

## Table 1

### NBO's Role in Filling the Data Gaps

The information on certain important indicators, which reflect on the quality of urban life, is still not available. Some of these indicators are availability of safe drinking water, woman headed households, liquid and solid waste generated/treated and disposed off, housing destroyed by disaster, house price to income ration, land price to income ratio, etc. The information on these indicators at city level will not only give and insight on the urban life but will also be helpful in making meaningful urban planning. NBO, suitably strengthened in terms of manpower and appropriate tolls, can strive to bridge the data gaps by taking up appropriate studies to assess the existing scenario and/or start building up the data base in conjunction with the state governments.

## Table 2

### Constraints

- Despite repeated reminders there is lot of time lag in receipt of data from the states.
- **State governments have expressed difficulties in furnishing the requisite information because of inadequacy of funds and staff.**
- **Lack of staff, particularly at the Senior Investigator level, has affected the data entry and its subsequent processing and analysis.**

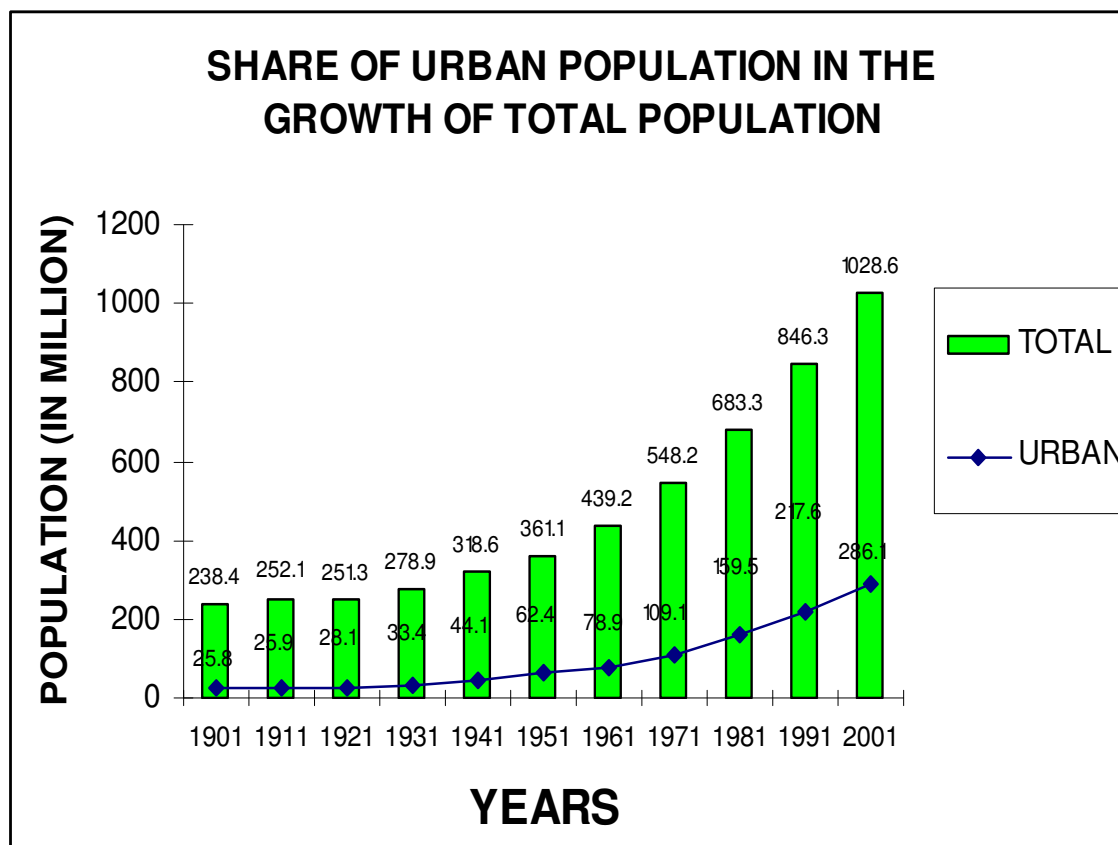
**Table 3**

**GROWTH OF POPULATION (1901-2001)**

(In Million)

