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Sir,

You may be aware that the Office of Registrar General and Census Commissioner, India is conducting Decennial Census for last 140 years and the mapping has been an integral part of Census taking. The Organisation has emerged as largest producer of thematic maps in the country. The mapping activities for pre-Census period involve the preparation and updating of the maps showing administrative units of the states, districts, sub-districts showing villages, towns, wards in towns for proper coverage of the entire geographical area of the country.

The post Census activity comprises the preparation of thematic maps on Census Data. All these maps are available not only to the Census Organisation but also to other user agencies, academicians, planners, researchers, students and also policy makers. Various Atlases have been brought out by the Organisation and a Brochure on it is enclosed herewith. It would be appreciated if the Brochure is circulated among the academic faculty of the University.

With regards,

Yours faithfully

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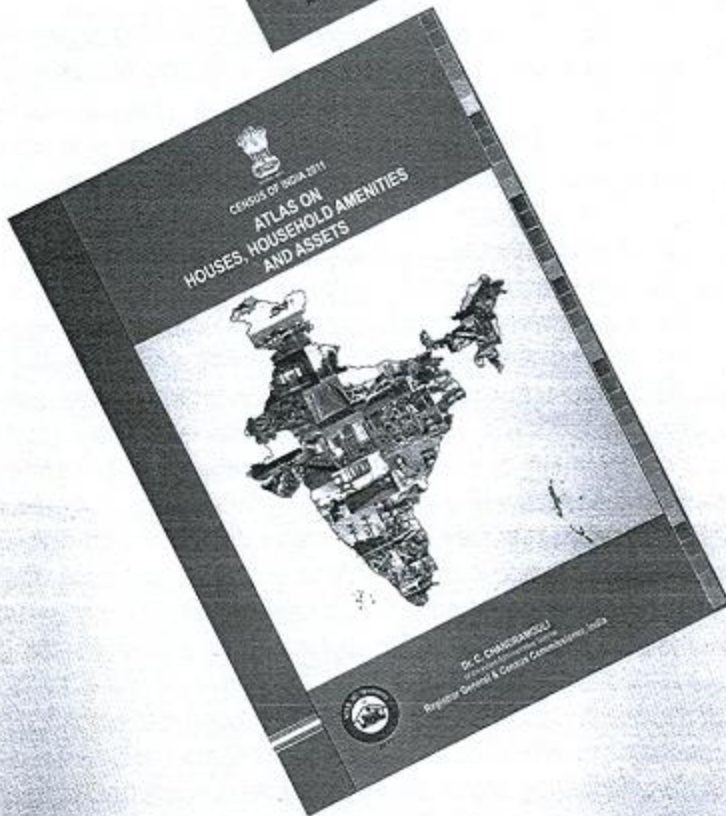
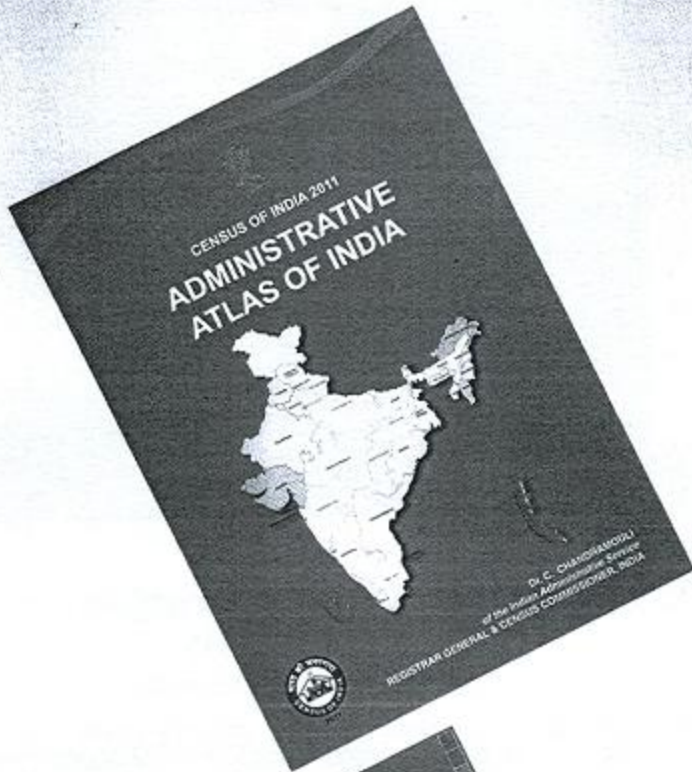
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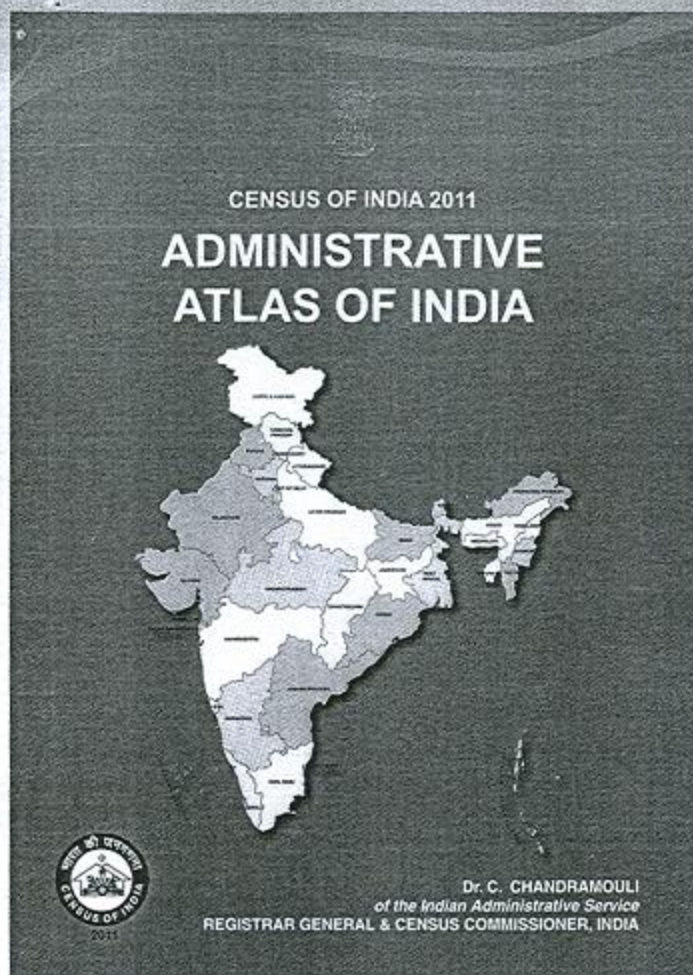
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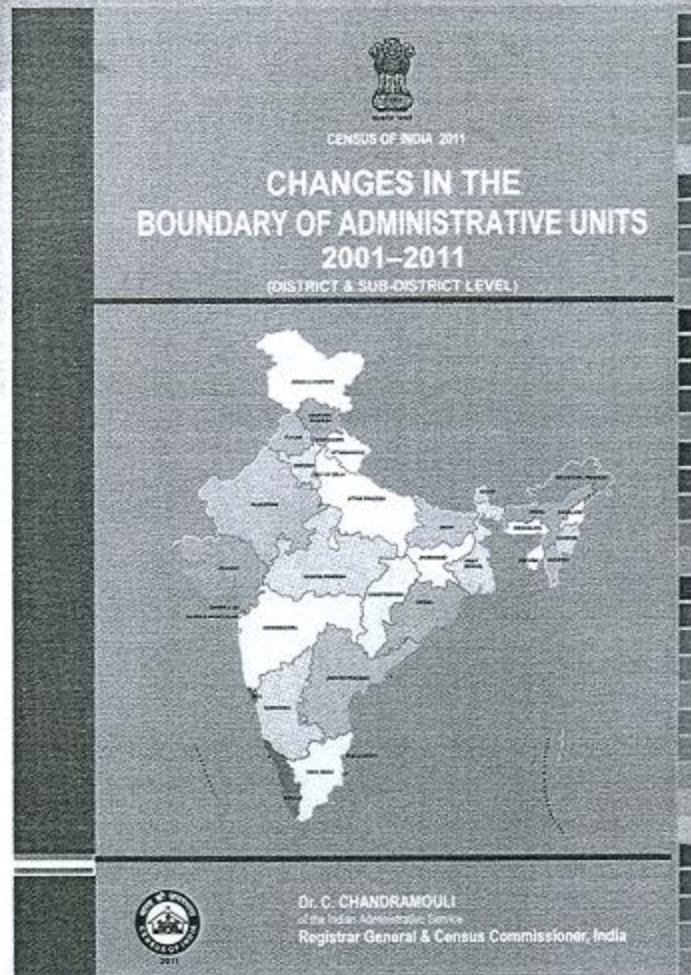


Administrative Atlas of India-2011

India has a proud tradition of conducting decennial Census for last 140 years. The preparation of latest administrative unit maps has also been an integral part of the Census to have a complete enumeration of the entire country. These maps are also published in the form of Administrative Atlas.

