

39. RECREATION**39.1 RADIO STATIONS IN TAMIL NADU**

<i>Year</i>	<i>No. of Radio Stations</i>	<i>Estimated Coverage of population by AIR (Millions)</i>	<i>Estimated proportion of population covered in percentage</i>
1997	8	55.8	100
1998	8	55.9	100
1999	8	56.0	100
2000	9	56.0	100
2001	9	55.8	100
2002	9	62.1	100
2003	9	62.1	100
2004	9	62.1	100
2005	9	62.1	100
2006	9	62.1	100
2007	9	62.1	100
2008	10	62.1	100
2009	10	62.1	100
2010	10	62.1	100
2011	10	72.1	100
2012	10	72.1	100
2013	10	72.1	100
2014	10	72.1	100
2015	10	72.1	100
2016	10	72.1	100
2017	10	71.4	99
2018	10	71.4	99
2019	10	71.4	99
2020	10	71.4	99
2021	10	71.4	99

Source: All India Radio, Chennai-4

**39.2 DOORDARSHAN
TRANSMITTERS IN TAMIL NADU 2020-21**

i. Area (Sq.Km.)	1,30,058
ii. Population (2011 Census) (in Crores)	7.21
iii. Transmitters (Nos.) (Tamil Nadu & Puducherry)	20 (19+1)
iv. Area Coverage in Tamil Nadu (Percentage)	95.8
v. Population covered in Tamil Nadu (Percentage)	95.8

Source: Doordarshan kendra, Audience Research Unit, Chennai-5

39.3 T.V. HOMES AND VIEWERS IN TAMIL NADU AND ALL INDIA 2020-21

(in Million)

<i>Description</i>	<i>Tamil Nadu</i>	<i>All India</i>
T.V.Homes	17.3	234.6
Home Viewers	58.6	885.1

Source: Doordarshan, Audience Research Unit, Chennai-5

39.4 NETWORKS OF DOORDARSHAN (PODHIGAI) KENDRAS 2020-21

TAMIL NADU	No. of Transmitters: 17				
<i>Description</i>	<i>HPT</i>	<i>LPT</i>	<i>VLPT</i>	<i>Transposer</i>	<i>Total</i>
DD1 National	8	12	-	-	20
DD News	-	-	-	-	-
Regional / DD Podhigai	-	-	-	-	-
Digital Terrestrial	-	-	-	-	-

Source: Doordarshan, Audience Research Unit, Chennai-5