

ABOHAR

Abohar C.D. Block lies in the southern most part of Firozpur district. It is a part of Abohar tehsil.

The Block is located at a distance of 120 kms. from district headquarters (Firozpur). There are 58 villages in the block with the total population of 187866 persons. Area of the C.D. Block is 890.10 sq. km. It is bounded by CD Block Khuian Sarwar and district Muktsar on north, the state of Rajasthan on south, district Muktsar on east, and CD Block Khuian Sarwar on west.

Communication :

Roadways : NH-10: Nearest Villages- Abohar (Rural), Surj Moharwala. NH-15: Nearest Villages- Basian, Gobindgarh, Chanan Khera, Baluana. SH-14: Nearest Villages-Amarpura, Rajpura, Wahabwala, Ramsara, Azimgarh.

Railway Station: Abohar (Rural), Basian.

Annual Rainfall: Average Rainfall 389 mm.

Ground Water: Availability of the ground water in the Basin is 13823.69 HAM and the utilization is 3802.62 HAM. It belongs to Safe category. Depth to water level varies from 4 to 14 meter below the ground. Most of the wells go down in summer months, according to the Ground Water Estimation Committee.

Soil : Sierozem Soil, Desert Soil.

Natural Division : Upland Plain, Sand dunes tract, Younger Flood Plain, Active Flood Plain.

Administration:

Parliamentary Constituency: 10 Firozpur. District: Firozpur. Tehsil: Abohar. Assembly Constituency: 81 Abohar, 82 Balluana (SC). Gram Panchayat: (NA).

Border Villages : (Rajasthan)- Nearest Villages- Shergarh, Waryam Khera, Patti Amra Urf Patti Sadiq, Sherewala, Rajpura, Dodewala, Kularan, Rampura, Narainpura, Bazidpura.

Villages: 58 **Inhabited:** 58 **Uninhabited:** 0

Ranking	District	State	National
Area	1	2	566
Population	1	6	890
Sex Ratio	8	131	6028
Child Sex Ratio	7	54	6164
Literacy Rate	5	111	3772
Density	1	30	4573
Work Participation Rate	8	136	3794

Gram Panchayats:

Ahmadpura / Wahabwala, Amar Pura
Azim Abad/ Jhurarkhera, Bahadar Khera, Bahangala
Bahawalbasi, Balluana, Bazidpur Bhaman, Bhagsar
Bhagu, Bishan Pura, Burj Hanumangarh
Burj Muhar Colony, Burj Muharwala, Chak Kala Tiba

Chak Radhewala, Chanan Khera, Dhaban Kokrian
Dhani Aroor Singh, Dhani Bisesar Nath
Dhani Karaka Singh, Dhani Karnail Singh
Dhani Latkan, Dhani Mandla, Dhani Safi
Dhani Sucha Singh, Dhani Thakur Singh, Dharangwala
Dhingan Wali, Dodewala, Dotaranwali, Gaddan Dob
Ghuriana, Gobindgarh, Himat Pura, Jhumian Wali
Jodh Pura, Kacha Seed Farm, Kala Tiba
Kand Wala Amar Kot, Kera Khera, Khairpura, Khatwan
Khetwan Mamu Khera, Khubban, Khui Khera / Rukanpura
Kikar Khera / Gulabgarh, Kularan, Kundal, Maluk Pur
Mamu Khera, Meharana / Mehraj Pura, Modi Khera
Murad Wala Dal Singh, Narain Pura, Pacca Seed Farm
Patti Teja, Patti Umra / Sadiqpura, Rai Pura
Rajanwali, Rajpura, Ram Sara /Nathu Sara, Ramgarh
Rampura, Ruhrianwali, Sardar Pur, Sherewala
Shergarh, Sito Gunno, Sukhchain, Waryam Khera.

Amenities:

Education: Primary School in 58 villages, Middle school in 49 villages, Matriculation or Secondary School in 20 villages, namely Muradwala Dalsingh, Jhumianwali, Shergarh, Waryam Khera, Patti Amra Urf Patti Sadiq, Abohar (Rural), Roherianwali, Ramsara, Basian, Dharangwala, Kundal, Bhangala, Gaddan Doab, Bahadar Khera, Raipura, Rajanwali, Sito Gunno, Bhagu, Rampura, Bazidpura.

Higher Secondary or Pre University Courses or Intermediate or Junior College in 7 villages of the CD Block,, namely Shergarh, Waryam Khera, Abohar (Rural), Bhangala, Bahadar Khera, Bhagu, Bazidpura.

College in 1 village, Adult Literacy Center in 5 villages., College is in village, namely Jhurur Khera.

Medical: Hospital in 4 villages, Dispensary in 28 villages, Health Center in 10 villages, Sub Center in 15 villages, Maternity and Child Welfare Center in 5 villages, Community health workers in 1 village.

The villages having Hospital or Dispensary or Health Center are Burj Hanumangarh, Jhumianwali, Mamu Khera, Dhinganwali, Waryam Khera, Rukanpura Urf Khui Khera, Abohar (Rural), Roherianwali, Kandhwala Amarkot, Khatwan, Sherewala, Ramsara, Azimgarh, Gobindgarh, Dharangwala, Kundal, Bhangala, Ramgarh, Baluana, Malukpura, Raipura, Rajanwali, Dotarianwali, Sito Gunno, Dodewala, Kularan, Khubban, Modi Khera.

Drinking Water: Tap water in 53 villages, Tank water in 1 villages, Well water in 3 villages, Tubewell in 12 villages and more than one source in 50 villages.

