

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

**Table No. : AS 04**

**State : ASSAM**

**BARPETA**

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 %					
				100				94.4	5.6			2.8	
<b>WALL</b>													
<b>A1 - Mud &amp; Unburnt Brick Wall</b>	Rural	3,253	0.7										
	Urban	727	0.1										
	<b>Total</b>	<b>3,980</b>	<b>0.8</b>	VH				VH	H			VH	
<b>A2 - Stone Wall not packed with mortar</b>	Rural	1,124	0.2										
	Urban	963	0.2										
	<b>Total</b>	<b>2,087</b>	<b>0.4</b>	VH				H	M			VH	
<b>Total - Category - A</b>		<b>6,067</b>	<b>1.2</b>										
<b>B - Burnt Bricks Wall &amp; Stone wall packed with mortar</b>	Rural	42,157	8.7										
	Urban	21,388	4.4										
	<b>Total</b>	<b>63,545</b>	<b>13.1</b>	H				H	M			H/M	
<b>Total - Category - B</b>		<b>63,545</b>	<b>13.0</b>										
<b>C1 - Concrete Wall</b>	Rural	7,887	1.6										
	Urban	7,011	1.4										
	<b>Total</b>	<b>14,898</b>	<b>3.0</b>	M				L	VL			L/ VL	
<b>C2 - Wood wall</b>	Rural	4,051	0.8										
	Urban	980	0.2										
	<b>Total</b>	<b>5,031</b>	<b>1.0</b>	M				VH	H			H	
<b>Total - Category - C</b>		<b>19,929</b>	<b>4.1</b>										
<b>X - Other Materials</b>	Rural	380,596	78.1										
	Urban	17,196	3.5										
	<b>Total</b>	<b>397,792</b>	<b>81.6</b>	M				VH	H			VH	
<b>Total - Category - X</b>		<b>397,792</b>	<b>81.6</b>										
<b>TOTAL HOUSES*</b>		<b>487,333</b>											

<b>ROOF</b>												
<b>R1 - Light Weight Sloping Roof</b>	Rural	436,029	89.5									
	Urban	43,942	9.0									
	<b>Total</b>	<b>479,971</b>	<b>98.5</b>	M				VH	VH			VH
<b>R2 - Heavy Weight Sloping Roof</b>	Rural	1,946	0.4									
	Urban	671	0.1									
	<b>Total</b>	<b>2,617</b>	<b>0.5</b>	H				H	M			H
<b>R3 - Flat Roof</b>	Rural	1,093	0.2									
	Urban	3,652	0.7									
	<b>Total</b>	<b>4,745</b>	<b>0.9</b>	Damage Risk as per that for the Wall supporting it								
<b>TOTAL HOUSES*</b>		<b>487,333</b>										

**Probable Maximum Precipitation at a Station of the district in 24 hrs is 520 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