

Housing Profile

Meghalaya (17)

(Source: Census of India 2001)

Subjects covered:

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A - B: CENSUS HOUSES AND THE USES TO WHICH THEY ARE PUT

	Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
A Number of census houses	520,602	100.0	401,392	77.1	119,210	22.9
A.1 Vacant census houses	18,568	3.6	12,327	3.1	6,241	5.2
A.2 Occupied census houses	502,034	96.4	389,065	96.9	112,969	94.8
B Uses of occupied census houses:						
B.1 Residence	406,357	80.9	319,718	82.2	86,639	76.7
B.2 Residence-cum-other use	6,900	1.4	4,955	1.3	1,945	1.7
B.3 Shop, Office	29,107	5.8	14,020	3.6	15,087	13.4
B.4 School, College, etc.	7,381	1.5	6,569	1.7	812	0.7
B.5 Hotel, Lodge, Guest House, etc.	1,429	0.3	878	0.2	551	0.5
B.6 Hospital, Dispensary, etc.	1,062	0.2	800	0.2	262	0.2
B.7 Factory, Workshop, Workshed, etc.	3,602	0.7	2,272	0.6	1,330	1.2
B.8 Place of worship	5,771	1.1	5,289	1.4	482	0.4
B.9 Other non-residential use	40,425	8.1	34,564	8.9	5,861	5.2

Source: Table H-1 India : Census of India 2001

C: CONDITION OF CENSUS HOUSES USED AS RESIDENCE AND RESIDENCE-CUM-OTHER USE

	Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
C <u>Condition of census houses:</u>						
C.1 <u>Total:</u>	412,984	100.0	324,544	100.0	88,440	100.0
C.1.1 Good	170,536	41.3	116,798	36.0	53,738	60.8
C.1.2 Livable	219,215	53.1	188,513	58.1	30,702	34.7
C.1.3 Dilapidated	23,233	5.6	19,233	5.9	4,000	4.5

Source: Table H-2 India : Census of India 2001

D: DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSEHOLDS BY CONDITION OF CENSUS HOUSES OCCUPIED BY THEM

	Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
D <u>Condition of census houses:</u>						
D.1 <u>Total:</u>	420,246	100.0	329,678	100.0	90,568	100.0
D.1.1 Good	173,816	41.4	118,680	36.0	55,136	60.9
D.1.2 Livable	222,884	53.0	191,534	58.1	31,350	34.6
D.1.3 Dilapidated	23,546	5.6	19,464	5.9	4,082	4.5

Source: Table H-2 (Appendix) India : Census of India 2001

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E: DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSEHOLDS LIVING IN CENSUS HOUSES BY PREDOMINANT MATERIAL OF ROOF

	Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
E <u>Material of roof:</u>						
E.1 Total:	420,246	100.0	329,678	100.0	90,568	100.0
E.2 Grass, Thatch, Bamboo, Wood, Mud, etc.	164,479	39.1	156,664	47.5	7,815	8.6
E.3 Plastic, Polythene	2,131	0.5	1,619	0.5	512	0.6
E.4 Tiles	1,455	0.3	1,175	0.4	280	0.3
E.5 Slate	814	0.2	370	0.1	444	0.5
E.6 G.I., Metal, Asbestos sheets	219,433	52.2	157,456	47.8	61,977	68.4
E.7 Brick	835	0.2	485	0.1	350	0.4
E.8 Stone	613	0.1	438	0.1	175	0.2
E.9 Concrete	24,818	5.9	7,912	2.4	16,906	18.7
E.10 Any other material	5,668	1.3	3,559	1.1	2,109	2.3

