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The National Nutrition Monitoring Bureau (NNMB), with the Central Reference Laboratory at NIN, Hyderabad, was established in 1971. The main objectives of the Bureau are to collect information on diet and nutrition situation at the State level annually, and to conduct periodic evaluation of the ongoing national nutrition programmes.

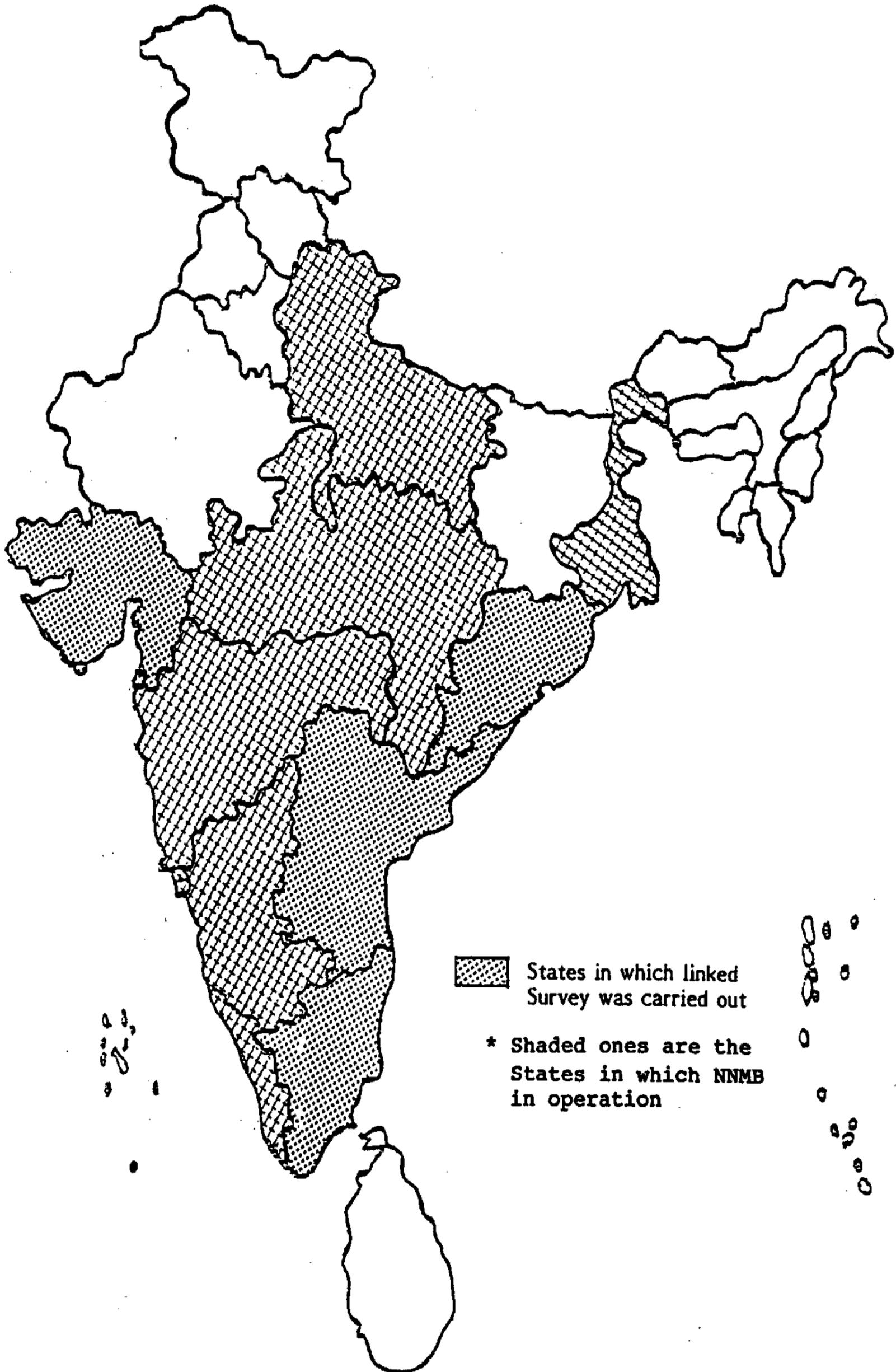
The Bureau has been operating in 10 States, viz. Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Orissa, Tamil Nadu, Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal. Every year, each State unit has been conducting diet and nutrition surveys covering 500 households in rural areas and 250 households from five selected groups of urban population. In the year 1983, on the recommendations of the Scientific Advisory Committee, the NNMB surveys were linked with the consumer expenditure surveys conducted by the National Sample Survey Organization (NSSO).

The main objectives of the linked surveys were:

- i) To test the feasibility of utilising the sample design of NSSO to NNMB operations.
- ii) To examine the association between per capita expenditure data of NSSO and calorie consumption data of NNMB.

In this connection, several consultations were held with the Central Statistical Organization (CSO), New Delhi and the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR). Taking into account the manpower and other resources available with the NNMB, it was decided that the linked surveys could be undertaken by the NNMB in four States, covering a sample of 1500 households in each State.

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The teams from the ten State units of the NNMB were reorganised into four larger teams and each team* was assigned one State for the surveys.

METHODOLOGY

The NNMB-NSSO linked surveys were undertaken in four States namely, Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat, Orissa and Tamil Nadu using the NSSO central sample as the sampling frame. From this frame, about 150 villages were selected in each State and were distributed equally in the four sub-rounds . In fact, the sample of villages was drawn from the master list prepared by the NSSO** representing agro-economic regions within each State. Since the coverage of villages by the NSSO was based on the total population, the number of villages varied from State to State. Therefore, the coverage of a fixed number of villages by the NNMB team resulted in different proportions of the central sample. These proportions were 25% in Andhra Pradesh, 33% in Tamil Nadu, 40% in Orissa and 53% in Gujarat of the NSSO Central Sample. The selection of the districts in each region was done randomly and the villages within each of these selected districts were also chosen on a random basis, so as to obtain the required

* Each team consisted of 2 Medical Officers, two Nutritionists and four Field Assistants and was provided with two vehicles.

** 'Note on sample design and estimation procedures' 38th sub-round Sample Design and Research Development, NSSO, Government of India 1983.

number of villages (150/State). The list of districts selected is given in Table-1.

Coverage of Households

In each of the selected villages, all the ten households surveyed by the NSSO were covered for diet and nutritional assessment by the NNMB teams.

Out of the ten households, seven households were canvassed for one-day weighment diet survey which provided food consumption at the household level, while in the remaining three households oral questionnaire (24 hour recall) method of diet survey was employed to assess intra-family distribution of food.

In addition to food consumption, the survey included assessment of clinical and anthropometric status of population covered for the dietary assessment by NNMB.

The teams had some difficulty in locating the households surveyed by the NSSO as the time gap between the NNMB & NSSO surveys turned out to be fairly large (3-6 months) as against 4-6 weeks originally envisaged. This undue delay had been due to the fact that the State teams had to be reorganised and transferred to the four selected States. This entailed administrative delays, consequently during the actual survey, a number of households were found locked. To makeup this loss, the locked households were substituted by covering the

neighbouring household belonging to the same ML code. The sample particulars are given in Table-2.

Analysis

The intakes were expressed in terms per Consumption Unit (CU) according to per capita expenditure (PCE) class. The following procedure was adopted to determine the adequacy or otherwise of the intakes of protein and calories at the household level.

The requirement of 2400 Kcal and 42.31 g (Requirement $\times 1.3=55$) were taken to represent respectively the average calories and protein per CU (as suggested by the ICMR Expert Committee in 1981, Appendix I) The requirement curves were assumed to follow a Gaussian distribution with a coefficient of variation of 15%. To determine whether a particular household were consuming adequate amount of protein and calories, Mean-2SE was used as the cut-off level and if the intake of protein or calories per CU was found to be above this cut-off level, the household was considered to be consuming adequate amount of the particular nutrient. All the households were, thus, classified into different categories of protein-calorie adequacy and inadequacy.

Multipliers /Weighing Factors

The present study was carried out on a sample of households. The parameter estimates-can be obtained by different methods. The prominent among them are :

i) simple averages of district estimates and ii) weighted averages . The latter type of giving weightage to various characteristics which influence the estimate is called 'weighing factor' or 'multiplier'. In the present case the weights are: i) the size of the village ii) number of villages in the district and iii) population of the district. The 'multipliers' for each district in a given State are available with NSSO. The number of households surveyed in a village varied between NSSO and NNMB. In NSSO the number of households in a village is fixed ie.10 HH/village. Where as in NNMB , out of ten households, 7 households were covered under weighment method of diet survey and 3 households were surveyed under oral questionnaire (24 hour recall) method of diet survey. So with appropriate modifications (Appendix II), these multipliers were utilised in arriving at the estimates of i) food and nutrient intakes per consumption unit ii) distribution of body weights of children according to Gomez classification iii) mean anthropometric measurements (height, weight, upper mid arm circumference, fat fold at triceps) according to age and sex iv) protien and calorie adequacy and inadequacy status at household level and v) food and nutrient intakes according to per capita expenditure classes, at State level.

