

Goa

DATA HIGHLIGHTS: THE SCHEDULED CASTES Census of India 2001

After remaining under the Portuguese colonial rule for 451 years, Goa was integrated into the Indian Union on 19th December, 1961. Situated between the States of Karnataka and Maharashtra, Goa became 25th State of India on 30th May, 1987. The State is well known for its scenic beauty, long stretches of golden beaches and the green country side situated on the one side of the Arabian Sea.

2. According to 2001 census, the Scheduled Caste (SC) population of Goa state is 23,791. The proportion of ST population to total population of the State is 1.8 per cent only. There has been a declined growth of SC population (-2.4 per cent) which has registered overall decrease of 573 persons during 1991-2001. The State has a total of five (5) Scheduled Castes and all of them have been enumerated at 2001 census.

3. More than half (54.9 per cent) of the Scheduled Caste (SC) population of the state resides in urban areas unlike in majority of the States and UTs.

4. District wise distribution of SC population shows that North Goa has higher proportion of SCs (2.3) than South Goa (1.1 per cent).

Population - Size & Distribution

5. Out of five SCs, Mahar is the most populous caste having a population of 13,570, constituting 57 per cent of the total Scheduled Castes population. Chambhar is the second largest caste having a number of 7,393. Both Mahar and Chambhar together constitute 88.1 per cent of the total SC population. Mang, Bhangi and Mahyavanshi are smaller castes having a population of 580, 431 & 62 respectively. These three castes along with the generic castes together constitute the residual 11.9 per cent of the total SC population.

6. At the district level, Mahar and Chambhar have their highest population in North Goa district.

Sex Ratio

7. The overall sex ratio of the SC population in Goa is 975 females per 1000 males which is higher than the national average of 936 for the total SC population.

8. Individually, Mahar and Chambhar both have recorded the overall sex ratio higher than that of the national average. Among Bhangi, female outnumber males in their total population.

9. The sex ratio among SCs, in the age group 0-6 years (965) is higher than that of all SCs at the national level. At the individual level, Mahar have the preponderance of

girl children (1020). Chambhar and Bhangi have registered child sex ratio above 900 but below the state and national average. An inordinately low overall sex ratio as well as child sex ratio recorded by Mahyavanshi is due to their small number.

Statement-1: Sex Ratio

Age group	All SCs (India)	All SCs (State)	Bhangi	Mahar	Chambhar	Mang	Mahyavanshi
All ages	936	975	1014	998	953	908	550
0-6 yrs.	938	965	906	1020	911	796	200

Literacy & Educational Level

10. The overall literacy rate of the SCs is 71.9 per cent at 2001 census, showing an improvement from 58.7 per cent recorded at 1991 census. This is higher than the national average of 54.7 per cent aggregated for all SCs. Male literacy has increased from 69.6 per cent to 81.6 per cent while female literacy has gone up from 47.5 per cent to 62.1 per cent in 1991- 2001.

11. Among the individual SCs, Chambhar have the highest literacy rate, followed by Mang, Mahar, Bhangi and Mahyavanshi. While Chambhar have registered female literacy rate slightly more than 75 per cent, other four SCs have recorded 51-57 per cent female literacy.

Statement - 2 : Literacy Rate

Literacy rate	All Scheduled Castes	Chambhar	Mang	Mahar	Bhangi	Mahyavanshi
Persons	71.9	83.0	69.3	67.8	61.9	58.9
Females	62.1	76.1	57.4	56.4	50.5	57.1

12. Among the SC literates, 28.9 per cent are either without any educational level or have attained education below primary level. The proportion of literates who have attained education up to primary and middle levels are 26.8 per cent & 17.9 per cent respectively. As many as 21.9 per cent literates are educated up to matric/secondary/higher secondary/intermediate etc. This implies that every 5th tribal literate is a matriculate. Graduates & above constitute 3.6 per cent while non-technical & technical diploma holders are one per cent only.

13. At the level of individual caste, Chambhars have the highest proportion of matriculates and graduates. Mahar have the lowest proportion of secondary level literates (Statement-3).

