



# **DISTRICT AT A GLANCE**

## **YEAR 2014**

**DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS AND STATISTICS**  
**RAMANATHAPURAM DISTRICT.**

<b>GEOGRAPHICAL POSITION</b>	
Latitude	between 9 <sup>0</sup> 05' N and 9 <sup>0</sup> 50' N
Longitude	between 78 <sup>0</sup> 10' E and 79 <sup>0</sup> 27' E
District Existence	15.03.1985
<b>AREA &amp; POPULATION</b>	
1. Area (Sq.kms)	4175
2. Population	1353445
3. Population Density (Sq.kms)	320
<b>REVENUE ADMINISTRATION</b>	
1. Divisions (2)	Ramanathapuram Paramakudi
2. Taluks (7)	Ramthapuram Thiruvadana Rameswaram Paramakudi Mudukulathur Kadaladi Kamuthi
3. Firkas	38
4. Revenue Villages	400
<b>LOCAL ADMINISTRATION</b>	
1. Municipalities (4)	Ramanathapuram Rameswaram Keelakarai Paramakudi
2. Panchayat Unions (11)	Ramthapuram Thiruvadana R.S.Mangalam Mandapam Thirupullani Paramakudi Bogalur Nainarkovil Mudukulathur Kadaladi Kamuthi
3. Town Panchayats (7)	Mudukulathur Sayalkudi Kamuthi Abiramam Mandapam R.S.Mangalam Thondi
4. Village Panchayats	429
<b>MEDICINE &amp; HEALTH</b>	
1. Government Hospitals	10
2. Primary Health centre's	56
3. Health Subcentre's	244
4. Birth Rate	16.00
5. Death Rate	4.6
6. Infant Mortality Rate	9.6
7. Beds	<b>1083</b>
8. Doctors	111
Expectation of Life at Birth	
9. Male	68
10. Female	62

<b>EDUCATION</b>		
1. Primary Schools	1476	
2. Middle Schools	459	
3. Pre primary Schools	113	
4. High Schools	67	
5. Hr. Sec. Schools	86	
6. Government I.T.I	3	
7. District Institute of Education & Training	1	
8. Teacher Training Schools	6	
9. Co-op- Training Institute	-	
10. Govt. Engineering College	1	
11. Self-Financing College of Engineering	3	
12. Govt. College of Arts & Science	6	
13. Govt. aided Arts & Science colleges	2	
14. Self-Financing College of Arts & Science	6	
15. Evening colleges	4	
16. Arts & Science colleges (Women)	2	
17. Govt. Music School	1	
18. College of Education(self financing)	8	
19. Polytechnic colleges(self financing)	4	
<b>POPULATION</b>		
1. Male	682658	50.43%
2. Female	670787	49.57%
3. Total	1353445	
4. Sex Ratio	983	
<b>5. Child (0 – 6 age)</b>		
(i) Male	71705	51%
(ii) Female	68939	49%
Total	140644	10.39%
<b>Child (0 – 6) Sex Ratio</b>		
(iii) Rural Child Population	96420	68.5%
(iv) Urban Child Population	44224	31.5%
<b>Rural/Urban Population</b>		
1. Rural	942746	69.65%
2. Urban	410699	30.35%
<b>Literates</b>		
1. Male	536487	54.80%
2. Female	442459	45.20%
Total	978946	72.33%
<b>Literates Rural</b>		
1. Male	362778	55.64%
2. Female	289141	44.36%
Total	651919	66.59
<b>Literates Urban</b>		
1. Male	173709	53.11%
2. Female	153318	46.89%
Total	327027	33.41%
<b>Schedule Caste Population</b>		
1. Male	125015	50.20%
2. Female	123993	49.80%
Total	249008	18.39%
<b>Schedule Tribes Population</b>		
1. Male	559	50.58%
2. Female	10969	49.42%
Total	1105	0.08%

