

Basic Data Sheet

District Firozpur (11), Punjab (03)

(Source: Census of India 2001)

Population:

Persons	1,746,107	Number of households	301,112
Males	926,224	Household size (per household)	6
Females	819,883		
Growth (1991 - 2001)	20.42	Sex ratio (females per 1000 males)	885
Rural	1,295,382	Sex ratio (0-6 years)	822
Urban	450,725		
Scheduled Caste population	398,409	Scheduled Tribe population	-
Percentage to total population	22.82	Percentage to total population	-

Literacy and Educational level

<i>Literates</i>		<i>Educational Level attained</i>	
Persons	903,273	Total	903,273
Males	539,345	Without level	17,967
Females	363,928	Below primary	202,779
<i>Literacy rate</i>		Primary	249,084
Persons	60.69	Middle	153,723
Males	68.73	Matric/Higher Secondary/Diploma	237,261
Females	51.72	Graduate and above	42,295

Workers

Total workers	648,676	Age groups	
Main workers	535,889	0 - 4 years	170,594
Marginal workers	112,787	5 - 14 years	432,493
Non-workers	1,097,431	15 - 59 years	997,597
		60 years and above (Incl. A.N.S.)	145,423

Scheduled Castes (Largest three)

1.Mazhabi	153,345
2.Balmiki etc.	75,624
3.Sirkiband	39,179

Scheduled Tribes (Largest three)

No Scheduled Tribes in this area

Religions (Largest three)

1.Sikhs	896,628
2.Hindus	820,234
3.Christians	23,093

Amenities and infrastructural facilities

Total inhabited villages 968

Amenities available in villages	No. of villages
Drinking water facilities	954
Safe Drinking water	953
Electricity (Power Supply)	968
Electricity (domestic)	-
Electricity (Agriculture)	-
Primary school	866
Middle schools	406
Secondary/Sr Secondary schools	166
College	2
Medical facility	756
Primary Health Centre	36
Primary Health Sub-Centre	60
Post, telegraph and telephone facility	855
Bus services	836
Paved approach road	968
Mud approach road	968

Important Towns (Largest three)

	Population
1.Abohar (M CI)	124,339
2.Firozpur (M CI)	95,475
3.Fazilka (M CI)	67,427

House Type

Type of house (% of households occupying)	
Permanent	68.8
Semi-permanent	9.5
Temporary	21.7