

TABLE 2A.2
Motives of Murder - 2019

S. No	State/UT	Disputes						Personal Vendetta or Enmity	Gain
		Disputes (Total)	Property/Land Dispute	Family Dispute	Petty Quarrel/Dispute	Money Dispute	Water Dispute		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
STATES:									
1	Andhra Pradesh	369	77	154	102	35	1	56	46
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
3	Assam	562	426	95	22	19	0	300	151
4	Bihar	1215	782	235	11	143	44	547	519
5	Chhattisgarh	211	50	126	25	10	0	35	10
6	Goa	16	3	4	9	0	0	10	2
7	Gujarat	459	41	106	228	80	4	152	16
8	Haryana	327	131	128	38	30	0	273	55
9	Himachal Pradesh	13	2	4	5	2	0	9	6
10	Jammu & Kashmir	22	8	11	3	0	0	13	1
11	Jharkhand	226	120	66	0	37	3	202	871
12	Karnataka	446	127	144	117	56	2	233	51
13	Kerala	124	12	75	29	8	0	133	21
14	Madhya Pradesh	617	142	262	182	29	2	331	42
15	Maharashtra	904	195	303	190	209	7	320	27
16	Manipur	2	1	1	0	0	0	11	0
17	Meghalaya	7	1	1	5	0	0	7	16
18	Mizoram	12	0	5	7	0	0	0	0
19	Nagaland	1	0	0	1	0	0	4	0
20	Odisha	60	58	2	0	0	0	82	326
21	Punjab	339	53	133	111	40	2	39	9
22	Rajasthan	311	76	95	80	47	13	108	26
23	Sikkim	3	0	3	0	0	0	2	0
24	Tamil Nadu	981	134	401	355	89	2	287	67
25	Telangana	386	73	186	104	21	2	47	44
26	Tripura	53	16	26	8	3	0	37	3
27	Uttar Pradesh	1432	516	350	409	149	8	337	109
28	Uttarakhand	27	7	9	0	11	0	6	84
29	West Bengal	232	67	128	13	24	0	163	50
	TOTAL STATE(S)	9357	3118	3053	2054	1042	90	3746	2552
UNION TERRITORIES:									
30	A&N Islands	7	0	6	1	0	0	3	1
31	Chandigarh	7	0	3	1	3	0	6	0
32	D&N Haveli	6	0	3	1	2	0	0	0
33	Daman & Diu	4	0	3	1	0	0	0	0
34	Delhi	128	23	33	53	19	0	78	20
35	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
36	Puducherry	7	0	1	5	1	0	0	0
	TOTAL UT(S)	159	23	49	62	25	0	87	21
	TOTAL (ALL INDIA)	9516	3141	3102	2116	1067	90	3833	2573

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S. No	State/UT	Illicit Relationship	Love Affairs	Blind Murder/No Clue/ Motive Not Known	Dowry	Extremism/ Naxalism/ Insurgency	During Dacoity/R obbery	Witch-craft	For Political Reason
1	2	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
STATES:									
1	Andhra Pradesh	164	23	24	14	3	0	2	5
2	Arunachal Pradesh	1	1	9	0	0	1	0	3
3	Assam	19	25	12	26	0	0	2	0
4	Bihar	101	270	240	84	4	3	15	6
5	Chhattisgarh	45	35	39	10	50	2	22	0
6	Goa	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
7	Gujarat	49	147	94	3	0	23	3	1
8	Haryana	36	48	54	24	0	4	0	1
9	Himachal Pradesh	9	1	4	1	0	0	0	0
10	Jammu & Kashmir	3	2	33	0	32	0	0	1
11	Jharkhand	23	52	81	35	12	0	15	6
12	Karnataka	121	52	46	19	0	1	0	4
13	Kerala	9	5	0	1	0	0	0	4
14	Madhya Pradesh	169	95	97	24	1	24	16	2
15	Maharashtra	245	148	109	39	14	19	2	3
16	Manipur	4	2	4	0	9	0	0	0
17	Meghalaya	1	1	19	1	0	2	1	0
18	Mizoram	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
19	Nagaland	0	0	18	0	0	0	0	0
20	Odisha	0	52	0	222	2	0	13	0
21	Punjab	80	20	90	3	0	5	0	4
22	Rajasthan	46	68	65	75	0	15	1	0
23	Sikkim	0	1	5	0	0	1	0	0
24	Tamil Nadu	211	53	29	4	0	5	0	3
25	Telangana	96	8	47	49	2	0	1	2
26	Tripura	3	4	18	17	0	0	0	0
27	Uttar Pradesh	102	385	122	15	0	10	9	3
28	Uttarakhand	1	19	14	5	0	0	0	1
29	West Bengal	30	28	29	356	0	3	0	12
TOTAL STATE(S)		1571	1547	1305	1027	129	118	102	61
UNION TERRITORIES:									
30	A&N Islands	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
31	Chandigarh	0	3	5	2	0	0	0	0
32	D&N Haveli	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
33	Daman & Diu	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
34	Delhi	27	18	29	4	0	11	0	0
35	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
36	Puducherry	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL UT(S)		31	23	34	6	0	11	0	0
TOTAL (ALL INDIA)		1602	1570	1339	1033	129	129	102	61

