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ACCESS TO VILLAGE DIRECTORY DATA ON NICNET An Introduction

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Foreword

The Census of India compiles, tabulates and publishes socio-demographic data of the country every 10 years. This operation which started as far back as in 1872 has continued without interruption for over a century now. The scope and coverage of census has been expanding to meet the increasing demands of planners and other census data users. The census organisation is a repository of not only the data on population but also of the ancillary data on some of the key indicators of infrastructural development collected and collated at the time of the Census. Compilation and presentation of the data on infrastructural facilities down to the village level in the form of the Village Directory had a moderate beginning in 1951. Over the years this has proved a boon to the administrators and planners. Besides, demographers, economists and other scholars have also utilised these data for longitudinal analysis of changes in the availability of infrastructural facilities over the decades.

The Village Directory data of 1991 covering information on area, population, households and availability of basic amenities like education, medical, post and telegraph, communication, approach to village, drinking water, electricity and on land use pattern at the village level has been computerised by the National Informatics Centre on NICNET. This data can now be accessed by the general public on NICNET and can also be obtained on the magnetic media. Besides, the details would also be available in the traditional form of publications, namely District Census Handbooks. The government users at the Central and State/Union Territory level can access the data from their respective NICNET installations.

The storage and release of Village Directory data on NICNET is an excellent product of the close co-operation between the Census Organisation and National Informatics Centre. It is hoped that users in general and those in the government in particular would benefit from this path-breaking endeavour.

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Akin to the Primary Census Abstract data of Population Census 1991 computerisation, which was released on NICNET in January, 1993, NIC Uttar Pradesh State Unit (UPSU) was the first to take up the computerisation of Village Directory data. Village Directory is the village level infrastructure data and is of immense use for any micro-level planning.

NIC UPSU developed software for data entry, validation and printing of Village Directory for the State of Uttar Pradesh. Village Directory reports form Part-A of the District Census Handbook brought out by the Directorate of Census Operations in all the States. With the active cooperation of DCO UP, a large part of Village Directory data entry was completed on NIC UPSU computers by the staff of DCO UP.

The project at all-India level has been coordinated by Census & Statistics Division, NIC Hqrs. State Informatics Officers of NIC have taken keen interest in this project and have completed data entry and validation in their respective states employing DCO staff, voluntary agencies or private data entry agencies.

GISTNIC division of NIC, located at NIC regional centre, Hyderabad, have put in lot of efforts in creation of database and enabling release of this important data on NICNET.

Sh. Rahul Srivastava of NIC UPSU developed software for this project and Mrs. Adarsh Khosla, NIC Hqrs has handled all the States/UTs data besides developing a number of programs for bringing the data into a unified format.

I would like to place on record my appreciation for the guidance rendered by Dr. Rakesh Goel, SIO UP, in initiating this project, Sh. C.S.R. Prabhu for NICNET release of this data, Sh. Rahul Srivastava, Mrs. Adarsh Khosla for their incessant dedication and all the DCOs for their active support.

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I. VILLAGE DIRECTORY DATA ON NICNET

I. Overview

Village infrastructure data is the backbone of any planning process and the State Governments, through their Economic and Statistical Organisations, have been collecting and compiling this data for a long time for their planning needs. The contents, reference period and formats used for data collection vary from State to State. The varying formats, contents and reference periods coupled with lack of computing facilities in the past posed the greatest problems for any inter-state study or analysis using this data.

Village infrastructure data, popularly known as the Village Directory are being collected by the Census Organisation as part of the census operations. Village Directory forms an integral part of the District Census Handbooks (DCH) - a publication which was initiated after the 1951 Census and is continuing with some innovations and modifications after each decennial Census. This is the most valuable district level publication brought out by the Census Organisation on behalf of each State Government/UT administration. It inter-alia provides data/information on some of the basic demographic and socio-economic characteristics and on the availability of certain important civic amenities/facilities in each village and town in the respective district. The DCH comprises of two parts: while Part-A comprises of the Village and Town Directories, Part- B presents the Primary Census Abstract (PCA) of each Village and Town (ward-wise). The level of presentation of data in the Village Directory and PCA is upto the Community Development Block. This is an important innovation of the 1991 Census because previously data were being presented only upto the Tahsil/Taluk/Police Station level. This change has been introduced with a view to help the planners in formulation of micro-level development plans, as the CD Block is the lowest administrative unit for development planning.

Village Directory provides data on area, population, number of households and distance of the village from the nearest town as well as information on the basic infra-structural facilities available in the village. Infrastructural facilities presented in the Village Directory cover Education, Medical, Drinking Water, Electricity, Post and Telegraph, day or days of the market, communications and approach to the village. In case any amenity is not available in the village, the distance from the nearest village/town where the said amenity is available is given. Details of information/data presented under each column of the Village Directory are as follows:

COLUMN 1 - 4

Location code, name of the village, total area, population and number of households.