RESULTS

Expenditure Pattern

The monthly expenditure pattern i.e. the amount spent (Rs.) on all the consumer items as well as the money spent exclusively on food at the household level and per capita basis is presented in Table-3. In the States of Andhra Pradesh and Gujarat the per capita total expenditure was higher (around Rs.124) than that of the figure (around Rs.108) observed in the States of Tamil Nadu and Orissa. However, the per capita expenditure on food was found to vary within a narrow range of Rs.73-80 per month. Percentage of money spent on food to the total expenditure was found to be highest in Orissa(70.7%) followed by Tamil Nadu (67.8%),Gujarat (65.5%) and Andhra Pradesh(60.2%).

Food Consumption

The average daily consumption of foodstuffs (g) per consumption unit are presented in Table-4.

Cereals & Millets

In all the States, consumption of cereals and millets(g/cu/day) formed the bulk of the dietaries and their average intake ranged from a low 500 g in Tamil Nadu and Gujarat to a high level of 676 g in Orissa with 600 g in Andhra Pradesh.

Pulses

The average intake of pulses was around 30 g in the States of Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu and Gujarat while in Orissa it was 35 g/cu/day.

Vegetables

In general, consumption of vegetable was far better in Orissa (109) compared to the other States with intakes ranging from about 50 g each in Andhra Pradesh and Gujarat to about 70 g in Tamil Nadu. The proportion of green leafy vegetables (considered to be rich and least expensive source of iron and B-carotene) to the total consumption of vegetables was very low in Tamil Nadu (9.6%) followed by Gujarat (9.8%), Andhra Pradesh (12.0%) and Orissa (27.5%).

Roots & Tubers

The maximum consumption of roots and tubers was seen in Orissa (68 g) followed by Gujarat (51 g), Tamil Nadu (41 g) and Andhra Pradesh (29 g).

Fruits

Average consumption of seasonal fruits ranged from 14 gm in Gujarat to 34 g in Andhra Pradesh with 16 and 18 g/cu/day respectively in Tamil Nadu and Orissa.

Flesh Foods

About ten to fifteen grams of flesh foods, including fish and eggs, were consumed in the States of Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu and Orissa while in Gujarat their consumption was negligible (2g/cu/day).

Milk & Milk Products

Highest consumption of milk and milk products was observed in Gujarat (182 ml) followed by Andhra Pradesh (63 ml), Tamil Nadu (44 ml) and Orissa (20 ml).

Fats & Oils

Consumption of visible fat varied between a narrow range of 7 to 15 g the intakes being 15 and 12 g respectively in Gujarat and Andhra Pradesh while in Orissa and Tamil Nadu the consumption was a low level of 7 g per cu per day.

When the invisible fat available in foodstuffs was also taken into account, the total fat intake showed two fold increase in the States of Gujarat (38 g), Andhra Pradesh (26 g) and Orissa (14 g) and in Tamil Nadu the rise was almost three fold.

Sugar & Jaggery

While the maximum consumption of 33 g of sugar/jaggery was observed in Gujarat, lowest consumption of 9 g was noticed in Andhra Pradesh and in Tamil Nadu & Orissa the intakes were 16 g in each State.

Nuts, Oil seeds Condiments & Spices

Except in Tamil Nadu, where consumption of nuts and oil seeds per day was about 10 g, in the remaining States the intake was negligible (0.3 g in Orissa to 3.0 g in Gujarat).

The highest consumption of condiments and spices which included chillies, tamarind and seeds of mustard, fenugreek, and cumin etc., was seen in Andhra Pradesh (25 g) followed by Tamil Nadu (22 g). The intakes were less than 10 g in Gujarat (8 g) and Orissa (5 g).

Thus, the food consumption pattern suggested that the diets in general, were predominantly based on cereals and millets. The consumption levels were more than what has been suggested in least cost balanced diets (460 g/cu/day) formulated by the ICMR. The consumption levels of pulses were low compared to the recommended levels of 40 g/cu/day, the consumption levels of protective foods like fruits, flesh foods and green leafy vegetables were also very low, compared to the levels suggested in least cost balanced diet. The intake of milk and milk products in all the States, except in Gujarat, was far below the figure (150 g) suggested in 'balanced diet'. The consumption of fats and oils was less in all four States compared to the recommended figure of 40 g.

Nutrients

The average intakes of various nutrients (per cu per day) derived from the above diets are given in Table-5 according to the States surveyed.

Protein

In all the States, protein intakes were satisfactory. In three of the States viz. Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat and Orissa, the intakes were much above the recommended levels of 55 g/cu/day, while in Tamil Nadu it was just 55 g. Highest mean intake was observed in Gujarat (72 g).

Energy

The average intake of energy varied from a low 2170 Kcal in Tamil Nadu to a maximum of 2750 Kcal in Orissa with Andhra Pradesh and Gujarat showing intake levels of about 2500 and 2370 Kcal per CU per day respectively. The intake levels in Andhra Pradesh and Orissa were much above the recommended level of 2400 Kcal, while in Tamil Nadu and Gujarat these were low. The deficit was about 10% in Tamil Nadu and 1% in Gujarat.

Calcium

Except in the State of Orissa, where the calcium intake was marginally inadequate (390 mg) compared to the recommended level of 400 to 500 mg, in the rest of the three States the level of consumption was more than RDI.

Iron

The average intake of iron in all the four States was around 30 g/cu/day which was higher than the level recommended by the ICMR expert committee (24 g).

Vitamin A

In none of the States, the intake levels of vitamin A were satisfactory. The average intake ranged from 230 ug in Tamil Nadu to 381 ug in Orissa- the levels much below the RDI level of 750 ug/cu/day.

Vitamin B group

In general, the intakes of Thiamine (Vitamin B1) and Niacin appeared to be satisfactory in all the States. In the case of Riboflavin (Vitamin B2), the intakes were deficient in the States of Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu and Orissa and satisfactory in Gujarat, which showed an intake of 1.39 mg/cu/day a level comparable to RDI.

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Nutrient intakes according to percapita expenditure

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of energy deficit was of greater magnitude than that of protein in the dietaries of rural population.