Statement – 3 : Educational levels among the Scheduled Castes

Names of SCs	Literate without educational level	Below primary	Educational levels attained				
			Primary	Middle	Matric/Secondary/Higher Secondary/Intermediate etc.	Technical & Non-technical diploma etc.	Graduate and above
All Scheduled Castes	1.7	27.2	26.8	17.9	21.9	0.9	3.6
Mahyavanshi	0.0	24.2	33.3	15.2	27.3	0.0	0.0
Bhangi	2.2	33.6	30.6	9.6	18.3	2.6	3.1
Mang	2.3	27.0	29.9	15.0	20.8	1.2	3.8
Mahar	1.8	32.0	29.6	18.3	16.0	0.5	1.8
Chambhar	1.3	19.8	21.4	18.1	31.5	1.4	6.5

14. The data on the levels of education attained by all SCs show that the drop-out rate is high after primary level as the percentage of literates up to secondary level (12 per cent) is less than half of the primary level literates. It declines sharply from secondary level onwards as the proportion of graduates is as less as one third of the matriculates.

15. The school going SC children in the age group 5 -14 years constitute above 80 per cent. Out of 4, 832 children in the corresponding age group, 870 children have not been attending school. Among the SCs, Chambhar, Mang and Mahar have more than 80 per cent school going children followed by Bhangi.

Statement-4 : Percentage of School going children in the age group 5 -14 yrs.

All Scheduled Castes	Mahyavanshi	Chambhar	Mang	Mahar	Bhangi
82.0	91.7	85.8	83.8	82.0	73.4

Work Participation Rate (WPR)

16. The Work Participation Rate (WPR) of the SC population is 41.1 per cent at 2001 census, showing an increase from 38.1 per cent recorded at 1991 census. This is marginally higher than that of the national average (40.4 per cent). Both the male as well as female WPR has increased from 49.6 per cent to 53.1 per cent and from 26.1 per cent to 28.9 per cent respectively during 1991-2001. Among the total workers, 76.5 per cent are main workers and this proportion is higher than that of all SCs at the national level (73 per cent).

17. At the level of individual caste, only Mahar and Mahyavanshi have shown WPR higher than the national average. Mahar have also registered the highest proportion of female workers. Other four SCs have recorded the proportion of female workers below the national average.

Category of Workers

18. 'Other Workers' constitute the highest proportion (74 per cent) among the total SC workers, which is more than twice the national average of 30.5 per cent in respect of all SCs in this category. Household Industry (HHI) workers account for 15.5 per cent which is significantly higher than the corresponding figure of all SCs at the country level (3.9 per cent). 'Cultivators' and 'Agricultural Labourers' together form 10.5 per cent only.

19. Among the individual castes, Bhangi have all workers belong to 'Other Workers' category whereas Mahar have the lowest proportion of 'Other Workers' but highest proportion of 'HHI' workers.

Statement- 5 : Percentage Distribution of Workers in four Economic Categories

Economic Category	All Scheduled Castes	Bhangi	Mang	Mahyavanshi	Chambhar	Mahar
Cultivators	1.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	2.2
Agricultural Labourers	8.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	11.5
HHI Workers	15.5	0.0	1.5	2.7	2.7	23.6
Other Workers	74.0	100.0	98.5	97.3	93.2	62.7

Marital Status

20. The data on marital status show that little more than half (51.3 per cent) of SC population of Goa is 'never married'. The 'married' persons constitute 42.6 per cent; 5.9 per cent persons are 'Widowed' and a negligible proportion (0.3 per cent) is of 'divorced and separated' persons.

21. Marriage of girls and boys below the legal age for each are rare among the SCs of Goa. According to the 2001 census data, the proportions of married girls below 18 years (1.7 per cent) and married boys below 21 years (1.5 per cent) are significantly lower than those recorded at national level (2.8 per cent and 3.1 per cent respectively).

22. The mean number of children ever born per ever married SC woman (45-49 years) is 4 which is same as that of all SCs at national level.

Religion

23.Hinduism is the predominant religion of the SCs of Goa. The SCs professing Hinduism account for 99 per cent of the total SC population. Remaining one per cent SCs follow Buddhism.

