

Appendix-8

Statement showing the number of candidates who appeared in Civil Services (Main) Examinations, 2018 and 2019 with literature of an Indian Language/Foreign Language as an Optional Subject

No. of candidates who appeared in the year					
S. No.	Language (Optional Subject)	2018		2019	
		Paper-I	Paper-II	Paper-I	Paper-II
[A] Literature of an Indian Language as an Optional Subject					
1.	Assamese	03	03	3	3
2.	Bengali	04	04	1	1
3.	Gujarati	91	91	82	82
4.	Hindi	234	234	187	187
5.	Kannada	79	79	123	123
6.	Kashmiri	0	0	0	0
7.	Konkani	0	0	0	0
8.	Malayalam	85	85	105	105
9.	Manipuri	11	11	7	7
10.	Marathi	07	07	6	6
11.	Nepali	0	0	0	0
12.	Oriya	04	04	3	3
13.	Punjabi	18	18	18	18
14.	Sanskrit	54	54	53	53
15.	Sindhi (Dev)	02	02	2	2
16.	Sindhi (Arabic)	0	0	0	0
17.	Tamil	70	70	77	76
18.	Telugu	53	53	31	31
19.	Urdu	16	16	18	18
20.	Dogri	0	0	0	0
21.	Maithili	40	40	51	51
22.	Santhali	0	0	0	0
23.	Bodo	0	0	0	0
	Total [A]	771	771	767	766

No. of candidates who appeared in the year				
Language (Optional Subject)	2018		2019	
	Paper-I	Paper-II	Paper-I	Paper-II
[B] English Literature as an Optional Subject				
Total No. of candidates [B] with English Literature as one of the Optional Subjects.	21	21	30	30
Total No. of candidates opting for Literature of a Language as an optional Subject [A+B].	792	792	797	796
Percentage of candidates with an Indian Language as an optional subject [A] in respect to the total no. of candidates appeared based on Paper I (Essay) [10241 in 2018 and 11467 in 2019]	7.5285	7.5285	6.6887	6.6800

