

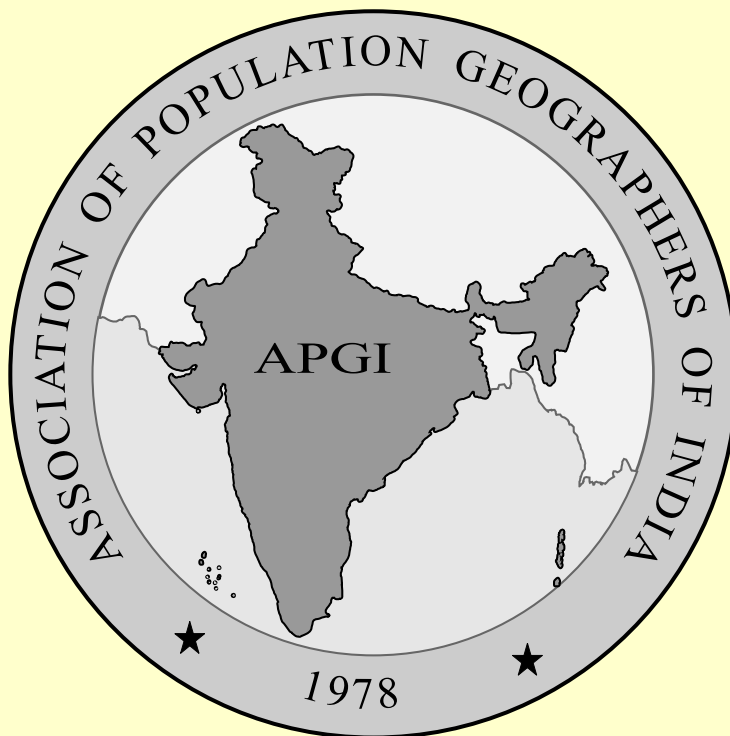
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The contributors of papers in this number are a mix of young and mature scholars from geography. In this number, the diverse themes covered include the study of interstate migration of construction workers between the two Indian states having different cultural and linguistic backgrounds, household-level food security in a hill-tribal region of Maharashtra, emigration, remittances and rural development in Goa, nutritional status of the child population in the Indian Hill States, and safety perceptions of women hostellers at Panjab University, Chandigarh. Covering three spatial scales and diverse themes, research papers included in this number leave several important messages of theoretical, methodological and applied nature. The authors put the traditional and modern techniques of data analysis and interpretation into service.

In the fourth edition of *Geo-Reflections*, Professor Samantha shares her views on gender perceptions and politics in Indian Geography. Touching upon various issues linked with gender geography in India, she leaves enough food for further debate and discussion on the theme. Finally, I express my sincere gratitude to the Members of the Executive Committee of the Association of Population Geographers of India (APGI) and the Editorial Board of *Population Geography* for their unqualified help and support in discharging my duties as the Editor. My special thanks are to Professors K.R. Dikshit, Gopal Krishan, Nina Singh and Mr Mohan Singh for their encouragement, help, support and guidance.

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