange
Bihar	Begusarai	32,69,183	1,540	Orange
Maharashtra	Amravati	31,95,552	237	Orange

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Andhra Pradesh	Y.S.R. Kadapa	31,91,898	188	Orange
West Bengal	Paschim Bardhaman	31,89,139	1,100	Orange
Bihar	Nalanda	31,78,618	1,220	Orange
Maharashtra	Sangli	31,21,134	329	Orange
Kerala	Palakkad	31,10,419	627	Orange
Bihar	Bhojpur	30,10,014	1,136	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Tiruchirappalli	30,03,046	602	Orange
Andhra Pradesh	Srikakulam	29,87,125	462	Orange
Jharkhand	Dhanbad	29,68,525	1,284	Orange
Karnataka	Tumakuru	29,67,183	253	Orange
Rajasthan	Sikar	29,63,076	346	Orange
Maharashtra	Raigad	29,16,220	368	Orange
Kerala	Kollam	29,09,923	1,056	Orange
Rajasthan	Barmer	28,81,982	92	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Cuddalore	28,78,029	702	Orange
Maharashtra	Buldhana	28,63,819	268	Orange
Maharashtra	Beed	28,61,521	242	Orange
Karnataka	Kalaburagi	28,38,206	233	Orange
Bihar	Gopalganj	28,30,620	1,258	Orange
Karnataka	Ballari	28,02,233	300	Orange
Odisha	Mayurbhanj	27,81,775	241	Orange
Bihar	Aurangabad	27,78,840	760	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Mirzapur	27,60,349	561	Orange
Punjab	Amritsar	27,56,319	932	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Tiruvannamalai	27,32,057	399	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Ayodhya	27,31,400	1,054	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Basti	27,23,305	916	Orange
Maharashtra	Latur	27,17,205	343	Orange
Jharkhand	Giridih	27,05,763	497	Orange
Gujarat	Sabarkantha	26,86,003	328	Orange
Rajasthan	Bhilwara	26,67,316	230	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Bahraich	26,38,302	415	Orange
Madhya Pradesh	Sagar	26,31,725	272	Orange
Rajasthan	Bikaner	26,20,051	78	Orange
Andhra Pradesh	Vizianagaram	25,92,523	358	Orange
Punjab	Gurdaspur	25,44,009	649	Orange
Gujarat	Kheda	25,43,907	541	Orange
Odisha	Khordha	24,85,710	799	Orange
Bihar	Supaul	24,65,854	919	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Sambhal	24,53,265	890	Orange
Bihar	Nawada	24,52,859	889	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Mau	24,40,152	1,287	Orange
Maharashtra	Chandrapur	24,28,082	192	Orange
Karnataka	Vijayapura	24,06,880	207	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Dindigul	23,91,681	357	Orange
Rajasthan	Jhunjhunu	23,67,659	361	Orange
Gujarat	Dahod	23,53,163	582	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Viluppuram	23,16,033	562	Orange
Gujarat	Kutch	23,13,056	46	Orange

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Madhya Pradesh	Chhindwara	23,13,048	177	Orange
Karnataka	Dakshina Kannada	23,05,655	457	Orange
Odisha	Sundargarh	23,02,379	214	Orange
Jharkhand	Bokaro	22,81,635	716	Orange
Rajasthan	Churu	22,58,678	148	Orange
Rajasthan	Pali	22,55,758	165	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Pilibhit	22,54,311	567	Orange
Bihar	Banka	22,45,585	672	Orange
Gujarat	Mehsana	22,43,801	462	Orange
Punjab	Ferozepur	22,42,809	380	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Jhansi	22,13,955	398	Orange
Bihar	Madhepura	22,07,164	1,116	Orange
Madhya Pradesh	Morena	21,74,541	394	Orange
Maharashtra	Jalna	21,67,178	255	Orange
Assam	Dhubri	21,56,277	687	Orange
Karnataka	Davanagere	21,54,366	329	Orange
Jharkhand	Palamu	21,42,652	381	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Pudukkottai	21,23,184	348	Orange
Bihar	Saharsa	20,99,256	1,125	Orange
Karnataka	Bagalkote	20,92,312	288	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Krishnagiri	20,84,461	370	Orange
Madhya Pradesh	Khargone	20,71,937	233	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Kanyakumari	20,61,717	1,106	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Mainpuri	20,44,030	670	Orange
Karnataka	Dharwad	20,43,808	434	Orange
West Bengal	Darjeeling	20,38,320	585	Orange
Maharashtra	Parbhani	20,31,623	295	Orange
Karnataka	Mandya	20,01,412	365	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Banda	19,91,299	404	Orange
Rajasthan	Hanumangarh	19,69,289	184	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Etah	19,48,820	717	Orange
Gujarat	Surendranagar	19,42,978	167	Orange
Haryana	Hisar	19,28,529	438	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Thoothukkudi	19,23,617	378	Orange
Jharkhand	Hazaribagh	19,18,780	403	Orange
Gujarat	Valsad	18,84,546	561	Orange
Karnataka	Bidar	18,81,171	312	Orange
Uttarakhand	Dehradun	18,79,558	550	Orange
Bihar	Kishanganj	18,71,135	898	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Jalaun	18,48,749	366	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Tirunelveli	18,42,702	433	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Kannauj	18,34,681	792	Orange
Punjab	Sangrur	18,30,701	449	Orange
Odisha	Balangir	18,24,245	251	Orange
Maharashtra	Nandurbar	18,21,593	276	Orange
Rajasthan	Dausa	18,11,688	476	Orange
Telangana	Nalgonda	18,05,240	227	Orange
Haryana	Bhiwani	18,02,706	341	Orange
Bihar	Kaimur	18,00,262	488	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Nagapattinam	17,86,064	668	Orange