<b>Population of Municipalities</b>		
1. Ramanathapuram Municipality	61440	25.57%
2. Paramakudi Municipality	95579	39.78%
3. Keelakarai Municipality	38355	15.98%
4. Rameswaram Municipality	44856	18.67%
<b>WORKERS</b>		
1. Main workers	486150	81%
2. Marginal workers	116827	19%
Total workers (1+2)	602977	44.55%
3. Non Workers	750468	55.45%
Total Population(1+2+3)	1353445	
<b>Categories of Workers</b>		
1. Cultivators	173767	29%
2. Agricultural Laborers	60874	10%
3. House Hold Industry	25228	4%
4. Other Workers	343108	57%
Total Workers	602977	
<b>LAND CLASSIFICATION (IN HECT)</b>		
1. Forests	4488	1.09%
2. Barren & Uncultivable land	4524	1.10%
3. Land put to Non Agricultural use	87045	21.28%
4. Culturable Waste	3669	0.89%
5. Permanent Pastures & other Grazing Land	154	0.03%
6. Land Under Miscellaneous Tree Crops & groves not included in Net Area Sown	32216	7.87%
7. Current Fallow Lands	39165	9.57%
8. Other Fallow Lands	36917	9.02%
9. Net Area Sown	200779	49.15%
Total Geographical Area	408957	
<b>AGRICULTURE CULTIVATED AREA(Ha)</b>		
1. Paddy		
(i) Kaar	-	
(ii) Samba	114893	
(iii) Navarai/Kodai	89	
Total (Paddy only)	114982	58%
2. Corriander	1418	1%
3. Choram	3236	2%
4. Chillies	17151	9%
5. Cumbu	1607	1%
6. Coconut	8213	4%
7. Pulses	2952	2%
8. Oilseed	14365	7%
9. Cotton	2790	1%
10. Sugarcane	4236	2%
11. Other Crops	23828	13%
Total Cultivated Area	200779	
Net Area Sown	200779	100%
Area Sown More than once	-	-
Total Cultivated Area	200779	
1. Net Area Irrigated	63679	32%
2. Area Irrigated More than once	-	-
3. Gross Area Irrigated	63679	32%
4. Gross Area Un irrigated	137100	68%

<b>MAJOR CROP AREA &amp; PRODUCTION</b>		
	<b>Area (in hect)</b>	<b>Yield Rate(in kg/hect)</b>
1. Paddy	114982	588
2. Cholan	3236	925
3. Ragi	401	440
4. Greengram	378	290
5. Maize	886	2819
6. Cumbu	1605	490
7. Corriander	1418	27
8. Chillies	16991	390
9. Sugarcane (in terms of canes tone/hect)	4236	98
10. Blackgram	2109	296
11. Gingelly	2429	248
12. Ground nut	3572	1252
13. Red gram	97	787
14. Coconut(nuts /ha)	8213	6767
Total Cultivated Area	200779	
1. Food Crops Cultivated Area	150546	75%
2. Non food Crops Cultivated Area	50233	25%
<b>SOIL TYPE:</b>	Black soil, Sandy coastal Alluvium,Red loamy soil	
<b>9<sup>TH</sup> AGRICULTURAL CENSUS (2010 – 2011)</b>		
<b>Number of Operational holdings</b>		
1. Marginal Holdings < 1 Hect	323856	82%
2. Small Holdings 1 – 2 Hect	44610	11%
3. Semi-medium Holdings 2 – 4 Hect	19620	5.6%
4. Medium Holdings 4 – 10 Hect	5229	1.3%
5. Large Holdings 10 & Above Hect	573	0.1%
Total Holdings	393888	
<b>Area Operated</b>		
1. Marginal Holdings < 1 Hect	127698	44.89%
2. Small Holdings 1 – 2 Hect	63854	22.45%
3. Semi-medium Holdings 2 – 4 Hect	53628	18.85%
4. Medium Holdings 4 – 10 Hect	29125	10.23%
5. Large Holdings 10 & Above Hect	10123	3.58%
Total Area Operated	284428	
<b>Social GroupWise holdings</b>		
1. Schedule Caste	39513	10.03%
2. Schedule Tribes	-	-
3. Other Caste	331881	89.85%
4. Institutional	494	0.12%
Total Holdings	393888	
<b>Social GroupWise Area Operated ( in hect)</b>		
1. Schedule Caste	36108	12.69%
2. Schedule Tribes	-	-
3. Other Caste	245860	86.44%
4. Institutional	2450	0.87%
Total Area Operated	284428	
<b>Average Land Holding Size (in hectares)</b>	0.72	

