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Age and sex distribution of male and female individuals in different age groups on whom anthropometric measurements were taken during contact expedition are shown in table - 1. The population composition of Jarawa tribesmen shows that male and female individuals are found in all age charts. The percentage of females in the fecund age group (19-45 yrs) is high (36.17%) compared to males (17.02%) in the same age group. Two male individuals aged 50 yrs & above are noticed during this expedition.

Mean values of weight, height and mid upper arm circumference are shown in table-2. There ~~is~~ is gradual increase in weight in male and female individuals in the age groups from 1-5 yrs to 11-15 yrs. Similarly, there is gradual increase in height and mid upper arm circumference in the age groups from 1-5 yrs to 11-15 yrs, in male and female individuals. Similar trend in increase in anthropometric measurements on body is noticed during first & second contact expedition data (2 Sept 1996 to 4 Sept'96 and 3 Oct. 1996 to 5 Oct'96) under this pilot project from 1-5 yrs to 11-15 yrs age group. During this expedition, it is observed that body weight of male individuals in the age group of 19-45 is more (48 kg.) than female individuals in the same age group (42 kg).

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