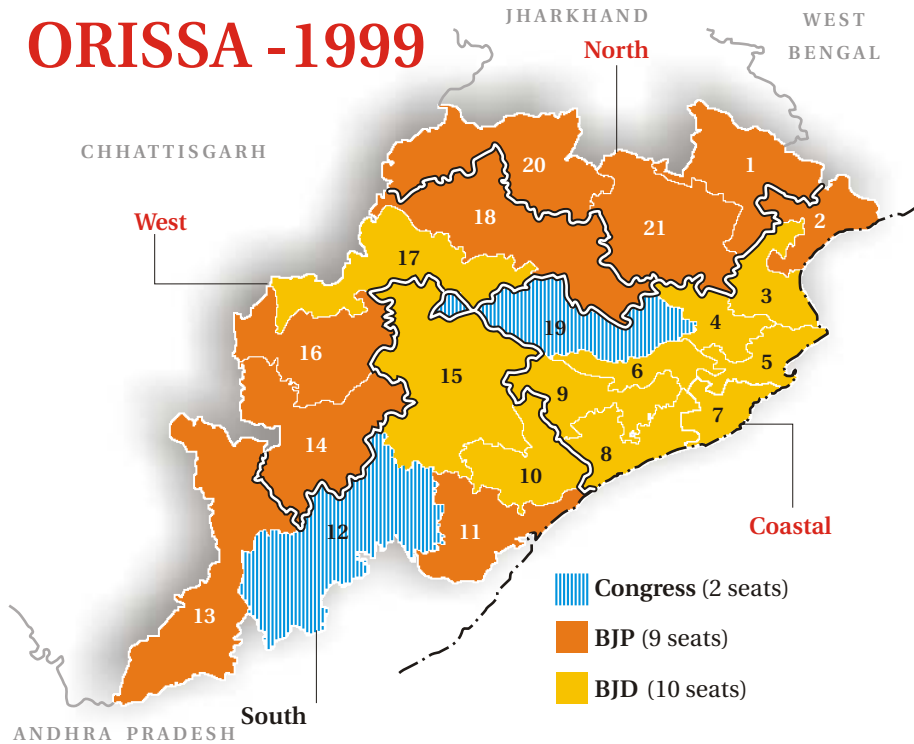
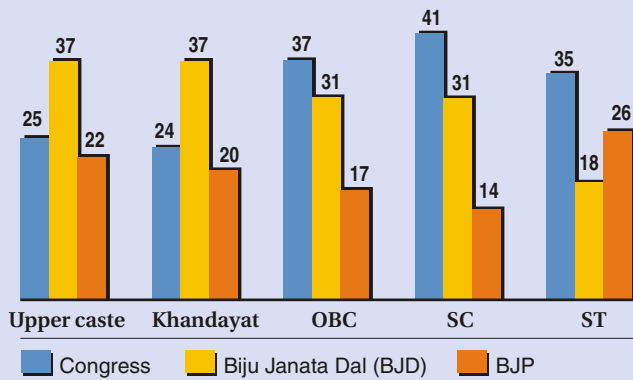


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BJD-BJP dominates all social groups, even Dalits and Adivasis



Source: CSDS National Election Study, 1999

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Congress down but not out in terms of votes

Election Years	Party performance in the Lok Sabha elections					
	Congress		BJP		BJD (JD in 1991, 1996)	
	Seats won	Vote share	Seats won	Vote share	Seats won	Vote share
1991	13	44.1	0	9.5	6	34.6
1996	16	44.9	0	13.4	4	30.1
1998	5	41.0	7	21.2	9	27.5
1999	2	36.9	9	24.6	10	33.0

Note: In 1991, the Janata Dal had an alliance with the CPI and the CPI (M) who contested one seat each and won them. In 1996, the Janata Dal had an alliance with the CPI and the CPI (M) who contested one seat each. The CPI won one seat. The BJP and the BJD have had an alliance since the 1998 Lok Sabha elections.

A comfortable position for NDA even if a huge swing occurs

What would be the result this time in case...

What would be the result this time in case...	Seats in Lok Sabha 2004 elections	
	Cong.	BJD+BJP
...if the results of Lok Sabha 1999 are repeated	2	19
...there is a swing of 2% against BJD-BJP	3	18
...there is a swing of 5% against BJD-BJP	4	17
...there is a swing of 10% against BJD-BJP	12	9

Note: The results of the 1999 Lok Sabha polls is the starting point of this calculation. Calculating one percentage point swing against the BJD-BJP means deducting it from the alliance's vote share in each constituency and its reallocation to non-BJD-BJP parties in proportion to their strength.

Congress needs a 10 %+ swing for a majority in the Assembly

What would be the result this time in case...

What would be the result this time in case...	Seats in 2004 Assembly elections	
	Cong.	BJD+BJP
...if the results of the Assembly polls are repeated	26	106
...there is a swing of 3% against BJD-BJP	39	84
...there is a swing of 5% against BJD-BJP	47	75
...there is a swing of 10% against BJD-BJP	67	51

Note: The results of the 2000 Assembly elections is the starting point of this calculation. Calculating one percentage point swing against the BJD-BJP means deducting it from the alliance's vote share in each constituency and its reallocation to non-BJD-BJP parties in proportion to their strength.

BJP and BJD complement each other in the different regions of the State

Regions	Assembly seats	Performance in the 2000 Assembly polls					
		Congress		BJD		BJP	
		Seats won	Vote share	Seats won	Vote share	Seats won	Vote share
Coastal	63	9	33.6	36	35.8	12	13.9
South	35	11	38.3	18	34.0	4	13.3
West	28	5	32.5	11	20.8	12	26.4
North	21	1	28.3	3	10.3	10	30.5
Total	147	26	33.7	68	29.4	38	18.2