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**Brief Industrial Profile of Karimganj District**



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**MICRO, SMALL & MEDIUM ENTERPRISES**

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## **Brief Industrial Profile of karimganj District.**

1. **General Characteristics of the District :** Karimganj District is located in the Southern tip of Assam-a state in the North eastern corner of India.Together with two neighbouring District-Cachar & Hailakandi,it constitutes the Barak valley Zone in Southern Assam. Total Area of the District is 1809 Sq.Kms,which comprises varied geographical features like agricultural plains,shallow wetlands,hilly terrains & forests.Total forest cover of the District is more than 54,504 hectare.That is about 30% of the total geographical area covered by forest.

**LOCATION & GEOGRAPHICAL AREA :** The geographical location of the Karimganj District in between longitudes 92 15 & 92 35 East and latitudes 24 15 & 25 55 North.The District is bounded on the North by Bangladesh & cachar District,on the South by Mizoram & Tripura State,on the West by Bangladesh & Tripura and East by Hailakandi District.Total Geographical area of the District is 1809 Sq.Kms.

**TOPOGRAPHY :** The District topography shows the positional features of the District,showing its Border with various states and district located in the North Eastern part of India. The Prime geographical character that form the topographical features of Karimganj District, a part of Barak valley,The river spreads its alluvial plains across the Length and Breadth .The paddy field of the district are specially blessed by the river.being divided into several rivulets & streams,the river as a whole makes the land suitable for agricultural production.Adding the alluvial soil, river directly helps in increasing the crop growth.

**AVAILABILITY OF MINERALS :** No Major or Minor mineral of economic use is available

### **PRODUCTION OF MINERAL 2010 - 2011**

S. NO	NAME OF MINERAL	PRODUCTION in tones 2010 -2011
MAJOR MINERAL		
1.	NIL	NIL
MINOR		
1.	NIL	NIL

Source:- DEPT OF MINES & GEOLOGY.

- 1.4 **FOREST :** The total forest cover of the district is more than 54,504 hectare.The forest comprises of 48057.303 hectare of reserved forest & 6489.09 hectare of proposed reserve forests.The total forest area does not include unclassified state forests

- 1.5 **ADMINISTRATIVE SET UP** ; Karimganj is one of the 27<sup>th</sup> District of Assam,headed by Deputy Commissioner ,it Comprises only one Sub-Division,which is also names as karimganj.Below this level there are 05 Revenue Circle (Tehsils) namely Karimganj,Badarpur,Nilam Bazar,Patharkandi & R.K.Nagar.Furthermore from the Development angle,the District is divided into 07 C.D Block-North karimganj,South Karimganj,Badarpur,Patharkandi,R.K.Nagar,Dullavcherra, & Lowairpoa.Below the Blocl level set up there are 96 Gaon Panchyat each comprising about 10 villages on the average and governed by local Self bodies.

## 2. **DISTRICT AT A GLANCE**

S. No	Particular	Year	Unit	Statistic
1.	<b>Geographical features</b>			
(A)	<b>Geographical Data</b>			
	i) Latitude	----	----	24 15 – 25 55 North
	ii) Longitude	----	----	92 15 - 92 35 East
	iii) Geographical Area	2011	Hectare	1,80900
(B)	<b>Administrative Units</b>			
	i) Sub division	2011	Nos	01
	ii) Tehsils	-do-	-do-	05
	iii) Sub-Tehsil	---	---	---
	iv) Patwari Circle	2011	Nos	05
	V) Panchyat Samitis	-do-	-do-	96
	Vi) Nagar Nigam	---	---	---
	Vii) Nagar Palika	2011	Nos	02
	Viii) Gram Panchyats	-do-	-do-	96
	Xi) Revenue Village	-do-	-do-	1130
	x) Assembly Area	-do-	-do-	05
2.	<b>population</b>			
(A)	<b>Sex-Wise</b>			
	i) Male	2011	Nos	6,20722
	ii) Female	2011	-do-	5,96280
(B)	<b>Rural Population</b>	2011	-do-	11,06745

