

ANNEXURE – II

Fairs and Festivals of India promoted by Department of Tourism,
Government of India

Festivals	Period	Place	State
Desert Festival	28 December, 3 January	Jaisalmer	Rajasthan
Magi Fair	13–14 January	Muksar (Ludhiana)	Punjab
Kite Festival	13-15 January	Ahmedabad	Gujarat
Pongal Festival	13-17 January	Tamil Nadu	Tamil Nadu
Elephant Marathon	16–20 January	Trivandrum	Kerala
Republic Day	26th January	Delhi	Delhi
Nagaur Festival	2–5 February	Nagaur	Rajasthan
Crafts Mela	1–15 February	Surajkund	Haryana
Yoga week	2–7 February	Rishikesh	Uttaranchal
Goa Carnival	9–12 February		Goa
Elephant Festival	10–18 February	Elephanta	Maharashtra
Heli-sking	2nd & 3rd week of February	Manali	Himachal Pradesh
Konark Festival	24–26 February	Konark	Orissa
Chapeharkut	26 February	Mizoram	Mizoram
Hola Festival	March	Anandpur Sahib	Punjab
Basant Utsav	March	Shantiniketan	West Bengal
Bohag Bihu or Rangoli Bihu	14–15 March	All over state	Assam
Khajuraho Festival	12–18 March	Khajuraho	Madhya Pradesh
Ellora Festival	23–25 March	Ellora	Maharashtra

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Baisakhi	13 April	Amritsar	Punjab
International Flower Festival	April	Gangtok	Sikkim
Trichur Puram	April	Trichur	Kerala
Hemis Festival	June	Ladakh	Kashmir
Summer Festival	June	Mt. Abu	Rajasthan
Himachal Summer Festival	10–16 June	Shimla	Himachal Pradesh
Mango Festival	July	Saharanpur	Uttar Pradesh
Chanot Festival	July (1st week)	Puri	Orissa
Alleppef	August (2nd week)	Alleppey	Kerala
Tarnetar Festival	August	Surendra Nagal	Gujrat
Ganesh Chaturthi	11,22 September	Bombay Pune	Maharashtra
Onam	September	Trivandrum	Kerala
Golconda Festival	September	Hyderabad	Andhra Pradesh
Navaratri Festival	October–November	Baroda	Gujrat
Dussehra	October	Kullu	Himachal Pradesh
Durga Puja	October	Calcutta	West Bengal
Pearl festival	October		Andhra Pradesh
Ka Pomblang Non gkrem	October–November		Meghalaya
Diwali	November		All States
International Trade Fair	November	Delhi	Delhi
Sonepur Mela	November	Vaishali	Bihar
International Sea Food Festival	December	Panaji & Cochin	Goa & Kerala
Hampi Vijayanagar	December	Hampi	Karnataka
Jormela	December	Chandigarh	Punjab