

Basic Data Sheet

District Prakasam (18), Andhra Pradesh (28)

(Source: Census of India 2001)

Population:

Persons	3,059,423	Number of households	702,559
Males	1,552,332	Household size (per household)	4
Females	1,507,091		
Growth (1991 - 2001)	10.72	Sex ratio (females per 1000 males)	971
Rural	2,592,055	Sex ratio (0-6 years)	954
Urban	467,368		
Scheduled Caste population	651,498	Scheduled Tribe population	118,241
Percentage to total population	21.29	Percentage to total population	3.86

Literacy and Educational level

<i>Literates</i>		<i>Educational Level attained</i>	
Persons	1,532,126	Total	1,532,126
Males	938,482	Without level	49,645
Females	593,644	Below primary	391,396
<i>Literacy rate</i>		Primary	512,915
Persons	57.38	Middle	143,921
Males	69.35	Matric/Higher Secondary/Diploma	341,687
Females	45.08	Graduate and above	92,527

Workers

Total workers	1,537,544	Age groups	
Main workers	1,306,772	0 - 4 years	259,093
Marginal workers	230,772	5 - 14 years	689,994
Non-workers	1,521,879	15 - 59 years	1,833,665
		60 years and above (Incl. A.N.S.)	276,671

Scheduled Castes (Largest three)

1.Madiga	343,177
2.Mala	298,782
3.Adi Andhra	4,632

Scheduled Tribes (Largest three)

1.Yenadis	61,011
2.Yerukulas	29,042
3.Sugalis etc.	16,290

Religions (Largest three)

1.Hindus	2,825,681
2.Muslims	195,637
3.Christians	32,674

Amenities and infrastructural facilities

Total inhabited villages 992

Amenities available in villages	No. of villages
Drinking water facilities	992
Safe Drinking water	991
Electricity (Power Supply)	992
Electricity (domestic)	-
Electricity (Agriculture)	-
Primary school	941
Middle schools	417
Secondary/Sr Secondary schools	318
College	29
Medical facility	540
Primary Health Centre	74
Primary Health Sub-Centre	410
Post, telegraph and telephone facility	759
Bus services	879
Paved approach road	909
Mud approach road	76

Important Towns (Largest three)

	Population
1.Ongole (M)	150,471
2.Chirala (M)	84,970
3.Markapur (M)	58,462

House Type

Type of house (% of households occupying)	
Permanent	59.8
Semi-permanent	16.4
Temporary	23.8