<b>3.</b>	<b>Agriculture</b>			
<b>(A)</b>	<b>Land Utilization</b>			
	i) Total Area	2010-11	Hectares	1,80900
	ii) Forest Cover	2010-11	"	54,504
	iii) Non-Agricultural Land	2010-11	"	23,688
	iv) Cultivable Barren Land	2010-11	"	78,991

<b>4.</b>	<b>Forest</b>			
	i) Forest	2010-11	Hectares	54,504
<b>5.</b>	<b>Livestock &amp; Poultry</b>			
<b>(A)</b>	<b>Cattle</b>			
	i) Cows	2007	Nos.	49,943
	ii) Buffaloes	2007	Nos.	5,551
<b>(B)</b>	<b>Other livestock</b>			
	i) Goats	2007	Nos.	23,383
	ii) Pigs	2007	Nos.	837
	iii) Dogs & Bitches	2007	Nos.	2612
	<b>iv) Railways</b>			
	i) Length of rail line	2010-11	Kms.	145
	<b>v) Roads</b>			
	a) National Highway	2010-11	Kms.	97.16
	b) State Highway	2010-11	Kms.	33.50
	c) Main District Highway	2010-11	Kms.	153.12
	d) Other district & rural roads	2010-11	Kms.	160.49
	e) Rural road/ Agricultural Marketing Border Roads	2010-11	Kms.	340.79
	f) Kachacha Road	2010-11	Kms.	460
	<b>vi) Communication</b>			
	a) Telephone connection	2010-11	Nos	16,118
	b) Post offices	2010-11	Nos.	147
	c) Telephone center	2010-11	Nos.	23
	d) Density of telephone	2010-11	Nos./1000 persons	16.06
	e) Density of telephone	2010-11	No. / Km.	8.91
	f) PCO Rural	2010-11	No.	113
	g) PCO STD	2010-11	No.	538
	h) Mobile	2010-11	No.	89,279
	<b>vii) Public Health</b>			
	a) Allopathic Hospitals	2010-11	No.	01

	b) Beds in Allopathic Hospitals	2010-11	No.	75
	c) Ayurvedic Hospitals	2010-11	No.	nil
	d) Beds in Ayurvedic Hospitals	2010-11	No.	nil
	e) Unani Hospitals	2010-11	No.	nil
	f) Community Health Centers	2010-11	No.	01
	g) Primary Health Centers	2010-11	No.	05
	h) Dispensaries	2010-11	No.	06
	i) Sub Health Centers	2010-11	No.	217
	j) Private Hospitals	2010-11	No.	02
	<b>viii) Banking Commercial</b>			
	a) Commercial Bank		Nos.	10
	b) Rural Bank Product		Nos.	01
	c) Co-Operative Bank Product		Nos.	01
	d) PLDB Branches		Nos.	52
	<b>ix) Education</b>			
	a) Primary School		Nos.	1429
	b) Middle School		Nos.	455
	c) Secondary & Senior Secondary School		Nos.	113
	d) Colleges		Nos.	10
	e) Technical University		Nos.	nil

## 2,1 EXISTING STATUS OF INDUSTRIAL AREAS IN THE KARIMGANJ DIST.

Sl. No.	Name of Ind. Areas	Land acquired (in hectare)	Land developed (in hectare)	Prevailing Rate/Sqm (In Rs.)	No of Plots	No of allotted Plots	No of Vacant Plots	No of Units in Production
			<b>N</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>L</b>			

