Breed Descriptor of Chhattisgarhi (Buffalo)



Breeding Tract	
State: Chhattisgarh	Baloda Bazar
	Mungeli
	Bemetara
	Balrampur
	Jashpur
	Korba/Kovamha
	Kavardha
	Dhamtari
	Mahasumund
	Kanker
	Sarguja
	Bilaspur
	Raipur
Location	
Longitude (deg.)	81.08 - 83.18

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Horn shape and size	-	Curved laterally backwards and then going up with tip pointing upwards. Average length- Male: 46.37cm; Female: 51.06cm.					
Visible characteristics	Medium sized buffaloes having straight head, large and heavy horns.						
	Male	Female	Overall				
Height (avg. cm.)	126.15	123.48					
Body Length (avg. cm.)	123.7	120.57					
Heart girth (avg. cm.)	179.88	176.51					
Body weight (avg. kg.)	396.0	365.0					
Birth weight (avg. kg.)	22.0	21.5					
Performance			<u> </u>				
	Average	Minimum	Maximum				
Litter size born	1.0						
Age at first parturition (month	s)	58.0	65.0				
Parturition interval (months)		30.0	36.0				
Milk yield per lactation (kg)	1180.0	1100.0	1300.0				
Milk Fat (%)	9.49	5.5	13.9				
Any Peculiarity of t breed		These buffalo are slow maturing animals and average milkers. Pedal made from milk of these buffaloes is famous milk product.					