

Distribution of Houses by Predominant Materials of Roof and Wall and Level of Damage Risk

Table No. : HP 11

State : HIMACHAL PRADESH

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Wall / Roof		Census Houses		Level of Risk under								Flood Prone Area in %		
		No. of Houses	%	EQ Zone				Wind Velocity m/s						
				V	IV	III	II	55 & 50	47	44 & 39	33			
				Area in %				Area in %						
				.0	100.0						100			
WALL														
A1 - Mud & Unburnt Brick Wall	Rural	20,676	6.6											
	Urban	1,928	0.6											
	Total	22,604	7.2	VH	H						M			
A2 - Stone Wall not packed with mortar	Rural	33,602	10.8											
	Urban	1,302	0.4											
	Total	34,904	11.2	VH	H						L			
Total - Category - A		57,508	18.5											
B - Burnt Bricks Wall & Stone wall packed with mortar	Rural	161,434	51.9											
	Urban	67,493	21.7											
	Total	228,927	73.6	H	M						L			
Total - Category - B		228,927	73.6											
C1 - Concrete Wall	Rural	2,904	0.9											
	Urban	653	0.2											
	Total	3,557	1.1	M	L						VL			
C2 - Wood wall	Rural	15,268	4.9											
	Urban	988	0.3											
	Total	16,256	5.2	M	L						M			
Total - Category - C		19,813	6.4											
X - Other Materials	Rural	2,867	0.9											
	Urban	2,109	0.7											
	Total	4,976	1.6	M	VL						M			
Total - Category - X		4,976	1.6											
TOTAL HOUSES*		311,224												

ROOF												
R1 - Light Weight Sloping Roof	Rural	104,251	33.5									
	Urban	44,336	14.2									
	Total	148,587	47.7	M	M					H		
R2 - Heavy Weight Sloping Roof	Rural	92,090	29.6									
	Urban	2,053	0.7									
	Total	94,143	30.3	H	M					L		
R3 - Flat Roof	Rural	40,410	13.0									
	Urban	28,084	9.0									
	Total	68,494	22.0	<i>Damage Risk as per that for the Wall supporting it</i>								
TOTAL HOUSES*		311,224										

Probable Maximum Precipitation at a Station of the district in 24 hrs is 720 mm

Housing Category : Wall Types

Category - A : Buildings in field-stone, rural structures, unburnt brick houses, clay houses

Category - B : Ordinary brick building; buildings of the large block & prefabricated type, half-timbered structures, building in natural hewn stone

Category - C : Reinforced building, well built wooden structures

Category - X : Other materials not covered in A,B,C. These are generally light.

Notes : 1. Flood prone area includes that protected area which may have more severe damage under failure of protection works. In some other areas the local damage may be severe under heavy rains and choked drainage.

2. Damage Risk for wall types is indicated assuming heavy flat roof in categories A, B and C (Reinforced Concrete) building

3. Source of Housing Data : Census of Housing, GOI, 2011

Housing Category : Roof Type

Category - R1 - Light Weight (Grass, Thatch, Bamboo, Wood, Mud, Plastic, Polythene, GI Metal, Asbestos Sheets, Other Materials)

Category - R2 - Heavy Weight (Tiles, Stone/Slate)

Category - R3 - Flat Roof (Brick, Concrete)

EQ Zone V : Very High Damage Risk Zone (MSK > IX)

EQ Zone IV : High Damage Risk Zone (MSK VIII)

EQ Zone III : Moderate Damage Risk Zone (MSK VII)

EQ Zone II : Low Damage Risk Zone (MSK < VI)

Level of Risk : VH = Very High; H = High;

M = Moderate; L = Low; VL = Very Low

* Total No. of Houses excluding Vacant/Locked Houses