### 3. INDUSTRIAL SCENARIO OF KARIMGANJ DISTRICT

#### 3.1 INDUSTRY AT A GLANCE

Sl. No.	Head	units	Particulars
1.	Registered Industrial Unit upto 31.03.12	Nos.	765
2.	Total Industrial Unit	Nos.	765
3.	Registered Medium & Large Unit	No.	01
4.	Estimated Avg. No. of Daily Worker Employed In Small Scale Industry	Nos.	12
5.	Employment In Large And Medium Industries	Nos.	259
6.	No. of Industrial Area	No.	nil
7.	Turnover of Small Scale Industry	In Lacs	Not Available with DI & CC
8.	Turnover of Large And Medium Industries	In Lacs	9918.01

#### 3.2 YEAR WISE TRENDS OF UNITS REGISTERED

	YEAR	NUMBER OF REGISTERED UNITS	EMPLOYMENT (in Nos)	INVESTMENT (Lakh Rs.)
Up to	1984-85	06	33	2.32
	1985-86	11	93	5.68
	1986-87	14	68	6.78
	1987-88	18	100	6.19
	1988-89	35	210	9.12
	1989-90	11	68	3.20
	1990-91	23	104	12.62
	1991-92	27	142	6.99
	1992-93	43	210	17.70
	1993-94	25	176	29.37
	1994-95	28	146	32.85
	1995-96	17	107	26.70
	1996-97	27	148	24.26
	1997-98	15	128	23.68
	1998-99	08	61	15.24
	1999-2000	35	227	36.93
	2000-01	18	109	45.53
	2001-02	19	75	58.28
	2002-03	33	123	29.77
	2003-04	52	198	49.19
	2004-05	42	160	74.76

	2005-06	40	173	60.66
	2006-07	36	180	36.66
	2007-08	45	138	583.83
	2008-09	39	170	558.20
	2009-10	30	168	393.63
	2010-11	22	136	104.51
	<b>Total</b>	<b>719</b>	<b>3651</b>	<b>2254.65</b>

Source: DI & CC

### **3.3 DETAILS OF EXISTING MICRO & SMALL ENTERPRISES AND ARTISAN UNITS IN THE KARIMGANJ DISTRICT UPTO 31.03.12**

NIC CODE NO.	TYPE OF INDUSTRY	NUMBER OF UNITS	INVESTMENT (lakh Rs.)	Employment (in Nos)
20	Agro based	78	71.74	303
22	Soda water	01	0.23	02
23	Cotton textile	---	---	---
24	Woolen, silk & artificial Thread based clothes	---	---	---
25	Jute & jute based	02	0.28	07
26	Ready-made garments and embroidery	14	12.95	40
27	Wood/wooden based furniture	30	7.26	114
28	Paper and paper products	54	142.19	211
29	Leather based	05	0.59	13
31	Chemical/Chemical based	49	81.78	359
30	Rubber, Plastic & petro based	14	102.92	85
32	Mineral based	22	1120.00	342
33	Metal based (Steel Fab.)	69	54.65	277
35	Engineering units	04	1.22	12
36.	Electrical machinery and transport equipment	---	---	---
97	Repairing & servicing	245	108.64	650
01	Others	178	672.48	1343
	Kachori Making	---	----	---

Source: DI&CC



### **3.4 Large Scale Industries/Public Sector undertakings In Karimganj District**

List of the units in & Near By Area :

1. Barak Valley Cement Ltd,Badarpurghat

Dist.- Karimganj (Assam)

### **3.5 Major Exportable Item : Nil**

### **3.6 Growth Trend : -----**

### **3.7 Vendorisation/ Ancillarisation of the Industry : Nil**

### **3.8. Medium Scale Enterprise in Karimganj District**

#### **3.8.1 List of the units in & near by area : Nil**

#### **3.8.2 Major exportable item : Nil**

### **3.9 Service enterprises in Karimganj District**

#### **3.9.1 Potentials areas for service industry :**

	<b>NIC</b>
1. DTP :	74999
2. Mobile Phone repairing :	52609
3. Mini offset Printing Press:	22219, 22229
4. Computer Hardware repairing:	72501
5. Agr. Implements repairing:	29218, 29128
6. Tea Garden machinery repairing:	52609
7. Electric transformer repairing:	31108
8. Digital Video photography:	74940
9. Machine shop:	28920
10. Automobile Workshop:	50200