<b>ANIMAL HUSBANDRY DEPT</b>		
1. Veterinary Hospitals	4	
2. Veterinary Dispensaries	36	
3. Clinician Centre's	-	
4. Sub Centre's	14	
5. Rural Veterinary Dispensaries	16	
6. Mobile Vet Dispensaries	-	
7. Government Live stock Farms	-	
<b>TALUK POPULATION(2011 CENSUS)</b>		
1. Ramanathapuram	399232	29.50%
2. Thiruvadanai	212029	15.66%
3. Rameswaram	82675	6.1%
4. Paramakudi	265142	19.59%
5. Kamuthi	135658	10.02%
6. Muthukulathur	113432	8.38%
7. Kadaladi	145277	10.75%
<b>Taluk Geographical Area (in hect)</b>		
1.Ramanathapuram	77506	18.95%
2.Thiruvadanai	81461	19.91%
3.Rameswaram	9041	2.21%
4.Paramakudi	73796	18.04%
5.Kamuthi	57847	14.17%
6.Muthukulathur	48082	11.75%
7.Kadaladi	61224	14.97%
Total Geographical Area	408957	
<b>ROADS (in KM)</b>		
1. Cochin-Thanuskodi (N.H.No:49)	440	
2. Trichy-Ramanathapuram (N.H.No: 210)	160	
3. Chennai-Tuticorin(East coastRoad)(S.H.No: 49)	690	
4. Major District Roads	139	
5. Other District Roads	1142	
6. National Highways(within District)	188	
7. State Highways(within District)	201	
<b>NORMAL &amp; ACTUAL RAINFALL (mm)</b>		
	NORMAL	ACTUAL
South West Monsoon	149.3	100.8
North East Monsoon	491.7	382.0
Winter Period	51.3	95.5
Hot Weather Period	115.5	78.2
Actual Rainfall	656.5	
Normal Rainfall	807.8	
<b>TEMPERATURE(Celsius)</b>		
Minimum	24 <sup>0</sup> C	
Maximum	34.2 <sup>0</sup> C	
<b>TELEPHONES</b>		
1. Telephones in Use	22542	
2. Post Office	304	
3. Telephone Exchanges	64	
<b>NUMBER OF IRRIGATION TANKS(No's)</b>		
40 hect <	1217	
40 hect >	477	

<b>DIARY DEVELOPMENT</b>		
No. of Dairy	-	
Milk Producer Co-op. Society	103	
A verage Milk Production per day (in liter)	6290	
Milk Chilling Plants	-	
<b>FISHERIES</b>		
Marine Production (Tonnes)	48555	
Families Engaged in Fishing	144342	
<b>POLICE &amp; PRISON</b>		
Police Stations	51	
Women Police Stations	6	
Police Force	1718	
Fire & Rescue Station	11	
Sub-jails	4	
<b>BUS TRANSPORT(TNSTC karaikudi)</b>		
Fleet Strengthes	586	
Bus Routes	357	
Number of Buses	685	
Workshops	6	
<b>DISTRICT LIBRARY</b>		
Central Library	1	
Branch Library	30	
Village Library	31	
Part-time Library	7	
<b>Banks</b>	156	
<b>State Banks</b>	17	
<b>LIC</b>	3	
<b>Cooperative Banks</b>	29	
<b>Pandiyan Grama Bank</b>	24	
<b>IOB</b>	24	
<b>ICICI</b>	13	
<b>TMB</b>	7	
<b>INDIAN BANK</b>	6	
<b>UBI</b>	5	
<b>others</b>	28	
<b>M.L.A CONSTITUENCY(4)</b>		
(i) Ramanathapuram		
(ii) Thiruvadana		
(iii) Paramakudi		
(iv) Mudukuluthur		
<b>M.P CONSTITUENCY (1)</b>		
(i) Ramanathapuram		
<b>DISTRICT BOUNDARIES</b>		
(i) East –Bay of Bengal Sea		
(ii) West- Virudhunagar District		
(iii) North- Sivagangai,Pudukottai District		
(iv) South -Tuticorin Distict		