क-10 अनुसूचित जाति विशेष से सम्बन्धित राज्य प्राथमिक जनगणना सार-2001
A- 10 STATE PRIMARY CENSUS ABSTRACT FOR INDIVIDUAL SCHEDULED CASTE - 2001

मद Item	लिंग Sex	सभी अनुसूचित जातियां All Scheduled Castes			भंगी (हाडी) Bhangi (Hadi)		
		योग/Total	ग्रामीण/Rural	नगरीय/Urban	योग/Total	ग्रामीण/Rural	नगरीय/Urban
		1	2	3	4	5	6
		गोवा			GOA		
1. अनुसूचित जातियों की जनसंख्या (संस्थागत और बेघर जनसंख्या सहित)	व्य०/P पु०/M	23,791 12,047	10,720 5,376	13,071 6,671	431 214	13 7	418 207
Scheduled Castes population (including institutional and houseless population)	स्त्रि०/F	11,744	5,344	6,400	217	6	211
2. 0-6 आयु समूह की अनुसूचित जातियों की जनसंख्या/ Scheduled Castes population in the age group 0-6	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	2,863 1,457 1,406	1,195 629 566	1,668 828 840	61 32 29	3 1 2	58 31 27
3. साक्षर Literates	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	15,052 8,637 6,415	6,741 3,858 2,883	8,311 4,779 3,532	229 134 95	4 3 1	225 131 94
4. कुल कर्मी Total workers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	9,785 6,396 3,389	5,031 3,036 1,995	4,754 3,360 1,394	136 98 38	7 6 1	129 92 37
5. दीर्घकालिक कर्मी Main workers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	7,488 5,298 2,190	3,499 2,360 1,139	3,989 2,938 1,051	107 74 33	7 6 1	100 68 32
(i) काश्तकार Cultivators	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	97 64 33	86 57 29	11 7 4	- - -	- - -	- - -
(ii) खेतिहर मजदूर Agricultural labourers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	312 225 87	276 200 76	36 25 11	- - -	- - -	- - -
(iii) पारिवारिक उद्योग कर्मी Household industry workers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	869 340 529	677 250 427	192 90 102	- - -	- - -	- - -
(iv) अन्य कर्मी Other workers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	6,210 4,669 1,541	2,460 1,853 607	3,750 2,816 934	107 74 33	7 6 1	100 68 32
6. अल्पकालिक कर्मी Marginal workers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	2,297 1,098 1,199	1,532 676 856	765 422 343	29 24 5	- - -	29 24 5
(i) काश्तकार Cultivators	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	75 30 45	73 29 44	2 1 1	- - -	- - -	- - -
(ii) खेतिहर मजदूर Agricultural labourers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	544 229 315	496 210 286	48 19 29	- - -	- - -	- - -
(iii) पारिवारिक उद्योग कर्मी Household industry workers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	647 173 474	505 133 372	142 40 102	- - -	- - -	- - -
(iv) अन्य कर्मी Other workers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	1,031 666 365	458 304 154	573 362 211	29 24 5	- - -	29 24 5
7. गैर कर्मी Non-workers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	14,006 5,651 8,355	5,689 2,340 3,349	8,317 3,311 5,006	295 116 179	6 1 5	289 115 174

टिप्पणी/Note: 'सभी अनुसूचित जातियां' में 'अवर्गीकृत' के आंकड़े भी सम्मिलित हैं।/ 'All Scheduled Castes' includes figures for 'Unclassified'.

अनुसूचित जातियां जिनकी संख्या 'शून्य' है, नहीं दर्शायी गई हैं।/ Scheduled Castes having 'NIL' return are not shown.

