

Basic Data Sheet

District Bardhaman (09), West Bengal (19)

(Source: Census of India 2001)

Population:

Persons	6,895,514	Number of households	1,390,072
Males	3,588,376	Household size (per household)	5
Females	3,307,138		
Growth (1991 - 2001)	14.36	Sex ratio (females per 1000 males)	922
Rural	4,348,466	Sex ratio (0-6 years)	956
Urban	2,547,048		
Scheduled Caste population	1,860,754	Scheduled Tribe population	441,832
Percentage to total population	26.98	Percentage to total population	6.41

Literacy and Educational level

<i>Literates</i>		<i>Educational Level attained</i>	
Persons	4,205,146	Total	4,205,146
Males	2,458,485	Without level	105,666
Females	1,746,661	Below primary	1,329,183
<i>Literacy rate</i>		Primary	991,623
Persons	70.18	Middle	728,878
Males	78.63	Matric/Higher Secondary/Diploma	748,285
Females	60.95	Graduate and above	297,950

Workers

Total workers	2,451,241	Age groups	
Main workers	1,902,334	0 - 4 years	604,383
Marginal workers	548,907	5 - 14 years	1,563,346
Non-workers	4,444,273	15 - 59 years	4,267,123
		60 years and above (Incl. A.N.S.)	460,662

Scheduled Castes (Largest three)

1. Bagdi etc.	568,002
2. Bauri	323,048
3. Chamar etc.	239,230

Scheduled Tribes (Largest three)

1. Santal	349,276
2. Kora	37,073
3. Bhumij	12,191

Religions (Largest three)

1. Hindus	5,440,052
2. Muslims	1,364,133
3. Others	44,675

Amenities and infrastructural facilities

Total inhabited villages 2,438

Amenities available in villages	No. of villages
Drinking water facilities	2,437
Safe Drinking water	2,433
Electricity (Power Supply)	2,207
Electricity (domestic)	1,825
Electricity (Agriculture)	461
Primary school	2,157
Middle schools	504
Secondary/Sr Secondary schools	428
College	7
Medical facility	1,588
Primary Health Centre	115
Primary Health Sub-Centre	496
Post, telegraph and telephone facility	1,372
Bus services	1,134
Paved approach road	1,626
Mud approach road	2,199

Important Towns (Largest three)

	Population
1. Durgapur (M Corp.)	493,405
2. Asansol (M Corp.)	475,439
3. Kulti (M)	289,903

House Type

Type of house (% of households occupying)	
Permanent	42.6
Semi-permanent	24.4
Temporary	33