### 3.9.2 Potential for new MSMEs :

1. Fruit processing:	15134
2. Agro. Products:	01119
3. Paver Block mfg.:	26921
4. Steel furniture:	36102
5. Steel fabrication:	28111
6. Exercise Book mfg.:	22222
7. Semi-Mechanised Bakery:	15411, 15412, 15419
8. Confectionary item:	15432, 15433
9. Jute & Sital Pati Diversified Products:	17119, 17229
10. Bio-fertiliser:	24123

### 4. Existing clusters of micro & small enterprise : Nil

#### 4.1 Details of major clusters :

##### 4.1.1 Details for identified cluster in Karimganj District :

Cane & Bamboo Cluster at Thelekhalerpar, Karimganj is identified by DI & CC, Karimganj & Diagnostic Study Report is submitted to Commissioner of Industries, Guwahati-21 for further action.

##### 4.1.2 Name of the cluster :

#### **Cane & Bamboo Cluster at Thelekhalerpar, Karimganj**

1.	Principal product manufactured in the cluster	Cane furniture & Bamboo products
2.	Name of the SPV	Not yet formed
3.	No. of the functional units in the clusters	160 Nos
4.	Turnover of the clusters	124.00 lakhs
5.	Value of exports from the cluster	NIL
6.	Employment in the cluster	500 Nos
7.	Average investment in plants & machinery	0,04 lakhs
8.	Major issue / requirement	Common Facilities Centre(CFC), Raw materials Godown, Financial support from Bank etc.

9.	Presence of capable institutions	DI & CC, DRDA & Bank
10.	Thrust area	Design & Market Development
11.	Problems constraints	No Direct Raw materials Supplier,Lack of collective purchase mechanism,Lack of modern technical know-how,No marketing exposure etc.

**Present status of the cluster:-** Diagnostic Study Report is submitted to Commissioner of Industries,Guwahati by DI & CC, karimganj ,which is under process.

#### **5. General issue raised by industry association during the course of meeting**

Infrastructure to be developed for growth of MSME in the District.

Arrangement of easy finance through Bank/Financial Institution

Skill Development programmes to be arrange for up-gradation skill of worker.

Exposure visit to be arrange every year out side N.E.Region.

Market Development.

Setting up of IIDC & Renovation of existing Industrial Estate at Badarpurghat.

Arrangement of stall for export oriented M&SE for display their product at Trade Centre,Sutarkandi,Karimganj

## 6. Steps to set up MSMEs

Following are the brief description of different agencies for rendering assistance to the entrepreneurs.

Sl. No.	Type of assistance	Name and address of agencies
1.	Provisional Registration Certificate (EM -I) & Permanent Registration Certificate (EM-II)	District Industries & Commerce Centre Karimganj.
2.	Identification of Project Profiles, techno-economic and managerial consultancy services, market survey and economic survey reports.	Br.MSME-DI,Silchar DI & CC,Karimganj.
3.	Land and Industrial shed.	DI & CC, karimganj , ASIDC Ltd Guwahati
4.	Financial Assistance.	Commercial Bank
5.	For raw materials under Govt. supply.	DI &CC Karimganj & NSIC Ltd Guwahati
6.	Plants and machinery under hire / purchase basis.	NSIC Ltd Guwahati
7.	Power / Electricity.	Assam State Electricity Board, karimganj
8.	Quality & Standard	-----
9.	Technical Know - How.	Br.MSME-DI,Silchar DI & CC karimganj
10.	Marketing / Export Assistance.	DI &CC karimganj & NSIC Ltd Guwahati
11.	Other Promotional Agencies.	Bank,SIDBI,NABARD ,NEDFi etc



