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# **District Industrial Profile**

2017-18

# **JHARGRAM**

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# FOREWORD

The report on Brief Industrial Profile of Bankura district has been updated for 2017-2018. The report chiefly focuses on the district profile, major resources available in the district and the existing infrastructural facilities, which can be utilized to provide support to the existing industries and encourage creation of new enterprise in the district. The report also explores the scope for ancillarisation, present industrial scenario, existing large & medium scale enterprises in the district, no of UAMs registered and other related issues which examine the industrial potentiality of the district. Besides, the potential areas for developing and setting up new MSME Units have also been addressed separately.

In preparing this report, necessary data and co-operation has been obtained from various departments of the State Government, Central Government, Financial Institutions, MSME stakeholders, Promotional agencies and other related departments. The major source of information has been the Bureau of Applied Economics and Statistics, Government of West Bengal (District Statistical Handbook). I would like to extend my sincere thanks and regards to all of them for their sincere co-operation and assistance.

I hope this Report will be found very useful by Promotional Agencies, Financial Institutes, NGOs and above all the small scale entrepreneurs of the district.

I appreciate the efforts rendered by the officers of EI Division in preparation of this Report.

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# Brief Industrial Profile of Jhargram District (WEST BENGAL)

#### 1. General Characteristics of the District:

The district Jhargram formed on 4<sup>th</sup> April, 2017 bifurcated from Paschim Medinipur as the 23<sup>rd</sup> district of the state of West Bengal. Originally it was one of the four sub-divisions of West Medinipur district. It is famous for its forests. It is favorite destination of the tourists who loves forests. The ancient temples, royal palaces and folk tunes have made this area attractive. On the other hand it was a part of the "Red Corridor", a part of 106 districts spanning over 10 states across India described an area of the Maoist i.e. left wing extremists. However, since July, 2016 there has been no reported incident of Maoists related activities from the district.



## 1.1 Location & Geographical Area:

The district Jhargram lies in the South Western corner of the State of West Bengal. It is bounded by the district of Bankura on the north, Purulia district and Jharkhand State are on the west, Orissa state is on the south and Paschim Medinipur district on the east. The district head quarter is Jhargram It is 40 kms away from Midnapore town, the previous district Headquarter and 165 kms away from Kolkata, the state capital.

Jhargram district covers an area of 3037.64 Sq. kms. Out of which 268249 hectare is agricultural land and 59497 hectare is under forest coverage.

## 1.2 Topography:

The district is a part of Chotonagpur plateau; it gradually slopes down towards east; hilly terrain occurs in the north-western portion of the district. Kakrajhore area is having the highest altitude of about 300 mts. These area is covered with unfertile hard laterite soil/rocks. The altitude of southern areas of the district belonging to Nayagram, Gopiballavpur-I & II blocks are having the altitude of about 65 mts; soil is comparatively alluvial in these area. The altitude of Jhargram town is around 80 mts.

There are a numbers of rivers in this district flow from north to south/south-east direction. The major rivers are kangsabati, Subarnarekha, Silabati, Keleghai and Dulang.

# 1.3 Availability of Minerals:

Mineral	Location	UNFC Code	Estimated resource	Grade	Work done	Nature of ore body	Remarks
Clay	Mouza: Katachua and around Belpahari, P.S. Belpahari,	G3	Upto a vertical depth of 15m bgl: 0.14 mi. tonnes (Katachua), 0.24 mi. tonnes (Kadamdiha), 0.037 mi. tonnes (Chirugora), 0.015 mi. tonnes (Balichu) and 0.12 mi. tonnes (Banspahari	Washing clay of: Katachua yields 18% of Grade-I, 16% of Grade-II and residue 66%. Moderate to low plasticity; Kadamdiha yields 16% Grade-I, 46.5% Grade-II and residue 37.5%. Low plasticity by hand feel. Clay of Chirugora and Balichua: hard and semi-	Geological mapping: 3750 sq. m. (1:1000 scale) in Katachua, 997 sq. m. (1:2000 scale) in Chirugora, 6591 sq. m. (1:1000 scale) in Kadamdiha; Sampling & Analysis (including beneficiation): 1 Bulk sample from Katachua.	Clay of Katachua appears to have originated from granite mainly. Formation of clay in other areas is mainly from the alteration of Phyllitic rocks.	Work done during 1990- 1991 (Report No. MID/CC/19) and 1993- 1994 (Report No. MID/CC/20) by DMM. Bulk sampling made jointly by DMM and Analysis (including beneficiation) made by CGCRI. The resource may be utilized in Paper, Rubber and Insecticides industries. This
Quartz	Mouza: Kendapara, PS Belpahari,	G-4	3.36 ( upto 20 m depth)/334	SiO2: 97.5% to 99.6%;	Geological mapping: 4.sq km (1:12500) approx. ; Sampling & analysis: 9 nos.	Strike length - 450mX width : 100m.(Garpahar) & 550mx130m(Kendapara). Quartz veins occur within the mica Strike length - 450mX width : 100m.(Garpahar) & 550mx130m - schist	Work done during 2002-03 by DMM (Report Nos MID/QZ

