

**Linguistic Minorities in Maharashtra as per Census 2011 in
Descending Order**

Sr.No.	Languages	Persons	Percentage
1	Hindi	14,481,513	12.88
2	Urdu	7,540,324	6.71
3	Gujarati	2,371,743	2.11
4	Bhili	2,247,678	2.00
5	Khandeshi	1,616,730	1.43
6	Telugu	1,320,880	1.17
7	Kannada	1,000,463	0.89
8	Sindhi	723,748	0.64
9	Tamil	509,887	0.45
10	Gondi	458,806	0.40
11	Bengali	442,090	0.39
12	Konkani	399,255	0.35
13	Malayalam	366,153	0.32
14	Punjabi	280,192	0.24
15	Korku	255,772	0.22
16	Odia	139,241	0.12
17	Tulu	120,072	0.10
18	English	106,656	0.09
19	Santali	103,456	0.09

20	Kolami	89,170	0.07
21	Nepali	75,683	0.06
22	Maithili	46,996	0.04
23	Halabi	24,950	0.02
24	Assamese	12,842	0.01
25	Kashmiri	8,274	0.007
26	Kurukh/Oraon	8,239	0.007
27	Lahnda	7,271	0.006
28	Sanskrit	3,802	0.003
29	Manipuri	3,475	0.003