

Basic Data Sheet

District Bhojpur (29), Bihar (10)

(Source: Census of India 2001)

Population:

Persons	2,243,144	Number of households	321,192
Males	1,179,611	Household size (per household)	7
Females	1,063,533		
Growth (1991 - 2001)	24.58	Sex ratio (females per 1000 males)	902
Rural	1,930,730	Sex ratio (0-6 years)	939
Urban	312,414		
Scheduled Caste population	343,598	Scheduled Tribe population	8,337
Percentage to total population	15.32	Percentage to total population	0.37

Literacy and Educational level

<i>Literates</i>		<i>Educational Level attained</i>	
Persons	1,073,010	Total	1,073,010
Males	714,185	Without level	21,235
Females	358,825	Below primary	245,719
<i>Literacy rate</i>		Primary	294,520
Persons	58.96	Middle	191,702
Males	74.29	Matric/Higher Secondary/Diploma	251,870
Females	41.80	Graduate and above	67,823

Workers

Total workers	653,811	Age groups	
Main workers	491,916	0 - 4 years	270,812
Marginal workers	161,895	5 - 14 years	642,713
Non-workers	1,589,333	15 - 59 years	1,159,967
		60 years and above (Incl. A.N.S.)	169,652

Scheduled Castes (Largest three)

1.Chamar etc.	124,708
2.Dusadh etc.	116,679
3.Musahar	41,877

Scheduled Tribes (Largest three)

1.Gond	6,556
2.Kharwar	878
3.Lohara etc.	275

Religions (Largest three)

1.Hindus	2,076,589
2.Muslims	163,193
3.Religion not stated	913

Amenities and infrastructural facilities

Total inhabited villages 999

Amenities available in villages	No. of villages
Drinking water facilities	999
Safe Drinking water	998
Electricity (Power Supply)	247
Electricity (domestic)	229
Electricity (Agriculture)	23
Primary school	885
Middle schools	243
Secondary/Sr Secondary schools	35
College	1
Medical facility	133
Primary Health Centre	29
Primary Health Sub-Centre	69
Post, telegraph and telephone facility	326
Bus services	243
Paved approach road	465
Mud approach road	729

Important Towns (Largest three)

	Population
1.Arrah (M)	203,380
2.Jagdishpur (M)	28,085
3.Piro (NA)	25,811

House Type

Type of house (% of households occupying)	
Permanent	57.4
Semi-permanent	36.2
Temporary	6.4