

Basic Data Sheet

District Dhamtari * (13), Chhattisgarh (22)

(Source: Census of India 2001)

Population:

Persons	706,591	Number of households	130,407
Males	352,524	Household size (per household)	5
Females	354,067		
Growth (1991 - 2001)	19.72	Sex ratio (females per 1000 males)	1,004
Rural	613,007	Sex ratio (0-6 years)	976
Urban	93,584		
Scheduled Caste population	49,394	Scheduled Tribe population	185,515
Percentage to total population	6.99	Percentage to total population	26.25

Literacy and Educational level

<i>Literates</i>		<i>Educational Level attained</i>	
Persons	441,921	Total	441,921
Males	253,963	Without level	25,227
Females	187,958	Below primary	155,851
<i>Literacy rate</i>		Primary	130,136
Persons	74.89	Middle	63,651
Males	86.51	Matric/Higher Secondary/Diploma	51,119
Females	63.39	Graduate and above	15,880

Workers

Total workers	354,230	Age groups	
Main workers	268,236	0 - 4 years	81,267
Marginal workers	85,994	5 - 14 years	170,647
Non-workers	352,361	15 - 59 years	400,921
		60 years and above (Incl. A.N.S.)	53,756

Scheduled Castes (Largest three)

1.Chamar etc.	37,762
2.Mahar etc.	6,269
3.Ganda etc.	3,497

Scheduled Tribes (Largest three)

1.Gond etc.	152,786
2.Halba etc.	14,239
3.Kawar etc.	12,263

Religions (Largest three)

1.Hindus	689,554
2.Muslims	8,933
3.Jains	3,423

Amenities and infrastructural facilities

Total inhabited villages 629

Amenities available in villages	No. of villages
Drinking water facilities	628
Safe Drinking water	627
Electricity (Power Supply)	557
Electricity (domestic)	298
Electricity (Agriculture)	116
Primary school	575
Middle schools	144
Secondary/Sr Secondary schools	72
College	2
Medical facility	261
Primary Health Centre	15
Primary Health Sub-Centre	61
Post, telegraph and telephone facility	192
Bus services	70
Paved approach road	194
Mud approach road	422

Important Towns (Largest three)

	Population
1.Dhamtari (M)	82,111
2.Kurud (NP)	11,473

House Type

Type of house (% of households occupying)	
Permanent	32.1
Semi-permanent	66.1
Temporary	1.7