Year	Total	Rural	% age share	Urban	% age share
1901	238.4	212.6	89.2	25.8	10.8
1911	252.1	226.2	89.7	25.9	10.3
1921	251.3	223.2	88.8	28.1	11.2
1931	278.9	245.5	88.0	33.4	12.0
1941	318.6	274.5	86.2	44.1	13.9
1951	361.1	298.7	82.7	62.4	17.3
1961	439.2	360.3	82.0	78.9	18.0
1971	548.2	439.1	80.1	109.1	19.9
1981@	683.3	523.8	76.7	159.5	23.3
1991*	846.3	628.7	74.3	217.6	25.7
2001	1028.6	742.5	72.2	286.1	27.8

@ Includes projected population of Assam where 1981 census was not conducted.  
 \* Includes projected population of J & K where 1991 census was not conducted.



**Table 2**

**GROWTH OF URBAN AGGLOMERATIONS & TOWNS BY SIZE CLASS/CATEGORY DURING 1901-2001**

(In Numbers)

Year	Class/Category of Cities/Towns						
	All Classes	Class -I	Class -II	Class-III	Class-IV	Class -V	Class-VI
1901	1917	25	44	144	427	771	503
1911	1909	26	38	158	388	750	546
1921	2047	29	49	172	395	773	626
1931	2219	31	59	218	479	849	580
1941	2424	49	88	273	554	979	478
1951	3060	76	111	374	675	1195	629
1961	2700	107	139	518	820	848	268
1971	3126	151	219	652	988	820	296
1981*	3949	226	325	883	1247	920	348
1991**	4615	322	421	1161	1451	973	287
2001	5161	441	496	1388	1561	1041	234

Size class by population

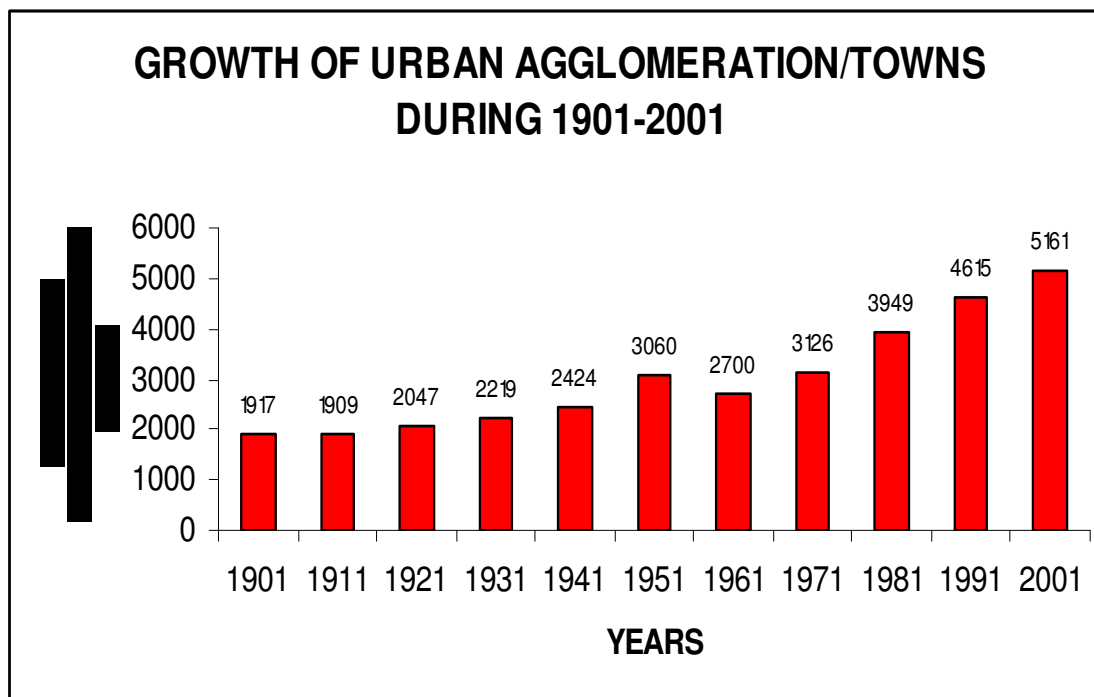
I- 100000 & above,  
IV – 10000-19999

II – 50000 – 99999,  
V – 5000-9999

III – 20000-49999  
VI – Less than 5000

\* Excludes figures for Assam where census of 1981 was not held.