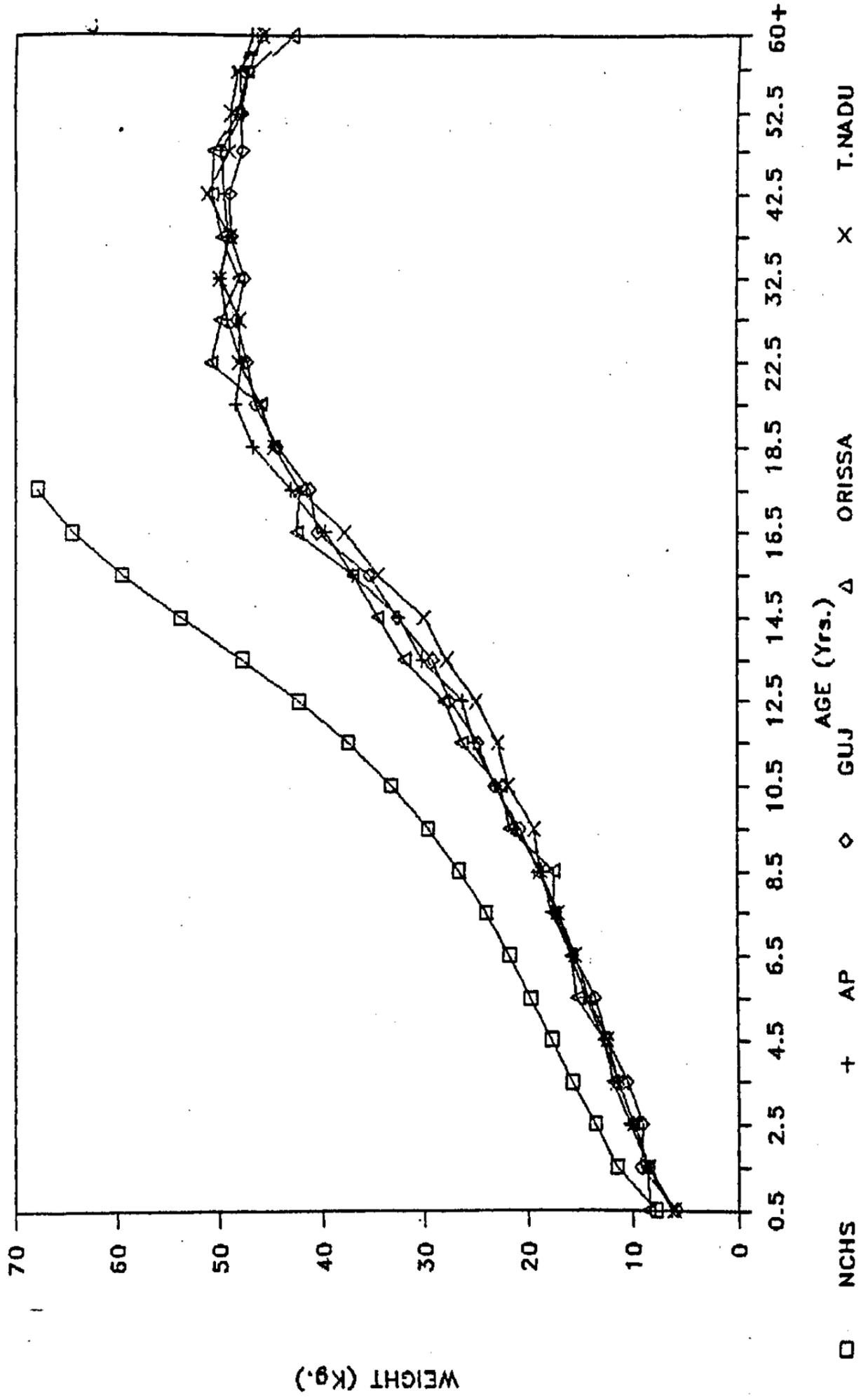
Anthropometry

The means of four anthropometric measurements, viz., height, weight, mid-upper arm circumference (MUAC) and fat fold at triceps (FFT), are presented according to the age and sex for all the four States separately in Tables 11 to 18. The distance charts for height and weight are also presented in Figs. 1 to 4. In general, the anthropometric measurements for young children and adolescents belonging to Andhra Pradesh tended to be better than that of Tamil Nadu. However, in case of Orissa and Gujarat such clear cut differences were not visible as evidenced by the criss-crossing of the lines seen in figures.

Weight for Age Status

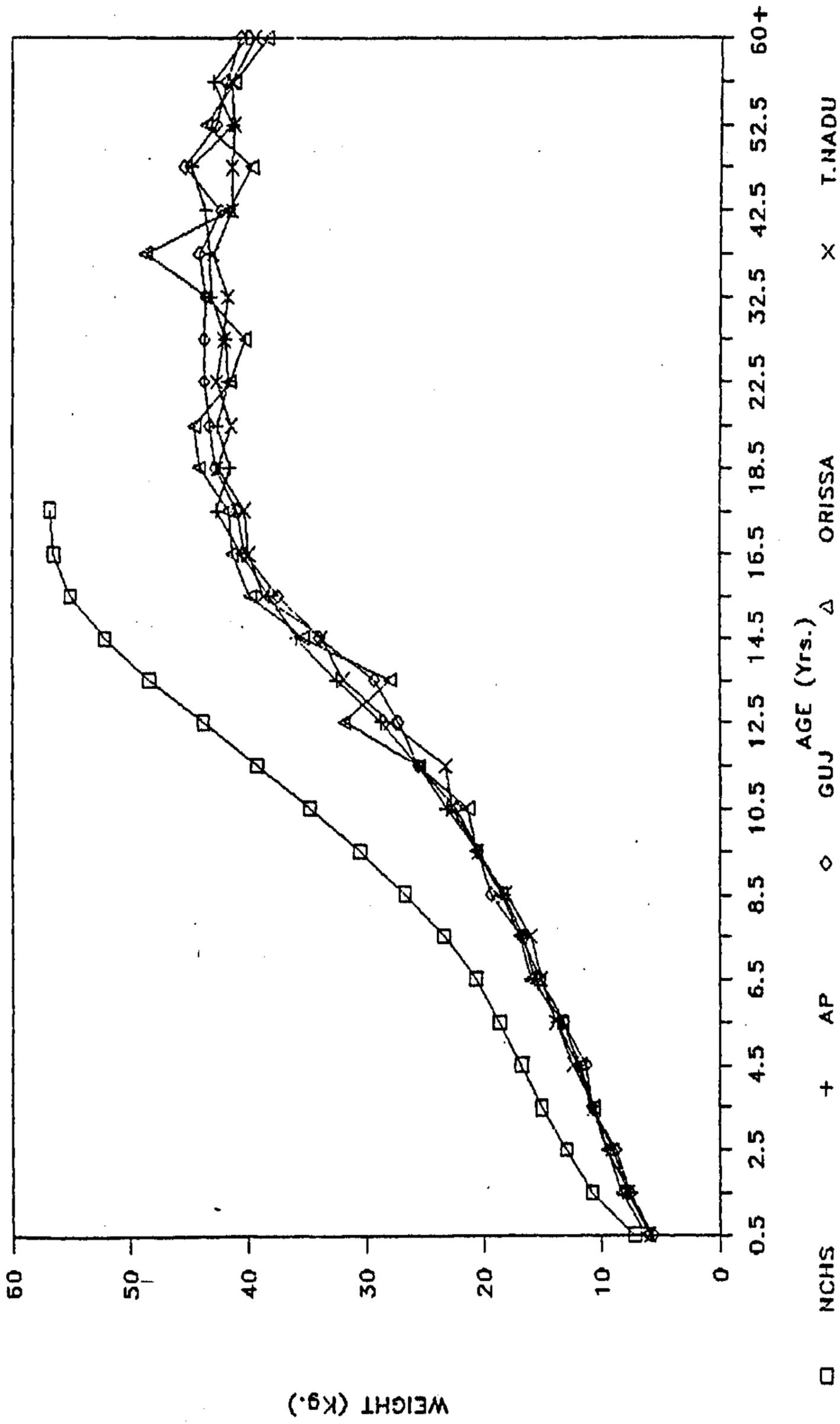
The body weights for age of children (1-5 years) were compared against two different 'standards' - (i) Hyderabad well to do children representing local standards and (ii) NCHS representing International standards. The children were classified into different nutritional grades of Gomez : 'normals', 'mild' (Grade-I), 'moderate' (Grade-II) and 'severe' (Grade-III) malnutrition. Results of the distributional analysis using Hyderabad well-to-do standards are given in Table-19. The results showed that the State of

Fig-1.DISTANCE CHART FOR WEIGHT (MALES)



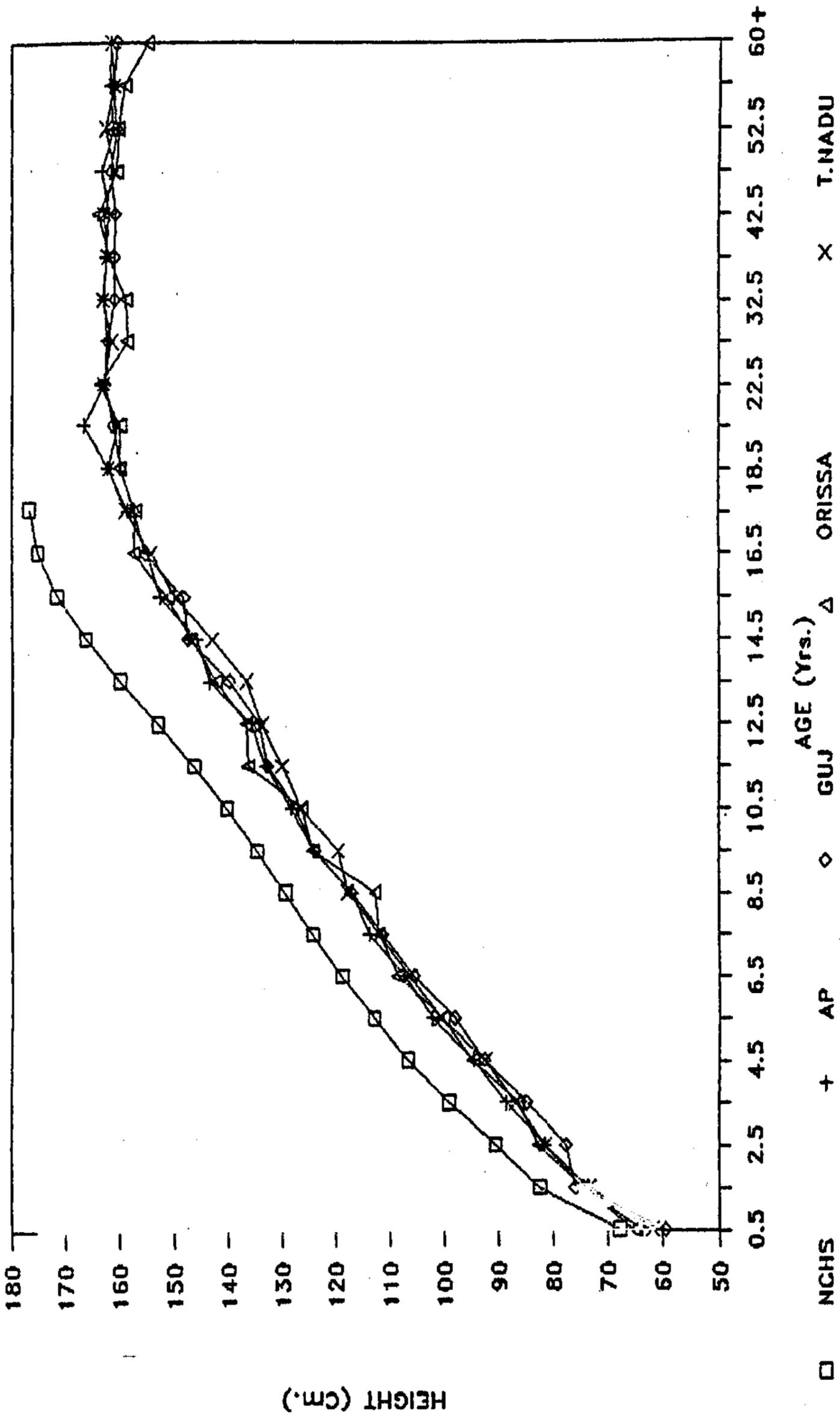
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Fig-2. DISTANCE CHART FOR WEIGHT (FEMALES)