COLUMN 5. EDUCATION :

Primary School, Middle or Junior Secondary, Matriculation or Secondary, Higher Secondary/Intermediate/Pre- University/Junior College, Any college (graduate level and above), Adult Literacy class/centre, Industrial School, Training School, other educational Institutions.

COLUMN 6. MEDICAL :

Hospital, Maternity and Child Welfare Centre, Maternity Home, Child Welfare Centre, Health Centre, Primary Health Centre, Primary Health Sub-Centre, Dispensary, Family Planning Centre, T.B.clinic, Nursing Home, Registered Private Practitioner, Subsidised Medical Practitioner, Village Health Guide/Community Health worker, Others.

COLUMN 7. DRINKING WATER:

Tap Water, Well Water, Tank Water, Tubewell Water, Handpump, River Water, Canal etc.

COLUMN 8. POST AND TELEGRAPH :

Post Office, Telegraph Office, Post and Telegraph Office, Telephone Connection.

COLUMN 9

Day or days of market, if any

COLUMN 10. COMMUNICATIONS :

Bus Stop, Railway Station, Navigable Waterway

COLUMN 11. APPROACH TO VILLAGE :

Pucca Road, Kachela Road, Foot Path, Navigable River, Navigable Canal, Navigable Waterway.

COLUMN 12.

Nearest town and distance (in Kilometre)

COLUMN 13. POWER SUPPLY :

Electricity for domestic purposes, Electricity for agriculture, Electricity for other purposes like Industrial, Commercial etc.

COLUMN 14 - 18. LAND USE:

Area under (1) Forest (2) cultivation (both irrigated and unirrigated) (3) cultivable waste and (4) area not available for cultivation.

II. DATA ORGANISATION :

Certain data fields from the Primary Census Abstract (PCA) data of Census 1991, like Village code, Village name, Population, Area, number of Households, form part of the Village Directory (VD). So the two data sets viz. PCA data consisting of 43 parameters and VD data consisting 88 parameters can be usefully combined to offer immense planning and analysis opportunities to any user of these data sets.

Village codes are so designed as to provide ease of data aggregation at block/taluka/district or state level. It helps in accessing data village-wise or presentation of data at block level or at other higher levels.

Village Directory data uses two files viz.

(i) Code file used in PCA which supplies Village code, Village/ Block/ Taluka/ District/ State name, Village area, no. of Households and population.

(ii) Village Directory file consisting of 88 parameters on infrastructure facilities available in a village.

The Record Structure of the Village Directory data is given at Annexure I.

III. ALL- INDIA DATA:

District-wise floppies, one each for major districts or a floppy containing more than one minor districts data (both files as above) can be obtained from the Office of the Registrar General, India, 2-A, Mansingh Road, N. Delhi-110011.

A national data base of Village Directory data has been created on NEC computer at NIC Headquarters. This data can be accessed, with the help of standard queries, on 650 nodes of NICNET located in NIC State/UT Centres, NIC district centres, GISTNIC booths and all Bhavans of New Delhi. It would not be possible to download the basic village wise data from this computer even though screen displays, in response to queries, can be captured and/or printed. Details of queries are given at the end of this chapter.

IV. STATE/UT DATA:

District-wise floppies for a particular State/UT can be obtained from the Directorate of Census Operations of the respective State/UT. District level Village Directory data, in published form, would also be available from the DCOs in due course of time.

All NIC State/UT Centres are NICNET nodes and have the facility of accessing Village Directory data from the National data base created at the NIC Headquarters using query software. In addition these centres would have the respective State/UT data on their UNIX computers. A separate menu driven query program has been developed to help access Village/Block level data on UNIX machines.

NIC State/UT centres would provide this data to the State/UT government departments for planning/analysis purposes with due authorisation of DCO. Dissemination of this data to private agencies/individuals would only be done by the DCOs.

V. DISTRICT DATA:

District Centres of NIC would have Village Directory data of the respective district on their computer for servicing the needs of district administration. All district centres of NIC are NICNET nodes and can access all-India data on their computers from the National data base. However, for planning/analytical purposes NIC district centers, on demand from the district administration, can be provided Village Directory data of the adjoining districts also.