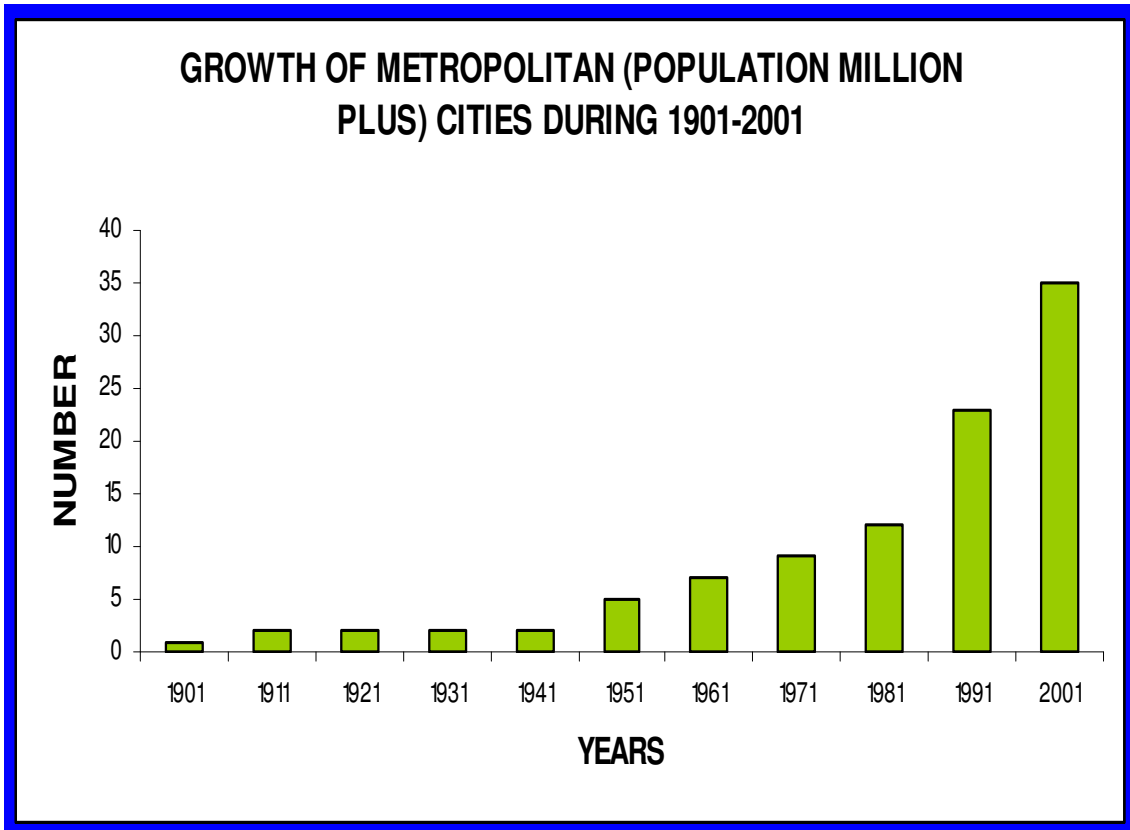
\*\* Excludes figures of Jammu & Kashmir where census of 1991 was not conducted.



**Table 3**

**NUMBER, POPULATION AND PERCENTAGE SHARE OF METROPOLITAN CITIES (MILLION PLUS POPULATION) IN THE TOTAL URBAN POPULATION DURING 1901-2001**

<b>Year</b>	<b>No. of Metropolitan Cities</b>	<b>Population (In million)</b>	<b>Share in Total Urban Population (%)</b>
<b>1901</b>	1	1.51	5.84
<b>1911</b>	2	2.76	10.65
<b>1921</b>	2	3.13	11.14
<b>1931</b>	2	3.41	10.18
<b>1941</b>	2	5.31	12.23
<b>1951</b>	5	11.75	18.81
<b>1961</b>	7	18.10	22.93
<b>1971</b>	9	27.83	25.51
<b>1981</b>	12	42.12	26.41
<b>1991</b>	23	70.66	32.54
<b>2001</b>	35	108.34	37.87