State/UT	District	Popn 2019	Density (per sq km)	Classification-8th May 2020
Maharashtra	Ratnagiri	17,84,518	196	Orange
Karnataka	Haveri	17,68,842	331	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Kaushambi	17,67,075	897	Orange
Punjab	Hoshiarpur	17,51,455	466	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Etawah	17,47,435	683	Orange
Madhya Pradesh	Betul	17,43,105	157	Orange
Odisha	Kalahandi	17,40,678	199	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Hathras	17,32,516	851	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Bhadohi	17,19,818	1,531	Orange
Gujarat	Bharuch	17,16,077	238	Orange
Rajasthan	Chittorgarh	17,08,962	193	Orange
Telangana	Nizamabad	16,97,936	366	Orange
Telangana	Sangareddy	16,90,411	347	Orange
Haryana	Gurugram	16,75,425	1,241	Orange
Madhya Pradesh	Shajapur	16,73,509	244	Orange
Himachal Pradesh	Kangra	16,67,832	263	Orange
Haryana	Karnal	16,66,836	598	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Dharmapuri	16,63,048	332	Orange
Jharkhand	Deoghar	16,50,853	602	Orange
Rajasthan	Karauli	16,13,872	264	Orange
Madhya Pradesh	Vidisha	16,13,598	198	Orange
Madhya Pradesh	Ratlam	16,09,472	299	Orange
Madhya Pradesh	Tikamgarh	15,98,890	286	Orange
Odisha	Kendrapara	15,93,325	545	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Kasganj	15,91,405	736	Orange
Rajasthan	Tonk	15,73,208	198	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Tenkasi	15,57,623	483	Orange
Telangana	Khammam	15,50,997	321	Orange
Rajasthan	Dungarpur	15,36,907	368	Orange
Punjab	Bathinda	15,36,855	414	Orange
Odisha	Koraput	15,23,660	156	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Auraiya	15,18,517	681	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Kallakurichi	15,16,298	389	Orange
Karnataka	Uttara Kannada	14,97,506	132	Orange
Gujarat	Patan	14,85,828	234	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Sivaganga	14,84,173	324	Orange
Madhya Pradesh	Mandsaur	14,82,604	242	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Hapur	14,80,810	2,028	Orange
Rajasthan	Sawai Madhopur	14,80,703	257	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Ramanathapuram	14,80,090	320	Orange
Haryana	Jind	14,73,984	493	Orange
Madhya Pradesh	Raisen	14,73,604	157	Orange
Gujarat	Navsari	14,72,511	602	Orange
Jharkhand	Garhwa	14,63,300	327	Orange
Telangana	Mahabubnagar	14,58,567	281	Orange
Kerala	Kasaragod	14,41,405	654	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Baghpat	14,40,913	986	Orange
Haryana	Sirsa	14,33,121	303	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Shamli	14,10,659	1,200	Orange
Karnataka	Chikkaballapura	13,88,043	298	Orange

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Tamil Nadu	Theni	13,76,210	433	Orange
Madhya Pradesh	Hoshangabad	13,73,213	185	Orange
Gujarat	Gir Somnath	13,47,211	324	Orange
Haryana	Yamunanagar	13,43,543	687	Orange
Rajasthan	Dholpur	13,35,942	398	Orange
Chhattisgarh	Korba	13,35,134	183	Orange
Haryana	Panipat	13,30,982	949	Orange
Maharashtra	Bhandara	13,26,555	293	Orange
Kerala	Pathanamthitta	13,22,933	453	Orange
Odisha	Dhenkanal	13,20,068	268	Orange
Maharashtra	Hingoli	13,04,604	244	Orange
Rajasthan	Rajsamand	12,81,709	302	Orange
Haryana	Ambala	12,57,919	722	Orange
Odisha	Jagatsinghpur	12,57,720	681	Orange
Bihar	Jehanabad	12,43,968	1,206	Orange
Punjab	Tarn Taran	12,39,424	464	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Shrawasti	12,33,388	572	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Tirupathur	12,30,286	620	Orange
Kerala	Idukki	12,25,463	254	Orange
Uttar Pradesh	Hamirpur	12,21,665	268	Orange
Haryana	Nuh	12,05,493	729	Orange
Tamil Nadu	Karur	11,91,309	371	Orange
Haryana	Kaithal	11,87,185	467	Orange
Gujarat	Chhota Udaipur	11,86,045	331	Orange
Karnataka	Gadag	11,78,746	229	Orange
Madhya Pradesh	Shahdol	11,78,474	172	Orange
Haryana	Rohtak	11,71,496	607	Orange
Haryana	Palwal	11,51,367	761	Orange
Rajasthan	Sirohi	11,47,707	202	Orange
Telangana	Karimnagar	11,24,334	473	Orange
Assam	Goalpara	11,16,473	553	Orange
Bihar	Lakhisarai	11,07,353	815	Orange
Gujarat	Mahisagar	11,00,611	398	Orange
Punjab	Moga	10,98,027	444	Orange
Punjab	S.A.S. Nagar	10,91,230	830	Orange
Telangana	Jagtial	10,88,206	407	Orange
Telangana	Kamareddy	10,76,268	266	Orange
Haryana	Kurukshetra	10,66,979	630	Orange
Assam	Morigaon	10,59,921	562	Orange
Haryana	Jhajjar	10,58,875	522	Orange
Uttarakhand	Nainital	10,56,906	225	Orange
Puducherry	Puducherry	10,51,551	3,232	Orange
Haryana	Fatehabad	10,41,850	371	Orange
Haryana	Mahendragarh	10,19,894	485	Orange