II. ACCESSING VILLAGE DIRECTORY DATA ON NICNET

NICNET is a computer communication network set up by the National Informatics Centre (NIC), Planning Commission, Government of India. NICNET has more than 650 nodes encompassing all the States, Union Territories and Districts of the country besides all the Government Bhavans of Delhi and a number of Public Sector Undertakings. NICNET, since its inception in 1988, has acted as a bridge for information flow between Districts and States on the one hand and between States and Central Govt. Departments on the other. NICNET has worked for appropriate computerisation at all levels in the Government, fast processing of data, devising tools for data consistency, accuracy and timeliness and its dissemination close to the user's place of work.

One of the services offered by NICNET is GISTNIC (General Information Service Terminal - National Informatics Centre). GISTNIC stands for making information open and reaching it out to the people needing it. To this end GISTNIC Division of NIC, located at NIC regional centre Hyderabad, continuously interacts with agencies both in Government and Private sector to identify data of general interest and which can be made public and works for its NICNET dissemination. GISTNIC databases can be accessed on special GISTNIC booths installed at public places by NIC apart from the NICNET nodes.

One of the major databases, available under GISTNIC, is the Primary Census Abstract data of Population Census 1991. Village Directory would be the second major database created from the data desired to be made public by the Office of Registrar General & Census Commissioner, India.

Annexure-I details the Village Directory record structure composed of the following 10 facilities data.

1. Education
2. Medical
3. Drinking Water
4. Post & Telegraph
5. Market/Hat
6. Communication
7. Approach to Village
8. Power
9. Irrigation &
10. Land Use

The following gives an account of how the Village Directory database can be accessed on NICNET nodes and local UNIX machines.

I. ACCESS FROM NEC:

After logging onto NEC the following should be typed at SYSTEM prompt to access Village Directory.

SYSTEM? VDIR

After a WELCOME banner we get the Main Menu as follows:

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GISTNIC                               1991 CENSUS VILLAGE AMENITIES
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                                MAIN MENU

1          STATE
2          DISTRICT
3          TALUK/MANDAL/TEHSIL/POLICE STATION
4          VILLAGE
5          QUIT
-----
.....SELECT OPTION(1/2/3/4/5).....

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Selection of option 1 from the above menu prompts the user to enter State name for which data access is desired. Option 2 requires name of the District to be fed in addition to the State name. Similary option 3 would need feeding of Taluk or Mandal name etc. alongwith the State and District names. The system expects exact spelling of names and in doubt on-line help is available to display and select State/District/Taluk names.

In case of option 4 the system, after receiving State, District and Taluk names, the user is prompted to specify Village name for which data is to be accessed. The system assists the user to list out all Village names starting from any alphabet.

After option selection (1,2 or 3) and appropriate names have been fed to the system, a second menu on AMENITIES appears viz.

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GISTNIC                               1991 CENSUS - VILLAGE AMENITIES
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                                AMENITIES

1          EDUCATIONAL AMENITIES
2          MEDICAL AMENITIES
3          DRINKING WATER AMENITIES
4          POST & TELEGRAPH AMENITIES
5          POWER SUPPLY
6          TRANSPORT & APPROACH
7          LAND USE
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Enter Option / 99 Quit

Code selection for accessing data on a desired amenity is quite obvious here. It may, however, be noted that option 6 above includes approach to village and communication facilities and option 7 provides information on land use as well as irrigation facilities. Information on Market/Hat facility collected in Village Directory has not been included here.

Selection of any option from the above causes a tabular presentation giving total number of villages available in a

taluk/district or state (as per main menu selection) and facility wise number of villages under the selected amenity. It also gives range-wise information on number of villages and percentage to total villages where the chosen amenity exists (Presence of any facility under an amenity is treated as presence of amenity). The software provides facility to list out names of the villages indicated under any of the four distance-ranges. The four distance ranges and their meaning is explained below:

RANGE-CODE	STANDS FOR
0	AMENITY AVAILABLE IN THE VILLAGE
0-5	AMENITY AVAILABLE AT 0-5 KMS. DISTANCE
5-10	AMENITY AVAILABLE AT 5-10 KMS. DISTANCE
10+	AMENITY AVAILABLE AT > 10 KMS. DISTANCE

In option 4 of the main menu viz. Village the user gets a profile of the chosen village. This option requires selection of the State, District, Taluk and Village names and displays the following menu:

GIS		1991 CENSUS - VILLAGE AMENITIES	
CODE		AMENITY	
1		EDUCATION	
2		MEDICAL	
3		DRINKING WATER	
4		POST & TELEGRAPH	
5		POWER SUPPLY	
6		TRANSPORT & APPROACH	
7		NEAREST TOWN	
8		LAND USE	
9		ABOVE ALL	

Enter Option / 99 Quit

Selection of options 1 to 8 lists out all facilities under an amenity and option 9 would list all the facilities under all amenities. Depending upon the context it gives either the number of units available for a particular facility or NA/AV where AV stands for availability of facility within the village and NA for its non-availability.