This volume contains the latest administrative set up in the country as existed on 1st January, 2010. There are 35 States/Union Territories in the country. No new State or Union Territory has been formed since 2001. However, there have been significant changes in the number of Districts since the last Census. Forty seven new Districts have been created during this decade taking the total number of Districts from 593 to 640. A map has been specially added to depict the newly created Districts during the period from Census 2001 to 2011. A list of newly created Districts and from where these have been carved out is also given in the table. An added feature is that the name of the District and the Sub-district are written within the respective boundaries for instant view. A separate list is also included on the left side of the State map for better clarity. Out of forty seven newly created Districts in the country, majority of these are in Jammu & Kashmir (8), Jharkhand (6), Madhya Pradesh (5), Assam (4), Punjab, Arunachal Pradesh, Karnataka and Nagaland (3 each). Two Districts each are created in Haryana, Tamil Nadu and Chhattisgarh. The States where only one District is created are Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, West Bengal, Gujarat and Andaman & Nicobar Islands.

The Atlas also contains fifteen maps showing the administrative divisions of India as existed from 1872 to 2011. The first map in the series depicts the administrative boundaries that existed at the time of the 1872 Census. The other maps in the series portray the boundaries in the respective Censuses. An attempt has been made to show the changes in the administrative boundaries during each decade separately beginning from the Census 1951. Besides the maps of the respective decades, the names of administrative units from 1872 to 2011 are also presented.

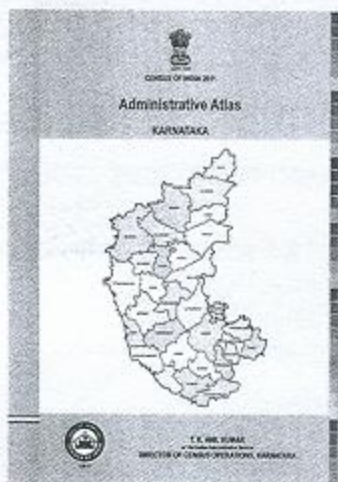
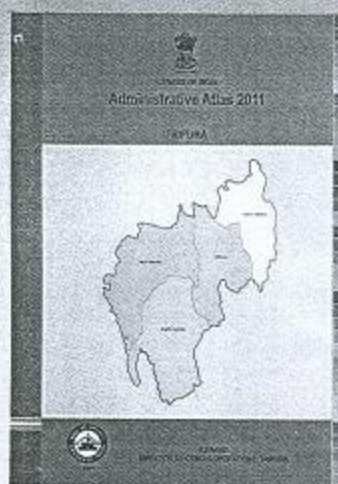


Atlas on Changes in the Boundary of Administrative Units 2001-2011 (District & Sub-district level)

After Census 2001, several jurisdictional changes have taken place at District, Sub-district, Town and Village levels. As part of preparations for Census activities, all such changes that have taken place after 2001 are incorporated on the maps in order to have a complete and updated maps on Administrative Units in the country.

The Atlas contains the map plates and tables on changes in administrative set up in the country at District and Sub-district level. There has been a significant change in number of Districts since 2001. Forty seven new Districts have been created during a span of ten years and total numbers of Districts are now 640. Similarly, 465 new Sub-districts have also been created and 4 Sub-districts have been merged since last decade. Thus, total Sub-districts are now 5924. In many districts, there is no creation of new Sub-district but one of its Sub-district is fully/partly transferred to another District which has also been depicted on maps by different colour shade pattern and also in the table. A unique feature of this Atlas is that one can easily find out from the map itself that from where a newly created District or Sub-district has been carved out. The darker colour shade depicts the newly created District or Sub-district and the lighter shade of the same color depicts the area from where it has been carved out. The colour scheme is also in line with the concept of donor and recipient. The map also depict the areas which have been transferred partly from one District to another or from one Sub-district to another by different hatching patterns.

The tables of Administrative units at a glance depicting the area, number of Districts, Sub-districts, Villages and Towns in India and in each state is placed on a separator sheet before each chapter for the jurisdictional changes. A photograph of respective State/Ut is also depicted. Separate Map at District and Sub-district levels are also given along with the concordance list of location codes of Districts and Sub-districts during 2001 and 2011. A consolidated summary of the States/Uts is given at the end of the table.



