Materials and Methods

Design

The purpose of the study will be to measure the economic status and social status between all India inter university hockey Players of different zones. For this purpose it will be felt necessary to collect adequate data and other factual information regarding the subject economic status and social status. It is a status study.

Selection of Subjects

The study will be designed to survey from various universities throughout India. Totally twenty four University Men Hockey players will be select from four zones in order to find out their socio-economic status differences among each zone. The age of the university Men Hockey players selected for this study will be eighteen to twenty five.

To achieve the purpose of these study three hundred and eighty five Men Hockey players will be select from the following universities in various zones.

Selection of Variables

The research scholar reviewed the available scientific literature relevant to the study from books. Journals, periodicals, magazines and research papers taking into consideration of the importance of the variables the following variables were selected for this study.
1. Players caste system
2. Players religion
3. Players geographical situations (Area background)
4. Players family income
5. Family background in sports
6. Availability of facilities for the players during early years.

PROCEDURE

Collection of Data

The printed standardized questionnaire (appendix) will be personally handed over to the Hockey players of All India Inter University Men Hockey players at the time of their participation in the All India Inter University competition held at Mumbai in 2009. They were requested to go through the questionnaire carefully and furnish the details questionnaire covered all factor such as the name of the university, name of the player’ religion, community, family income, family background in sports, facilities availed during earlier years and zone background.

The collected data will be compete and presented for thorough analysis. The collected data have been classified into different tables in order to have a clear picture and better understanding.
STATISTICAL METHOD

The tester’s competency will be assessing together with the reliability of the tests. To determine the reliability of the test, the data collected twice under similar conditions. This will be done by test-retest method. The scores thus collected will be correlated using person’s product moment correlation.