

Basic Data Sheet

District Dumka (11), Jharkhand (20)

(Source: Census of India 2001)

Population:

Persons	1,759,602	Number of households	331,318
Males	897,364	Household size (per household)	5
Females	862,238		
Growth (1991 - 2001)	17.31	Sex ratio (females per 1000 males)	961
Rural	1,644,690	Sex ratio (0-6 years)	976
Urban	114,912		
Scheduled Caste population	129,318	Scheduled Tribe population	701,903
Percentage to total population	7.35	Percentage to total population	39.89

Literacy and Educational level

<i>Literates</i>		<i>Educational Level attained</i>	
Persons	690,834	Total	690,834
Males	462,781	Without level	21,877
Females	228,053	Below primary	230,245
<i>Literacy rate</i>		Primary	209,924
Persons	47.94	Middle	105,943
Males	62.86	Matric/Higher Secondary/Diploma	99,816
Females	32.35	Graduate and above	22,993

Workers

Total workers	778,378	Age groups	
Main workers	470,354	0 - 4 years	208,261
Marginal workers	308,024	5 - 14 years	473,559
Non-workers	981,224	15 - 59 years	972,781
		60 years and above (Incl. A.N.S.)	105,001

Scheduled Castes (Largest three)

1.Chamar etc.	33,556
2.Baurri	30,905
3.Dom etc.	29,723

Scheduled Tribes (Largest three)

1.Santhal	629,338
2.Mal Pahariya	35,113
3.Mahli	17,079

Religions (Largest three)

1.Hindus	1,323,468
2.Muslims	203,741
3.Others	170,201

Amenities and infrastructural facilities

Total inhabited villages 3,737

Amenities available in villages	No. of villages
Drinking water facilities	3,737
Safe Drinking water	3,718
Electricity (Power Supply)	213
Electricity (domestic)	188
Electricity (Agriculture)	12
Primary school	1,732
Middle schools	320
Secondary/Sr Secondary schools	68
College	15
Medical facility	312
Primary Health Centre	53
Primary Health Sub-Centre	132
Post, telegraph and telephone facility	302
Bus services	282
Paved approach road	693
Mud approach road	3,403

Important Towns (Largest three)

	Population
1.Dumka (M)	44,989
2.Mihijam (NA)	33,236
3.Jamtara (NA)	22,558

House Type

Type of house (% of households occupying)	
Permanent	18.3
Semi-permanent	46.2
Temporary	35.5