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AND  
DISTRICT STATISTICAL ABSTRACT  
OF  
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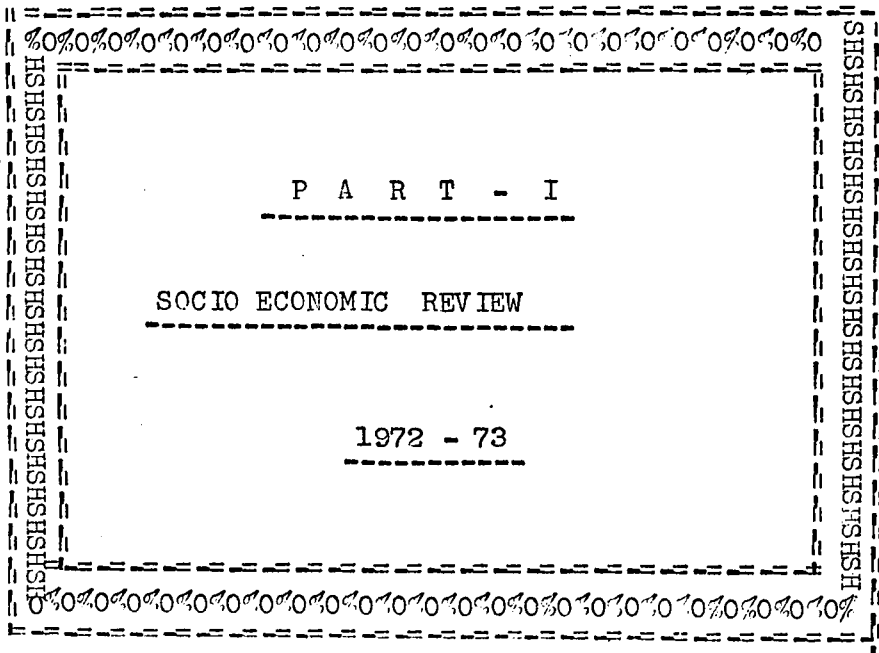
District at a Glance.

Sr. No.	I t e m	Unit	Dist.	Division
1	2	3	4	5
1.	<u>Location:</u>			
1.1	North Latitudes	Degree	15° 36' & 12° 50'	22° 20' & 12° 20'
1.2	East Longitude	"	73° 50' & 74° 36'	72° 45' & 76° 28'
2.	<u>Area and Population:</u> (According to 1971 census)			
2.1	Area	Sq. Km.	13040	70287
2.2	No. of Towns	Numbers	15	95
2.3	No. of villages			
	i) In habited	"	1514	9231
	ii) Uninhabited	"	5	161
2.4	Rural population	"	1823400	9074897
2.5	Urban population	"	167183	2614876
2.6	Total population	"	1990583	11689773
2.7	Population of scheduled castes and scheduled tribes	"	53052	2345003
2.8	Total workers			
	i) As cultivators and Ari-cultural labours.	"	269948	3080133
	ii) Others	"	116246	1182908
2.9	Non workers		500801	7426732
2.10	Literacy Percentage			
	i) Male	Percentage	50.52	50.39
	ii) Female	"	29.64	26.80
	iii) Persons	"	39.83	38.64