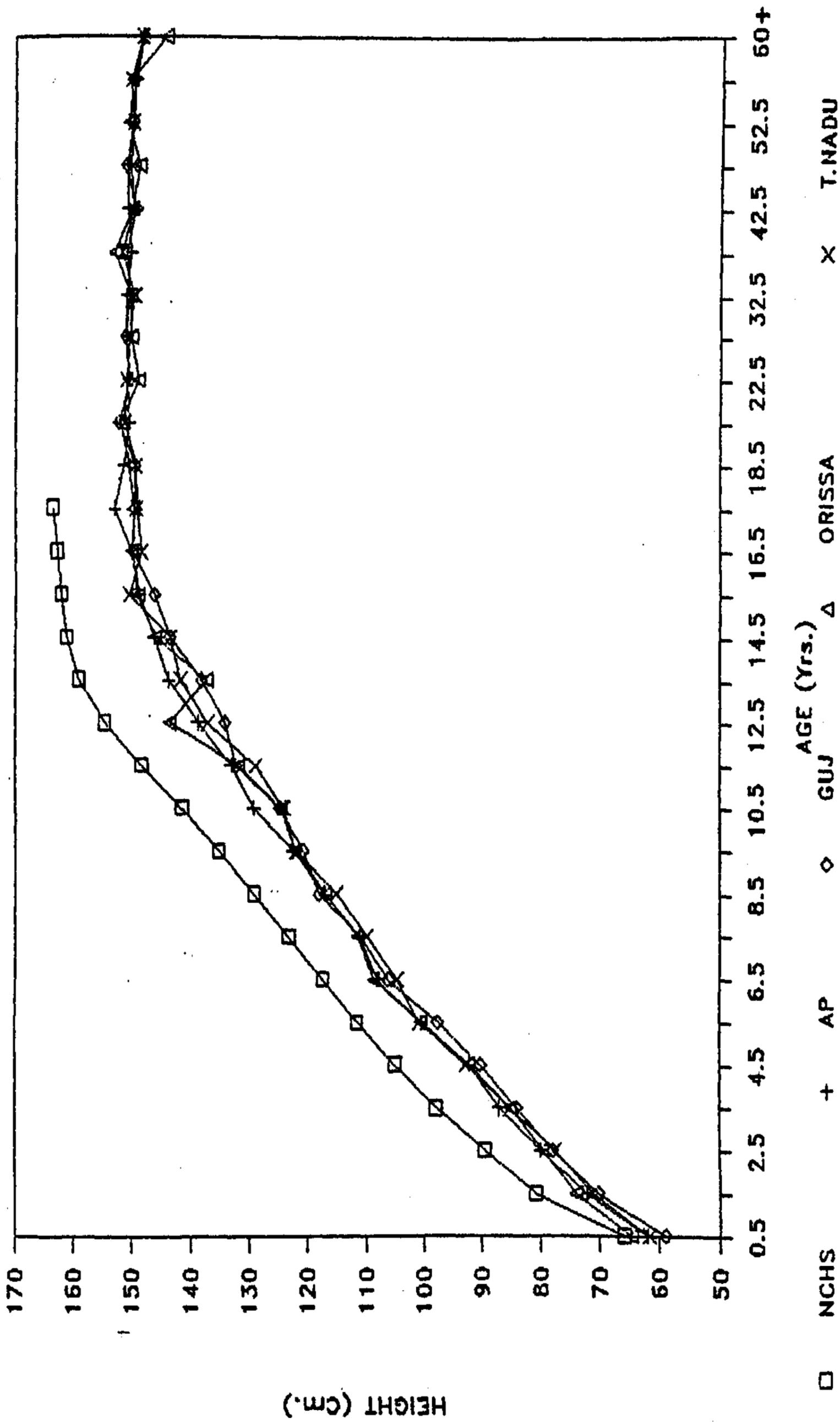
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Fig-3. DISTANCE CHART FOR HEIGHT (MALLS)



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Fig-4. DISTANCE CHART FOR HEIGHT (FEMALES)



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Gujarat had highest prevalence of (11.7%) 'severely' malnourished children followed by Tamil Nadu (6.3%) , Andhra Pradesh (4.3%) and Orissa (4.1%). When 'severe and moderate' forms of malnutrition were considered together, which from the stand point of health, constitute 'at risk' group (with body weight less than 75% of standard), the Gujarat with the highest proportion (51%) of 'at risk' children stood out as nutritioinally backward State, compared to the other three States in which the proportions of 'at risk' children were respectively 38%, 37%, 23% in Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu and Orissa.

When the NCHS values were considered as Standards (Table - 20) though a higher extent of malnutrition was seen, the pattern was essentially similar i.e. Gujarat had not only the highest proportion of severely malnourished children (22.5%) compared to the other three States (having 7 to 14% severely malnourished) but also the highest 'at risk' group (71.2%) as compared to the other States (45 to 62%).

However, it is interesting that the distinct sex differences seen in the prevalence of malnutrition when Hyderabad well-to-do standards were applied (girls being better than the boys) tend not only to narrow down (as in Orissa and Tamil Nadu) but also show a reverse picture (as in Andhra Pradesh). The reasons for this discrepancy are, however, not clear.

Nutritional Deficiency Signs

The clinical nutritional deficiency signs indicative of protein energy malnutrition (PEM), vitamin A and B-complex deficiencies etc., are presented according to the age-groups like infants, preschool children, school age children, adolescents and adults in Tables 21 to 31.

In all the four States, 84 to 93% of the infants did not have any overt deficiency signs. The prevalence of marasmus indicating severe PFM was 0.6% in the States of Andhra Pradesh to 1.1% in Orissa. Kwashiorkor, another form of severe PEM, was not seen. So also, vitamin A and B-complex deficiencies were observed in infants of Gujarat, Orissa and Tamil Nadu (0.9 to 4.4%). In the preschool age group, both the types of PEM, namely, kwashiorkor and marasmus were seen. The magnitude of kwashiorkor was much less compared to marasmus. The prevalence of vitamin A and B-complex deficiency signs among preschoolers was higher than that of the infants. These ranged from 0.5 to 9.9% in all the States.

Among the school age children (5-12 years), the common deficiency signs were those of vitamin A and B-complex deficiency. The extent of prevalence was the highest compared to infants and preschoolers. Dental caries and-mottling of teeth (suggestive of fluorosis) were also noticed in this age group. These rates were

less in girls compared to boys. Similar findings were observed in adolescents also. However, in adults vitamin deficiency signs which were the most common nutritional disorders ranged from 0.4% to 5.8%. The females, in general, had higher prevalence than the male counterparts - an observation in line with earlier reports.

Comments

1. The present exercise of NNMB-NSSO linked surveys, undertaken by the NNMB in four States, suggested that the survey of food consumption and nutritional status, using sampling design of NSSO, is technically feasible. However, it may be mentioned here that this could be achieved only by re-organising all the 10 NNMB State units into 4 'larger' units. One team consisting of the medical officer, one dietician/nutrinist with additional supporting staff of ANM/social worker, in each State, can cover a maximum sample of 750 households in an year. If the Bureau has to under take a similar survey in all the States, the inputs will have to be doubled. This also requires intensive planning, well in advance, for ensuring smooth co-rdination between NNMB and NSSO.