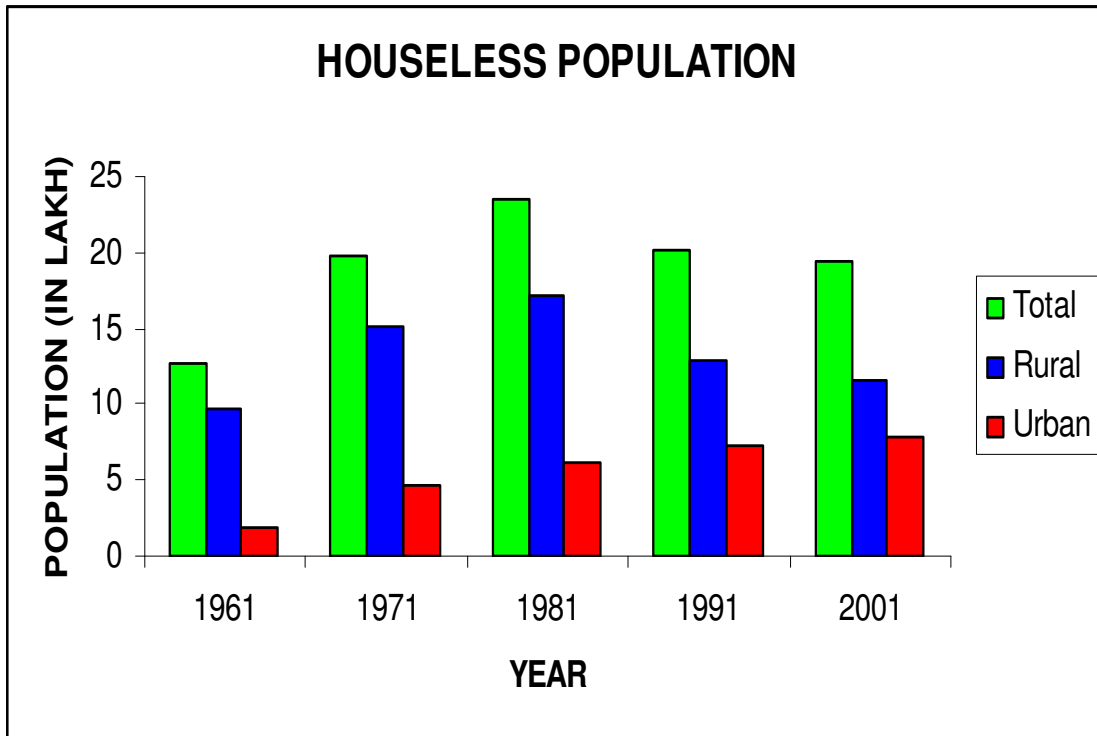


**Table 4**

**NUMBER OF HOUSELESS HOUSEHOLDS & HOUSELESS POPULATION**

(In lakh)

Year	Houseless Households			Houseless Population		
	Total	Rural	Urban	Total	Rural	Urban
<b>1961</b>	...	...	...	12.65	9.70	1.95
<b>1971</b>	5.65	3.88	1.77	19.86	15.20	4.66
<b>1981</b>	6.16	4.13	2.03	23.43	17.24	6.19
<b>1991</b>	5.22	3.05	2.17	20.07	12.82	7.25
<b>2001</b>	4.48	2.60	1.88	19.44	11.65	7.89