II. ACCESS ON UNIX MACHINES:

The software requires District wise Village Directory file and Code file for the district as used in PCA processing. It may be noted that data items Village population and number of households have already been incorporated in the Village Directory file from PCA data file. The need of code file here is

for obtaining Block/Taluka/District name and Village names. When software is used giving main.out the following main menu appears:

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MAIN MENU

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1. Village wise status of amenities
2. Block wise status of amenities
3. Block wise status of individual facilities
 within amenity
4. Block wise summary of amenities where facilities
 do not exist
5. Block wise summary of amenities where facilities
 exist
6. Quit

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Here amenities refer to the 10 infrastructure facilities on which Village directory data has been collected and which are Education, Medical etc. The facility means individual facility within an amenity like Primary School, Secondary School under Education and Primary Health Centre, Registered Medical Practitioner under Medical etc..

Selection of any option from the above menu prompts the user to feed district, taluk, block and village codes. On line help using F1 is available to view names on screen and selection of desired name/code. Village population greater than a specified number (to be fed) helps in narrowing down the search area. It may be noted that option 1 above gives details for a selected village whereas the remaining 4 options access data at block level.

The first option provides screen by screen display of all the facilities under all the 10 amenities for a selected village. For example it lists out the number of Primary Schools, Secondary Schools in the village and if there is no educational institution in the village in which particular distance range (0-5, 5-10 or 10+) from the village educational facility is available.

Option 2 lists out villages in a block where none of the facilities under an amenity are present. For example if none of the educational institutions are existing in a village, this village will be listed out when the user wants information on Educational amenity. Similary if medical facilities are not existing in a village the village name will be displayed upon selection of Medical amenity. The user can seek a list of villages with population greater than a specified number where none of the educational, medical or communication facilities are existing.

Option 3 is akin to Option 2 except the difference that villages here can be listed for non-existence of any individual facility within an amenity. For example under amenity Education

the villages can be listed where there are no primary schools or no secondary schools etc. The choice to list villages which have population more than a specified number is available here also.

In Option 4 we get a tabular presentation of all the amenities by ranges. The ranges being 0, 0-5, 5-10 and 10+. Number of villages listed under 0 means that the amenity is existing in so many villages. Presence of any facility (Primary school, Secondary school etc. under Education) will cause the village to be included under 0. The other ranges indicate number of villages which have to avail of a particular amenity at a distance range of 0-5 kms., 5-10 kms or more than 10 kms.

Option 5 also works block wise and lists out number of villages amenity/facility wise. Here the user gets total number of villages in a block and number of villages where each individual facility is available amenity wise. For example number of villages where dispensary facility under Medical amenity is available and so on.

### III. NICNET - A NATIONAL INFO HIGHWAY

#### I. INTRODUCTION

National Informatics Centre (NIC) was set up in 1977 with the overall objective of providing Informatics Services to the government at different levels such as Central Government, State Government and District Administrations. Over the years, NIC has emerged as a premier organisation in the field of Information Technology in India. The IT services provided by NIC range from conducting feasibility studies for computerisation; designing, developing and implementing computer based Information systems; to undertaking large turnkey projects including setting up of networks and imparting training to personnel in user organisations.

In order to ensure efficient and reliable flow of information at various levels in the government in the country, NIC has set up a nation-wide Satellite based computer-communication network, called NICNET, connecting Ministries/Departments of Central Government, State Governments, UT Secretariats and all the District Headquarters in the country. NICNET consists of more than 650 nodes across the country. The capability and versatility of the network has been successfully demonstrated for a variety of major applications including All India Census 1991, Rural Development Information System, Plan Project Monitoring, Election Results Processing and Dissemination for the General Elections of 1991 and the Assembly Elections of 1993. The network has also supported several Closed User Groups in the public domain including Steel Authority of India Ltd., Indian Farmers fertiliser Corporation Ltd., Neptha Jhakri Power Corporation, Food Corporation of India and Central Excise among others.