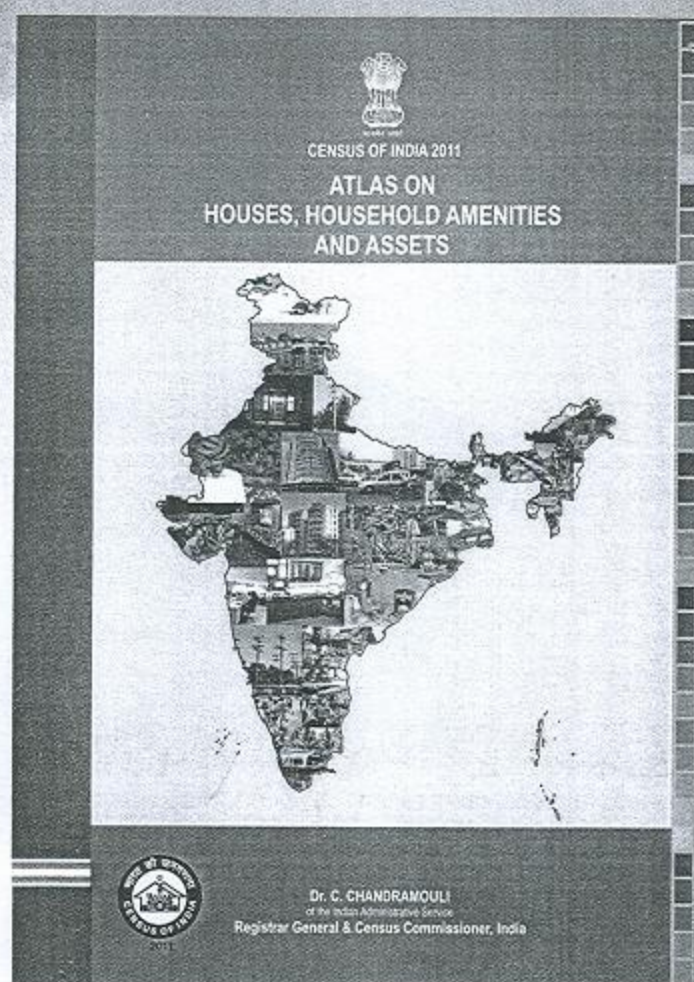
State Administrative Atlases-2011

State Administrative Atlases - 2011 have the updated maps of States showing Districts, Districts showing Sub-districts and Sub-district showing Villages and Towns along with their location code numbers. The Location Code Directory provides unique codes for every administrative unit of the country from the Village upwards.

Each Atlas volume has three parts. In Part-I, a map plate is placed to reflect the position of the State in India followed by State maps showing present jurisdiction and changes in the boundary of Administrative Units up to Sub-district level during 2001-2011, if any. Part-II contains the maps showing the evolution of States/Union Territories during the previous decades at District level. Part-III contains the individual District and Sub-district level maps of the respective States/Union Territories showing location code as adopted in Census 2011. A concordance table of Location Codes used in Census 2011(MDDS) and 2001(PLCN) is also given.

The coding system consists of the State/Union Territory code of 2 digits (starting from 01 and continuous within India) and a 3 digit code for districts (starting from 001 and continuous within India). The sub-district code consists of 5 digits (starting from 00001 and continuous within India) and the Village code consists of 6 digits (starting from 000001 and continuous within India). Notified urban areas (Towns) have been assigned a separate series of 6 digit code numbers (starting from 800001 and continuous within India).

Different colour schemes and hatching patterns are adopted in this Atlas for easy identification of rural, urban and forest areas. Rural area is shown by light yellow, urban area by light red and forest area by light green. Census Towns and Outgrowths of urban areas are given red colour hatching to differentiate between Statutory town and Census town. In the Map, placing the full six digit Location Code for all the villages was a constraint, therefore, first and last village code in each Sub-district is depicted in six digits and in rest of the villages, the codes are depicted with last three digits only. Besides the administrative boundaries, National and State highways, Other important roads, Railway lines and Water bodies are other value additions.



Atlas on Houses, Household Amenities and Assets-2011

The present Atlas on "Houses, Household Amenities and Assets" at National level is a snapshot of the data collected during House Listing and Housing Census in Census 2011.

