

Basic Data Sheet

District Kachchh (01), Gujarat (24)

(Source: Census of India 2001)

Population:

Persons	1,583,225	Number of households	320,588
Males	815,152	Household size (per household)	5
Females	768,073		
Growth (1991 - 2001)	20.90	Sex ratio (females per 1000 males)	942
Rural	1,108,333	Sex ratio (0-6 years)	921
Urban	474,892		
Scheduled Caste population	185,932	Scheduled Tribe population	130,138
Percentage to total population	11.74	Percentage to total population	8.22

Literacy and Educational level

<i>Literates</i>		<i>Educational Level attained</i>	
Persons	794,483	Total	794,483
Males	480,555	Without level	12,438
Females	313,928	Below primary	253,685
<i>Literacy rate</i>		Primary	250,155
Persons	59.79	Middle	104,847
Males	70.39	Matric/Higher Secondary/Diploma	140,506
Females	48.59	Graduate and above	32,699

Workers

Total workers	605,599	Age groups	
Main workers	498,186	0 - 4 years	176,916
Marginal workers	107,413	5 - 14 years	381,035
Non-workers	977,626	15 - 59 years	911,521
		60 years and above (Incl. A.N.S.)	113,753

Scheduled Castes (Largest three)

1.Meghval etc.	129,621
2.Mahyavansi etc.	24,064
3.Bhambi etc.	10,315

Scheduled Tribes (Largest three)

1.Koli	95,655
2.Vaghri	16,974
3.Bhil etc.	7,937

Religions (Largest three)

1.Hindus	1,223,254
2.Muslims	329,254
3.Jains	23,894

Amenities and infrastructural facilities

Total inhabited villages 886

Amenities available in villages	No. of villages
Drinking water facilities	886
Safe Drinking water	882
Electricity (Power Supply)	863
Electricity (domestic)	61
Electricity (Agriculture)	21
Primary school	835
Middle schools	-
Secondary/Sr Secondary schools	105
College	-
Medical facility	672
Primary Health Centre	45
Primary Health Sub-Centre	170
Post, telegraph and telephone facility	616
Bus services	841
Paved approach road	688
Mud approach road	336

Important Towns (Largest three)

	Population
1.Gandhidham (M)	151,693
2.Bhuj (M)	98,528
3.Anjar (M)	68,343

House Type

Type of house (% of households occupying)	
Permanent	83.4
Semi-permanent	9
Temporary	7.5