#### II. NICNET INFO HIGHWAY

In 1994, NIC has upgraded its low-speed satellite based network into a high speed Information Highway to provide State-of-the-Art Network Services at par with similar services being provided by other networks around the world. The NICNET Info Highway supports high speed communication at various speeds from 64 Kbps to 2.2 Mbps through KU-Band SCPC data pipes at each of the remote sites. NICNET is also connected to more than 200 networks in 160 countries providing international connectivity to its users. The wide range of services provided by NICNET highway include the following:

- Inter Personal Communication
- Electronic Mail based on X.400 standards  
with interfaces to other E-mail formats
- File Transfer
- Full Text and Bibliographic Retrieval
- Medical Information Services
- Remote data base access
- Distributed Geographical Information System (GIS)

Integrated Nation-wide banking Services  
 Electronic Data Interchange  
 Multimedia Communication  
 Teleconferencing  
 Full access to INTERNET with Archie, Gopher,  
                   WWW, Hytelnet, WAIS services and  
 Access to more than 200 networks in 160 countries

With NICNET Info Highway acting as a dedicated Computer Communication carrier for Value Added Services, Virtual Networks can be configured over NICNET for providing exclusive network environment for individual user groups. Such virtual networks can be created with minimal incremental investment and provide wide range of Value-Added-Services available on NICNET.

### III. NIC - SERVICES

NIC provides services to various user departments through a number of application divisions which are responsible for developing appropriate Information Systems for planning and decision making. NIC teams located in various Government offices provide total computer solutions to the Government Departments. These services include identification of areas amenable to computerisation, conducting feasibility studies, system design, software development, implementation and training. Application divisions are supported by other infrastructure divisions at NIC Head Quarters. NIC State/UT Centres provide similar services to the State/UT government departments. District Centres of NIC fully look after the computing needs of respective district administrations. Implementation and monitoring of a large number of Central government schemes at the block/district level could be achieved only because of the District Centres of NIC.

### IV. OTHER ACTIVITIES

New specialized software development for common usage, employing state-of-the-art technology is an ongoing process at NIC. A Local Area Network (LAN) has been established at North Block to facilitate Ministry of Finance and Ministry of Home Affairs for Office Automation and local database sharing. System SERMON has been implemented for Excise Revenue monitoring in 29 Central Excise Collectorates and about 225 divisions spread all over the country. NIC has assisted in the release of quinquennial directory of more than 2 lakh Joint Stock companies. Processing of all-India Small Scale industries census data covering 10.55 lakh units has been completed at NIC. An integrated Office Management system for many of the Ministers of

Central Government and CMS of Kerala, Andhra Pradesh and Haryana has been implemented. Implementation of Employment Exchange Computerisation all over the country for the Ministry of Labour has been undertaken at NIC. The GEOMINE project on Mineral administration has been implemented for Government of Gujarat. State-of-the-art GIS concepts were used to develop a Geographic Information System (GISNIC) to enable infrastructural planning in rural and urban areas. As a pilot project GIS has been developed for Faridabad district of Haryana. Land records computerisation has been implemented in 15 pilot districts with active cooperation of the Department of Rural Development. In a number of States NICNET facilities are being availed for treasury computerisation. Computer Aided Design (CAD) group of NIC supports various government and public sector organisations in design informatics. Telematics Division of NIC is the main architect behind the Doordarshan's teletext services. This division has also implemented on-line display of reservation positions on Indian Railways and arrival-departure for Indian Airlines.

Modelling and OR division using Operations Research and simulation techniques have helped a number of government departments with forecasting in their areas of operation. Medical literature of interest is regularly provided to the doctors and professionals by accessing databases of National Library of Medicine, USA. Training of NIC professionals to keep them updated is an ongoing process. About 15,000 government officials throughout the country are trained computers every year by Training Division. The division employs modern methodologies and training aids for training purposes, the latest being the multimedia.

#### V. NIC-CENTRES

Addresses of NIC Hqrs, Regional and State/UT Centres are given at Annexure-III.

