

CHAPTER-13
HANDLOOM AND TEXTILES

Table 13.1- Handloom and Textiles in Assam, at a Glance 2016-17

No. of Handloom Training Centres	102
No. of Trainee in Handloom Training Centre	1291
Production in Weavers Extension Service Unit (in Mtr.)	42185.00
Production in Handloom Production Centre (in Mtr.)	6264.00
No. of Handloom Demonstration Circle	221
Villages Covered (Nos.)	14273
No. of Weavers engaged Part time	1530073
No. of Weavers engaged Whole time	418761

Source: Directorate of Handloom & Textile, Assam.

Table 13.2- Achievements of Handloom & Textiles in Assam, under CSS, 2016-17

#	Name of the Schemes	Achievement
(A)	Mahatma Gandhi Bunkar Bima Yojana (No. of Weavers)	63790
(B)	Integrated Handloom Development Scheme (No. of Cluster) [Approach budgets]	51
(C)	District Level Fair (in No.)	Nil
(D)	Special Handloom Expo	Nil
(E)	National Handloom Expo	Nil
(F)	National level Handloom Expo (NERTPS) (in No.)	Nil
(G)	Cluster Development Project (NERTPS) (in Cluster)	92
(H)	Weavers Credit Card (in Weavers)	2752
(I)	Comprehensiv Handloom cluster dev. Scheme (CHCDS) - Mega cluster in Sivasagar	1

Source: Directorate of Handloom & Textile, Assam.

Table 13.3- Achievements of H&T in Assam under State scheme, 2016-17

#	Name of the Schemes	Achievement
1	(a) Handloom Training Centre (No. of Weavgers Training)	1291
	(b) Handloom Training Institute Higher Training of Artisan (No. of Training)	97
2	Handloom Production Centre (Weavers engage in No.)	200
3	Handloom production (Production of Fabrics in Million Sq. Mtr.)	300
4	YARN Imported From Outside the State for Production of Handloom (in Lakh Kg.)	...
5	Research & Development (Design Development in No.)	255
6	Publicity Exhibition	
	(a) IITF (in No.) (in New Delhi)	1

Source: Directorate of Handloom & Textile, Assam.

Table 13.4- Handloom & Textiles in Assam, 2016-17

District	Handloom Training Centre (HTC)	No. of Trainees in HTC	Weavers' Extension Service Unit No.	Weavers' Extension Service Production (in metre)	Handloom Production Centre -No.	Handloom Production (in metre)
Kokrajhar	5	67	4	605.00	3	897.00
Dhubri	2	25	6	2015.00	-	-
Goalpara	4	61	4	2090.00	1	315.00
Barpeta	6	95	5	6680.00	1	980.00
Morigaon	4	58	2	770.00	-	-
Nagaon	8	101	7	680.00	1	365.00
Sonitpur	6	58	5	1425.00	-	-
Lakhimpur	4	45	2	720.00	-	-
Dhemaji	2	25	4	1600.00	1	135.00
Tinsukia	5	64	3	850.00	-	-
Dibrugarh	3	21	1	350.00	-	-
Sivasagar	4	62	2	890.00	-	-
Jorhat	3	33	5	500.00	1	245.00
Golaghat	4	45	4	610.00	1	95.00
Karbi Anglong	10	131	7	900.00	1	515.00
Dima Hasao	4	36	5	1350.00	-	-
Cachar	1	10	4	3350.00	-	-
Karimganj	2	20	3	2050.00	-	-
Hailakandi	1	6	2	1350.00	-	-
Bongaigaon	2	30	1	450.00	-	-
Chirang	2	22	1	560.00	-	-
Kamrup	5	75	7	4400.00	2	573.00
Kamrup Metro	2	20	2	2100.00	-	-
Nalbari	3	39	4	1250.00	4	892.00
Baksa	4	58	3	590.00	2	535.00
Darrang	5	73	4	3100.00	-	-
Udalguri	1	10	1	950.00	2	717.00
Assam	102	1290	98	42185.00	20.00	6264.00

Source: Directorate of Handloom & Textile, Assam.

Table 13.5- Expenditure in Textile Fairs in Assam

#	National level Handloom Expo	
1	Expenditure (Rs. in Lakh) in 2014-15	97
2	Expenditure (Rs. in Lakh) in 2015-16	3
3	Expenditure (Rs. in Lakh) in 2016-17	Nil

Source: Directorate of Handloom & Textile, Assam.

Table 13.6- Handloom demonstration and weaving activities in Assam 2016-17

District	No. of Demonstration	No. of Villages	No. of weavers engaged-Part time	No. of weavers engaged-Whole time	No. of weavers engaged-Total
Kokrajhar	7	922	1156	48559	49715
Dhubri	7	172	19072	13047	32119
Goalpara	8	781	43980	5600	49580
Barpeta	12	819	109328	8197	117525
Morigaon	7	590	48395	3850	52245
Nagaon	17	283	73417	5600	79017
Sonitpur	14	1004	74420	1350	75770
Lakhimpur	8	1020	89349	8000	97349
Dhemaji	2	20	88738	1000	89738
Tinsukia	6	669	47392	45000	92392
Dibrugarh	16	1067	56094	300	56394
Sivasagar	15	756	88125	10063	98188
Jorhat	7	910	87448	15426	102874
Golaghat	9	542	86664	43200	129864
Karbi Anglong	5	135	33950	11050	45000
Dima Hasao	11	198	100180	300	100480
Cachar	10	557	32515	3381	35896
Karimganj	9	309	10201	28945	39146
Hailakandi	5	357	5962	20758	26720
Bongaigaon	5	903	24926	24968	49894
Kamrup	11	695	101310	12530	113840
Kamrup Metro	4	196	43200	2350	45550
Nalbari	10	464	88794	28737	117531
Darrang	4	207	45065	69176	114241
Udalguri	5	302	48231	1546	49777
Baksa	4	201	59740	1350	61090
Chirang	3	194	22421	4478	26899
Assam	221	14273	1530073	418761	1948834

Source: Directorate of Handloom & Textile, Assam.