

Basic Data Sheet

District Rajnandgaon (09), Chhattisgarh (22)

(Source: Census of India 2001)

Population:

Persons	1,283,224	Number of households	246,524
Males	634,342	Household size (per household)	5
Females	648,882		
Growth (1991 - 2001)	17.70	Sex ratio (females per 1000 males)	1,023
Rural	1,051,577	Sex ratio (0-6 years)	983
Urban	231,647		
Scheduled Caste population	127,424	Scheduled Tribe population	341,688
Percentage to total population	9.93	Percentage to total population	26.63

Literacy and Educational level

<i>Literates</i>		<i>Educational Level attained</i>	
Persons	823,076	Total	823,076
Males	457,505	Without level	95,384
Females	365,571	Below primary	265,489
<i>Literacy rate</i>		Primary	223,080
Persons	77.21	Middle	116,435
Males	87.17	Matric/Higher Secondary/Diploma	91,107
Females	67.55	Graduate and above	31,552

Workers

Total workers	649,401	Age groups	
Main workers	558,996	0 - 4 years	152,856
Marginal workers	90,405	5 - 14 years	312,094
Non-workers	633,823	15 - 59 years	719,023
		60 years and above (Incl. A.N.S.)	99,251

Scheduled Castes (Largest three)

1.Chamar etc.	67,259
2.Mahar etc.	48,922
3.Ganda etc.	5,665

Scheduled Tribes (Largest three)

1.Gond etc.	217,353
2.Halba etc.	59,090
3.Kawar etc.	57,971

Religions (Largest three)

1.Hindus	1,215,492
2.Buddhists	28,020
3.Muslims	21,035

Amenities and infrastructural facilities

Total inhabited villages 1,605

Amenities available in villages	No. of villages
Drinking water facilities	1,595
Safe Drinking water	1,595
Electricity (Power Supply)	1,550
Electricity (domestic)	1,056
Electricity (Agriculture)	292
Primary school	1,484
Middle schools	351
Secondary/Sr Secondary schools	139
College	8
Medical facility	343
Primary Health Centre	23
Primary Health Sub-Centre	50
Post, telegraph and telephone facility	314
Bus services	403
Paved approach road	630
Mud approach road	1,051

Important Towns (Largest three)

	Population
1.Rajnandgaon (M Corp.)	143,770
2.Dongargarh (M)	34,441
3.Khairagarh (NP)	15,157

House Type

Type of house (% of households occupying)	
Permanent	19.8
Semi-permanent	79
Temporary	1.2