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मद Item	लिंग Sex	चम्भार Chambhar			महार Mahar		
		योग/Total	ग्रामीण/Rural	नगरीय/Urban	योग/Total	ग्रामीण/Rural	नगरीय/Urban
		1	2	3	4	5	6
		गोवा			GOA		
1. अनुसूचित जातियों की जनसंख्या (संस्थागत और बेघर जनसंख्या सहित) Scheduled Castes population (including institutional and houseless population)	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	7,393 3,785 3,608	2,494 1,298 1,196	4,899 2,487 2,412	13,570 6,792 6,778	7,515 3,703 3,812	6,055 3,089 2,966
2. 0-6 आयु समूह की अनुसूचित जातियों की जनसंख्या/ Scheduled Castes population in the age group 0-6	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	770 403 367	245 143 102	525 260 265	1,715 849 866	885 451 434	830 398 432
3. साक्षर Literates	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	5,499 3,033 2,466	1,851 1,038 813	3,648 1,995 1,653	8,037 4,701 3,336	4,473 2,574 1,899	3,564 2,127 1,437
4. कुल कर्मी Total workers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	2,729 2,014 715	962 711 251	1,767 1,303 464	5,907 3,604 2,303	3,672 2,083 1,589	2,235 1,521 714
5. दीर्घकालिक कर्मी Main workers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	2,393 1,828 565	774 607 167	1,619 1,221 398	4,258 2,889 1,369	2,486 1,593 893	1,772 1,296 476
(i) काश्तकार Cultivators	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	16 11 5	13 8 5	3 3 -	79 51 28	72 48 24	7 3 4
(ii) खेतिहर मजदूर Agricultural labourers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	23 17 6	15 11 4	8 6 2	263 186 77	246 174 72	17 12 5
(iii) पारिवारिक उद्योग कर्मी Household industry workers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	56 42 14	22 18 4	34 24 10	789 287 502	644 229 415	145 58 87
(iv) अन्य कर्मी Other workers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	2,298 1,758 540	724 570 154	1,574 1,188 386	3,127 2,365 762	1,524 1,142 382	1,603 1,223 380
6. अल्पकालिक कर्मी Marginal workers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	336 186 150	188 104 84	148 82 66	1,649 715 934	1,186 490 696	463 225 238
(i) काश्तकार Cultivators	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	24 12 12	22 11 11	2 1 1	49 18 31	49 18 31	- - -
(ii) खेतिहर मजदूर Agricultural labourers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	49 13 36	42 13 29	7 - 7	415 178 237	374 159 215	41 19 22
(iii) पारिवारिक उद्योग कर्मी Household industry workers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	18 7 11	3 1 2	15 6 9	607 157 450	483 124 359	124 33 91
(iv) अन्य कर्मी Other workers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	245 154 91	121 79 42	124 75 49	578 362 216	280 189 91	298 173 125
7. गैर कर्मी Non-workers	व्य०/P पु०/M स्त्रि०/F	4,664 1,771 2,893	1,532 587 945	3,132 1,184 1,948	7,663 3,188 4,475	3,843 1,620 2,223	3,820 1,568 2,252

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मद Item	लिंग Sex	माह्यावंशी (वंकर)			मांग		
		Mahyavanshi (Vankar)			Mang		
		योग/Total	ग्रामीण/Rural	नगरीय/Urban	योग/Total	ग्रामीण/Rural	नगरीय/Urban
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		गोवा			GOA		
1. अनुसूचित जातियों की जनसंख्या (संस्थागत और बेघर जनसंख्या सहित)	व्य०/P	62	34	28	580	71	509
Scheduled Castes population (including institutional and houseless population)	पु०/M	40	26	14	304	42	262
	स्त्रि०/F	22	8	14	276	29	247
2. 0-6 आयु समूह की अनुसूचित जातियों की जनसंख्या/ Scheduled Castes population in the age group 0-6	व्य०/P	6	2	4	88	12	76
	पु०/M	5	1	4	49	8	41
	स्त्रि०/F	1	1	-	39	4	35
3. साक्षर Literates	व्य०/P	33	16	17	341	41	300
	पु०/M	21	14	7	205	27	178
	स्त्रि०/F	12	2	10	136	14	122
4. कुल कर्मी Total workers	व्य०/P	37	27	10	198	31	167
	पु०/M	31	23	8	132	22	110
	स्त्रि०/F	6	4	2	66	9	57
5. दीर्घकालिक कर्मी Main workers	व्य०/P	35	27	8	172	20	152
	पु०/M	30	23	7	116	15	101
	स्त्रि०/F	5	4	1	56	5	51
(i) काश्तकार Cultivators	व्य०/P	-	-	-	-	-	-
	पु०/M	-	-	-	-	-	-
	स्त्रि०/F	-	-	-	-	-	-
(ii) खेतिहर मजदूर Agricultural labourers	व्य०/P	-	-	-	-	-	-
	पु०/M	-	-	-	-	-	-
	स्त्रि०/F	-	-	-	-	-	-
(iii) पारिवारिक उद्योग कर्मी Household industry workers	व्य०/P	1	-	1	3	-	3
	पु०/M	1	-	1	2	-	2
	स्त्रि०/F	-	-	-	1	-	1
(iv) अन्य कर्मी Other workers	व्य०/P	34	27	7	169	20	149
	पु०/M	29	23	6	114	15	99
	स्त्रि०/F	5	4	1	55	5	50
6. अल्पकालिक कर्मी Marginal workers	व्य०/P	2	-	2	26	11	15
	पु०/M	1	-	1	16	7	9
	स्त्रि०/F	1	-	1	10	4	6
(i) काश्तकार Cultivators	व्य०/P	-	-	-	-	-	-
	पु०/M	-	-	-	-	-	-
	स्त्रि०/F	-	-	-	-	-	-
(ii) खेतिहर मजदूर Agricultural labourers	व्य०/P	-	-	-	-	-	-
	पु०/M	-	-	-	-	-	-
	स्त्रि०/F	-	-	-	-	-	-
(iii) पारिवारिक उद्योग कर्मी Household industry workers	व्य०/P	-	-	-	-	-	-
	पु०/M	-	-	-	-	-	-
	स्त्रि०/F	-	-	-	-	-	-
(iv) अन्य कर्मी Other workers	व्य०/P	2	-	2	26	11	15
	पु०/M	1	-	1	16	7	9
	स्त्रि०/F	1	-	1	10	4	6
7. गैर कर्मी Non-workers	व्य०/P	25	7	18	382	40	342
	पु०/M	9	3	6	172	20	152
	स्त्रि०/F	16	4	12	210	20	190

