

Occupation Codes

1. Village administrators

- 10 Village administrative officer
- 11 Village assistant
- 12 Panchayat secretary
- 13 Other village official

2. Government workers

- 20 Military
- 21 Policeman
- 22 Postman
- 23 Senior official
- 24 Scientific/technical staff
- 25 Administrative/clerical staff
- 26 Menial staff/peon
- 27 Other government worker

3. Professionals and technicians

- 30 Nurse
- 31 Doctor
- 32 Engineer
- 33 Computer professional
- 34 Teacher/professor/lecturer
- 35 Lawyer
- 36 Accountant
- 37 Priest
- 38 Other professional or technician

4. Businessmen

- 40 Shopkeeper or merchant, wholesale
- 41 Shopkeeper or merchant, retail
- 42 Contractor
- 43 Chemist
- 44 Hotel or restaurant keeper
- 45 Money lender or pawn broker
- 46 Factory owner
- 47 Roadside hawker/vendor
- 48 Real estate
- 49 Other businessman

5. Craftsmen

- 50 Tailor
- 51 Potter
- 52 Blacksmith
- 53 Carpenter
- 54 Spinner, weaver, knitter, or dyer
- 55 Goldsmith
- 56 Barber
- 57 Mason
- 58 Cobbler
- 59 Tanner
- 510 Plumber
- 511 Painter
- 512 Electrician
- 513 Garland maker
- 514 Mechanic
- 515 Other craftsman

6. Clerical

- 60 Clerk/typist/book-keeper
- 61 Administrator
- 62 Peon
- 63 Telephone operator
- 64 Other clerical

7. Production and transport

- 70 Manufacturing worker or indust. laborer
- 71 Beedi maker
- 72 Assembler
- 73 Printing worker
- 74 Loader or unloader
- 75 Transport equipment operator
- 76 Bus conductor
- 77 Bus driver
- 78 Auto driver
- 79 Taxi driver
- 710 Lorry driver
- 711 Construction worker
- 712 Day laborer
- 713 Other production and transport

8. Farmers, fishermen, & other primary sect.

- 80 Landlord
- 81 Farm manager or supervisor
- 82 Cultivator
- 83 Agricultural wage laborer
- 84 Poultry or dairy worker
- 85 Forestry worker
- 86 Hunter
- 87 Fisherman
- 88 Other primary sector

9. Sales and services

- 90 Salesman
- 91 Shop assistant
- 92 Maid
- 93 Cook
- 94 Driver
- 95 Dhobi
- 96 Restaurant or canteen worker
- 97 Sweeper or cleaner
- 98 Watchman or security services
- 99 Other sales and services

10. Manager

- 100 Wholesale or retail trade
- 101 Financial institutions or banks
- 102 Construction and manufacturing
- 103 Transport and communication
- 104 Other manager

11. Unpaid or not working

- 111 Child not of school-going age
- 112 Student
- 113 Housewife
- 114 Unemployed
- 115 Retired