

**Classification of Taluks in Karnataka into Zones for the  
purpose of administering Incentives & Concessions**

Sl. No.	Districts	Total No.of Taluks	Zone - 1 (Most Backward Taluks)	Zone - 2 (More Backward Taluks)	Zone - 3 (Backward Taluk)	Zone - 4 (Industrially Developed Taluks)
<b>South Karnataka Region</b>						
1	B'lore (U)	4	-	-		Anekal B'lore (North) B'lore(South) B'lore(East)
2	B'lore (R)	4		-		Devanahalli D B Pur Hoskote Nelamangala
3	Rama-nagara	4	Kanakapura Magadi			Ramanagaram Channapatna
4	Chitradurga	6	Hosadurga	Hiriyur Molakalmur Holokere Challakere	Chitradurga	
5	Davanagere	6	Channagiri Harapana halli	Honnali Jagalur	Davangere  Harihar	
6	Chikka-ballapura	6	Bagepalli	Gudibande  Gowribidanur	Chikka-ballapura Siddlaghatta Chintamani	
7	Kolar	5		Mulbagal	Kolar Bangarpet Srinivasapura Malur	

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8	Shimoga	7	-	Soraba	Shimoga Bhadravathi Sagar Shikaripura Hosanagara Thirthahalli	
9	Tumkur	10	Kunigal Madugiri Gubbi Sira Pavagada	Turuvekere Koratagere Chikkanaya- kaanahalli	Tumkur Tiptur	
10	Chamarajana- nagar	4	Chamarajana- nagar	Gundlupet Kollegal	Yelandur	
11	Chikka - magalore	7	-	Kadur	Chikka - magalore Tarikere Shringeri Mudigere Koppa N R Pura	
12	D Kannada	5	-	-	Bantwal Mangalore (excl. Corp.n.limits) Puttur Sulya Belthangadi	Mangalore (only Corporation limits)
13	Hassan	8	-	Arakalgud	Hassan Arasikere C R Patna H N Pura Belur Alur Sakleshpura	
14	Kodagu	3	-	-	Madikeri Somwarpet Virajpet	

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15	Mandya	7	-	Malavalli Nagamangala K R Pet	Mandya Maddur Srirangapatna Pandavapura	
16	Mysore	7	H D Kote	Hunsur T N Pura Nanjangud	Periapatna Mysore (excl. Corpn. limits) K R Nagara	Mysore (only Corporation limits )
17	Udupi	3	-	-	Udupi Kundapura Karkala	
<b>North Karnataka Region</b>						
18	Bellary	7	Sandur Kudligi	Siraguppa H B Halli Hadagalli	Bellary Hospet	
19	Bidar	5	Bhalki Humnabad B Kalyana Aurad	-	Bidar	
20	Gulbarga	10	Sedam Shourapur Yadgir Chitapur Afzalpur Shahapur Aland Chincholi Jewargi	-	Gulbarga	
21	Koppal	4	Kushtagi Yelburga	Koppal	Gangavathi	
22	Raichur	5	Sindanorr Manvi Lingasugur Devadurga	Raichur		

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23	Bagalkote	6	Bilagi	Hunagund Badami	Bagalkote Mudhol Jamkhandi	
24	Belgaum	10	-	Athani Gokak Soundatti	Belgaum Khnanapur Hukkeri Ramdurga Bailhongal Chikkodi Raibag	
25	Bijapur	5	Muddebihal B Bagewadi Indi Sindgi	-	Bijapur	
26	Dharwad	5	-	Kalghatagi	Dharawad Hubli Kundaggol Navalgund	
27	Gadag	5	-	Mundargi	Gadag Nargund Ron Shirahatti	
28	Haveri	7	-	Savanur Shiggaon Hirekerur	Haveri Ranebennur Byadagi Hanagal	
29	U Kannada	11	-	Supa Bhatkal	Karwar Haliyal Sirsi Mundagod Yellapura Honnavar Ankola Siddapura Kumta	
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>12</b>