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**COMPARING MANIPUR AND MADHYA PRADESH ON  
BASIS OF TRIBES.**

## TRIBES OF MANIPUR

Manipur is a multi-ethnic state located at the easternmost part of India.

The hills of Manipur are mainly inhabited mainly by the tribals with a population 11,67,422.

There are 33 recognised tribes which either fall under the Nagas or the Kukis, the two different conglomerates of Manipur Tribes.

The two communities are differentiated mainly by their distinctive dialects, costumes, cultures, and traditions.

The Nagas have a history of headhunting and a strong warrior tradition whereas the Kukis are a sub-family of the Tibeto-Burman language group which is also related to Mizos of Mizoram & Chins in Myanmar.

The Recognised Tribes who made their home are Aimol, Anal, Chiru, Chote, Grangte, Imphui, Hmar, Kharam, Khoiby, Kom, etc.

## TRIBES OF MADHYA PRADESH

There are 46 recognised Tribes in Madhya Pradesh.

Three of which have been identified as Particularly Vulnerable Tribal group (PTG's).

The population of scheduled Tribes is 21.1% of the total population of state.

These Tribal people occupy Narmada River to the north & Godavari River from southeast.

The Diversity in the tribes across the state comes from differences in

1. Heredity
2. Lifestyle
3. Cultural Traditions
4. Social Structure
5. Economic Structure
6. Religious Beliefs
7. Language &
8. Speech.

Madhya Pradesh holds 1<sup>st</sup> Rank among all the States / Union Territories in Terms of Special Tribal Population.