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BHIR DISTRICT AT A GLANCE.

Sr. No.	Items	Unit	District	Maharashtra State.
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I. LOCATION.				
1.1.	North Latitude	Degree	18 ^o .3 to 19 ^o .3	16 ^o .4 to 22 ^o .1
1.2	East Longitude	"	74 ^o .5 to 76 ^o .6	72 ^o .6 to 80 ^o .9
2. Area and Population.				
(According to 1971 Census).				
2.1.	Area	Sq. Km.	11,227	3,07,762
2.2.	No. of towns	Number	7	289
2.3.	No. of villages	"	1,042	38,661
(i)	Inhabited	"	1,028	35,778
(ii)	Uninhabited	"	14	2,883
2.4.	Rural Population	Thousand Number.	1,137	34,701
2.5.	Urban population.	"	149	15,711
2.6.	Total population.	"	1,286	50,412
2.7.	Population of scheduled cast and scheduled tribes.	"	166	5,980
2.8.	Total workers.	"	453	18,390
(i)	As a cultivator and Agril. Labour	"	381	11,930
(ii)	Others.	"	72	6,460
2.9.	Non-workers.	"	833	32,022
2.10.	Literacy percentage.			
(i)	Male	%	36.25	51.04
(ii)	Female	%	11.17	26.43
(iii)	Persons	%	24.01	39.18
3. Climate				
3.1.	Rainfall (1973)	mms.	754	622 to
3.2.	Temperature (1972)			6,226
(a)	Maximum (absolute)	Centigrade	43.4	45.7
(b)	Minimum	"	4.4	8.0

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	4. Agriculture 1971-72 *			
	4.1. Cultivable area	Thousand hect. are.	1,009 xx	21,183
	4.2. Area not available for cultivation.	"	45	4,193
	4.3. Area sown.	"		
	(i) Net	"	786	17,288
	(ii) Gross	"	812	18,277
	4.4. Area irrigated.	"		
	(i) Net	"	53	1,419
	(ii) Gross	"	66	1,651
	4.5. Area under forest(71-72)	"	22	5,383
	4.6. Cropped area under food grains 1972-73	"	465	10,501
	4.7. Land Revenue collection 1971-72	Thousand Rs.	xxx 39	59,119
	5. Animal Husbandary. 1972.			
	5.1. Livestock	Thousand Numbers		
	5.2. Cattle	"	986	26,361
	5.3. Buffaloes	"	550	14,705
	5.4. Sheeps	"	98	3,301
	5.5. Goats	"	87	2,128
	5.6. Horses and Ponies.	"	238	5,911
	5.7. Other Live stock	"	4	58
	5.8. Foultry.	"	9	258
	5.9. No. of veterinary Hospital and Dispensaries(1973-74) (including branches)	"	222	12,217
	5.9. No. of veterinary Hospital and Dispensaries(1973-74) (including branches)	Number	8	360
	6. Industries 1972			
	6.1. Working Factories.	Number	27	10,382 *
	6.2. Average daily employe- ment (1972)	"	725	10,06,941 *

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1	2	3	4	5
7. Electricity				
7.1.	Electricity consumed in 1972-73.	M.KWH. M.KWH.	14	8,814
7.2.	No. of villages/towns electrified at the end of March 1974.	Number	431	17,558
8. Co-operation (1972-73)				
8.1.	Co-operative societies (All type)	"	1,101	45,740 *
8.2.	Membership.	Thousand No.	137	9,471 *
8.3.	Working capital.	Lakh	1,981	2,07,795 *
8.4.	Loan advanced	" Rs.	1,344	1,49,660 *
8.5.	Loan advanced by agricultural credit societies.	"	1,198	16,080 *
9. Medical and Public health 1972				
9.1.	Hospitals	Number	2	299
9.2.	Dispensaries.	"	21	1,372
	(i) Allopathic	"	8	N.A.
	(ii) Ayurvedic.	"	8	N.A.
	(iii) Unani.	"	5	N.A.
9.3.	No. of beds in Hospitals and Dispensaries.	"	608	43,823
9.4.	Birth rate	Per thousand	16.7	26.0
9.5.	Death rate	"	6.8	9.6
9.6.	No. of sterilisation operation done.	Number	25,147	6,09,391
10. Education 1972-73 * 15 th July 1973				
10.1. Primary Education.				
	(i) Institutions.	Number	1,501	46,880 *
	(ii) Students.	Thousand No.	106	7,038 *
	(iii) Teachers	"	4	198 *
10.2. Secondary Education 15th July 1973.				
	(i) Institutions.	Number	158	5,875 *
	(ii) Students.	Thousand	43	2,432 *
	(iii) Teachers.	" No.	2	92 *

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1	2	3	4	5
10.3. Higher Education 15th July 1973.				
(i)	Institutions	Number	13	679 *
(ii)	Students.	Thousand No.	7	438 *
(iii)	Teachers.	"	0.3	N.A.
11. Transport and Communication				
11.1.	Total Railway length as on 31-3-1972.	Km.	48	5,226
11.2.	Total Extra Municipal Ro- ad length as on March-1973	Km.	3,085	1,38,655
11.3.	No. of post offices.	Number	258	9,219
(b)	Telegraph offices as on March 1973.	"	12	1,011
12. Local Self Government.				
12.1.	Village Panchayat 1972-73	Number	906	23,013
12.2.	Municipalities (including Corporations) 1973-74.	"	7	227
13. Community Development, 1973-74				
13.1.	C.F.A. pattern blocks	Number	12.50	450.50
13.2.	Village included in.	"	1,042	38,716
13.3.	Population covered	Lakh Number	11	351
14. Plan.				
14.1.	Total expenditure during Third Plan.	Rs. in lakhs	434.13	43,473.00
14.2.	Total expenditure during yearly plan.	"		
	1966-67	"	143.30	11,562.00
	1967-68	"	157.44	12,362.41
	1968-69	"	194.98	14,634.80

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	14.3. Total expenditure during 4 th Plan 1969-70.	Rs. in lakhs	158.70	14,610.44
	1970-71	"	187.45	17,092.17
	1971-72	"	235.38	19,996.58
	1972-73	"	349.98	21,764.45
	1973-74 (Estimated)	"	254.19	25,041.00
	15. Miscellaneous.			
	15.1. Joint stock companies as on 31-3-1973.	Number	-	7,676 *
	15.2. Banking offices in beginning of 31 st March 1973.	"	54	3,072
	15.3. Employment Exchange (1973-74).			
	(i) Registration.	"	6,497	4,43,347
	(ii) Placement.	"	835	44,731
	(iii) Live Registers at the end of the year xx as on 31-3-1974.	"	10,122	7,01,523

Note:- * Provisional.

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