

Annexure – 2.1**Socio-economic Profile of Balangir District**

Sl	Item of Information	Information
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	Location	
	(a) Longitude (in Degree)	- 82 ⁰ 41' to 83 ⁰ 42' E
	(b) Latitude (in Degree)	- 20 ⁰ 9' to 21 ⁰ 05' N
2	Geographical area (sq. km.)	- 6575.0
3	No. of Sub-Divisions	- 3
4	No of Tahsils	- 3
5	No of CD Blocks	- 14
6	Municipalities	- 1
7	NACs	- 8
8	Police Stations	- 13
9	Gram Panchayats	- 285
10	Total Villages	- 1792
	(a) Inhabited Villages	- 1761
	(b) Un-inhabited Villages	- 31
11	Normal annual rainfall (in mm.)	- 1443.5
12	Total Households (2001)	- 303,385
13	No of Rural Households (2001)	- 272,975
14	Total population (2001)	- 1,337,194
	(a) Males	- 673,985
	(b) Females	- 663,209
15	Children, 0 – 6 yrs (2001)	- 188,674
	(a) Males	- 97,431
	(b) Females	- 94,243
16	% of SCs to total population (2001)	- 16.92
17	% of STs to total population (2001)	- 20.63
18	Overall literacy rate (%)	- 54.93
	(a) Males	- 70.36
	(b) Females	- 39.27

19	Total workers	-	559,750
	(a) Males	-	371,425
	(b) Females	-	188,325
20	Total main workers	-	351,689
	(a) Males	-	299,209
	(b) Females	-	52,480
21	Land Use Pattern (2000- 01: in ha)		
	(i) Forest area	-	43,761
	(ii) Miscellaneous tree crops and groves	-	796
	(iii) Permanent pasture	-	37,544
	(iv) Culturable waste	-	18,868
	(v) Land put to non-agricultural use	-	46,479
	(vi) Barren and uncultivable waste	-	13,349
	(vii) Current fallow	-	78,255
	(viii) Other fallow	-	17,868
	(ix) Net area sown	-	280,527
22	Operational Holdings	-	30,590
	(a) Small Holdings	-	7,325
	(b) Marginal Holdings	-	19,620
23	Area under Paddy (in ha): 2000-01	-	130,527
	(a) Total productions of paddy (qtls)	-	808,779
	(b) Yield rate of Paddy (qtls / ha)	-	6.20
	(i) Highest (Titlagarh Block)	-	10.31
	(ii) Lowest (Belpada Block)	-	2.19
24	Health Infrastructure:		
	(a) District Headquarter Hospital	-	1
	(b) Sub-Divisional Hospital	-	2
	(c) Other Hospitals	-	8
	(d) Community Health Centre	-	5
	(e) Primary Health Centre (Old)	-	10
	(f) Primary Health Centre (New)	-	38
	(g) Mobile Health Unit (MHU)	-	15
	(h) Homeopathic Dispensaries	-	16
	(i) Ayurvedic Dispensaries	-	29
25	Percentage of families below poverty line – BPL Census: 2002	-	61.06
26	No of Anganwadi Centres	-	1261