

Basic Data Sheet

District Barmer (17), Rajasthan (08)

(Source: Census of India 2001)

Population:

Persons	1,964,835	Number of households	309,739
Males	1,038,247	Household size (per household)	6
Females	926,588		
Growth (1991 - 2001)	36.83	Sex ratio (females per 1000 males)	892
Rural	1,819,431	Sex ratio (0-6 years)	918
Urban	145,404		
Scheduled Caste population	308,996	Scheduled Tribe population	118,688
Percentage to total population	15.73	Percentage to total population	6.04

Literacy and Educational level

<i>Literates</i>		<i>Educational Level attained</i>	
Persons	902,027	Total	902,027
Males	590,123	Without level	164,788
Females	311,904	Below primary	370,095
<i>Literacy rate</i>		Primary	186,398
Persons	58.99	Middle	91,014
Males	72.76	Matric/Higher Secondary/Diploma	70,014
Females	43.45	Graduate and above	19,718

Workers

Total workers	919,729	Age groups	
Main workers	680,208	0 - 4 years	302,215
Marginal workers	239,521	5 - 14 years	545,120
Non-workers	1,045,106	15 - 59 years	978,039
		60 years and above (Incl. A.N.S.)	139,461

Scheduled Castes (Largest three)

1.Megh etc.	242,396
2.Chamar etc.	14,037
3.Koli etc.	11,066

Scheduled Tribes (Largest three)

1.Bhil etc.	117,499
2.Mina	987
3.Garasia (excluding Rajput Garasia)	114

Religions (Largest three)

1.Hindus	1,695,047
2.Muslims	231,918
3.Jains	35,744

Amenities and infrastructural facilities

Total inhabited villages 1,933

Amenities available in villages	No. of villages
Drinking water facilities	1,933
Safe Drinking water	1,828
Electricity (Power Supply)	948
Electricity (domestic)	634
Electricity (Agriculture)	236
Primary school	1,777
Middle schools	521
Secondary/Sr Secondary schools	133
College	-
Medical facility	433
Primary Health Centre	70
Primary Health Sub-Centre	296
Post, telegraph and telephone facility	955
Bus services	1,036
Paved approach road	851
Mud approach road	1,172

Important Towns (Largest three)

	Population
1.Barmer (M)	83,591
2.Balotra (M)	61,813

House Type

Type of house (% of households occupying)	
Permanent	28.3
Semi-permanent	14
Temporary	57.8