<b>RIVERS</b>		
Vaigai River		
Ragunatha Kaveri River		
<b>REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES</b>		
Commercial Vehicles	9523	
Non Commercial Vehicles	38255	
Regulated Markets	6	
Cold Storages	2	
Agri. Godowns	15	
<b>LPG CONNECTION</b>		
Single connections	86582	
Double Connections	39109	
<b>Fair Price Shops</b>	773	
<b>Ration Cards</b>		
(i) Rural	311035	
(ii) Urban	71305	
Total	382410	
<b>ELECTRICITY (consumption)</b>		
Industry	23.547 MU	
Domestic	246.014 MU	
Commercial	52.486 MU	
<b>STUDENTS HOSTEL</b>		
	<b>Hostels</b>	<b>Students</b>
<b>Most Backward Class Welfare Dept.</b>		
(i) Boys	16	1302
(ii) Girls	14	959
Total	30	2261
<b>Backward Class Welfare Dept.</b>		
(i) Boys	20	1378
(ii) Girls	10	656
Total	30	2034
<b>Adhidravidar Welfare Dept.</b>		
(i) Boys	33	1902
(ii) Girls	4	246
Total	37	2148
<b>Major Industries</b>		
Premier Marine Products,Mandapam		
Baby Marine Exports , Mandapam		
Platinum Textiles pvt ltd, Thiruvadanai		
Srinithi Textiles, Ramanathapuram		
Achankulam Textiles, Abiramam		
Ragu rama Renewable Energy Ltd, valantharavai		
M.S.Choramental Electrical Ltd,		
Ragu Rama Powerplant, Pambur.		
TamilNadu Salt Corporation,Valinokkam.		
KGDS seawater desalination plant,Naripaiyur.		
<b>Tourist Places</b>		
Pamban Bridge		
Thanushkodi Ruins		
Ship Breaking Yard, Valinockam.		
Ramalinga Vilas Palace,Ramnad		
Archeological Museum, Ramnad.		



Fort, Kamuthi		
Ariyaman(kushi)Beach		
Munthal Beach.		
Bird Sanctuaries-Keelasvanoor, Melaselvanoor,Kanchirankulam, Chithirankudi		
Palai Park, Ramanthauram		
<b>WORSHIP PLACES</b>		
Ramanathasamy Temple, Rameswaram		
Navapasanam,Devipattinam		
Aadhi Jeganatha Perumal Temple,Thirupullani		
Siva Temple(Maragatha Nataraja Statue),Thiru Uthirakosa Mangai.		
The Great Dharga,Earvadi.		
Aadhi Rathineswarar Temple,Thiruvadana		
Pagam Piriya Temple,Thiruvotriyur		
Naganatha Samy Temple,Nainarkovil		
Arulandavar Church, Oriyur.		
Veiyil Ugantha Vinayagar Temple, Uppur.		
<b>Mining &amp; Quarrying</b>		
No.of.sand Quarries		154
<b>Type of Industries</b>		
Export of Marine Products		
Generation of Electricity		
Spinning Mills		
Production of Salt		
Desalination of seawater		
<b>Language Spoken</b>	Tamil,Telugu,Sowrashtram.	
<b>RANKING OF DISTRICT IN STATE (2011 CENSUS)</b>		
1. Sex Ratio (29/32)	29	
2. Population Density (31/32)	31	
3. Decadal Variation in Population (19/32)	19	
4. Literacy Rate (14/32)	14	
5. SC Literacy Rate (15/32)	15	
6. ST Literacy Rate (15/32)	15	
7. Total Population (26/32)	26	
8. District Share of Total Population	1.85%	
9. Decadal Population Growth Rate	14.37%	
10. Number of House Holds(HH)	323905	
11. Documents Registration Offices	14	
12. District Speciality	*Chillies, Ramanathaswamy Temple *Pamban Rail& Road Bridge, *INS Parunthu	
<b>13. Research Centers</b>	*CMFRI-Central Marine Fisheries Research Institute,Mandapam. *Agricultural Research Station,Paramakudi. *Tamilnadu Saline Research center,Ramanathapuram	