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3.	<u>Climate:</u>			
3.1	Rainfall (1972) (Ratnagiri Centre) Mms.		2198	-
3.2	Temperature (1972) ( "-" )			
	a) Maximum (absolute)	Centigrade	37.2	-
	b) Minimum ( "-" )	"	15.1	-
	c) Average	"	26.2	-
4.	<u>Agriculture 1971-72:</u>			
4.1	Cultivable a-rea	Hectare	838300	4237100
4.2	Area not available for cultivation	"	392285	949075
4.3	Area sown : i) Net	"	343865	3154347
	ii) Gross	"	351237	3349235
4.4	Area Irrigated i) Net	"	11654	229710
	ii) Gross	"	11654	321801
4.5	Area under Forests	"	30983	1664582
4.6	Cropped area under food-grains	"	218342	2208352
4.7	Land Revenue collection	Rs. in lakhs	10.79	144.96
5.	<u>Animal Husbandry (1972)</u>			
5.1	Live stock	Numbers	937994	5867669
5.2	Cattle	"	707206	3583307
5.3	Buffaloes	"	140987	729783
5.4	Sheeps	"	1680	2280005
5.5	Goats	"	85562	1266455
5.6	Horses and Ponies	"	40	10431
5.7	Other Live Stock	"	2519	49688
5.8	Poultry	"	1232334	3914885
5.9	Number of Veterinary Hospitals and Dispensaries (1972-73)	"	17	72
6.	<u>Industries:</u>			
6.1	Working Factories in 1972	"	46	1756
6.2	Average Daily Employment in '72	"	2418	161776
7.	<u>Electricity:</u>			
7.1	Electricity consumed in 72-73	Kwh.	18928	1493414
7.2	Number of villages/Towns Electrified at the end of March '73	Number	544/ 15	4140/ 95

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8.	<u>Co-operation</u>			
8.1	Co-operative Societies (all types ) 1972-73	Number	1048	10005
8.2	Membership	Rs. in lakh	278000	51612564.
8.3	Working Capital	Rs. in lakh	228.75	N.A.
8.4	Loan Advanced	"	NA	NA
8.5	Loan advanced by Agrl. credit societies.	"	103.37	3265.58
9.	<u>Medical and Public Health 1972:</u>			
9.1	Hospitals	Number	5	24
9.2	Dispensaries	"	30	275
	i) Aleopathic	"	24	
	ii) Ayurvedic	"	6	
	iii) Unani	"	-	
9.3	No. of Beds in Hospitals and Dispensaries	"	1040	6291
9.4	Birth Rate	Per thousand	19.4	44.55
9.5	Death rate	"	7.28	8.26
9.6	No. of sterilization operation done.	Nos.	6699	121378
10.	<u>Education 1971-72:</u>			
10.1	<u>i) Primary Education</u>			
	i) Institutions	"	2805	12308
	ii) Students	"	346039	1676225
	iii) Teachers	"	10101	48938
10.2	<u>10.2 Secondary Education 1971-72</u>			
	i) Institutions	"	234	1168
	ii) Students	"	50369	377333
	iii) Teachers	"	2174	14686
10.3	<u>10.3 Higher Education 1971-72</u>			
	i) Institutions	"	7	66
	ii) Students	"	3145	36118
	iii) Teachers	"	217	1580
11.	<u>Transport and Communication:</u>			
11.1	Total Railway Length-as on 31-3-1973	Kms.	Nil	1114
11.2	Total Extra Municipal Road length as on 31-3-73	"	5302.84	26358
11.3	No. of post offices, Tele- graph offices as on 31-3-73	Nu.P.O. T.O.	714 93	2435 326

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12.	Local Self Government 1972-73			
	12.1 Village Panchayats	Numbers	1035	5468
	12.2 Municipalities	"	7	56
13.	Community Development 1972-73	"	285.50	144.00
	13.1 C.P.A. Pattern Blocks	"	28.50	144.00
	13.2 Villages included in	"	1527	9398
	13.3 Population covered	"	1867993	9485309
14.	<u>Plan:</u>			
	14.1 Total Expenditure during third plan	Rs. in lakhs	704.41	8884.00
	14.2 Total expenditure during yearly plan:-	"		
	1966-67	"	212.14	1913.15
	1967-68	"	299.17	1542.01
	1968-69	"	371.63	2182.59
14.3	14.3 Total Expenditure during fourth plan.	"		
	1969-70	"	289.37	1716.47
	1970-71	"	325.34	2008.05
	1971-72	"	347.19	2348.18
	1972-73	"	392.55	3559.36
15.	<u>Miscellaneous:</u>			
15.1	Joint stock companies as on 31-3-1972	No.	4	147
15.2	Banking offices in the beginning of 1972	"	89	643
15.3	<u>Employment exchange 1972-73:</u>			
	i) Registration	"	6466	68689
	ii) Placement	"	628	5855
	iii) Live Register at the end of the year	"	9421	97088



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