Source: Data Base of Directorate of Mines & Minerals, Government of West Bengal

#### 1.4 Forest:

Major part of the district is covered by dense/depleted forest areas; main areas are Jhargram, Jambani, Binpur -I ,Binpur-II.

Out of total area of 3037.64 Sq. kms of the district, the forest covers 59497.57 hectare of which protected area occupies 52392.62 hectare and reserved area covers 2349.61 hectare. To put in a table-

Dist.	Nos. of	Nos. of	Nos. of	Forest Area	Reserve	Protected
	Range	Beats	Mouzas	(in Ha.)	(in Ha.)	(in Ha.)
Jhargram	12	36	808	59497.57	2349.61	52394.62

The main produce of the forest are Sal, Jhaw, Akashmoni, Eucalyptus, Mahua, Haritaki,Bayra etc.Minor forest products are Sal seeds, Mahua, medicinal plants like Amlaki, Kalomegh, Kurchi, Satamul, Diaskoria, Sarpagandhas, etc. Besides, forest products like dates, blackberries, 'kakrol', bankundri are also available in the forests of this district.

Source: O/o of Divisional Forest Officer, Midnapore.

#### 1.5 Administrative set up.

The district has only one Sub-division viz. Jhargram, and 8 Community Development Blocks. There are 9 police stations. There is only one Municipality (Jhargram) one Census town viz. Silda.

## Administrative units in Jhargram District

District	Sub- Division	Police Station	Block	Block HQ
		Jharhram	Jharhram	Jharhram
		Belpahari	Binpur-I	Lalgarh
		Binpur	Binpur-II	Belpahari
		Lalgarh	Jamboni	Gidhni
Jhargram	Jhargram	Jamboni	Nayagram	Belgaria
		Nayagram	Sankrail	Rohini
		Sankrail	Gopibhallav-pur-I	Chhatinasole
		Gopibhallavpur	Gopibhallav-pur-	Belaberia
		Beliatore	II	

Source: Community Development Blocks of Jhargram District

## 2. <u>District at a glance</u>:

S.No	Particular	Year	Unit	Statistics	
1		Geographical fe	eatures		
(A)	Geographical Data				
	i) Latitude	2016-17	Degree	21 52' - 22 48'	
				North	
	ii) Longitude	2016-17	Degree	86 34' - 87 20'	
				East	
	iii) Geographical Area	2016-17	Hectare	303764	
(B)	Administrative Units				
	i) Sub divisions	2016-17	No.	1	
	ii) Tehsils/Block	2016-17	No.	-	
	iii) Sub-Tehsil	2016-17	No.	-	

iv) Patwary Circle v) Panchayat Samitis /Block vi) Corporation	2016-17 2016-17 2016-17	No.	8/8
vi) Corporation			8/8
, ,	2016 17		
***	ZU10-1/	No.	-
vii) Muncipality	2016-17	No.	1
viii) Gram Panchayats	2016-17	No.	29
xi) Revenue villages/Census	2016-17	No.	NA/2513/2996
Village/Mouza			
x) Assembly Area	2016-17	No.	4
Population (as per 2011 Census	provisional rep	ort)	
Sex-wise			
i) Male	2011	No.	574747
ii) Female	2011	No.	561801
Rural Population	2011	No.	1069112
Agriculture		<u> </u>	
Land utilization			
i) Total Area	2010-11	Hectare	306217
ii) Forest cover	2010-11	Hectare	59498
iii) Non Agriculture Land	2010-11	Hectare	44665
v) Cultivable Barren land	2010-11	Hectare	5652
-	2010 11	ricetare	
	T		
(i) Forest	2016-17	Hectare	59497.57
Livestock & Poultry	!!		
Cattle			
	2016-17	No.	459968
, and the second		-	35970
Other livestock			
i) Goats	2016-17	No.	289909
ii) Pigs	2016-17	No.	35544
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(a Juensity of Telephone		· ·	
(a) Dangity of Talanhana	+	-	
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(VII) Public Health	+	NO.	
	Population (as per 2011 Census Sex-wise  i) Male ii) Female Rural Population Agriculture Land utilization i) Total Area iii) Forest cover iii) Non Agriculture Land v) Cultivable Barren land Forest (i) Forest Livestock & Poultry Cattle ii) Cows iii) Buffaloes Other livestock ii) Goats	Population (as per 2011 Census provisional rep Sex-wise  i) Male	Population (as per 2011 Census provisional report)  Sex-wise  1) Male