Bank: Banking facility in 15 villages, namely, Ghurianan, Jhumianwali, Shergarh, Waryam Khera Abohar (Rural), Roherianwali, Khatwan, Basian

Bhangala, Gaddan Doab, Bahadar Khera, Rajanwali Sukchain, Rampura, Bazidpura. Credit Society in 39 villages Agricultural Credit Society in 38 Non-Agricultural Credit Society in 0 village.

Others: Power supply in 58 villages, Cinema hall in 1 village, sport club in 5 villages, Stadium or Auditorium or Community Hall in 2 villages, Post Office in 41 villages. There are 58 villages having bus facilities.

Villages with most of facilities: Ghurianan Jhumianwali, Shergarh, Waryam Khera, Abohar (Rural) Roherianwali, Khatwan, Basian, Bhangala, Gaddan Doab Bahadar Khera, Rajanwali, Sukchain, Rampura Bazidpura.

Villages without Amenities (Education): None.. **Scheduled Castes:** Out of the total population of 187866 persons, 52491 persons (27.94%) belong to Scheduled Castes. The villages having less than 10% SC population are None..

The villages having more than 50% SC population are Ghurianan, Burj Hanumangarh, Bahadar Khera Sardarpura.

Sex ratio of Scheduled Caste population is 460.

Scheduled Castes Literates and Illiterates by Sex:

	Persons	Males	Females
Literate	15,332	10,570	4,762
Illiterate	37,159	17,766	19,393
Literacy rate	35.2	44.9	23.7
Graduate	104	93	11

Scheduled Castes (Dominant):

Mazhabi, Megh, Bazigar, Chamar etc., Balmiki etc.

For their cultural identity please see Appendix-I

Villages without Scheduled Castes: There are 0 village without any scheduled caste population.

Scheduled Tribes: Out of the total population of 187866 persons, 0 persons (0%) belong to Scheduled Tribes.

The villages having less than 10% ST population are Ghurianan, Muradwala Dalsingh, Burj Hanumangarh Jhumianwali, Mamu Khera, Shergarh, Dhinganwali Waryam Khera, Patti Amra Urf Patti Sadiq Jhurur Khera, Rukanpura Urf Khui Khera Abohar (Rural), Roherianwali, Surj Moharwala Kikar Khera, Kandhwala Amarkot, Amarpura, Khatwan Sherewala, Rajpura, Wahabwala, Ramsara, Kala Tibba Azimgarh, Basian, Gobindgarh, Patti Taja Dharangwala, Kundal, Bhangala, Ramgarh, Gaddan Doab Chanan Khera, Baluana, Kera Khera, Malukpura Jodhpura, Bahadar Khera, Dhaban Kokarian, Raipura Rajanwali, Dotarianwali, Sardarpura, Mehrajpur Sito Gunno, Sukchain, Khairpur, Dhagsar, Bhagu Dodewala, Kularan, Rampura, Narainpura, Bishanpura

Himatpura, Khubban, Modi Khera, Bazidpura. The villages having more than 50% ST population are None.

Villages without Scheduled Tribes: There are 58 villages without any scheduled tribe population.

Literates and Illiterates by Sex (Total Population):

	Persons	Males	Females
Literate	87,192	56,104	31,088
Illiterate	100,674	45,338	55,336
Literacy rate	54	65	42
Graduate	2,251	1,738	513

Agriculture: Distribution of villages according to land use:

Out of 58 villages, Total area (in hectare) is 89010, out of that 89.28 percent is cultivable and 91.35 percent of the cultivable area is irrigated.

Sources of Irrigation (Hectares): Government Canal 72068, Private Canal 0, Well without Electricity 0, Well with Electricity 0, Tubewell without Electricity 11, Tubewell with Electricity 514, Tank 0, River 0, Lake 0, Waterfall 0, Others 0.

Villages with population of 5000 to 9999:

Kandhwala Amarkot, Gobindgarh, Baluana.

Villages with population of 10000 and above:

Abohar (Rural).

Distribution of Workers:

	Persons	Males	Females	WPR
Cultivators	26,921	21,271	5,650	33.71
Agricultural Labourers	29,727	20,317	9,410	37.23
Household Industry	1,280	694	586	1.6
Other Workers	21,923	15,014	6,909	27.45
Main Workers	64,668	53,710	10,958	80.99
Marginal Workers	15,183	3,586	11,597	19.01
Total Workers	79,851	57,296	22,555	

Religion: Major Religious Communities:

	Persons	Males	Females	Sex Ratio
Hindu (63.05%)	118,453	64,247	54,206	844
Muslim (0.17%)	314	209	105	502
Christian (0.18%)	347	213	134	629
Sikh (36.54%)	68,650	36,719	31,931	870
Buddhists (0.04%)	70	36	34	944
Jain (0.02%)	31	17	14	824

Age-wise Data:

	Persons	Males	Females	Sex Ratio
All ages	187,866	101,442	86,424	852
0-14	64,674	35,142	29,532	840
15-44	90,390	49,461	40,929	828
45-79	30,399	15,643	14,756	943
80+	1,795	866	929	1073
Age not stated	608	330	278	842

Languages (Dominant):

Punjabi, Hindi, Tamil, Bengali, Malayalam

Disabled Population:

	Persons	Males	Females	%
Total Disabled	2,977	1,800	1,177	
In Seeing	753	391	362	25.29

In Speech	184	106	78	6.18
In Hearing	190	95	95	6.38
In Movement	1,424	932	492	47.83
Mentally	426	276	150	14.31