



INDIA

Union Territories



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- **Union Territories are the administrative divisions in India like states.**
- **But, UTs have no their own government. They are directly ruled by central government.**
- **Before October 31st, 2019 there are seven UTs.**

- **They are:** **1. Andaman Nicobar Islands**
2. New Delhi (NCT)
3. Chandigarh
4. Puducherry
5. Daman Diu
6. Dadra nagar Haveli
7. Lakshadweep

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- **The Parliament of India passed Jammu and Kashmir Reorganization Act, 2019.**
- **According to this act, the state of Jammu and Kashmir divided into two union territories, one is Jammu and Kashmir, and the other Ladakh on **31 October 2019**.**
- **Then, total UTs number increased to **nine**.**

- **They are:** **1. Andaman Nicobar Islands**
 - 2. New Delhi**
 - 3. Chandigarh**
 - 4. Puducherry**
 - 5. Daman Diu**
 - 6. Dadra nagar Haveli**
 - 7. Lakshadweep**
 - 8. Jammu & Kashmir**
 - 9. Ladakh**

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- In November 2019, the Government of India introduced legislation to merge the union territories of Daman and Diu and Dadra and Nagar Haveli into a single union territory to be known as Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu.
- This was working into force on **26th January, 2020**.
- Now, There are **8** UTs in India.

- **They are:**
 - 1. Andaman Nicobar Islands**
 - 2. New Delhi**
 - 3. Chandigarh**
 - 4. Puducherry**
 - 5. Daman Diu and Dadra nagar Haveli**
 - 6. Lakshadweep**
 - 7. Jammu & Kashmir**
 - 8. Ladakh**

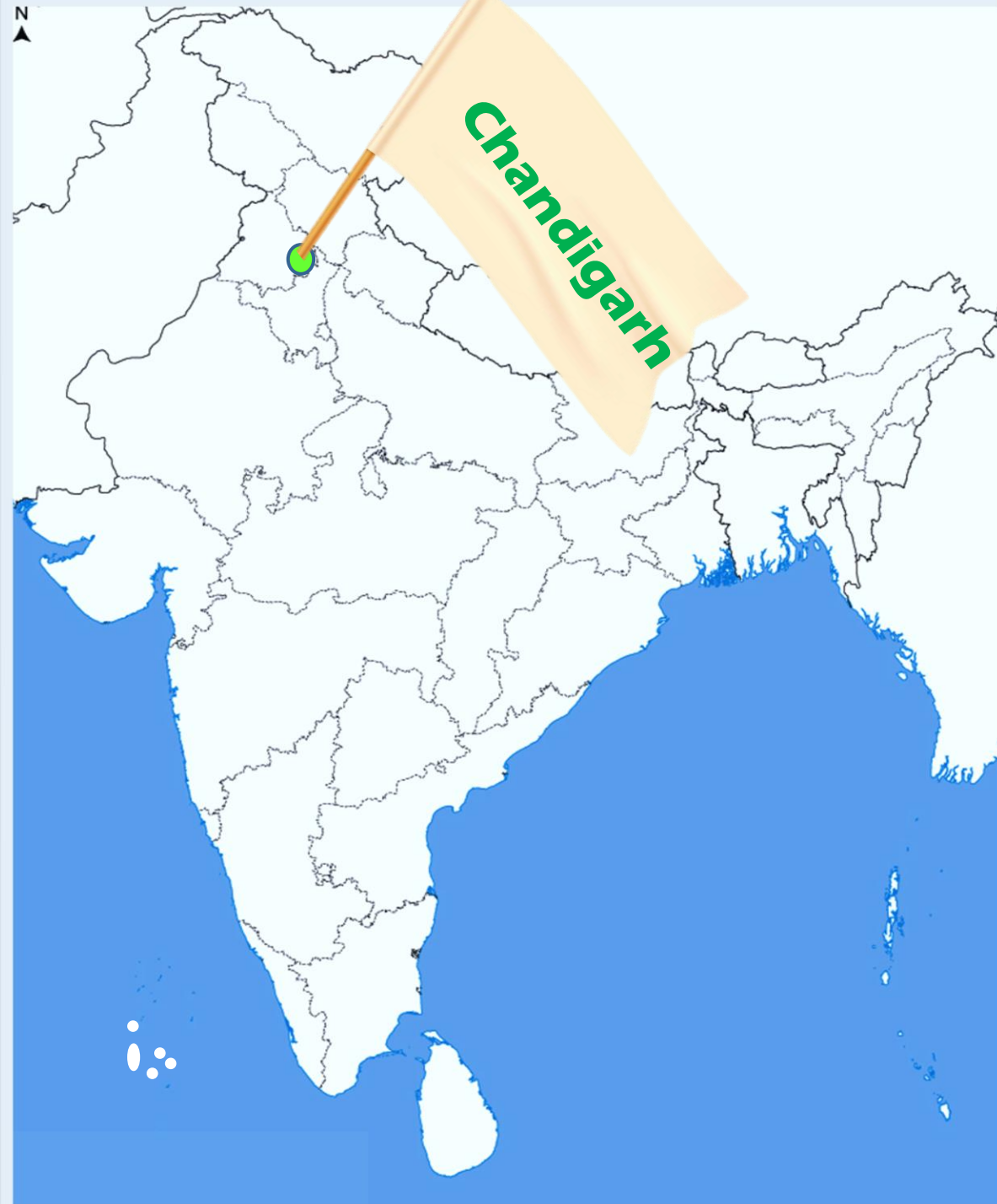
- **Among the above 8 UTs New Delhi, Puducherry and Jammu & Kashmir have own assemblies.**