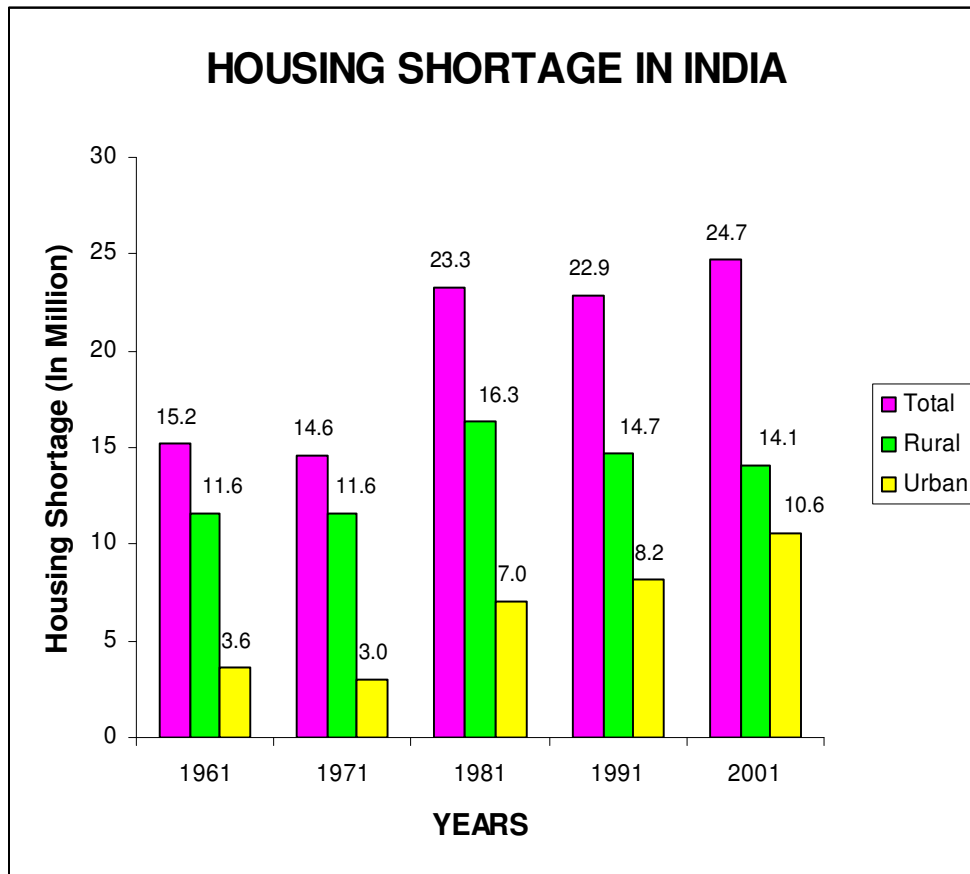


**Table 5**

**HOUSING SHORTAGE DURING 1961-2001**

**(In Million)**

<b>Year</b>	<b>1961</b>	<b>1971</b>	<b>1981</b>	<b>1991</b>	<b>2001</b>
<b>Total</b>	15.2	14.6	23.3	22.9	24.7
<b>Rural</b>	11.6	11.6	16.3	14.7	14.1
<b>Urban</b>	3.6	3.0	7.0	8.2	10.6



**Table 6**

**HOUSING SHORTAGE IN INDIA BY STATES - 2001**

(In Million)

State/UT	Housing Shortage		
	Total	Rural	Urban
Andhra Pradesh	2.22	1.27	0.95
Arunachal Pradesh	0.14	0.12	0.02
Assam	2.36	2.22	0.14
Bihar	4.30	3.95	0.35
Chattisgarh	0.10	0.02	0.08
Gujarat	1.69	0.70	0.99
Goa	0.04	0.02	0.02
Haryana	0.34	0.13	0.21
Himachal Pradesh	0.01	0.00	0.01
Jammu & Kashmir	0.18	0.11	0.07
Jharkhand	0.15	0.04	0.11
Karnataka	1.14	0.48	0.66
Kerala	0.64	0.33	0.31
Madhya Pradesh	0.44	0.05	0.39
Maharashtra	2.10	0.73	1.37
Manipur	0.08	0.05	0.03
Meghalaya	0.17	0.15	0.02
Mizoram	0.05	0.04	0.01
Nagaland	0.09	0.09	0.00
Orissa	0.86	0.49	0.37
Punjab	0.30	0.09	0.21
Rajasthan	0.44	0.14	0.30
Sikkim	0.01	0.01	0.00
Tamil Nadu	1.98	0.44	1.54
Tripura	0.21	0.18	0.03
Uttar Pradesh	2.12	1.08	1.04
Uttaranchal	0.13	0.05	0.08
West Bengal	1.73	1.09	0.64
A & N Islands	0.03	0.02	0.01
Chandigarh	0.02	0.00	0.02
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0.00	0.00	0.00
Daman & Diu	0.00	0.00	0.00
Delhi	0.55	0.02	0.53
Lakshadweep	0.00	0.00	0.00
Pondicherry	0.04	0.01	0.03
<b>All India</b>	<b>24.68</b>	<b>14.12</b>	<b>10.56</b>

Note: These estimates have been arrived at by utilizing the data released by RGI on the basis of Census of India, 2001.