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DISTRICT AT A GLANCE.

Sr. No.	Items	Unit	District
1. LOCATION.			
1.1	North Latitudes.	Degree.	19.51 to 21.16
1.2	East Latitudes.	-do-	76.38 to 77.4
2. CLIMATE.			
2.1	Rain-fall.	Mms.	
2.2	Temperature.		
	a) Maximum (absolute)	Centigrade.	41.8
	b) Minimum (-do-)	-do-	12.0
	c) Average (-do-)	-do-	26.9
3. AREA AND POPULATION. (According to 1961 Census).			
3.1	Area.	Sq. Kms.	10595.7
3.2	Towns.	Numbers.	9
3.3	No. of villages.	Numbers.	1713
	i) Inhabited.	Numbers.	1507
	ii) Non-inhabited.	Numbers.	206
3.4	Rural population.	Numbers.	9,26,521
3.5	Urban population.	Numbers.	2,62,833
3.6	Total Population.	Numbers.	11,89,354
3.7	Population of scheduled castes & Scheduled tribes.	Numbers.	55,866
3.8	Total workers.		
	i) As cultivators & Agricultural laborers.	Numbers.	4,76,016
	ii) Others.	Numbers.	1,08,245
3.9	Non-workers.	Numbers.	6,04,093
3.10	Literacy percentage.		
	i) Male.	Percentage.	44.81
	ii) Female.	-do-	16.69
	iii) Persons.	-do-	31.20
4. AGRICULTURE.			
4.1	Cultivable area (1964-65)	Hectare.	8,91,212
4.2	Area not available for cultivation.	-do-	72,057
4.3	Area sown (1964-65)		
	i) Net.	-do-	
	ii) Gross.	-do-	7,95,969

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<u>4. AGRICULTURE (Contd.)</u>			
4.4	Area irrigated. (1964-65)		
	i) Net.	Hectare.	5,392
	ii) Gross.	-do-	5,441
4.5	Area under Forests.	-do-	88,842
4.6	Cropped area under food-grains (1964-65)	-do-	4,05,663
4.7	Land Revenue collection (1965-66).	Rs.	13,37,175
<u>5. ANIMAL HUSBANDRY (1966).</u>			
5.1	Live-stock.	Numbers.	8,59,995
5.2	Cattle.	Numbers.	5,62,982
5.3	Buffallow.	Numbers.	90,941
5.4	Sheeps.	Numbers.	26,690
5.5	Goats.	Numbers.	1,65,197
5.6	Horses & Ponies.	Numbers.	4,981
5.7	Other live-stock.	Numbers.	8,902
5.8	Poultry.	Numbers.	13,5,942
5.9	Number of veterinary hospitals & dispensaries.	Numbers.	13
<u>6. INDUSTRIES.</u>			
6.1	Working factories in 1965 (Registered).	-do-	95
6.2	Average daily employment in 1965.	-do-	6,409
<u>7. ELECTRICITY.</u>			
7.1	Electricity generated in 1965-66.	KWH.	1,69,693
7.2	Electricity consumed in 1965-66.	KWH.	466.51
7.3	Number of villages/towns electrified at the end of March 1966.	Numbers.	277
<u>8. CO-OPERATION.</u>			
8.1	Co-operative societies. (all types) 1965-66.	Numbers.	1126
8.2	Membership.	Numbers.	1,90,243
8.3	Working capital.	Lakh Rs.	1145.28
8.4	Loan advanced.	Lakh Rs.	956.94
8.5	Loan advanced by agric. credit societies.	Lakh Rs.	303.18

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9. MEDICAL AND PUBLIC HEALTH.			
9.1	Hospitals.	Numbers.	4
9.2	Dispensaries.		
	1. Allopathic.	Numbers.	38
	2. Ayurvedic.	Numbers.	18
	3. Unani.	Numbers.	-
9.3	No. of beds in hospitals and dispensaries.	Numbers.	756
9.4	Birth rate.	per thousand.	n.a.
9.5	Death rate.		n.a.
10. PRIMARY EDUCATION (1965-66)			
10.1	Primary education.		
	i) Institutions.	Numbers.	143
	ii) Students.	Numbers.	1,12,632
	iii) Teachers.	Numbers.	5345
10.2	Secondary education.		
	i) Institutions.	Numbers.	105
	ii) Students.	Numbers.	40228
	iii) Teachers.	Numbers.	1524
10.3	Higher Education.		
	i) Institutions.	Numbers.	10
	ii) Students.	Numbers.	4417
	iii) Teachers.	Numbers.	173
10.4	Special education.		
	i) Institutions.	Numbers.	15
	ii) Students.	Numbers.	1153
	iii) Teachers.	Numbers.	147
10.5	No. of villages without primary educational facilities.	Numbers.	309
11. TRANSPORT & COMMUNICATION.			
11.1	Total Railway length as on 31-3-66.	Kms.	354.-
11.2	Total extra Municipal Road length.	Kms.	1161.62
11.3	No. of post offices.	Numbers.	315
	No. of telegraph offices.	Numbers.	25

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<u>12. LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT 65-66.</u>			
12.1	Village Panchayats.	Numbers.	902
12.2	Municipalities.	Numbers.	9
<u>13. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.</u>			
13.1	C.P.A. pattern blocks.	Numbers.	13
13.2	Villages included in	Numbers.	1713
13.3	Population covered.	Numbers.	926521
<u>14. P.L.N.</u>			
14.1	Total expenditure at the end of the Second Five year Plan.	Lakh Rs.	1.01
14.2	Total expenditure at the end of Third Five year plan.	Lakh Rs.	407.75
<u>15. MISCELLANEOUS</u>			
15.1	Joint stock companies as on 31-3-66.	Numbers.	144
15.2	Banking offices as on 31st March 66.	Numbers.	40
15.3	<u>Employment exchange. 65-66</u>		
	i) Registration	Numbers.	6666
	ii) Placement	Numbers.	855
	iii) Live register at the end of the year.	Numbers.	49521

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