

1981 CENSUS OF NEPAL  
HOUSEHOLD FORM

Zone \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_ Panchayat \_\_\_\_\_ Ward No. \_\_\_\_\_ Enumerator's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Enumeration Date \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor's Signature & Date \_\_\_\_\_ Page \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

Note: (A) Tick the box in front of the appropriate number (like this ) for columns 12, 13, 16, 17, and 20. Marking should not lie in two boxes.  
(B) If you must give a description of two or more persons--e.g., 2 or more persons absent (cols. 8-11), 2 or more persons dead (14-15), 2 or more persons physically or mentally disabled (16-18)--use different lines. After that write next family serial no. on next line.

Household Serial Number	Family		Head of family, name, and caste	Total number present in family			Description of absentees in family (absentees means persons absent for more than 6 months)						
	Serial Number	Size	Write the name and caste of the person running the family	Members absent for less than 6 months should be considered present in the family. Servants or cooks staying in the house for more than six months should also be considered members of the family.	Number of absentees				Place where absentee has gone		Reason for moving		
					Write the total no. of absentees in col. 8. If male, write 1 in col. 9 and write his age in col. 11.				In this column, write the place where the absent person has gone. If the person has moved within the same district, tick 1. If he has moved to another district in Nepal, tick 2. If he has gone to a foreign country, tick 3 and specify the name of the country. If whereabouts of absentee is not known, tick 4.			Tick the appropriate reason for moving to new location. In case of "Other," tick 6 and specify the reason.	
1	2	3	4	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Age	12		13
												1. Same district 2. Other district (specify) 3. Foreign (specify) 4. Unstated	1. Business 2. Agriculture 3. Service 4. Study/Training 5. Marriage 6. Other (specify)

Report of deaths		Description of physically and mentally handicapped (weak)			Number of radios	Agriculture and cottage industry		Respondent's signature
If any male died within the last year, write his complete age in col. 14. If female, write her age in col. 15. If the person who died was less than one year of age, write zero.		If any member of the family is physically or mentally handicapped, the description should be written in this column. If male, tick the appropriate box of col. 16 and write his age in col. 18. If female, write accordingly in cols. 17 and 18.			Write the total number of radios in use.	If engaged in an agricultural occupation, tick 1; if engaged in cottage industry, tick 2; if engaged in both, tick 3. If engaged in something else, tick 4 and specify.	In this column write the serial no. of the agricultural families. If the family marked 1 or 3 of col. 20, give the serial number like 1, 2, 3, ... 10.	
Age of male	Age of female	Male	Female	Age				
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
		1. Blind 2. Deaf 3. Dumb 4. Mentally deficient 5. Loss of leg 6. Loss of hands	1. Blind 2. Deaf 3. Dumb 4. Mentally deficient 5. Loss of leg 6. Loss of hands			1. Agriculture 2. Cottage industry 3. Agric. and cottage industry 4. Other (specify)		

1981 CENSUS OF NEPAL  
INDIVIDUAL FORM

Zone \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_ Town/Panchayat \_\_\_\_\_ Ward No. \_\_\_\_\_ House No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Family Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ Enumerator's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Enumeration Date \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

At the time of enumeration, each household member present and members gone for less than six months (examples: gone for religious tour, for medical treatment, for study or training) are to be enumerated with the same family. Members gone for more than six months should not be enumerated with the household but should be enumerated at the places where they have gone. On asking the following questions, the enumerator is to tick mark the box for the appropriate answer like this . The tick mark should not cross two boxes. If the answer is "other," enumerator must specify the category.

