

Basic Data Sheet

District Sonitpur (11), Assam (18)

(Source: Census of India 2001)

Population:

Persons	1,681,513	Number of households	315,116
Males	871,568	Household size (per household)	5
Females	809,945		
Growth (1991 - 2001)	17.80	Sex ratio (females per 1000 males)	929
Rural	1,505,719	Sex ratio (0-6 years)	973
Urban	175,794		
Scheduled Caste population	87,900	Scheduled Tribe population	195,083
Percentage to total population	5.23	Percentage to total population	11.60

Literacy and Educational level

<i>Literates</i>		<i>Educational Level attained</i>	
Persons	830,579	Total	830,579
Males	494,965	Without level	18,082
Females	335,614	Below primary	255,139
<i>Literacy rate</i>		Primary	204,000
Persons	59.00	Middle	144,886
Males	67.54	Matric/Higher Secondary/Diploma	172,379
Females	49.73	Graduate and above	36,083

Workers

Total workers	634,723	Age groups	
Main workers	465,283	0 - 4 years	185,036
Marginal workers	169,440	5 - 14 years	433,724
Non-workers	1,046,790	15 - 59 years	967,533
		60 years and above (Incl. A.N.S.)	95,220

Scheduled Castes (Largest three)

1.Kaibartta etc.	42,049
2.Namasudra	19,249
3.Jhalo etc.	9,689

Scheduled Tribes (Largest three)

1.Boro etc.	140,293
2.Miri	44,092
3.Rabha	4,256

Religions (Largest three)

1.Hindus	1,287,646
2.Muslims	268,078
3.Christians	115,623

Amenities and infrastructural facilities

Total inhabited villages 1,784

Amenities available in villages	No. of villages
Drinking water facilities	1,784
Safe Drinking water	1,772
Electricity (Power Supply)	1,331
Electricity (domestic)	1,209
Electricity (Agriculture)	74
Primary school	1,372
Middle schools	405
Secondary/Sr Secondary schools	172
College	13
Medical facility	235
Primary Health Centre	40
Primary Health Sub-Centre	88
Post, telegraph and telephone facility	422
Bus services	539
Paved approach road	1,067
Mud approach road	1,692

Important Towns (Largest three)

	Population
1.Tezipur (MB)	80,575
2.Dhekiajuli (MB)	25,349
3.Rangapara (TC)	18,824

House Type

Type of house (% of households occupying)	
Permanent	23.4
Semi-permanent	23.9
Temporary	52.7