

Basic Data Sheet

District Kathua (14), Jammu & Kashmir (01)

(Source: Census of India 2001)

Population:

Persons	550,084	Number of households	96,393
Males	289,391	Household size (per household)	6
Females	260,693		
Growth (1991 - 2001)	20.91	Sex ratio (females per 1000 males)	901
Rural	471,356	Sex ratio (0-6 years)	840
Urban	78,728		
Scheduled Caste population	127,364	Scheduled Tribe population	34,174
Percentage to total population	23.15	Percentage to total population	6.21

Literacy and Educational level

<i>Literates</i>		<i>Educational Level attained</i>	
Persons	307,370	Total	307,370
Males	185,654	Without level	6,881
Females	121,716	Below primary	56,273
<i>Literacy rate</i>		Primary	78,668
Persons	65.57	Middle	77,174
Males	75.71	Matric/Higher Secondary/Diploma	74,150
Females	54.44	Graduate and above	14,199

Workers

Total workers	205,422	Age groups	
Main workers	161,823	0 - 4 years	55,604
Marginal workers	43,599	5 - 14 years	132,178
Non-workers	344,662	15 - 59 years	316,216
		60 years and above (Incl. A.N.S.)	46,086

Scheduled Castes (Largest three)

1.Doom etc.	54,857
2.Chamar etc.	39,640
3.Megh etc.	25,330

Scheduled Tribes (Largest three)

1.Gujjar	15,149
2.Gaddi	11,833
3.Sippi	4,347

Religions (Largest three)

1.Hindus	493,966
2.Muslims	44,793
3.Sikhs	9,152

Amenities and infrastructural facilities

Total inhabited villages 556

Amenities available in villages	No. of villages
Drinking water facilities	556
Safe Drinking water	538
Electricity (Power Supply)	531
Electricity (domestic)	246
Electricity (Agriculture)	25
Primary school	452
Middle schools	241
Secondary/Sr Secondary schools	90
College	-
Medical facility	214
Primary Health Centre	27
Primary Health Sub-Centre	26
Post, telegraph and telephone facility	279
Bus services	362
Paved approach road	452
Mud approach road	56

Important Towns (Largest three)

	Population
1.Kathua (TC)	40,931
2.Hiranagar (NAC)	8,437
3.Parole (NAC)	7,075

House Type

Type of house (% of households occupying)	
Permanent	52.8
Semi-permanent	21.5
Temporary	25.6