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S. No	State/UT	Casteism	Gang Rivalry	Class Conflict	Road Rage	Honour Killing	Psychopath/ Serial Killers
1	2	19	20	21	22	23	24
STATES:							
1	Andhra Pradesh	6	1	0	0	1	0
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	0	0	1	0
3	Assam	0	0	8	0	0	2
4	Bihar	4	1	0	3	0	0
5	Chhattisgarh	1	2	0	3	0	1
6	Goa	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	Gujarat	4	0	7	1	5	2
8	Haryana	3	1	0	0	3	0
9	Himachal Pradesh	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	Jammu & Kashmir	0	0	0	0	1	0
11	Jharkhand	0	0	0	1	0	0
12	Karnataka	7	1	1	0	0	2
13	Kerala	0	0	0	0	0	5
14	Madhya Pradesh	3	4	1	5	1	4
15	Maharashtra	0	0	0	5	0	0
16	Manipur	0	0	0	8	0	0
17	Meghalaya	0	0	0	2	0	0
18	Mizoram	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	Nagaland	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Odisha	0	0	6	0	0	0
21	Punjab	0	0	0	1	6	0
22	Rajasthan	0	6	10	0	2	1
23	Sikkim	0	0	0	1	0	0
24	Tamil Nadu	6	0	1	0	1	0
25	Telangana	6	0	0	0	0	3
26	Tripura	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	Uttar Pradesh	20	28	10	0	0	2
28	Uttarakhand	0	0	0	0	3	0
29	West Bengal	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL STATE(S)		60	44	44	30	24	22
UNION TERRITORIES:							
30	A&N Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0
31	Chandigarh	0	0	0	0	0	0
32	D&N Haveli	0	0	0	0	0	0
33	Daman & Diu	0	0	0	0	0	0
34	Delhi	0	2	0	1	0	0
35	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0	0
36	Puducherry	0	9	0	0	0	0
TOTAL UT(S)		0	11	0	1	0	0
TOTAL (ALL INDIA)		60	55	44	31	24	22

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S. No	State/UT	Communal / Religious	Child/ Human Sacrifice	Sale of Body parts	Other Causes or Motive	Total Motives of Murder
1	2	25	26	29	30	31
STATES:						
1	Andhra Pradesh	4	1	0	151	870
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	0	42	60
3	Assam	1	1	0	126	1235
4	Bihar	7	4	0	115	3138
5	Chhattisgarh	0	0	1	446	913
6	Goa	0	0	0	1	33
7	Gujarat	1	0	0	26	993
8	Haryana	0	0	0	308	1137
9	Himachal Pradesh	0	0	0	27	70
10	Jammu & Kashmir	0	0	0	11	119
11	Jharkhand	0	0	0	102	1626
12	Karnataka	0	1	0	329	1314
13	Kerala	0	1	0	20	323
14	Madhya Pradesh	0	0	0	359	1795
15	Maharashtra	0	0	0	307	2142
16	Manipur	0	0	0	16	56
17	Meghalaya	0	0	0	11	68
18	Mizoram	0	0	0	6	22
19	Nagaland	0	0	0	2	25
20	Odisha	0	0	0	593	1356
21	Punjab	1	0	0	82	679
22	Rajasthan	1	0	0	924	1659
23	Sikkim	0	0	0	4	17
24	Tamil Nadu	3	1	0	93	1745
25	Telangana	0	0	0	148	839
26	Tripura	0	0	0	9	144
27	Uttar Pradesh	1	1	0	1220	3806
28	Uttarakhand	0	0	0	39	199
29	West Bengal	0	0	0	1030	1933
TOTAL STATE(S)		19	10	1	6547	28316
UNION TERRITORIES:						
30	A&N Islands	0	0	0	0	13
31	Chandigarh	0	0	0	3	26
32	D&N Haveli	0	0	0	0	7
33	Daman & Diu	0	0	0	1	6
34	Delhi	0	0	0	203	521
35	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0
36	Puducherry	0	0	0	11	29
TOTAL UT(S)		0	0	0	218	602
TOTAL (ALL INDIA)		19	10	1	6765	28918

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