

Union Territories: Know All the Details and Facts PDF



Union Territories: Jammu and Kashmir, Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Lakshadweep, Chandigarh, The Government of NCT, Ladakh, Puducherry

Jammu Kashmir

Capital	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Srinagar (May-Oct)• Jammu (Nov-April)
Foundation Day	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Recognized as Union Territory on 31 Oct 2019• with the Jammu and Kashmir Reorganization Act 2019 passed in both the houses of parliament on August 2019
Lieutenant Governor	Manoj Sinha
State animal	Kashmir Stag Hangul
State Bird	Black Necked Crane
State tree	Chinar
State flower	Common rhododendron
Languages	Kashmiri, Dogri, Urdu, Hindi, English Others: Pahari, Punjabi, Gojri, Dadri Bhadarwahi
Important Historical Monuments and tourist spots	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tourist Attractions: Srinagar, the Mughal Gardens, Gulmarg, Pahalgam, Patnitop and Jammu.• Hindu Pilgrim place, Vaishno Devi and Amarnath are famous.• Gulmarg is famous for world's largest green golf course.• Famous for scenic beauty, Apple farms and flower gardens.
Major Production	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Horticulture is the main in production. Fruits like apples, apricots, cherries, pears, plums, almonds and walnuts are majorly produced.



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kashmir is famous for its shawls which are made out of the fabric called Pashmina or Shahtoosh Wool.
Important Rivers and Lakes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rivers: Jhelum, Tawi, Ravi, Chenab • Dal lake • Wullar lake: one of the biggest fresh water lakes in Asia
Important valleys and mountain ranges	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Valleys: Kashmir Valley, Tawi Valley, Chenab Valley, Poonch Valley, Sind Valley and Lidder Valley • Pir Panjal Range
Important wildlife sanctuaries and national Parks	<p>Wildlife Sanctuaries:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thajwas/Thajiwas (Baltal) WLS • Gulmarg WLS • Hirpora WLS • Hokersar WLS • Lachipora WLS • Limber (Kazinag) WLS • Nandini WLS • Overa Aru WLS • Rajparian (Daksum) WLS • Surinsar Mansar WLS • Tirukuta WLS <p>National Parks:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dachigam National Parks • Kishtwar High Altitude National Park
GI tags	<p>Handicraft:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kahmir Pashmina • Kashmir Sozani craft • Kani Shawl • Kashmir Paper Machie • Kashmir walnut wood carving • Khatamband • Kashmiri Hand Knotted carpet <p>Agriculture:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Saffron (Lachha, mongra, guchhi)
Airport	Sheikh ul-Alam International Airport (Srinagar Airport)



Ladakh:

Capital	Leh and Kargil
Foundation Day	31 October 2019
Lieutenant Governor	Radha Krishna Mathur
State animal	Domestic yak
State Bird	Black-necked crane
Languages	English and Hindi Others: Ladakhi and Purgi
Rich in Minerals	Rich in limestone deposits
Major Production	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tibetan Antelope aka Chiru aka Ladakhi tsos is being hunted for Shahtoosh wool.• Principal crops: wheat and barley
Important lakes and Rivers	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Indus river: Backbone of Ladakh• Shyok river is also known as river of death• Pangong Tso lake
Geography and Important mountain ranges	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ladakh is the highest plateau in India• Valleys:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Suru valley○ Zaskar valley○ Dras valley○ Mushkoh valley○ Nubra valley○ Markha valley• Ranges:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Karakoram range (It is referred to as “third pole”)○ Ladakh Range○ Pangong Range



Important wildlife sanctuaries and national Parks	Wildlife Sanctuaries: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Changthang Wildlife Sanctuary• Karakoram Wildlife Sanctuary National Parks: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hemis National Park
Sports	Ice Hockey is popular Sport in Ladakh Archery is traditional sport in Ladakh



National Capital Territory of Delhi:

