

Goa

The costume of Goans is according to the tropical climate, generally, they wear cotton clothes.

Goan Catholic women wear dresses/gowns, while Hindu women wear sari called **Nav-vari**. Other traditional costumes of Goa people are **Pano Bhaju**, **Valkal** is a string of beads and leafy loincloth which is still worn in tribes. **Kashti** is a tied knot and saree. Goans catholic brides wear a white gown.

Men in Goa wear western style costume while the fisherman wears bright colored shirts, half pants, and bamboo hats and is also a popular dress among tourists. Goa carnival showcase the colourfull and popular dresses of Goans.



Maharashtra

Traditional clothes for Maharashtrian males include the dhoti, also known as *Dhotar*, and pheta, while a choli and nine-yard saree locally known as Nauwari saadi or *Lugda* is for women. Traditional clothing is famous in rural areas while traditional people from cities also wear these clothing. These clothes are worn by Maharashtrians while performing various festivals



