

## Area Measurement Units for Real Estate in India

Here is a comprehensive table listing the various units of measurement commonly used in India for real estate purposes, along with their conversions.

Unit	Symbol	Equivalent in Square Feet (sq ft)	Equivalent in Square Meters (sq m)
Square Feet	sq ft	1 sq ft	0.092903 sq m
Square Meter	sq m	10.7639 sq ft	1 sq m
Square Yard	sq yd	9 sq ft	0.836127 sq m
Acre	acre	43,560 sq ft	4,046.86 sq m
Hectare	ha	107,639 sq ft	10,000 sq m
Cent	cent	435.6 sq ft	40.4686 sq m
Kanal	kanal	5,445 sq ft	505.857 sq m
Bigha	bigha	Varies by region (1,500 to 12,000 sq ft approx.)	Varies by region (139.4 to 1,114.8 sq m approx.)
Ground	ground	2,400 sq ft	222.967 sq m
Guntha	guntha	1,089 sq ft	101.171 sq m
Katha	katha	Varies by region (750 to 2,000 sq ft approx.)	Varies by region (69.677 to 185.806 sq m approx.)
Marla	marla	272.25 sq ft	25.2929 sq m
Decimal	dec	435.6 sq ft	40.4686 sq m

## **Notes:**

**Bigha** and **Katha** measurements vary significantly by region, so it's essential to verify the local conversions.

- 1. **Ground** is primarily used in Tamil Nadu.
- 2. **Guntha** is commonly used in Maharashtra, Karnataka
- 3. **Marla** is primarily used in Punjab and Haryana.
- 4. **Cent** is commonly used in Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Kerala and Tamil Nadu.

Understanding these units and their conversions is crucial for real estate transactions and investments in different parts of India.