Allopathic Hospital	2016-17	No.	10
(a) Beds in Allopathic	2016-17	No.	838
hospitals			
(b) Ayurvedic Hospital	2016-17	No.	-
(c) Beds in Ayurvedic	2016-17	No.	-
hospitals			
(d) Unani hospitals	2016-17	No.	-
(e) Community health		No.	6
centers	2016-17		
(f) Primary health centers	2016-17	No.	25
(g) Dispensaries	2016-17		-
(h) Sub Health Centers	2016-17	No.	224
(i) Private hospitals	2016-17	No.	1
(VIII) Banking commercial			
(a) Commercial Bank		Nos.	73
(b) rural Bank Products		Nos.	7
(c) Co-Operative bank		Nos.	-
products			
(d) PLDB Branches		Nos.	-
(IX) Education			
(a) Primary school		Nos.	1250
(b) Middle schools		Nos.	10772
(c) Secondary & senior		Nos.	147
secondary schools			
(d) Colleges		Nos.	6
(e) Technical University		Nos.	-

Source:- Dist. Inspector of Schools, Midnapore, Primary School Board, West Medinipur, O/o CMOH, West Medinipur, Reports from C D Block Offices, Jhargram.

# 2.1. Existing Status of Industrial Areas in Jhargram District: NA

# 3. INDUSTRIAL SCENERIO OF JHARGRAM DISTRICT

# 3.1 Industry at a Glance

Sr No	Head	Unit	Particulars
1.	REGISTERED INDUSTRIAL UNIT	NO.	110
2.	TOTAL INDUSTRIAL UNIT	NO.	55*
3.	REGISTERED MEDIUM & LARGE UNIT	NO.	14
4.	ESTIMATED AVG. NO. OF DAILY WORKER EMPLOYED IN SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES	NO.	350
5.	EMPLOYMENT IN LARGE AND MEDIUM INDUSTRIES	NO.	3500**
6.	NO. OF INDUSTRIAL AREA	NO.	NA +
7.	TURNOVER OF SMALL SCALE IND.	IN LACS	NA +
8.	TURNOVER OF MEDIUM & LARGE SCALE INDUSTRIES	IN LACS	NA +

<sup>\*</sup>Other than micro units \*\* Estimated +- Information not available (NA) Source:- District Statistical Handbook of BAES & Economic Review,2011-12,Govt.of W.B

# 3.2 YEAR WISE TREND OF UNITS REGISTERED

	YEAR	NUMBER OF	EMPLOYMENT	INVESTMENT
		REGISTERED UNITS		(lakh Rs.)
Up to	1984-85	District wise separate		
	1985-86	data was not available.		
	1986-87	Only consolidated report		
	1987-88	of Regd. units prior to		
	1988-89	Oct.2006 for West		
	1989-90	Bengal was available		
	1990-91	with the Directorate of		
	1991-92	M& SSE, Govt. of West		
	1992-93	Bengal.		
	1993-94			
	1994-95			
	1995-96			
	1996-97			
	1997-98			
	1998-99			
	1999-2000			
	2000-01			
	2001-2002			
	2002-03			
	2003-04			
	2004-05			
	2005-06			
		EM-II		
	2006-07	206	2474	2183.00
	2007-08	650	4632	3156.42
	2008-09	462	3737	3601.11
	2009-10	329	2457	2619.12
	2010-11	499	3775	3895.12
	2011-12	1174	4665	2433.89
	(Upto March)			
	Total	3320	19540	17828.78

