MISCELLANEOUS

FIVE YEAR PLANS

TABLE 15.1 : GROWTH PERFORMANCE IN DIFFERENT FIVE YEAR PLAN PERIOD

		(% per annum)
Plan Period	Target	Realization
1	2	3
First Plan (1951-56)	2.1	3.5
Second Plan (1956-1961)	4.5	4.2
Third Plan (1961-1966)	5.6	2.8
Annual Plan (1966-1969)		3.9
Fourth Plan (1969-1974)	5.7	3.2
Fifth Plan (1974-1979)	4.4	4.7
Annual Plan (1979-1980)		5.2
Sixth Plan (1980-1985)	5.2	5.5
Seventh Plan (1985-1990)	5.0	5.6
Annual Plan (1990-1991)		3.4
Eighth Plan (1992-1997)	5.6	6.5
Ninth Plan (1997-2002)	6.5	5.5
Tenth Plan (2002-2007)	7.9	7.7
Eleventh Plan (2007-2012)	9.0	*

Source: Planning Commission

* The annual growth rates in Gross Domestic Products at 2004-05 prices during 2007-08 and 2008-09 are 9.2% (provisional) and 6.7% (quick estimate) respectively.

Note: The growth targets for the first three plans were set with respect to National Income.

In the fourth plan it was Net Domestic Product. The actual growth rates are in terms of GDP at factor cost. Average growth rates over a short period can be misleading because of fluctuations in agricultural output due to variable monsoon.