**TALUK POPULATION(2011 CENSUS)**

<b>Taluks</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Rural</b>	<b>Urban</b>
Thiruvadanai	212029	174992	37037
Paramakudi	265142	161331	103811
Mudukulathur	113432	98043	14789
Kamuthi	135658	112760	22898
Kadaladi	145277	130476	14801
Ramanathapuram	399232	226725	172507
Rameswaram	82675	37819	44856

**TALUK 0-6 CHILDREN**

<b>Taluks</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Rural</b>	<b>Urban</b>
Thiruvadanai	21680	17340	4340
Paramakudi	25632	15438	10194
Mudukulathur	11253	9647	1606
Kamuthi	14614	12212	2402
Kadaladi	15789	14156	1633
Ramanathapuram	42072	23045	19027
Rameswaram	9604	4582	5022

**TALUK MALE/FEMALE POPULATION**

<b>Taluks</b>	<b>Total</b>		<b>Rural</b>		<b>Urban</b>	
	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>
Thiruvadanai	106094	105935	87479	87513	18615	18422
Paramakudi	134134	131008	81382	79949	52752	51059
Mudukulathur	56531	56901	49067	49576	7464	7325
Kamuthi	68458	67200	57031	55729	11427	11471
Kadaladi	73448	71829	65839	64637	7609	7192
Ramanathapuram	202047	197185	114547	112178	87500	85007
Rameswaram	41946	40729	19163	18656	22783	22073

**TALUK LITERATES**

<b>Taluks</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Rural</b>	<b>Urban</b>
Thiruvadanai	151921	122608	29313
Paramakudi	193572	109536	84036
Mudukulathur	45690	64308	11382
Kamuthi	93598	75091	18507
Kadaladi	99251	88913	10338
Ramanathapuram	303702	163159	140543
Rameswaram	61212	28304	32908

**TALUK MALE/FEMALE CHILD**

<b>Taluks</b>	<b>Total</b>		<b>Rural</b>		<b>Urban</b>	
	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>
Thiruvadanai	11097	10583	8831	8509	2266	2074
Paramakudi	13159	12473	7909	7529	5250	4944
Mudukulathur	5682	5571	4871	4776	811	795
Kamuthi	7484	7130	6260	5952	1224	1178
Kadaladi	8088	7701	7259	6897	829	804
Ramanathapuram	21320	20752	11715	11330	9605	9422
Rameswaram	4875	4729	2331	2251	2544	2478

**TALUK MALE/FEMALE LITERATES**

Taluks	Total		Rural		Urban	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Thiruvadanai	83492	68429	68032	54576	15460	13853
Paramakudi	107458	86114	62506	47030	44952	39084
Mudukulathur	42618	33072	36523	27785	6095	5287
Kamuthi	52411	41187	42753	32358	9658	8849
Kadaladi	55358	43893	49487	39426	5871	4467
Ramanathapuram	162717	140985	88781	74378	73936	66607
Rameswaram	32433	28779	14696	13608	17737	15171

**SCHEDULE CASTE POPULATION**

	Rural	Urban	Total
Schedule Caste	205328	43680	249008
Male	102954	22061	125015
Female	112374	21619	123993

**SCHEDULE TRIBES POPULATION**

	Rural	Urban	Total
Shedule Tribes	501	604	1105
Male	244	315	559
Female	257	289	546

	Rural	Urban	Total
Number of House Holds (HH)	228704	95141	323905
Population Percentage	69.65%	30.35%	
Total Population	942746	410699	1353445
Male	474508	208150	682658
Female	468238	202549	670787
Sex Ratio	987	973	983
Child (0-6) Sex Ratio	960	963	970
Child (0-6)	96420	44224	140644
Male (0-6)	49116	22529	71105
Female (0-6)	47244	21695	68939
Child (0-6) Percentage	10.22%	10.76%	
Male Child Percentage	5.2%	5.48%	
Female Child Percentage	5.02%	5.28%	
Total Literates	657919	327027	978946
Male	362778	173709	536487
Female	289141	153318	442459
Literacy Rate	69.15%	79.62%	72.32%
Male	55.64%	53.11%	54.80%
Female	44.36%	46.89%	45.20%