Source: Dte. of M&SSE, WB

# 3.3 DETAILS OF EXISTING MICRO & SMALL ENTERPRISES

NIC	TYPE OF	NUMBER OF	INVESTMENT	EMPLOYMENT
CODE	INDUSTRY	UNITS	(Lakh Rs.)	
NO.				
20	Agro based ( NIC Code-10)	53	NA	NA
22	Soda water (NIC Code -11)	-	-	-
23	Cotton textile (NIC Code -14)	1	NA	NA
24.	Woolen, silk & artificial Thread	-	-	-
	based clothes. (NIC Code -14)			
25.	Jute & jute based (NIC Code -13)	-	-	-

26.	Ready-made garments & embroidery		-	-
	(NIC Code -14)			
27.	Wood/wooden based furniture	100	NA	NA
	(NIC Code -16)			
28.	Paper & Paper products	5	NA	NA
	(NIC Code -17)			
29.	Leather based (NIC Code -15)	-	-	-
31.	Chemical/Chemical based	-	-	-
	(NIC Code -20)			
30.	Rubber, Plastic & petro based	-	-	-
	(NIC Code -22)			
32.	Mineral based (NIC Code -24)	-		
33.	Metal based (Steel Fab.)	2	NA	NA
	(NIC Code -25)			
35.	Engineering units (NIC Code - Not	10	NA	NA
	elsewhere classified)			
36.	Electrical machinery and transport	-	-	-
	equipment (NIC Code -27 & 29)			
97.	Repairing & servicing	544	NA	NA
	(NIC Code -95)			
01.	Others (NIC Code -99)	-	-	-
	Kachori Making (NIC Code -10)	-	-	-
Artisan	Pottery	112	NA	NA
Units				
	Bamboo craft	70	NA	NA
	Stone craft	40		
	'Sabai grass" rope making	200 (approx)	NA	NA
	Biri roller	1000 (approx)	NA	NA
	'Salpata'-plate making	1200 (approx)	NA	NA
	1	ı		

**Source: Jhargram Municipality** 

# 3.4 Large Scale Industries / Public Sector undertakings:

Sl.No	Name of the unit	Block
1	Aryavarta Steel Pvt. Ltd.	Jhargram
2	Nawab India Cement Pvt Ltd.	Jhargram
3	Rashmi Cement Ltd	Jhargram
4	U A L Bengal ( Utkal Asbestos) Industries Ltd.	Jhargram

# 3.5 Major Exportable Item: NA

**3.6 Growth Trend:** Jhargram is newly formed district. Actually Jhargam Subdivision of West Midnapore district has now been declared as a separate district as Jhargram District. The area is backward in industrial growth. Whatever the industries available in this district is mainly

concentrated in and around Jhargram town and Jhargram C D Block. However, before its formation the West Midnapore District Planning Authority & WBIIDC have proposed and initiated a number of projects for industrialization of this area. SEZ project at Guptabani, Jhargram is conceived considering ancillary requirements to sustain the new industrial activities and projects which are coming in and around Kharagpur township.

## 3.7 Vendorisation / Ancillarisation of the Industry

A district cannot be termed as industrialized in broad sense only by having some medium & small establishment until there is set up of ancillary industries in the district. This remark is very much applicable to Jhargram.

The newly formed district has wide possibilities for development of ancillary industries based on the requirement of large and medium scale industries. There are only few large and medium scale industries in this district.

#### 3.8. Medium Scale Enterprises:

#### 3.8.1 List of some Medium scale units in Jhargram & nearby area:

Sl.No	Name of the Unit	Block
1	Emami Ltd.	Sankrail
2	Jhargram paper Mill Ltd	Jhargram
3	Kanchan Oil industries Ltd.	Jhargram
4	M/S Chandan Super Cement Industries Ltd.	Gopiballavpur-II
5	Unitech Paper & Board Industries Ltd	Jhargram
6	Universal Paper Mill Ltd.	Sankrail

Source:DIC,West Midnapore, DHDR, Deptt. Of Planning & Dev.GOWB Chambers of Commerce & Industry. Jhargram Sub-division Chambers of Commerce & Industry, West Medinipur,.

## 3.9 Service Enterprise:

Sl.No	Name of the unit	Block
1	Baba Taraknath Himghar	Binpur-I
2	Satpathi Marble & Tiles	Jhargram
3	Halder Engineering works	Jhargram

Source: West Midnapore Chambers of Commerce & Industry.

#### 3.9.1 Potentials areas for service industry:

Apart from the items of SSI sector as illustrated above in different category, the small service establishment has great importance in the context of industrial development in the district. Small service establishment is signified by its term for relating to servicing nature. The following small service establishments are having potentiality in the district.

