

Polygamy Cases for Others (Other than Hindus and Muslims) in India 2022 (based on Population 2011)

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Others (Christians + Sikhs + Buddhists + Jains + Other Religions + Not Stated) are Other than Hindus and Muslims.

Polygamy Cases for Others: 1157639

Table 1 shows: Polygamy is more prevalent among Muslims (1.9%), followed by Others (Other Religious Communities 1.6%) and least prevalent among Hindus (1.3%) as per study published by the International Institute of Population Sciences (IIPS) in 2022 which is based on data from NFHS (National Family Health Survey).

Table 1: Religion-wise Percentages of Polygamy in India 2022

S. No.	Religion	% of Polygamy 2022
1	Hindus	1.3
2	Muslims	1.9
3	Others	1.6

Population of Others 2011:

Others (72352466 is 6%) = All (1210854977 is 100%) – (Hindus (966257353 is 79.8%) + (Muslims (172245158 is 14.2%))

Table 2 (Next Page) shows: Polygamy Cases among Hindus, Muslims and Others in India 2022 (based on Census Population 2011).

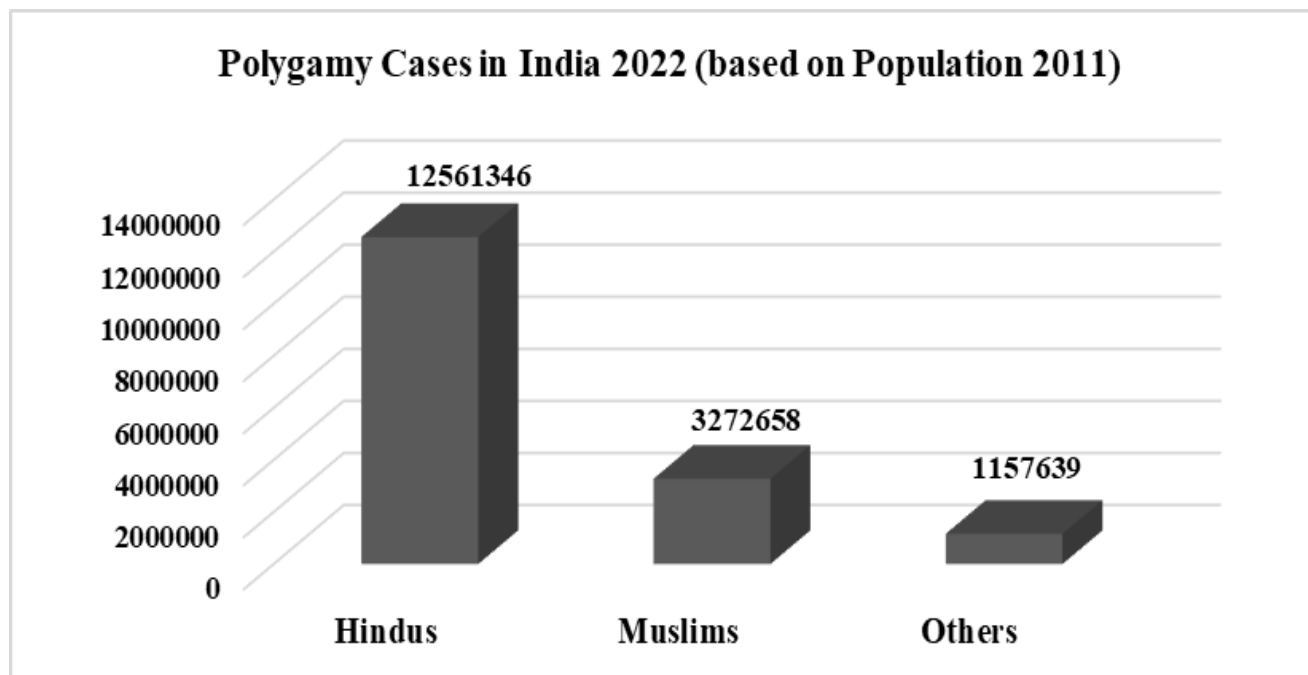
Number of Polygamy cases are calculated by multiplying Population 2011 to Percentage of Polygamy 2022.

Polygamy cases of Hindus 12561346 are maximum, Muslims 3272658 and for Others are least (Population being just 6%) 1157639.

Table 2: Polygamy Cases for Others in India 2022 (based on Population 2011)**

S. No.	Religion	Polygamy Cases in India 2022**	Population 2011	
			Numbers	%
1	Hindus	12561346	966257353	79.8
2	Muslims	3272658	172245158	14.2
3	Others	1157639	72352466	6.0
Population All (Hindus + Muslims + Others) 2011			1210854977	100.0

Polygamy Cases in India 2022 = (Population 2011) * (% of Polygamy 2022)**



Source: National Family Health Survey

Population: Census 2011