Source: Table H-3A (Appendix) India : Census of India 2001

F: DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSEHOLDS LIVING IN CENSUS HOUSES BY PREDOMINANT MATERIAL OF WALL

	Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
F <u>Material of wall:</u>						
F.1 Total:	420,246	100.0	329,678	100.0	90,568	100.0
F.2 Grass, Thatch, Bamboo, Wood, etc.	197,272	46.9	183,671	55.7	13,601	15.0
F.3 Plastic, Polythene	7,870	1.9	6,704	2.0	1,166	1.3
F.4 Mud, Unburnt Brick	28,466	6.8	22,553	6.8	5,913	6.5
F.5 Wood	90,643	21.6	67,409	20.4	23,234	25.7
F.6 G.I., Metal, Asbestos sheets	16,403	3.9	12,579	3.8	3,824	4.2
F.7 Burnt Brick	23,709	5.6	12,780	3.9	10,929	12.1
F.8 Stone	8,104	1.9	5,881	1.8	2,223	2.5
F.9 Concrete	41,451	9.9	15,688	4.8	25,763	28.4
F.10 Any other material	6,328	1.5	2,413	0.7	3,915	4.3

Source: Table H-3B (Appendix) India : Census of India 2001

G: DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSEHOLDS LIVING IN CENSUS HOUSES BY PREDOMINANT MATERIAL OF FLOOR

	Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
G <u>Material of floor:</u>						
G.1 Total:	420,246	100.0	329,678	100.0	90,568	100.0
G.2 Mud	154,754	36.8	141,701	43.0	13,053	14.4
G.3 Wood, Bamboo	185,292	44.1	150,665	45.7	34,627	38.2
G.4 Brick	1,317	0.3	1,028	0.3	289	0.3
G.5 Stone	1,383	0.3	790	0.2	593	0.7
G.6 Cement	75,679	18.0	34,587	10.5	41,092	45.4
G.7 Mosaic, Floor Tiles	894	0.2	236	0.1	658	0.7
G.8 Any other material	927	0.2	671	0.2	256	0.3

Source: Table H-3C (Appendix) India : Census of India 2001

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H: DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE OF CENSUS HOUSES OCCUPIED

	Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
Total number of households	420,246	100.0	329,678	100.0	90,568	100.0
H Permanent	93,389	22.2	47,995	14.6	45,394	50.1
H.1 Semi permanent	157,122	37.4	121,130	36.7	35,992	39.7
H.2 Temporary:						
H.2.1 Total	169,150	40.3	160,398	48.7	8,752	9.7
H.2.2 Serviceable	16,881	4.0	14,429	4.4	2,452	2.7
H.2.3 Non-serviceable	152,269	36.2	145,969	44.3	6,300	7.0
H.3 Unclassifiable	585	0.1	155	0.0	430	0.5

Source: Table H-4 (Appendix) India : Census of India 2001

I: DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSEHOLDS BY SIZE

Size of households	Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
I.1 Total number of households	420,246	100.0	329,678	100.0	90,568	100.0
I.2 One member	18,549	4.4	12,793	3.9	5,756	6.4
I.3 Two members	31,693	7.5	23,600	7.2	8,093	8.9
I.4 Three members	48,691	11.6	37,587	11.4	11,104	12.3
I.5 Four members	61,952	14.7	47,588	14.4	14,364	15.9
I.6 Five members	63,780	15.2	50,044	15.2	13,736	15.2
I.7 Six to eight members	137,558	32.7	111,418	33.8	26,140	28.9
I.8 Nine members and above	58,023	13.8	46,648	14.1	11,375	12.6

Source: Table H-5 India : Census of India 2001

J: DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSEHOLDS BY TENURE STATUS

Tenure status	Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
J.1 Total	420,246	100.0	329,678	100.0	90,568	100.0
J.2 Owned	338,272	80.5	302,231	91.7	36,041	39.8
J.3 Rented	69,085	16.4	20,421	6.2	48,664	53.7
J.4 Any Other	12,889	3.1	7,026	2.1	5,863	6.5

Source: Table H-5 India : Census of India 2001

K: DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSEHOLDS BY NUMBER OF DWELLING ROOMS