2. The estimates arrived on the basis of simple averages with respect to food consumption and nutritional status were found to be similar to the ratio estimates obtained by using NSSO 'multipliers'.

SUMMARY

A survey of food consumption and nutritional status was carried out on about 5068 households in four States of Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat, Orissa and Tamil Nadu during the year 1983-'84, This is a sub-sample of NSSO central sample of the '38th round'.

The results showed that cereals formed the bulk of the rural diets. Consumption of protective foods like pulses, green leafy vegetables and milk was below the levels recommended by ICMR. Energy inadequacy was predominant and ranged from 19% in Orissa to about 40% in Tamil Nadu. The consumption of Protein was by and large adequate. An increasing trend in the intakes of energy and protein was observed with increasing per capita expenditure (PCE||. The consumption of vitamin A was found to be inadequate, on an average, in all States.

The mean heights and, weights of the population surveyed were well below the NCHS standards. The extent of moderate to severe growth retardation, less than 75% of normal weight for age, varied from 45% in Orissa to 71% in Gujarat. Signs of protein energy malnutrition, vitamin A and B-complex deficiencies were observed in children below 5 years. In older children, adolescents and adults, only vitamin deficiencies were noticed.

Table - 1
LIST OF DISTRICTS SELECTED UNDER NNMB-NSSO LINKED OPERATION

State	Agro-Economic Region (Climate)				
TAMIL NADU (20)	201 (Coastal Northern)	202 (Coastal)	203 (Southern)	204 (Inland)	
	Chingalpattu (02) South Arcot (04)	Tiruchirapalli(11) Pudakkottai	Tirunelveli(15) Kanyakumari(16)	Coimbatore(08) Nilgiris (09)	
ANDHRA PRADESH (02)	021 (Coastal)	022 (Inland Northern)	023 (South Western)	024 (Inland Southern)	
	Vizianagaram (02) East Godavari(04) Krishna (05) Prakasam (08) Nellore (09)	Adilabad (19) Nizamabad (18) Warangal (21) Nalgonda (23) Ranga Reddy(15)	Kurnool (13)	Chittoor (10)	
ORISSA (16)	161 (Coastal)	162 (Southern)	163 (Northern)		
	Cuttack (06)	Kalahandi (10) Bandh Khondmals (08)	Sambalpur (01) Keonjhar (03) Mayurbhanj (04)		
GUJARAT (05)	051 (Eastern)	052 (Plains Northern)	053 (Plains Southern)	054 (Dry areas)	055 (Saurashtra)
	Sabarkantha(09) Vadodara (15) Bharuch (16) Valsad (18)	Sabarkantha (09) Gandhinagar (11) Kheda (13)	Vadodara (15) Bharuch (16) Valsad (13)	Surendra- nagar (03) Banaskanta (08)	Jamnagar (01) Amrel (05)

Figures refer to the NSSO code numbers

Table - 4
ESTIMATES OF AVERAGE CONSUMPTION OF DIFFERENT FOOD STUFFS (G/CU/DAY)

	TAMIL NADU	ANDHRA PRADESH	ORISSA	GUJARAT	BALANCED DIETS*
No. of HHs.	1057	1008	739	852	
Cereals & Millets	502	600	676	498	460
Pulses	30	29	35	30	40
Leafy Vegetables	7	6	30	5	40
Other Vegetables	66	44	79	46	60
Roots & Tubers	41	29	68	51	50
Fruits	16	34	18	14	
Fish & Flesh foods	11	17	13	2	
Milk & Milk Products	44	63	20	182	150
Fats & Oils	7	12	8	15	40
Sugar & Jaggery	16	9	16	33	30
Nuts & Oil seeds	9	1	0.3	3	
Condiments & spices	22	25	5	8	

* Nutritive Value of Indian Foods , ICMR, 1981.

Table-5
ESTIMATES OF AVERAGE NUTRIENT INTAKES (CU/DAY)

Nutrients	RDA*	Tamil Nadu	Andhra Pradesh	Orissa	Gujarat
Protein (g)	55.0	54.6	61.9	65.3	71.6
Energy (Kcal)	2400	2170	2504	2748	2373
Calcium (mg)	450	581	483	387	588
Iron (mg)	24.0	28.5	30.3	31.9	30.9
Vitamin A (/ug)	750	230	266	381	351
Thiamine (mg)	1.20	1.10	1.13	1.02	2.00
Riboflavin (mg)	1.40	0.78	0.79	0.75	1.39
Niacin (mg)	16.0	12.6	15.0	17.6	16.4
Vitamin C (mg)	40	39	33	58	32

* Recommended Dietary Allowances, ICMR,1981.

Table 6
ESTIMATES OF AVERAGE INTAKE OF NUTRIENT (PER CU/DAY) IN DIFFERENT PERCAPITA EXPENDITURE CLASSES
STATE : TAMIL NADU

PERCAPITA EXPENDITURE (Rs./MONTH)	PROTEIN (g)	TOTAL FAT (g)	ENERGY (Kcal)	CALCIUM (mg)	PHOSPHORUS (mg)	IRON (mg)	VITAMIN A (ug)	THIAMINE (mg)	RIBOFLAVIN (mg)	NIACIN (mg)	VITAMIN-C (mg)
< 60	49.4	15.9	1996.6	551.6	1205.1	27.4	264.1	1.140	0.755	11.57	39.8
60+	51.9	17.9	2021.0	620.9	1262.5	28.0	203.2	1.163	0.766	12.04	36.1
80+	50.9	19.2	2028.9	511.0	1205.6	26.8	192.0	1.000	0.719	11.81	38.7
100+	59.6	22.1	2371.4	601.9	1393.2	30.8	203.2	1.165	0.804	13.79	38.8
150+	62.7	33.4	2473.9	694.1	1437.5	30.1	316.5	1.070	0.890	14.05	46.3

Table - 7
ESTIMATES OF AVERAGE INTAKE OF NUTRIENTS (PER CU/DAY) IN DIFFERENT PERCAPITA EXPENDITURE CLASSES
STATE : ANDHRA PRADESH

PERCAPITA EXPENDITURE (Rs/MONTH)	PROTEIN (g)	TOTAL FAT (g)	ENERGY (Kcal)	CALCIUM (mg)	PHOSPHORUS (mg)	IRON (mg)	VITAMIN-A (ug)	THIAMINE (mg)	RIBOFLAVIN (mg)	NIACIN (mg)	VITAMIN-C (mg)
< 60	56.6	16.6	2290.1	407.1	1306.2	29.3	188.9	1.135	0.713	13.98	26.4
60+	57.9	18.8	2364.5	391.0	1321.7	30.2	291.9	1.120	0.734	14.50	31.2
80+	62.6	22.8	2480.6	476.9	1410.6	31.6	265.7	1.195	0.802	15.39	31.8
100+	64.3	26.2	2602.4	486.6	1433.7	30.5	240.0	1.115	0.801	15.44	33.8
150+	68.2	34.9	2775.2	581.3	1519.3	31.0	365.3	1.112	0.895	16.15	41.8

Table-8
ESTIMATES OF AVERAGE INTAKE OF NUTRIENTS (PER CU/DAY) IN DIFFERENT PERCAPITA EXPENDITURE CLASSES
STATE : ORISSA

PERCAPITA												
EXPENDITURE (Rs./MONTH)	PROTEIN (g)	TOTAL FAT (g)	ENERGY (Kcal)	CALCIUM (mg)	PHOSPHORUS (mg)	IRON (mg)	VITAMIN-A (ug)	THIAMINE (mg)	RIBOFLAVIN (mg)	NIACIN (mg)	VITAMIN-C (mg)	
< 60	53.6	9.1	2289.3	334.3	1205.0	29.7	519.6	0.74	0.636	14.35	62.7	
60+	57.3	9.9	2544.3	362.6	1319.1	29.4	338.8	0.87	0.651	15.67	45.1	
80+	63.3	11.4	2659.3	327.9	1432.8	31.0	305.8	0.98	0.704	17.67	52.0	
100+	67.4	19.3	2725.4	467.5	1464.8	31.6	456.4	1.08	0.813	17.92	61.6	
150+	82.0	20.8	3486.5	369.8	1854.2	37.8	227.6	1.40	0.896	22.13	62.8	

