

**Growth Characteristics of Bicondylar Femur and Wrist Breadth  
Among Yadava and Vadabalija Boys of Visakhapatnam Andhra  
Pradesh, India: A Comparative Study**

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**ABSTRACT** The present study, based on a cross-sectional sample of 757 Yadava and 845 Vadabalija male children in the age range of 1 to 20 years, confines to the evaluation of growth differences among Yadava and Vadabalija boys with the help of two anthropometric measurements. Analysis of the data reveal that all measurements show significant differences in some age groups among Yadava versus Vadabalija boys. It can be inferred that the differential growth patterns observed between these two groups may be due to genetic factor associated with socio-economic environment.