Number of dwelling rooms	Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
K.1 Total number of households	420,246	100.0	329,678	100.0	90,568	100.0
K.2 No exclusive rooms	18,801	4.5	16,582	5.0	2,219	2.5
K.3 One room	103,347	24.6	82,694	25.1	20,653	22.8
K.4 Two rooms	135,932	32.3	109,889	33.3	26,043	28.8
K.5 Three rooms	83,916	20.0	65,335	19.8	18,581	20.5
K.6 Four rooms	38,413	9.1	28,336	8.6	10,077	11.1
K.7 Five rooms	18,865	4.5	13,391	4.1	5,474	6.0
K.8 Six rooms and above	20,972	5.0	13,451	4.1	7,521	8.3
K.9 Median number of rooms	2		2		2	

Source: Table H-5 India : Census of India 2001

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L: DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSEHOLDS BY NUMBER OF MARRIED COUPLES PER HOUSEHOLD, TOTAL NUMBER OF MARRIED COUPLES AND NUMBER OF MARRIED COUPLES HAVING INDEPENDENT SLEEPING ROOM

Number of married couples in a household		Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
L.1	Total number of households	420,246		329,678		90,568	
L.2	Total number of married couples	356,529		286,198		70,331	
L.3	Total number of married couples having independent sleeping room	201,286	56.5	156,048	54.5	45,238	64.3

Source: Table H-7 India : Census of India 2001

M - N: DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSEHOLDS BY SOURCE OF DRINKING WATER AND ITS LOCATION

Location and Source of drinking water		Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
Location:							
M.1	Total number of households	420,246	100.0	329,678	100.0	90,568	100.0
M.2	Location: Within premises	84,638	20.1	40,029	12.1	44,609	49.3
M.3	Location: Near premises	213,627	50.8	183,170	55.6	30,457	33.6
M.4	Location: Away	121,981	29.0	106,479	32.3	15,502	17.1
Source of drinking water:							
N.1	Total	420,246	100.0	329,678	100.0	90,568	100.0
N.2	Tap	145,096	34.5	80,539	24.4	64,557	71.3
N.3	Handpump	8,217	2.0	7,343	2.2	874	1.0
N.4	Tubewell	10,411	2.5	9,255	2.8	1,156	1.3
N.5	Well	115,095	27.4	104,456	31.7	10,639	11.7
N.6	Tank, Pond, Lake	23,204	5.5	21,416	6.5	1,788	2.0
N.7	River, Canal	17,694	4.2	17,069	5.2	625	0.7
N.8	Spring	92,241	21.9	82,784	25.1	9,457	10.4
N.9	Any other	8,288	2.0	6,816	2.1	1,472	1.6

Source: Table H-8 : Census of India 2001

P: DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSEHOLDS BY SOURCE OF LIGHTING

Source of lighting		Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
P.1	Total	420,246	100.0	329,678	100.0	90,568	100.0
P.2	Electricity	179,597	42.7	99,762	30.3	79,835	88.1
P.3	Kerosene	234,716	55.9	224,878	68.2	9,838	10.9
P.4	Solar energy	1,114	0.3	968	0.3	146	0.2
P.5	Other oil	991	0.2	794	0.2	197	0.2
P.6	Any other	914	0.2	777	0.2	137	0.2

Source: Table H-9 : Census of India 2001

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Q - S: DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSEHOLDS BY AVAILABILITY BATHROOM, TYPE OF LATRINE WITHIN THE HOUSE AND TYPE OF DRAINAGE CONNECTIVITY FOR WASTE WATER OUTLET

	Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
Total number of households	420,246		329,678		90,568	
Q Number of households having bathroom facility within the house	141,445	33.7	78,216	23.7	63,229	69.8
R Type of Latrine within the house:						
R.1 Pit latrine	128,375	30.5	98,370	29.8	30,005	33.1
R.2 Water closet	51,774	12.3	12,339	3.7	39,435	43.5
R.3 Other latrine	34,995	8.3	21,490	6.5	13,505	14.9
R.4 No latrine	205,102	48.8	197,479	59.9	7,623	8.4
S Type of Drainage Connectivity for Waste Water Outlet:						
S.1 Closed drainage	21,580	5.1	7,983	2.4	13,597	15.0
S.2 Open drainage	134,569	32.0	78,740	23.9	55,829	61.6
S.3 No drainage	264,097	62.8	242,955	73.7	21,142	23.3

Source: Table H-10 : Census of India 2001

T - U: DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSEHOLDS BY AVAILABILITY SEPARATE KITCHEN AND TYPE OF FUEL USED FOR COOKING

	Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
T Availability of separate kitchen within the house:						
T.1 Total	420,246	100.0	329,678	100.0	90,568	100.0
T.2 Available	340,769	81.1	257,987	78.3	82,782	91.4
T.3 Not available	69,248	16.5	62,492	19.0	6,756	7.5
T.4 Cooking in open	8,544	2.0	7,876	2.4	668	0.7
T.5 No cooking	1,685	0.4	1,323	0.4	362	0.4
U Type of fuel used for cooking:						
U.1 Total	420,246	100.0	329,678	100.0	90,568	100.0
U.2 Fire-wood	338,600	80.6	310,373	94.1	28,227	31.2
U.3 Crop residue	5,482	1.3	4,623	1.4	859	0.9
U.4 Cowdung cake	254	0.1	148	0.0	106	0.1
U.5 Coal, lignite, charcoal	11,309	2.7	2,067	0.6	9,242	10.2
U.6 Kerosene	23,114	5.5	4,194	1.3	18,920	20.9
U.7 LPG	32,520	7.7	3,551	1.1	28,969	32.0
U.8 Electricity	6,211	1.5	2,754	0.8	3,457	3.8
U.9 Biogas	570	0.1	392	0.1	178	0.2
U.10 Any other	501	0.1	253	0.1	248	0.3
U.11 No cooking	1,685	0.4	1,323	0.4	362	0.4

Source: Table H-11 India: Census of India 2001

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V: DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSEHOLDS BY AVAILABILITY OF ELECTRICITY AND LATRINE

	Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
V.1 Total number of households	420,246	100.0	329,678	100.0	90,568	100.0
V.2 Electricity and toilet both available	130,405	31.0	55,343	16.8	75,062	82.9
V.3 Electricity available but toilet not available	49,192	11.7	44,419	13.5	4,773	5.3
V.4 Electricity not available but toilet available	84,739	20.2	76,856	23.3	7,883	8.7
V.5 Electricity and toilet both not available	155,910	37.1	153,060	46.4	2,850	3.1

Source: Table H-12A(E) India: Census of India 2001

W - X: NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS AVAILING BANKING SERVICES AND NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS HAVING EACH OF THE SPECIFIED ASSET

	Total	%	Rural	%	Urban	%
Total number of households	420,246		329,678		90,568	
W Total number of households availing banking services	87,497	20.8	41,882	12.7	45,615	50.4
X Availability of assets:						
X.1 Radio, Transistor	134,323	32.0	95,421	28.9	38,902	43.0
X.2 Television	87,785	20.9	34,760	10.5	53,025	58.5
X.3 Telephone	25,100	6.0	5,176	1.6	19,924	22.0
X.4 Bicycle	46,060	11.0	39,009	11.8	7,051	7.8
X.5 Scooter, Motor cycle, Moped	12,150	2.9	5,024	1.5	7,126	7.9
X.6 Car, Jeep, Van	11,308	2.7	4,250	1.3	7,058	7.8
X.7 None of the specified assets	231,746	55.1	205,362	62.3	26,384	29.1

Source: Table H-13 India: Census of India 2001

Data Availability:

✚ The above dataset is available for each state and union territory by:

District (*All tables*)

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