Table-9
ESTIMATES OF AVERAGE INTAKE OF NUTRIENT (PER CU/DAY) IN DIFFERENT EXPENDITURE CLASSES
STATE : GUJARAT

PERCAPITA												
EXPENDITURE (Rs./MONTH)	PROTEIN (g)	TOTAL FAT (g)	ENERGY (Kcal)	CALCIUM (mg)	PHOSPHORUS (mg)	IRON (mg)	VITAMIN-A (ug)	THIAMINE (mg)	RIBOFLAVIN (mg)	NIACIN (mg)	VITAMIN-C (mg)	
< 60	66.2	32.7	2195.6	438.9	1680.6	28.9	263.9	1.924	1.251	14.59	28.4	
60+	70.3	38.9	2296.9	529.7	1742.1	31.1	271.3	2.000	1.400	15.72	24.7	
80+	67.2	42.0	2269.2	583.2	1685.3	29.9	399.6	1.867	1.289	14.31	33.4	
100+	71.4	42.6	2355.1	586.1	1716.3	30.7	329.4	1.929	1.131	16.42	31.5	
150+	76.7	52.3	2584.1	698.1	1916.6	31.6	481.8	2.158	1.506	19.00	39.2	

Table -10
PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSEHOLDS ACCORDING TO
PROTEIN CALORIE ADEQUACY STATUS

State	P C - -	P C - +	P C + -	P C + +	P -	C -
Tamil Nadu	13.87		25.79	60.34	13.87	39.66
Andhra Pradesh	7.31		16.09	76.60	7.31	23.40
Orissa	5.72		13.38	80.90	5.72	19.10
Gujarat	3.77		34.09	60.60	3.77	37.86

Table -11
MEAN ANTHROPOMETRIC MEASUREMENTS BY AGE

State : Tamil Nadu						Sex: Males
Age (Years)	N	Height (cm)	Weight (kg)	Arm Circ. (cm)	Fat Fold at Triceps (mm)	
00+	75	61.8	6.0	11.2	8.2	
01+	91	73.3	8.5	12.2	7.8	
02+	71	81.5	9.9	12.5	7.8	
03+	83	86.9	11.4	13.2	8.4	
04+	68	92.4	12.4	13.3	8.7	
05+	66	100.7	14.2	13.6	7.4	
06+	61	106.3	15.4	13.9	6.5	
07+	72	112.0	17.1	14.0	5.8	
08+	76	117.9	18.8	14.4	5.4	
09+	71	119.7	19.4	14.6	6.1	
10+	69	126.5	21.9	15.3	5.8	
11+	51	130.2	22.9	15.5	5.5	
12+	68	134.0	25.0	16.2	6.0	
13+	52	136.8	27.9	16.8	5.9	
14+	50	143.1	30.1	17.3	6.1	
15+	36	149.8	34.6	18.6	5.9	
16+	45	154.2	37.9	19.4	6.4	
17+	35	158.9	42.2	20.1	6.4	
18+	40	162.1	44.8	20.4	6.7	
19+	34	160.5	46.0	22.0	5.9	
20-24	121	163.1	48.2	22.2	6.1	
25-29	129	161.6	48.2	22.5	5.8	
30-34	96	163.3	50.1	22.7	5.7	
35-39	124	162.4	49.1	22.6	6.1	
40-44	99	163.0	51.3	22.5	6.9	
45-49	112	161.1	49.2	22.6	6.1	
50-54	81	162.7	49.0	22.1	6.1	
55-59	91	161.1	48.4	22.0	6.7	
>=60	147	161.7	46.0	21.0	6.1	
>=20	1000	162.2	48.7	22.2	6.1	

Table -12
MEAN ANTHROPOMETRIC MEASUREMENTS BY AGE

State : Tamil Nadu

Sex: Females

Age (Years)	N	Height (cm)	Weight (kg)	Arm Circ. (cm)	Fat Fold at Triceps(mm)
00+	64	61.7	5.9	11.3	7.2
01+	78	71.2	7.8	11.8	7.6
02+	82	77.6	9.1	12.3	8.5
03+	79	85.3	10.7	13.0	8.9
04+	63	92.8	12.4	13.5	8.7
05+	68	100.9	13.9	13.7	8.0
06+	61	104.7	15.1	13.9	7.4
07+	68	109.7	16.0	13.9	6.7
08+	72	115.2	18.1	14.9	6.8
09+	50	122.2	20.5	15.1	7.0
10+	58	124.2	22.7	16.2	7.8
11+	49	128.9	23.2	16.0	7.0
12+	83	137.1	27.9	16.9	7.0
13+	56	141.7	31.9	18.0	8.0
14+	41	143.5	33.7	18.3	8.2
15+	51	150.4	38.7	19.5	9.8
16+	49	148.3	39.9	20.2	10.8
17+	45	149.1	40.2	20.3	9.7
18+	54	149.3	42.5	21.1	10.8
19+	58	151.1	41.4	20.5	10.3
20-24	240	151.0	42.6	21.0	10.1
25-29	253	150.4	42.0	20.6	9.7
30-34	195	149.6	41.7	20.8	9.2
35-39	208	151.7	42.9	21.1	9.7
40-44	138	149.8	41.3	21.3	9.8
45-49	156	150.1	41.3	21.2	10.0
50-54	113	149.8	41.1	21.1	10.1
55-59	97	150.1	41.4	21.1	9.7
>=60	167	148.3	39.4	20.4	8.7
>=20	1567	150.2	41.7	20.9	9.7

Table -13
MEAN ANTHROPOMETRIC MEASUREMENTS BY AGE

State : Andhra Pradesh

Sex:Males

Age (Years)	N	Height (cm)	Weight (kg)	Arm Circ. (cm)	Fat Fold at Triceps (mm)
00+	77	63.7	6.3	12.4	8.2
01+	81	74.7	8.5	13.0	8.1
02+	88	81.5	9.9	13.5	8.5
03+	87	88.5	11.4	13.8	8.5
04+	85	94.6	12.7	14.4	8.1
05+	64	102.2	14.4	14.4	7.2
06+	55	107.2	15.8	14.4	6.8
07+	67	114.0	17.7	14.9	6.4
08+	62	117.1	18.7	14.9	5.9
09+	56	124.2	21.2	15.7	6.1
10+	60	128.4	23.1	16.2	6.1
11+	37	133.1	25.2	16.7	6.0
12+	57	135.9	26.4	36.9	5.9
13+	28	143.6	30.3	18.5	6.2
14+	39	146.0	32.5	18.6	5.8
15+	40	152.6	37.1	20.0	6.3
16+	36	154.9	39.7	21.2	5.9
17+	22	158.5	43.1	22.3	5.6
18+	37	162.3	46.8	23.2	5.5
19+	22	166.7	48.5	23.3	7.2
20-24	143	162.9	47.9	23.7	6.2
25-29	161	162.5	49.4	24.2	6.4
30-34	137	163.0	50.6	25.0	6.5
35-39	121	162.6	49.3	24.2	6.7
40-44	102	162.1	49.7	24.5	6.9
45-49	125	163.4	50.6	23.8	6.5
50-54	93	161.2	48.1	23.5	6.8
55-59	84	161.8	48.1	23.6	6.6
>=60	165	161.6	47.1	22.5	7.1
>=20	1131	162.4	48.8	23.9	6.6

Table -14
MEAN ANTHROPOMETRIC MEASUREMENTS BY AGE

State : Andhra Pradesh

Sex: Females

Age (Years)	N	Height (cm)	Weight (kg)	Arm Circ. (cm)	Fat Fold at Triceps (mm)
00+	83	62.0	5.8	12.0	7.6
01+	70	72.2	7.6	12.6	8.6
02+	74	80.0	9.5	13.2	8.5
03+	83	87.1	10.8	13.6	9.1
04+	82	92.2	12.0	14.0	7.6
05+	76	100.6	13.8	14.4	7.5
06+	72	108.1	15.7	14.6	7.0
07+	63	111.2	16.7	14.9	7.1
08+	79	117.2	18.3	15.3	6.9
09+	53	122.7	20.6	15.9	6.6
10+	73	129.2	23.1	16.6	6.7
11+	30	133.0	25.4	17.3	7.5
12+	75	138.8	28.7	18.2	8.1
13+	33	143.7	32.5	19.4	8.7
14+	42	146.2	35.9	25.3	9.3
15+	39	148.6	38.2	21.1	10.4
16+	54	150.0	40.5	21.7	10.1
17+	29	152.9	42.6	21.9	10.3
18+	59	151.3	41.5	22.0	9.0
19+	24	150.4	42.5	21.7	9.5
20-24	243	150.7	41.7	21.9	9.1
25-29	245	151.0	41.9	21.9	9.6
30-34	153	150.9	43.1	22.8	9.6
35-39	175	150.2	43.2	22.8	9.6
40-44	124	150.7	43.6	22.9	10.0
45-49	117	150.7	44.7	23.6	10.6
50-54	105	149.9	41.3	22.4	9.9
55-59	100	149.4	42.9	22.7	9.7
>=60	186	148.1	40.1	21.5	8.3
>=20	1448	150.2	42.3	22.4	9.5