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## **ANNEXURES**

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## ANNEXURE-I

## VILLAGE DIRECTORY RECORD STRUCTURE

| FIELD NAME | FIELD TYPE | COLUMNS | DESCRIPTION                                      |
|------------|------------|---------|--------------------------------------------------|
| DIST_CODE  | N(2)       | 001-002 | DISTRICT CODE                                    |
| THSIL_CODE | N(4)       | 003-006 | TEHSIL/MANDAL/CIRCLE/<br>CD BLOCK/POLICE STATION |
| VILL_CODE  | N(4)       | 007-010 | VILLAGE CODE                                     |
| MRGD_IN_TN | N(1)       | 011-011 | VILLAGE STATUS                                   |
| EUDU_INST  | N(1)       | 012-012 | EDUCATIONAL INSTT.(A/NA)                         |
| RANG_EDU_F | N(1)       | 013-013 | IF NOT AVAIL. THEN RANGE CODE                    |
| P_SCH      | N(2)       | 014-015 | PRIMARY SCHOOL                                   |
| M_SCH      | N(2)       | 016-017 | MIDDLE SCHOOL                                    |
| H_SCH      | N(2)       | 018-019 | HIGH SCHOOL                                      |
| PU_COLL    | N(2)       | 020-021 | PU COLLEGE                                       |
| GR_COLL    | N(2)       | 022-023 | GRADUATE COLLEGE                                 |
| ADLT_LT_CN | N(2)       | 024-025 | ADULT LITERACY CENTRE                            |
| IND_SCH    | N(2)       | 026-027 | INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL                                |
| TR_SCH     | N(2)       | 028-029 | TRAINING SCHOOL                                  |
| OTH_SCH    | N(2)       | 030-031 | OTHER EDN INSTITUTIONS                           |
| MED_INST   | N(1)       | 032-032 | MEDICAL INSTITUTIONS (A/NA)                      |
| RANG_MED_F | N(1)       | 033-033 | IF NOT AVAIL.THEN RANGE CODE                     |
| H_CNTR     | N(2)       | 034-035 | HOSPITAL                                         |
| MCW_CNTR   | N(2)       | 036-037 | MAT.& CHILD WELFARE CENTRE                       |
| MH_CNTR    | N(2)       | 038-039 | MATERNITY HOMES                                  |
| CWC_CNTR   | N(2)       | 040-041 | CHILD WELFARE CENTRE                             |
| PHC_CNTR   | N(2)       | 042-043 | PRIMARY HEALTH CENTRE                            |
| HC_CNTR    | N(2)       | 044-045 | HEALTH CENTRE                                    |
| PHS_CNTR   | N(2)       | 046-047 | PRIMARY HEALTH SUB-CENTRE                        |
| DISP_CNTR  | N(2)       | 048-049 | DISPENSARY                                       |
| FPC_CNTR   | N(2)       | 050-051 | FAMILY PLANNING CENTRE                           |
| TB_CNTR    | N(2)       | 052-053 | TUBERCULOSIS CLINIC                              |
| NH_CNTR    | N(2)       | 054-055 | NURSING HOME                                     |
| CHW_CNTR   | N(2)       | 056-057 | COMMUNITY HEALTH WORKERS                         |
| RP_CNTR    | N(2)       | 058-059 | REGD. PRIVATE PRACTITIONER                       |
| SMP_CNTR   | N(2)       | 060-061 | SUBSI. MEDICAL PRACTITIONER                      |
| OTH_CNTR   | N(2)       | 062-063 | OTHER MEDICAL CENTRES                            |
| DRNK_WAT_F | N(1)       | 064-064 | DRINKING WATER FACILITY (A/NA)                   |
| RANG_WAT_F | N(1)       | 065-065 | IF NOT AVAIL.THEN RANGE CODE                     |
| TAP        | N(1)       | 066-066 | TAP WATER                                        |
| WELL       | N(1)       | 067-067 | WELL WATER                                       |
| TANK       | N(1)       | 068-068 | TANK WATER                                       |
| TUBE_WELL  | N(1)       | 069-069 | TUBE WELL WATER                                  |
| HAND_PUMP  | N(1)       | 070-070 | HAND PUMP WATER                                  |
| RIVER_WATE | N(1)       | 071-071 | RIVER WATER                                      |
| FOUNTAIN   | N(1)       | 072-072 | FOUNTAIN                                         |
| CANAL      | N(1)       | 073-073 | CANAL                                            |
| LAKE       | N(1)       | 074-074 | LAKE                                             |
| SPRING     | N(1)       | 075-075 | SPRING                                           |
| NALA       | N(1)       | 076-076 | NALLAH                                           |
| OTH_FAC    | N(1)       | 077-077 | OTHER DRINKING WATER SOURCES                     |