Foundation Day	National Capital Formation: 1911 Formation of Union Territory: 1956 Formation of National Capital Territory: 1 Feb 1992
Chief Minister	Arvind Kejriwal
Lieutenant Governor	Anil Baijal
State animal	Nilgai
State Bird	House Sparrow
State tree	Gulmohar
State flower	Alfalafa
Languages	Official: Hindi and English Others: Urdu, Punjabi
Important Historical Monuments and tourist spots	UNESCO World Heritage Sites: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Humayun's Tomb• Qutub Minar and its monuments• Red Fort Complex Others: India Gate Jantar Mantar Lotus Temple Akshardham Temple
Important Rivers	Yamuna river and Hindon River
Important mountain ranges	Aravalli Range
Important wildlife sanctuaries and national Parks	Asola Bhati (Indira Priyadarshini) Wildlife Sanctuary



Sports, stadiums and Airports	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Arun Jaitley Stadium (known commonly as the Kotla) is one of the oldest cricket grounds in India• Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium• Ambedkar Stadium (Football)• Buddh International Circuit• Indira Gandhi International Airport, Delhi
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Lakshadweep

Capital	Kavaratti
Foundation Day	1 Novemeber 1956
Administrator	Praful Patel
State animal	Butterfly fish
State Bird	Brown noddy
State tree	Bread Fruit
State Flower	Neelakurinji
Languages	Official: Malayalam and English Others: Jaseri, Dhivehi
Dances	Lava Dance, Kolkali Dance and Parichakli Dance
Major Production	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Coconut fibre Extraction and production of fibre• Fishing is the main occupation
Geography	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The main islands are Kavaratti, Agatti, Minicoy, and Amini.• Islands have corals and coral reefs close to their shores
Airports	Agatti Aerodrome on Agatti Island is the only airport in Lakshadweep



Andaman and Nicobar Islands

Capital	Port Blair
Foundation Day	1 November 1956
Lieutenant Governor	Devendra Kumar Joshi
State animal	Dugong sea cow
State Bird	Andaman wood pigeon
State tree	Andaman redwood
State flower	Andaman Pyinma
Languages	Official: Hindi, English
Major Crops and Production	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Main Crop: Paddy• Spices: pepper, clove, nutmeg, and cinnamon• Fruits: fruits such as mango, sapota, orange, banana, papaya, pineapple and root crops
Important Rivers	Hooghly
Important wildlife sanctuaries and national Parks	Mount Harriet National Park
Important facts	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ross Island was renamed as Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose Island; Neil Island as Shaheed Island; and Havelock Island as Swaraj Island.• Only volcano, Barren island is here• Veer Savarkar International Airport near Port Blair



Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu

Capital	Daman
Foundation Day	26 January 2020
Lieutenant Governor	Praful Patel
Languages	Official: Gujarati, Hindi, english
Major Crops and Production	Paddy, ragi, small millets, jowar, sugarcane, tur, nagli and val.
Important Rivers	Daman Ganga River Vapi River
Important mountain ranges	Sahyadri Mountain



Chandigarh

Foundation Day	1 November 1966
Administrator	Vijyendra Singh
State animal	Indian Grey Mongoose
State Bird	Indian Grey Hornbill
State tree	Mango Tree
State flower	Dhak Flower
Languages	Official: English
Important Historical Monuments and tourist spots	UNESCO site: The Architectural Work of Le Corbusier
Important wildlife sanctuaries and national Parks	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Parrot Bird Sanctuary• Sukhna Wildlife Sanctuary• Zakir Hussain Rose Garden: Asia largest rose garden
Airports and Stadiums	PCA Cricket Stadium



Puducherry

Foundation Day	1 November 1954
Lieutenant Governor	Tamilisai Soundararajan
State animal	Indian Palm Squirrel
State Bird	Koel
State tree	Bael Fruit Tree
State flower	Cannonball
Languages	Official: Tamil, English, French





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