सारणी क-10 (परिशिष्ट) जिलानुसार अनुसूचित जातियों की जनसंख्या
(प्रत्येक जाति के लिए अलग से)

Table A-10 (Appendix) DISTRICT WISE SCHEDULED CASTE POPULATION
(FOR EACH CASTE SEPARATELY)

अनुसूचित जाति का नाम	योग/ Total		ग्रामीण/ Rural		नगरीय/ Urban		Name of the Scheduled Caste
	पुरुष Males	स्त्रियां Females	पुरुष Males	स्त्रियां Females	पुरुष Males	स्त्रियां Females	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	1
राज्य - गोवा 30 STATE - GOA 30							
सभी अनुसूचित जातियां	12,047	11,744	5,376	5,344	6,671	6,400	All Scheduled Castes
भंगी (हाडी)	214	217	7	6	207	211	Bhangi (Hadi)
चम्भार	3,785	3,608	1,298	1,196	2,487	2,412	Chambhar
महार	6,792	6,778	3,703	3,812	3,089	2,966	Mahar
माह्यावंशी (वंकर)	40	22	26	8	14	14	Mahyavanshi (Vankar)
मांग	304	276	42	29	262	247	Mang
जिला - उत्तर गोवा 01 District - North Goa 01							
सभी अनुसूचित जातियां	8,620	8,463	4,479	4,481	4,141	3,982	All Scheduled Castes
भंगी (हाडी)	149	157	5	6	144	151	Bhangi (Hadi)
चम्भार	2,430	2,323	966	902	1,464	1,421	Chambhar
महार	5,112	5,143	3,214	3,303	1,898	1,840	Mahar
माह्यावंशी (वंकर)	30	18	20	8	10	10	Mahyavanshi (Vankar)
मांग	257	229	31	19	226	210	Mang
जिला - दक्षिण गोवा 02 District - South Goa 02							
सभी अनुसूचित जातियां	3,427	3,281	897	863	2,530	2,418	All Scheduled Castes
भंगी (हाडी)	65	60	2	0	63	60	Bhangi (Hadi)
चम्भार	1,355	1,285	332	294	1,023	991	Chambhar
महार	1,680	1,635	489	509	1,191	1,126	Mahar
माह्यावंशी (वंकर)	10	4	6	0	4	4	Mahyavanshi (Vankar)
मांग	47	47	11	10	36	37	Mang

टिप्पणी/Note: 'सभी अनुसूचित जातियां' में 'अवर्गीकृत' के आंकड़े भी सम्मिलित हैं।/ 'All Scheduled Castes' includes figures for 'Unclassified'.

अनुसूचित जातियां जिनकी संख्या 'शून्य' है, नहीं दर्शायी गई हैं।/ Scheduled Castes having 'NIL' return are not shown.