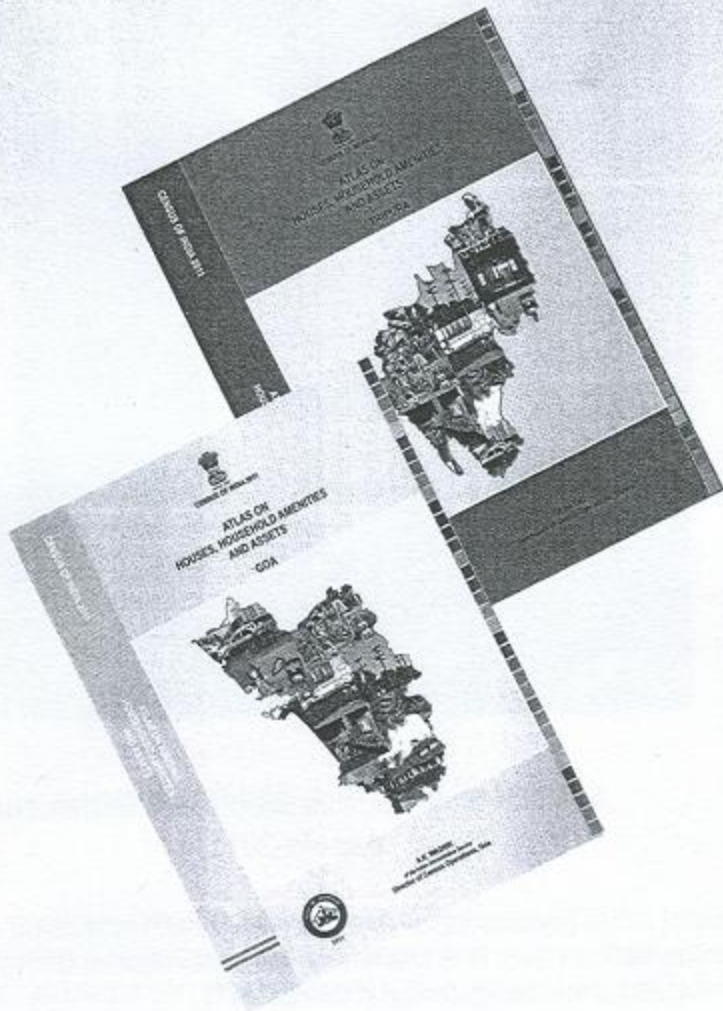
The Atlas has three sections, i.e., the General Section where the Administrative set up of the country as on 1st January, 2010 is shown in the 'Administrative Divisions 2011' map of India. This map is for reference and guidance of the data users in locating the Districts depicting integrated information on houses, amenities and assets. In the second section of the Atlas, fifty one maps are included presenting the spatial distribution of the data at the State/Union Territory level. The themes of the maps included in this section depicts the condition of the Census houses, number of dwelling rooms, sources of drinking water, lighting, fuel used for cooking and availability of toilet facility. In the third section, which is the major part of the Atlas, seventy seven maps are included to depict various houses, households amenities and assets at the District level. Each map represents a particular spatial characteristic. For example, three maps depict good, livable and dilapidated condition of Census houses, three maps are on the number of dwelling rooms available to the households and two on tenure status. Similarly, the sources of drinking water and lighting, availability of bathroom and kitchen, type of fuel used for cooking, access to banking facility, ownership of various assets such as radio/transistor, telephone, television, bicycle, car, etc. are shown separately at the District level.

In all the plates of section-II and section-III, three maps are shown in each plate. These maps show entire housing condition, amenities and assets data at 'Total, Rural and Urban levels'. A unique feature of this Atlas is that 2001 and 2011 maps are placed side by side for comparability. Census 2001 maps are based on the data re-casted on the administrative jurisdiction of the Census 2011.

The brief highlights on different indicators including the related diagrams and graphs as the appendix makes the Atlas more meaningful for the data users.

FORTHCOMING ATLASES

HOUSING ATLASES -2011 STATE SERIES



The State Housing Atlases on Houses, Household amenities and Assets are also being prepared based on the Housing data of Census -2011. These Atlases also have three sections, i.e., the General Section where the Administrative set up of the country as on 1st January, 2010 is shown in the 'Administrative Divisions 2011' map. This map is for reference and guidance of the data users in locating the Districts/Sub-districts depicting integrated information on housing condition, amenities and assets data. In the second section of the Atlas, maps are included presenting the spatial distribution of the data at the district level. The themes included in this section depicts the condition of the Census houses, number of dwelling rooms, sources of drinking water, lighting, fuel used for cooking and availability of toilet facility. In the third section, maps are included to depict various housing condition, households amenities and assets at the Sub-district level. Each map represents a particular spatial characteristic. For example, maps depict good, livable and dilapidated condition of Census houses, number of dwelling rooms available to the households and tenure status. Similarly, the sources of drinking water and lighting, availability of bathroom and kitchen, type of fuel used for cooking, access to banking facility, ownership of various assets such as radio/transistor, telephone, television, bicycle, car, etc. are shown separately at the Sub-district level.

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