Table -15
MEAN ANTHROPOMETRIC MEASUREMENTS BY AGE

State : Orissa

Sex:Males

Age (Years)	N	Height (cm)	Weight (kg)	Arm Circ. (cm)	Fat Fold at Triceps (mm)
00+	48	65.3	8.5	13.2	6.1
01+	58	74.4	8.6	13.0	6.4
02+	45	82.7	10.2	13.4	6.3
03+	54	86.2	11.8	13.6	6.8
04+	59	94.7	12.7	13.8	6.1
05+	63	100.3	15.2	14.0	5.7
06+	55	108.6	15.8	14.2	5.3
07+	51	112.0	17.5	14.3	5.6
08+	70	112.8	17.5	14.5	4.8
09+	60	124.4	21.7	15.6	5.5
10+	63	126.3	22.6	16.1	5.6
11+	49	136.4	26.4	16.5	5.5
12+	67	136.7	28.1	17.3	5.6
13+	37	142.4	32.0	18.1	5.6
14+	50	147.0	34.6	19.0	5.5
15+	45	151.2	37.1	19.7	5.7
16+	36	157.3	42.5	21.3	5.5
17+	25	157.0	42.2	21.2	6.0
18+	37	159.9	44.8	22.4	6.2
19+	26	159.9	46.1	22.5	5.8
20-24	147	163.8	50.9	23.7	5.7
25-29	136	158.6	50.0	24.0	6.5
30-34	113	158.9	48.3	23.3	5.8
35-39	96	162.1	49.9	23.9	5.8
40-44	115	164.0	50.9	24.1	5.9
45-49	84	160.6	50.7	23.1	6.8
50-54	80	160.2	48.4	23.5	5.7
55-59	80	159.1	47.5	24.0	6.3
>=60	127	154.8	43.1	22.0	5.6
>=20	978	160.2	48.8	23.5	6.0

Table -16
MEAN ANTHROPOMETRIC MEASUREMENTS BY AGE

State : Orissa

Sex: Females

Age (Years)	N	Height (cm)	Weight (kg)	Arm Circ. (cm)	Fat Fold at Triceps (mm)
00+	42	64.7	6.2	11.9	6.0
01+	59	73.9	8.3	11.8	6.1
02+	53	79.6	9.5	13.3	6.6
03+	56	85.2	10.6	13.2	6.9
04+	50	92.3	11.8	13.5	6.2
05+	62	100.5	13.3	13.3	6.0
06+	65	108.8	16.0	14.2	5.9
07+	62	111.7	16.9	14.3	5.5
08+	71	117.1	18.5	15.1	5.8
09+	44	122.3	20.6	15.4	5.5
10+	50	124.6	21.3	15.5	5.4
11+	44	131.8	25.4	17.0	6.2
12+	79	143.5	31.8	17.9	6.2
13+	39	137.3	27.9	17.4	5.6
14+	63	146.0	35.3	19.6	6.4
15+	57	149.0	39.8	21.3	7.3
16+	66	149.8	41.3	21.9	7.5
17+	38	149.7	41.6	21.9	7.2
18+	54	150.3	44.1	22.6	7.8
19+	33	159.9	44.5	21.3	7.8
20-24	197	148.8	41.5	21.3	7.0
25-29	160	150.1	40.2	20.7	6.0
30-34	177	150.2	43.5	22.2	7.2
35-39	126	153.0	48.6	23.0	6.9
40-44	139	150.0	41.6	22.0	6.9
45-49	116	148.6	39.6	22.4	7.2
50-54	106	150.6	43.5	21.7	7.2
55-59	60	150.0	41.1	22.0	7.1
>=60	148	144.4	48.3	21.0	7.4
>=20	1229	148.6	41.3	21.7	7.0

Table -17
MEAN ANTHROPOMETRIC MEASUREMENTS

BY AGE

State : Gujarat

Sex : Males

Age (Years)	N	Height (cm)	Weight (kg)	Arm Circ. (cm)
00+	56	59.4	5.8	12.0
01+	66	75.9	9.2	12.2
02+	66	77.6	9.0	12.4
03+	83	84.8	10.5	12.9
04+	65	92.6	12.4	13.2
05+	91	98.1	13.5	13.5
06+	80	105.6	15.6	13.7
07+	58	111.4	17.3	14.4
08+	113	117.3	19.0	14.4
09+	39	124.0	20.8	15.1
10+	93	127.6	23.2	15.1
11+	44	132.9	24.8	16.0
12+	66	134.5	27.6	16.5
13+	57	139.9	29.2	17.3
14+	59	147.6	32.7	18.3
15+	69	148.3	35.5	19.0
16+	53	155.2	40.5	19.9
17+	49	157.3	41.2	20.6
18+	54	159.8	44.5	22.0
19+	28	161.2	46.6	22.2
20-24	187	162.8	47.4	22.3
25-29	184	162.3	48.5	22.9
30-34	183	161.1	47.7	22.8
35-39	170	161.0	49.0	23.0
40-44	126	160.9	49.1	23.1
45-49	130	161.6	47.9	22.4
50-54	104	160.7	48.0	22.7
55-59	69	161.3	47.4	22.2
> = 60	158	160.5	46.2	21.3
> = 20	1311	161.4	47.9	22.5

FFT could not be measured

Table -18
MEAN ANTHROPOMETRIC MEASUREMENTS BY AGE

State : Gujarat Sex : Females

Age (Years)	N	Height (cm)	Weight (kg)	Arm Circ. (cm)
00+	54	59.0	5.6	11.2
01+	66	70.3	7.6	12.3
02+	62	78.0	8.8	12.3
03+	77	84.2	10.8	13.0
04+	60	90.3	11.3	12.9
05+	87	97.7	13.2	13.6
06+	65	106.2	15.2	13.5
07+	71	111.1	16.8	14.3
08+	82	118.1	19.3	15.5
09+	44	120.9	20.5	14.8
10+	85	124.8	22.3	15.8
11+	30	132.2	25.4	16.7
12+	95	134.1	27.2	17.1
13+	59	138.1	29.3	17.6
14+	42	143.6	33.9	19.1
15+	57	146.2	37.5	20.0
16+	55	149.8	40.2	20.8
17+	39	149.4	40.9	21.8
18+	61	149.5	42.7	21.8
19+	40	152.2	43.2	21.8
20-24	242	150.4	43.7	22.0
25-29	232	151.1	43.7	22.0
30-34	232	150.4	43.6	22.1
35-39	189	151.0	44.1	22.2
40-44	131	149.4	42.2	22.1
45-49	138	150.9	45.3	22.6
50-54	120	149.9	42.6	22.2
55-59	85	149.6	41.8	21.4
>=60	143	148.0	40.6	21.0
>=20	1512	150.2	43.3	22.0

FFT could not be measured

Table - 19
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF PRESCHOOL CHILDREN (1-5 YEARS)
ACCORDING TO GOMEZ CLASSIFICATION

STATE	SEX	N	- WEIGHT FOR AGE AS % OF STANDARD * -			
			>=90 NORMAL	75-89 MILD	60-74 MODERATE	< 60 SEVERE
TAMILNADU	BOYS	313	16.45	43.08	31.13	9.34
	GIRLS	302	18.26	46.66	29.45	3.02
	POOLED	615	17.34	45.60	30.79	6.28
ANDHRA	BOYS	341	15.12	43.17	37.16	4.55
PRADESH	GIRLS	309	20.90	39.90	27.53	3.61
	POOLED	650	17.85	43.76	34.08	4.30
ORISSA	BOYS	216	11.37	64.00	19.24	5.39
	GIRLS	218	10.58	67.69	17.87	2.68
	POOLED	434	10.98	66.28	18.68	4.06
GUJARAT	BOYS	280	8.33	32.96	45.32	13.38
	GIRLS	265	16.78	35.49	29.38	8.60
	POOLED	545	12.29	36.36	39.68	11.67

* Mean values of Hyderabad Well-to-do children

Table - 20
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF PRESCHOOL CHILDREN (1-5 YEARS)
ACCORDING TO GOMEZ CLASSIFICATION

State	Sex	N	Weight for Age as % of Standard*			
			>=90 Normal	75-89 Mild	60-74 Moderate	<60 Severe
Tamil Nadu	Boys	313	5.77	33.60	47.65	12.98
	Girls	302	6.70	28.47	47.47	14.38
	Pooled	615	6.23	31.54	48.33	13.90
Andhra	Boys	341	6.16	32.59	52.77	8.48
Pradesh	Girls	309	4.96	27.98	47.21	10.15
	Pooled	650	5.60	31.91	52.68	9.81
Orissa	Boys	216	4.96	61.61	25.42	8.02
	Girls	218	2.38	40.23	48.87	7.24
	Pooled	434	3.68	51.26	37.39	7.68
Gujarat	Boys	280	5.16	20.98	50.17	23.70
	Girls	265	5.76	22.95	41.55	18.65
	Pooled	545	5.44	23.33	48.72	22.51