|             |        |         |                                                              |
|-------------|--------|---------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| PNT_FAC     | N(1)   | 078-078 | POST & TELE. FACILITY (A/NA)                                 |
| RANG_PNT_F  | N(1)   | 079-079 | IF NOT AVAIL. THEN RANGE CODE                                |
| PO_FAC      | N(1)   | 080-080 | POST OFFICE                                                  |
| TO_FAC      | N(1)   | 081-081 | TELEGRAPH OFFICE                                             |
| POST_TELE   | N(1)   | 082-082 | POST & TELEGRAPH OFFICE                                      |
| PH_FAC      | N(1)   | 083-083 | TELEPHONE CONNECTION                                         |
|             |        |         |                                                              |
| MRKT_FAC    | N(1)   | 084-084 | MARKET FACILITY (A/NA)                                       |
| RANG_MKT_F  | N(1)   | 085-085 | IF NOT AVAIL. THEN RANGE CODE                                |
| MRKT_DAY_1  | N(1)   | 086-086 | MARKET DAY IS MONDAY                                         |
| MRKT_DAY_2  | N(1)   | 087-087 | MARKET DAY IS TUESDAY                                        |
| MRKT_DAY_3  | N(1)   | 088-088 | MARKET DAY IS WEDNESDAY                                      |
| MRKT_DAY_4  | N(1)   | 089-089 | MARKET DAY IS THURSDAY                                       |
| MRKT_DAY_5  | N(1)   | 090-090 | MARKET DAY IS FRIDAY                                         |
| MRKT_DAY_6  | N(1)   | 091-091 | MARKET DAY IS SATURDAY                                       |
| MRKT_DAY_7  | N(1)   | 092-092 | MARKET DAY IS SUNDAY                                         |
| MRKT_DAY_D  | N(1)   | 093-093 | MARKET IS DAILY                                              |
| MRKT_DAY_F  | N(1)   | 094-094 | MARKET IS FORTNIGHTLY                                        |
| MRKT_DAY_M  | N(1)   | 095-095 | MARKET IS MONTHLY                                            |
|             |        |         |                                                              |
| COMM_FAC    | N(1)   | 096-096 | COMMUNICATION FACILITY (A/NA)                                |
| RANG_COM_F  | N(1)   | 097-097 | IF NOT AVAIL. THEN RANGE CODE                                |
| BS_FAC      | N(1)   | 098-098 | BUS STOP                                                     |
| TX_TEMP_FA  | N(1)   | 099-099 | TAXI/TEMPO STAND                                             |
| RS_FAC      | N(1)   | 100-100 | RAILWAY STATION                                              |
| NW_FAC      | N(1)   | 101-101 | NAVIGABLE WATERWAYS                                          |
|             |        |         |                                                              |
| APP_PUC_RO  | N(1)   | 102-102 | APPROACH - PUCCA ROAD                                        |
| APP_KCH_RO  | N(1)   | 103-103 | APPROACH - KACHCHA ROAD                                      |
| APP_FOOTPA  | N(1)   | 104-104 | APPROACH - FOOTPATH                                          |
| APP_NAVRIV  | N(1)   | 105-105 | APPROACH - NAVIGABLE RIVER                                   |
| APP_NAVCAN  | N(1)   | 106-106 | APPROACH - NAVIGABLE CANAL                                   |
| APP_NC      | N(1)   | 107-107 | APPROACH - NAVIGABLE WATERWAYS<br>(OTHER THAN RIVER & CANAL) |
|             |        |         |                                                              |
| LOC_TOWN    | C(15)  | 108-122 | NEAREST TOWN                                                 |
| DIST_FRM_T  | N(3)   | 123-125 | DISTANCE FROM TOWN                                           |
|             |        |         |                                                              |
| POWER_SUPL  | N(1)   | 126-126 | POWER SUPPLY (A/NA)                                          |
| POWER_EDEA  | N(1)   | 127-127 | POWER FOR DOMESTIC PURPOSE                                   |
| POWER_EAG   | N(1)   | 128-128 | POWER FOR AGRICULTURE                                        |
| POWER_EO    | N(1)   | 129-129 | POWER FOR IND./COMM. PURPOSE                                 |
| POWER_EA    | N(1)   | 130-130 | POWER FOR ALL PURPOSE                                        |
|             |        |         |                                                              |
| LAND_FORES  | N(9.2) | 131-139 | FOREST                                                       |
| CANAL_GOV'T | N(9.2) | 140-148 | IRR. BY GOVT. CANAL                                          |
| WELL_WO_EL  | N(9.2) | 149-157 | IRR. BY WELL WITHOUT ELECT.                                  |
| CANAL_PVT   | N(9.2) | 158-166 | IRR. BY PRIVATE CANAL                                        |
| WELL_W_ELE  | N(9.2) | 167-175 | IRR. BY WELL WITH ELECT.                                     |
|             |        |         |                                                              |
| TW_WO_ELEC  | N(9.2) | 176-184 | IRR. - TUBEWELL WITHOUT ELECT.                               |
| TW_W_ELECT  | N(9.2) | 185-193 | IRR. - TUBEWELL WITH ELECT.                                  |
| TANK_IRR    | N(9.2) | 194-202 | IRRIGATED BY TANK                                            |
| RIVER_IRR   | N(9.2) | 203-211 | IRRIGATED BY RIVER                                           |
| LAKE_IRR    | N(9.2) | 212-220 | IRRIGATED BY LAKE                                            |

|            |        |         |                            |
|------------|--------|---------|----------------------------|
| WF_IRR     | N(9.2) | 221-229 | IRRIGATED BY WATERFALL     |
| OTHER_IRR  | N(9.2) | 230-238 | IRRIGATED BY OTHER SOURCES |
| TOT_IRR_AR | N(9.2) | 239-247 | TOTAL IRRIGATED AREA       |
| UN_IRG_LAN | N(9.2) | 248-256 | UNIRRIGATED LAND           |
| CULT_WASTE | N(9.2) | 257-265 | CULTURABLE WASTE           |
| AREA_UN_CU | N(9.2) | 266-274 | NOT AVAIL. FOR CULTIVATION |

|           |      |         |                      |
|-----------|------|---------|----------------------|
| HOUSEHOLD | N(5) | 275-279 | NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS |
| TOT_POPLN | N(6) | 280-285 | VILLAGE POPULATION   |