1	Xerox center	10	Clinical Laboratories & Xray
2	Information and consultancy service center	11	Nursing home as special medical treatment
3	Vocational training center	12	Physiotherapy center
4	Motor Driving school	13	Health Care club/Physical Training Centre.
5	Catering service	14	Travelling Agency
6	Beauty parlour	15	Photo color Laboratories
9	Decorators		

#### 3.10. Potential for new MSMEs:

- 1. Readymade Garments
- 2. Steel furniture
- 3. Plastic Products
- 4. Body Building of Motor Vehicles

# 4. Existing Clusters of Micro & Small Enterprise:

- (1) Wooden furniture cluster, Gopiballavpur-I
- (2) Black Smithy cluster, Sapdhara, Jamboni

## **4.1 DETAIL OF MAJOR CLUSTERS:**

# 4.1.1 Manufacturing Sector:

Name	Cluster	Activity	Approv	Implem	Status Of implementation		Fund (Rs	d (Rs. In lakh		Expenditure /UC			
			ed or	enting	Under	Under	Under	Requis	Receive	Utiliz	Date of	Amount	Physical
			not	agency	study	soft	hard	ition	d	ed	submission		progress
						interventi	interve						
						on	ntion						
Wooden	G B	Woosen	Approv	EDII	Approved	Work	No	8.50	7.65				
furniture	Pur-II	Furnitu	ed			order							
		re				issued to							
						21							
Black	Jambo	Black	Approv	EDII	Yes	21	No.	2.30	2.30	1.06			21
Smithy,	ni	Smithy	ed			Complete							completed
Sapdhara						Р							

Source: DIC, Paschim Medinipur.

4.1.2. Service Sector: Nil

4.2. Details of identified cluster: Nil

#### 5. General issues raised by industry association during the course of meeting

The district is industrially backward with agriculture being the major source of occupation. Proper land utilization with the adoption of modern agro-techniques is extremely essential for growth in the agricultural sector. The district has a surplus production in paddy, potato, jute and vegetables. Hence, development of an organized marketing system is necessary for proper distribution of agricultural produce. Establishment of warehouses and cold storages can also provide a boost to agricultural growth. Most of the large and medium scale industries are situated in and around Jhargram town and C D Block.

## 6. Training Programme conducted during 2016-17

S. No.	Name of the programme	Subject	No of proposed programme to be conducted
1	ESDP(Through W/S)	-	-
2	ESDP( Other than W/S)	-	2
3	MDP	-	-
4	BSDP	-	-
5	EDP	-	-
6	IMC	-	1

# 7. Action plan for MSME Schemes during 2017-18

S.	Name of the Scheme	Proposed activity on the scheme
No.		
1	MSE-CDP	-
2	ZED	1
3	MSE-MDA	•
4	CLCSS	<u>-</u>
5	Capacity Building &	-
	strengthening of data base	
6	International cooperation	-
7	TREAD for women	-
8	VDP	1
9	National awards	-
10	NMCP schemes	-
	I. Lean Manufacturing	-
	II Design Clinic	-
	III Market assistance & Tech. up	3
	gradation	
	IV QMS/QTT	-
	V Tech. & quality up gradation	-
	support	
	VI ICT	-
	VII Bar Code	-
	VIII IPR	-
	IX Incubator scheme	

# 8. STEPS TO SET UP MSMES

Following are the brief description of different agencies for rendering assistance to the entrepreneurs.

S. No	Type of assistance	Name and address of agencies	
1.	Udyog Aadhaar Registration	1. On line registration.	
		2. District Industries Centre, Dte. of MSME&T	
		Govt.of West Bengal, Dak Bungalow Road,	
		Sarat Palli, Paschim Medinipur.	
		3. MSME – Development Institute,	
		Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India,	
		111 &112, B. T. Road, Kolkata-700108	
2.	Identification of Project Profiles,	(1) MSME – Development Institute,	
	Techno-economic and	Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India,	
	managerial consultancy	111 &112, B. T. Road, Kolkata-700108.	
	services, market survey and	(2) W.B. Small Industries Dev. Corpn.,	
	economic survey reports.	6A, Raja Subodh Mulick Square	
		(3r floor) Kolkata-13 &	
		31, Block Burn Lane,	
		Silpa Bhawan, Kolkata-12	
3.	Land and Industrial shed	(2) West Bengal Industries Infrastructure	
		Development Corpn. Ltd.,	
		P-34, CIT Road, Kolkata-14	