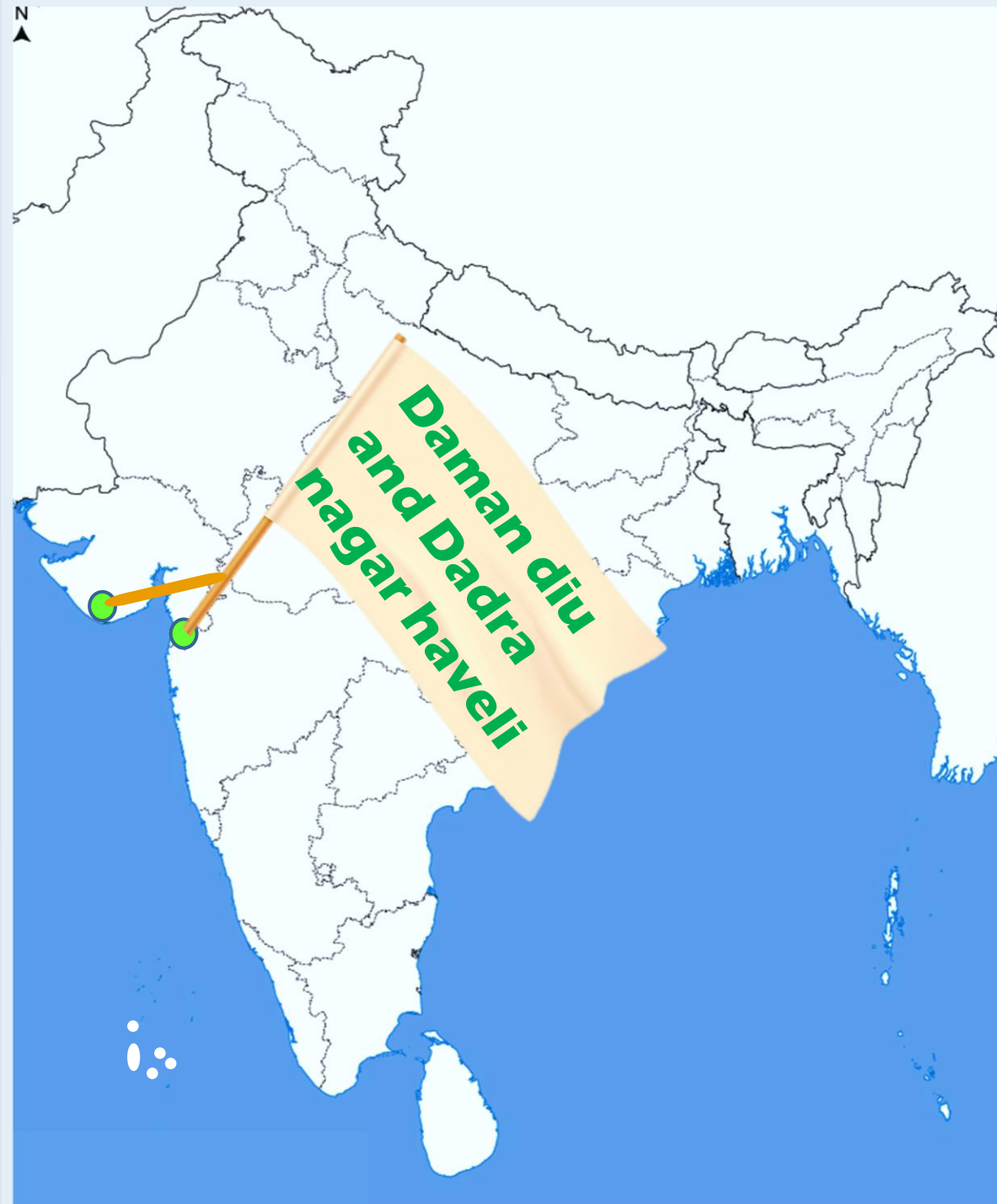
**Andaman
Nicobar
Islands**

**This is the most
populous UT**







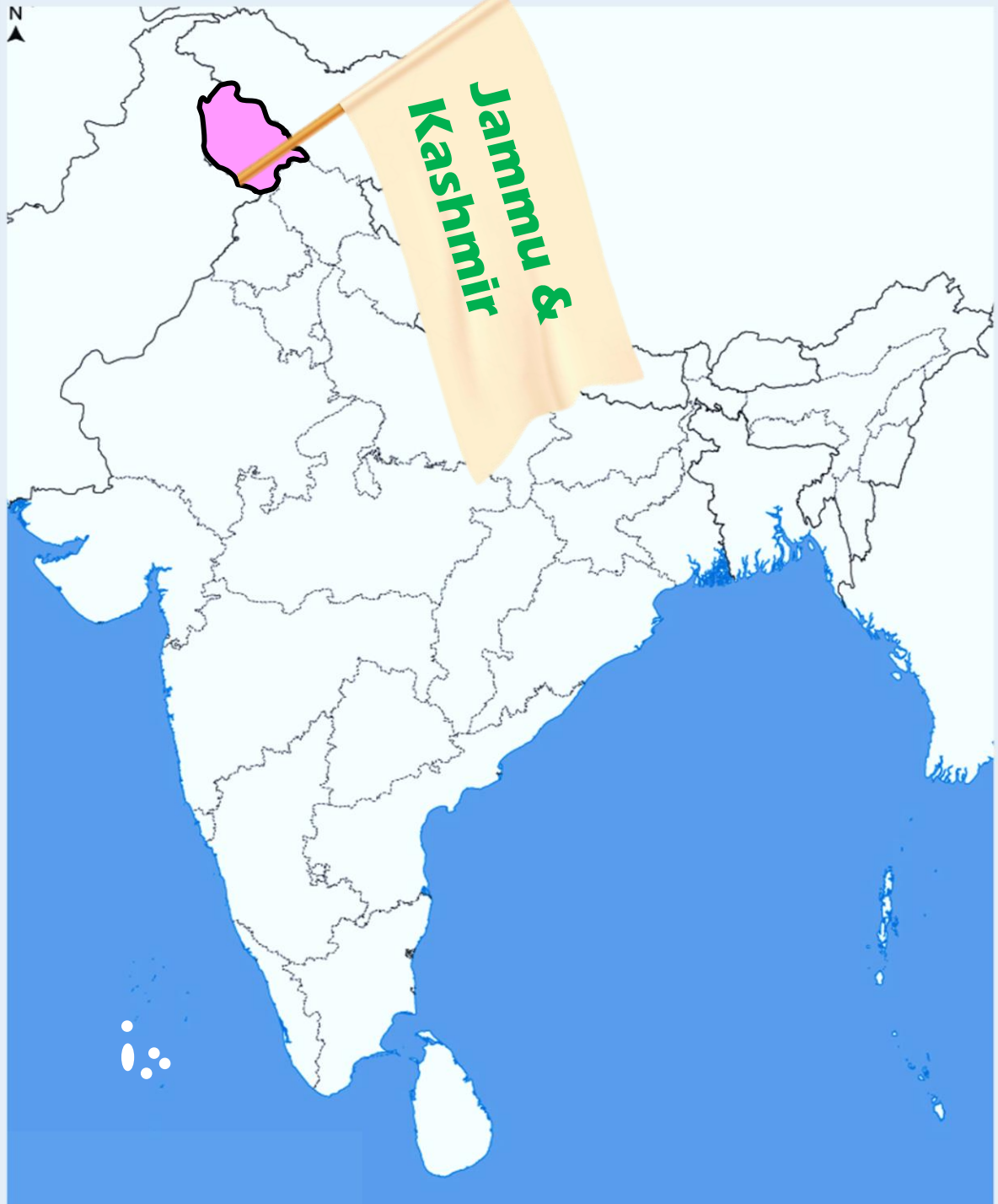


**Daman diu
and Dadra
and Nagar Haveli**

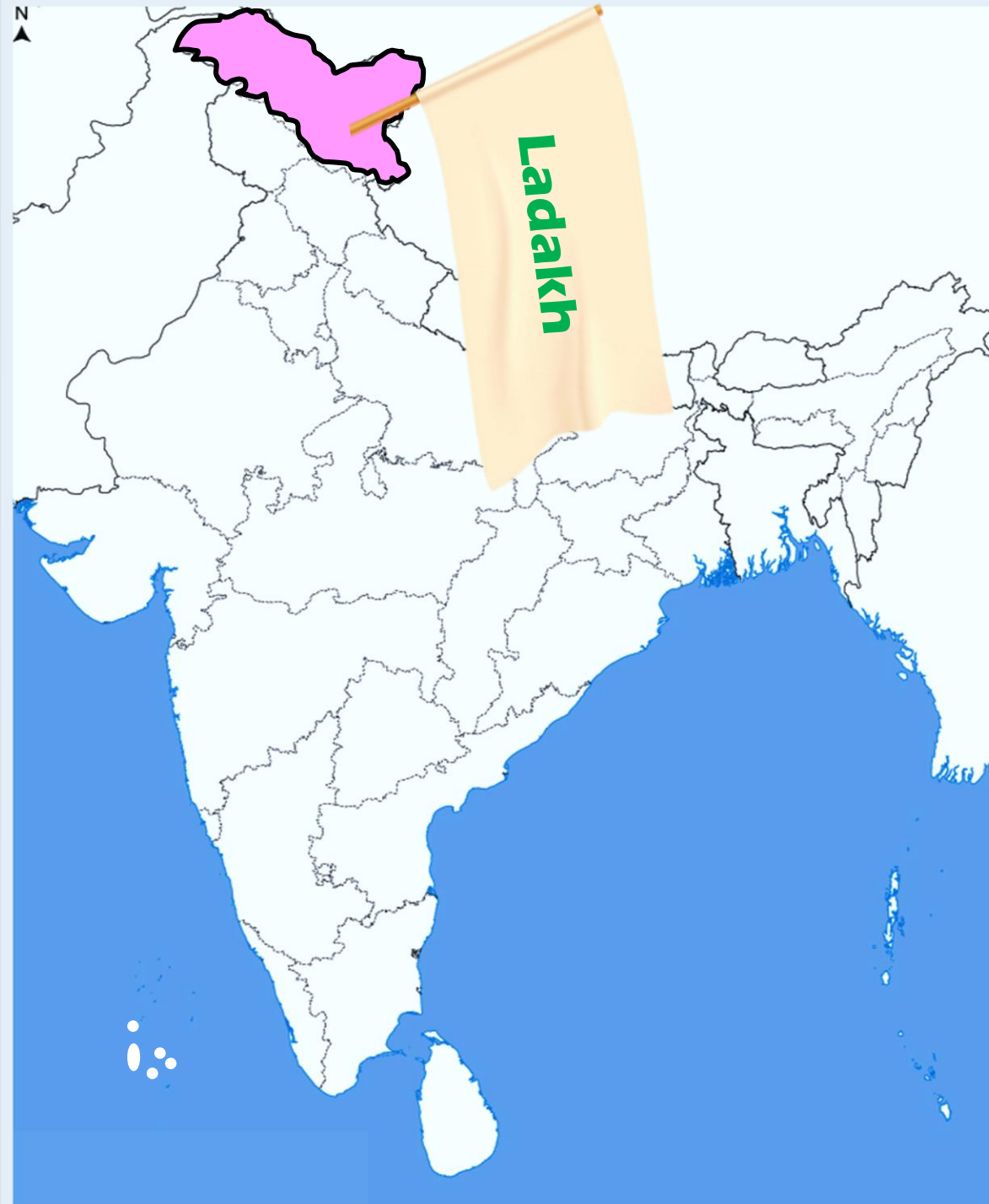
**This is the smallest
UT in area.**

**This is the least
populous UT.**





**This is the largest
UT in area.**



MAP OF UT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR AND UT OF LADAKH

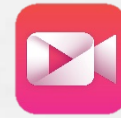


The maps prepared by Survey General of India depicting the new UTs of Jammu and Kashmir, and Ladakh, as created on October 31, 2019 are released. **According to this Ladakh is the largest UT in area.**

Union Territory	Capital
Andaman and Nicobar Island	Port Blair
Chandigarh	Chandigarh
Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu	Daman
Delhi	Delhi
Ladakh	Leh
Lakshadweep	Kavaratti
Jammu and Kashmir	Jammu(winter), Srinagar(summer)
Puducherry	Puducherry

- 1. Which is the largest UT in India? Ladakh**
- 2. Which is the most populous UT in India? New Delhi**
- 3. Which is the smallest UT in India? Lakshadweep**
- 4. How many UTs are there in India at present? 8**
- 5. When was the state of Jammu & Kashmir divided into two UTs? 31.10.2019**
- 6. How many UTs have own assembly? 3 (New Delhi, Puducherry, J&K)**

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