*NCHS Values were used as standards

Table-21
PERCENT PREVALENCE OF NUTRITIONAL DISORDERS (CLINICAL) - INFANTS

Nutritional Disorders	Tamil Nadu	Andhra Pradesh	Orissa	Gujarat
Number	139	162	92	117
NAD	84.2	92.0	87.0	93.2
Marasmus	0	0.6	1.1	0
Emaciation	2.2	1.2	0	0
PEM*	2.2	0	0	0
Vitamin A	2.2	0	0	0.9
Vitamin B-Complex deficiency	0.8	0	4.4	0

*Children having two or more signs of PEM

Table-22
PERCENT PREVALENCE OF NUTRITIONAL DISORDERS (CLINICAL) PRESCHOOLERS

Nutritional Disorders	Tamil Nadu	Andhra Pradesh	Orissa	Gujarat
Number	616	654	435	555
NAD	67.2	81.2	70.8	91.9
Kwashiorkor	0.3	0.2	0	0
Marasmus	2.4	0.3	0	0.4
Emaciation	0	0.9	0	0
PEM*	1.8	0.3	0.7	0.5
Vitamin A	9.9	4.9	6.0	0.7
Vitamin B Complex	8.0	2.8	8.5	0.5

*Children having two or more clinical signs of PEM

Table-23
PERCENT PREVALENCE OF NUTRITIONAL DISORDERS (CLINICAL) 5-12 YEARS (BOYS)

Nutritional Disorders	Tamil Nadu	Andhra Pradesh	Orissa	Gujarat
Number	467	405	417	525
NAD	55.7	57.5	41.3	92.6
Oedema	0	0	0	0
Emaciation	0.2	0	0	0
Vitamin A	15.4	13.8	7.4	2.1
Vitamin B Complex	18.2	14.3	32.1	0.8
Caries	12.6	7.2	13.4	1.0
Fluorosis	8.6	4.2	2.9	1.0

Table - 24
PERCENT PREVALENCE OF NUTRITIONAL DISORDERS (CLINICAL)
5-12 YEARS (GIRLS)

Nutritional Disorders	Tamil Nadu	Andhra Pradesh	Orissa	Gujarat
Number	426	447	405	465
NAD	39.6	71.8	42.0	93.8
Oedema	0	0	0	0
Emaciation	0	0.5	0	0
Vitamin A	12.2	7.4	10.9	0.7
Vitamin B Complex	13.9	7.4	23.5	0.2
Caries	13.2	9.2	7.9	0.7
Fluorosis	6.1	3.1	3.2	0.2

Table - 25
PERCENT PREVALENCE OF NUTRITIONAL DISORDERS (CLINICAL)
5-12 YEARS (BOYS AND GIRLS)

Nutritional Disorders	Tamil Nadu	Andhra Pradesh	Orissa	Gujarat
Number	893	852	822	990
NAD	57.6	65.0	41.6	93.1
Oedema	0	0	0	0
Emaciation	0	0.2	0	0
Vitamin A	13.8	10.5	8.4	13.1
Vitamin B Complex	15.8	10.6	27.0	0.5
Caries	12.9	8.2	10.7	0.8
Fluorosis	7.4	3.6	3.0	0.6

Table - 26
PERCENT PREVALENCE OF NUTRITIONAL DISORDERS (CLINICAL)
12-21 YEARS (BOYS)

Nutritional Disorders	Tamil Nadu	Andhra Pradesh	Orissa	Gujarat
Number	387	346	325	492
NAD	71.1	66.5	75.4	96.3
Vitamin A	4.9	11.6	2.5	1.0
Vitamin B Complex	11.9	9.8	10.0	0
Caries	7.8	5.5	4.3	0.4
Fluorosis	5.2	9.8	1.2	0.6

Table - 27
PERCENT PREVALENCE OF NUTRITIONAL DISORDERS (CLINICAL)
12-21 YEARS (GIRLS)

Nutritional Disorders	Tamil Nadu	Andhra Pradesh	Orissa	Gujarat
Number	505	429	429	505
NAD	71.3	75.5	74.6	94.9
Vitamin A	6.5	6.8	1.9	0.8
Vitamin B	9.3	5.1	7.2	0.2
Caries	6.7	1.6	6.3	0
Fluorosis	3.4	5.8	0	0

Table - 28
PERCENT PREVALENCE OF NUTRITIONAL DISORDERS (CLINICAL)
12-21 YEARS (BOYS AND GIRLS)

Nutritional Disorders	Tamil Nadu	Andhra Pradesh	Orissa	Gujarat
Number	892	775	754	997
NAD	71.2	71.5	74.9	95.6
Vitamin A	5.9	8.9	2.1	1.0
Vitamin B	10.4	7.1	10.2	0.1
Caries	7.6	3.4	3.5	0.6
Fluorosis	4.2	7.6	0.5	0.3

Table - 29
PERCENT PREVALENCE OF NUTRITIONAL DISORDERS (CLINICAL)
ADULTS (MALES)

Nutritional Disorders	Tamil Nadu	Andhra Pradesh	Orissa	Gujarat
Number	975	1073	982	1285
NAD	70.7	70.9	89.2	90.8
Vitamin A	4.7	4.8	0.2	4.0
Vitamin B Complex	2.4	4.4	3.6	0.7
Caries	9.0	5.0	0.4	0.5
Fluorosis	3.3	3.0	0.1	0.3

Table -30
 PERCENT PREVALENCE OF NUTRITIONAL DISORDERS (CLINICAL)
 ADULTS (FEMALES)

Nutritional Disorders	Tamil Nadu	Andhra Pradesh	Orissa	Gujarat
Number	1504	1380	1230	1457
NAD	46.7	64.0	50.6	82.5
Vitamin A	6.6	3.9	0.5	3.5
Vitamin B Complex	5.6	4.4	6.0	4.7
Caries	15.8	6.7	5.5	0.7
Fluorosis	5.1	2.1	0.1	0.4

Table - 31
 PERCENT PREVALENCE OF NUTRITIONAL DISORDERS (CLINICAL)
 ADULTS (MALES AND FEMALES)

Nutritional Disorders	Tamil Nadu	Andhra Pradesh	Orissa	Gujarat
Number	2479	2453	2212	2742
NAD	56.1	67.0	67.7	86.4
Vitamin A	5.8	4.3	0.4	3.7
Vitamin B Complex	4.3	4.4	4.9	2.8
Caries	13.1	6.0	3.3	0.6
Fluorosis	4.4	2.5	0.1	0.4

Appendix-I

NOTE ON CUT-OFF LEVELS FOR PROTEIN AND CALORIE ADEQUACY

The adequacy or inadequacy of protein and calorie intakes of a house-hold(per CU) were estimated as follows:

Calories = Recommended intake - 2 S.D./ SQRT.(CU)

Protein = Mean Recommended intake - 2 S.D./SQRT.(CU)

If the house-hold intake of calorie and protein per CU is greater than or equal to cut-off values, then the house-hold is classified as adequate with respect to calorie and protein otherwise it is termed as inadequate. The house-holds were classified based on adequacy and inadequacy as given below:

		CALORIES	
		Adequate	Inadequate
PROTEIN	+	Adequate P+C+	Inadequate P+C-
	-	Inadequate P-C+	Inadequate P-C-

Appendix II

ESTIMATION OF AGGREGATES (RURAL SECTOR)

The formulae for stratum /district level estimation of aggregates of variable (say y) for rural sector are given below:

$$Y_s = (P_s/n_s) * \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n_s} \frac{D_{si}}{(p_{si} * c_{si})} * y_{si} \right) \text{ ----- (i)}$$

Where,

P_s = Total population of the stratum

n_s = Number of sampled villages in the stratum

D_{si} = Number of hamlet groups in the village

p_{si} = Population of the sampled village

c_{si} = It assumes the value either '1' or '2' depending on village census code as it refers to 1981 or 1971.

y_{si} = Aggregate value of the characteristic for the village 'i'

$$Y_s = \frac{P_s}{n_s} \sum_{i=1}^{n_s} \frac{D_{si}}{c_{si} p_{si}} \frac{H_{si}}{h_{si}} \sum_{j=1}^{h_{si}} y_{sij} \text{ -----(ii)}$$

Where H_{si} = Number house-holds in the 'i'th village,
 h_{si} = Number of house-holds covered in the 'i'th village.

The underlined factor is called the 'multiplier' for the ith village. For all villages surveyed, the multipliers are available with NSSO. This multiplying factor for each village is based on 10 house-holds. But the number of house-holds covered in NNMB surveys was about 7. For example, in a particular village say 'i'th village, NNMB covered 7 house-holds, then the 'multiplier' is modified

accordingly (using $h_{si} = 7$). This 'modified multiplier' is used to get the aggregate value of the characteristic for the 'i'th village.