## Notes:

1. (A/NA) - Available or Not Available.  
Value is 1 for available and  
2 for not available.
2. The range Code values are:
  - 1 for < 5 Kms.
  - 2 for 5-10 Kms.
  - 3 for > 10 Kms.
3. Item 4 MRGD\_IN\_TN codes:
  - 1 for village partly merged in town
  - 2 for village partly treated as outgrowth
  - 9 for village submerged in dams etc.
4. Col. 12 (Educational Institutions)  
Col. 32 (Medical Institutions)  
Col. 64 (Drinking Water facilities)  
Col. 78 (Post & Telegraph facilities)  
Col. 84 (Market facilities)  
Col. 96 (Communication facilities)

1 will be entered in the above columns if these facilities are existing in a particular village. In the subsequent columns actual number of educational/medical institutions available in a village will be entered. Or the presence of facility will be indicated by entering 1 in the subsequent columns.

2 will be entered in the above columns if these facilities are not existing in a village. In the next column the range code would be entered to show the distance at which the facility is available from the village. All the subsequent columns of a facility will remain blank in such cases.

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2. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Andhra Pradesh,  
H.No. 6-3-653,  
Pioneer House,  
Somaji Gudda,  
Hyderabad - 500 482.
3. Office of the Director of Census Opeations,  
Arunachal Pradesh,sh,  
Lummurie Laitumkhrah,  
Shillong - 793 003.
4. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Assam,  
G.S.Road,  
Ulubari,  
Guwahati - 781 007.
5. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Bihar,  
Jwala Bhawan,  
East Boring Canal Road,  
Patna - 800 001.
6. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Goa,  
Ganesh Prasad Building,  
Opp. Telegraphic Office,  
Dr. Atmaram Borker Road,  
Panaji - 403 001.
7. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Gujarat,  
Kerawala Building,  
Opp. V.S.Hospital,  
Ellis Bridge,  
Ahmedabad - 380 006.

8. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Haryana,  
SCO. No. 1074-75,  
Sector 22-B,  
Chandigarh - 160 022.
9. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Himachal Pradesh,  
Park 8-A, Khalini,  
Shimla - 171 002.
10. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Jammu & Kashmir,  
Khyam Hotel Building,  
Bishember Nagar,  
Srinagar - 190 001.
11. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Karnataka,  
No.21/1, Mission Road,  
Bangalore - 560 027.
12. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Kerala,  
Sastha Building, Kaudiar,  
Thiruvananthapuram - 695 003.
13. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Madhya Pradesh,  
Building No. 132, Zone-II,  
Maharana Pratap Nagar,  
Bhopal - 462 011.
14. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Maharashtra,  
Exchange Building,  
2nd Floor,  
Sprott Road,  
Ballard Estate,  
Bombay - 400 038.
15. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Manipur,  
Yumnam Leikai  
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16. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Meghalaya,  
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18. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Nagaland,  
Census Campus, Boyavu Hills,  
Kohima - 797 001.
19. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Orissa,  
Janpath, Unit-IX,  
Bhubneshwar - 751 007.
20. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Punjab,  
SCO No. 56-57, Sector 17-D,  
Chandigarh - 160 017.
21. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Rajasthan,  
Rambagh Palace Annexe,  
Jaipur - 302 004.
22. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Sikkim,  
Tadong Housing Colony,  
Gangtok - 737 102.
23. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Tamil Nadu,  
304/305, Anna Salai,  
Teynampet,  
Madras - 600 018.
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Tripura,  
14/1, Krishnanagar,  
Natun Pally,  
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LekhRaj Market, Indira Nagar,  
Lucknow - 226 016.
26. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
West Bengal,  
20B, Abdul Hamid Street  
10th Floor,  
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A & N Islands,  
Port Blair - 744 101.
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Chandigarh UT,  
SCO 23, Sector 26,  
Chandigarh - 160 019.
29. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Delhi UT,  
Room No. 207, Old Secretariat,  
Delhi - 110 054.
30. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Lakhshadweep,  
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31. Office of the Director of Census Operations,  
Pondicherry,  
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