Description of each member of the household

Serial number	Name and caste of the family member	Mother's serial number	Relationship	Sex	Age	Place of birth	If birthplace not in district	
							Duration in this district	Reason for staying in district
	The head of household should be written first. New born babies should also be enumerated. "Family" means running the household with the same kitchen and same income. If the cook and servant are staying for more than 6 months, they must also be considered in the same family.	For children under 15 years, if mother is staying in same family, then write mother's serial no. in this col.	Member's relation to head of household.	Put tick mark in appropriate box.	Put person's complete age in this col. (e.g., if member is 21 years and some months, write only 21 yrs.). For children below 1 yr., write zero.	Write place of birth in this col. If member was born in same district, tick box no. 1; if born in a district within Nepal other than enumerated area, tick box no. 2; if born outside Nepal, tick box no. 3. Specify name of country (if box 3 ticked) or name of district (if box 2 ticked).	Example: If person has stayed in this district for 3 years and 4 months, write 3 yrs. For under 1 yr., write zero.	Tick appropriate box for reason for staying in this district
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
			1. Head of household 2. Husband 3. Wife 4. Son 5. Daughter 6. Daughter-in-law 7. Other (specify)	1. Male 2. Female		1. Same district 2. Other district (specify) 3. Foreign (specify)		1. Business 2. Agriculture 3. Service 4. Study/Training 5. Marriage 6. Other (specify)

Description of each member of the household (continued)			Description of persons six years and above			Description of persons ten years and above			
Citizenship	Mother tongue	Religion	Literacy	Qualification		Marital status	Maternity		
							Answer only for married women		
Tick appropriate box for citizenship.	Mother tongue is first language spoken in childhood. If person is dumb, mother tongue is language spoken in family. Tick appropriate box.	Tick appropriate box for religion.	Tick in appropriate box whether literate or illiterate.	Specify the highest qualification attained. If from class 1 to 10, specify number. If greater, specify IA, BA, MA, IS, BS, MS, Ph.D.	If member has done more than SLC, mark specific subject in appropriate box.	Tick as appropriate.	Write number of all children born (living or not). For sons, specify no. in box 1; For daughters, specify in box 2. If both, mark in both boxes and specify separately.	Write the number of children living. For sons, specify no. in box 1; for daughters, specify in box 2. If both, mark in both boxes and specify separately.	Write number of living children given birth to in the last Nepalese year (mid April 1980 to mid April 1981). For sons, specify number in box 1; for daughters, specify in box 2. If both, mark in both boxes & specify separately.
				Level of examination passed	Main subject				
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
1. Nepali 2. Indian 3. Chinese 4. Other (specify)	1. Nepali 2. Maithali 3. Bhojpuri 4. Newari 5. Gurung 6. Other (specify)	1. Hinduism 2. Buddhism 3. Jain 4. Muslim (Islam) 5. Christian 6. Other (specify)	1. Yes, literate 2. No, illit.		1. Arts/Commerce 2. Science 3. Medicine 4. Engineering 5. Agriculture 6. Other (specify)	1. Unmarried 2. Married 3. Widowed 4. Divorced	1. Son 2. Daughter	1. Son 2. Daughter	1. Son 2. Daughter

Description of persons ten years and above (continued)							
Economic Involvement			Reason for not being economically active (i.e., for not earning income)	Answer for those who marked 1 in col. 22 (economically active for 8 mos. last year)			
Last week	If not economically active	Last year		Occupation	Industry	Status of work	
Was person involved in economic activity last week or not?	If not economically active last week, was person in search of a job? If yes, mark 1; if no, 2. (Ask only those persons marking no. 2 in col. 20)	Was person economically active for 8 months during last Nepali year (mid April 1980 to 1981). If yes, mark 1, if no, 2.	If person is not economically active, mark appropriate box for reason why. (Only for those who marked no. 2 in col. 22)	Occupation is defined as what the person actually does.	Industry is defined as where the person works.	Of the following four categories, mark the one that is most suitable	1. Enumeration area within KTM? 2. No. of family members on top of page. 3. Continuation mark.
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	
1. Was (specify number of days) 2. Was not	1. Was 2. Was not	1. Was (specify no. of months) 2. Was not	1. Household job 2. Student 3. Old age 4. Chronic disease 5. Physically unfit 6. Mentally defective 7. Jail or orphanage 8. Pension or allowance 9. In search of job 10. Other (specify)			1. Giving orders to others 2. Working for others 3. Self-employed 4. Helping only	