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There has been a lot of discussion and research studies in the area of Central Government Expenditure in India. However, the issues at the Social level has not yet received. The attention has to receive recent years Growing Public Expenditure of the Governments of developing countries has been a widely discussed topic of Public finance.

The present study is an attempt to analyse the "Social Sector Expenditure of The Government of India during the period 1991-2001. the main objective of the study is the Growth and Composition of the revenue and Expenditure of the Central as well as their relative performance in this respect. The present study is essentially descriptive one and present statistical analysis of the data collection from the Reserve Bank of India Bulletins. The Finance Accounts and budget Documents of the Government of India Reports of the Finance Commissions and Reserve Bank of India's Reports on currency and finance etc.

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