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Q3) Describe poverty trends in India 1973?

The Economic Survey of 2017-18, shows that although poverty has declined in the country, the number of poor still remains very high. The poverty ratio of 1993-94 both rural and urban areas together was at 45% and the ratio for the year 2011-12 has declined down to 22%. However the topic of concern still remains that there hasn't been any massive decline in the number of poor living in the country. From 404 million poor population in both rural & urban areas together in 1993-94. The poor population till 2011-12 remain to be 276 million for both rural & urban area. The survey clearly tells that the concerned authorities must take some serious steps in order to make a country free of poverty.

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Q.6 Give an account of interstate disparities of poverty in India.

Poverty in India differs for different states. The success rate of reducing poverty varies from state to state causing inter-state disparities in poverty level. Orissa, Bihar, MP are the three poorest states in India with their people living below the poverty line being 47%, 42% & 37% respectively. Jammu & Kashmir, Punjab & Himachal Pradesh are the three better-off states in India as far as poverty is concerned. There are various factors that are responsible for these interstate disparities.