

Basic Data Sheet

District Chamoli (02), Uttaranchal (05)

(Source: Census of India 2001)

Population:

Persons	370,359	Number of households	76,121
Males	183,745	Household size (per household)	5
Females	186,614		
Growth (1991 - 2001)	13.51	Sex ratio (females per 1000 males)	1,016
Rural	319,656	Sex ratio (0-6 years)	934
Urban	50,703		
Scheduled Caste population	67,539	Scheduled Tribe population	10,484
Percentage to total population	18.24	Percentage to total population	2.83

Literacy and Educational level

<i>Literates</i>		<i>Educational Level attained</i>	
Persons	237,354	Total	237,354
Males	138,934	Without level	7,880
Females	98,420	Below primary	51,642
<i>Literacy rate</i>		Primary	66,405
Persons	75.43	Middle	49,191
Males	89.66	Matric/Higher Secondary/Diploma	45,880
Females	61.63	Graduate and above	16,250

Workers

Total workers	164,729	Age groups	
Main workers	96,900	0 - 4 years	37,744
Marginal workers	67,829	5 - 14 years	92,976
Non-workers	205,630	15 - 59 years	204,492
		60 years and above (Incl. A.N.S.)	35,147

Scheduled Castes (Largest three)

1. Shilpkar	63,944
2. Generic Castes etc.	948
3. Balmiki	932

Scheduled Tribes (Largest three)

1. Bhotia	10,192
2. Generic Tribes etc.	255
3. Jannsari	21

Religions (Largest three)

1. Hindus	365,396
2. Muslims	3,725
3. Sikhs	439

Amenities and infrastructural facilities

Total inhabited villages 1,166

Amenities available in villages	No. of villages
Drinking water facilities	1,139
Safe Drinking water	1,116
Electricity (Power Supply)	883
Electricity (domestic)	870
Electricity (Agriculture)	8
Primary school	804
Middle schools	274
Secondary/Sr Secondary schools	135
College	7
Medical facility	147
Primary Health Centre	8
Primary Health Sub-Centre	6
Post, telegraph and telephone facility	357
Bus services	212
Paved approach road	204
Mud approach road	411

Important Towns (Largest three)

	Population
1. Chamoli Gopeshwar (MB)	19,833
2. Joshimath (MB)	13,204
3. Gochar (NP)	7,303

House Type

Type of house (% of households occupying)	
Permanent	94.4
Semi-permanent	5
Temporary	0.6