

TABLE 1.5
Number of Workers and Non-workers in West Bengal, 2011

(In thousand)

Industrial Categories	Male	Female	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1. Main workers	21678(46.31)	4009(9.01)	25687(28.14)
(i) Cultivators	3941(8.42)	263(0.59)	4204(4.61)
(ii) Agricultural Labourers	4943(10.56)	926(2.08)	5869(1.66)
(iii) Household Industry workers	869(1.86)	649(1.46)	1518(1.66)
(iv) Other workers	11926(25.48)	2169(4.88)	14095(15.44)
2. Marginal workers	5039(10.76)	4032(9.06)	9071(9.94)
(i) Cultivators	560(1.20)	353(0.79)	913(1.00)
(ii) Agricultural Labourers	2510(5.36)	1810(4.07)	4320(4.73)
(iii) Household Industry workers	246(0.52)	700(1.57)	946(1.04)
(iv) Other workers	1723(3.68)	1169(2.63)	2892(3.17)
3. Total workers	26717(57.07)	8041(18.07)	34758(38.08)
(i) Cultivators	4501(9.62)	616(1.38)	5117(5.61)
(ii) Agricultural Labourers	7453(15.92)	2736(6.15)	10189(6.39)
(iii) Household Industry workers	1115(2.38)	1349(3.03)	2464(2.70)
(iv) Other workers	13649(29.16)	3338(7.51)	16987(18.61)
4. Non-workers	20093(42.93)	36427(81.92)	56520(61.92)

Note: The figures in parentheses indicate percentage to total population of the respective category.

Source: Primary Census Abstract, 2011