	1		
4.	Financial Assistance	(1) Small Industries Dev, Bank of India	
		(SIDBI) Eastern Regional Office,	
		11, Dr. U. N. Brahmachari Road, Kolkata-	
		(2) West Bengal Industrial Development	
		Corporation Limited,	
		5, Council House St., Kolkata-1	
		(3) W. B. Financial Corpn.	
		2A, Netaji Subhas Road, Kolkata-16	
		(4) United Bank of India,	
		H.O. 16, Old Court House St, Kolkata-1	
		(5) All other Banks	
5.	For raw materials under Govt.	National Small Industries Corpn. Ltd.,	
	Supply	20 B, Abdul Hamid St., 7th floor, Kolkata-69	
6.	Plant and machinery under hire	National Small Industries Corpn. Ltd.,	
	/ purchase basis.	20 B, Abdul Hamid St., 7th floor, Kolkata-69	
7.	Power/ Electricity	(1) W. B. State Electricity Distribution Co. Ltd.	
	,	Jhargram.	
		, 0	
8.	Technical Know - how.	(1) Indian Institute of Technology,	
		Kharagpur, Paschim Medinipur	
		(2) Deptt. Of Engineering & Technology,	
		Jadavpur University, Jadavpur, Kolkata-32	
9.	Quality & Standard	MSME Testing Centre (MSME -TC),	
		111 & 112, B.T. Road, Kolkata-108	
10.	Marketing /Export Assistance	(1) Zonal Joint Director General of Foreign Trade, 4,	
		Esplanade East, Kolkata-700069	
		(2) W.B. Small Industries Dev. Corpn.,	
		6A, Raja Subodh Mulick Square	
		(3r floor) Kilkata-13	
11.	Other Promotional Agencies	(1) Reserve Bank of India,	
		Rural Planning and Credit Department,	
		15, Netaji Subhas Road, Kolkata-1	
		(2) Indian Institute of Packaging,	
		Block CP, Sector V, Salt Lake City	
		Kolkata-91	
		(3) Khadi and Village Industries Commission	
		33, Chittaranjan avenue, Kolkata – 73	
L		22, 22222241)411 41 4140, 12011444	

## 9. Additional information if any:-

#### 9.1: Communication:

#### Air -

The nearest operational airport is Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose International Airport of Kolkata 155 km (by train) and 169 km (by road- NH-6). Sonari Airport of Jamshedpur is located at a distance 96 km by train. Birsa Munda Airport of Ranchi is located at a distance of 233 km (by road- NH-33) and 258 km (by train).

### Train:

Jhargram is connected not only to larger cities in the region, but also to smaller towns and villages in the district. Jhargram Railway Station is on the Kharagpur-Tatanagar section of Howrah-Nagpur-Mumbai line, an express train route. The Jhargram railway station comes under South Eastern Railway. Jhargram is well connected by train to nearest big city

like Kolkata/Howrah (155 km), Kharagpur (39 km), Asansol, Tatanagar (96 km), Ranchi, Dhanb ad, Rourkela, Jharsuguda, Bhubaneswar, Cuttack, Puri, Bhilai and also Delhi, Mumbai etc.

#### Road:

Jhargram is also very well connected by highways it lies on A H-46 which is a part of the Asian Highway Network and also with other nearby cities like Medinipur (40 km over Dherua - Medinipur Road), Kharagpur (46 km over NH-6), Durgapur (156 km over SH-9), Asansol (181 km over NH-60 and SH-9), Bankura (114 km over SH-9 and 5), Purulia (142 km over SH-5), Haldia (150 km over AH46 and NH41), Contai (144 km over SH-5), Digha (165 km over NH-60), Kolkata/Howrah (169 km over AH46), Tatanagar (114 km over NH-33), Baripada (99 km over AH46 and NH-5), etc.

Distances of C D Blocks from district Head Qtr i.e Jhargram are as follows -

Gidhni (Jamboni) – 20 kms, Lalgarh (Binpur-I) -20 Kms Belpahari (Binpur-II) – 35 kms, Belagaria (Nayagram) – 86 kms Chhatinasole (Gopiballavpur –I)-56 kms, Rohini (Sankrail) – 46 kms.

#### 9.2 :List of few small scale industries in and around Jhargram municipality/block:

Sl.No	Name of the Unit	Block
1	Anadi Rice mill	Jhargram
2	Agarwal flour Mill	Jhargram
3	B K Oils Pvt Ltd.	Jhargram
4	Balaji Papers and Newsprint Pvt Ltd.	Jhargram
5	Bholanath Agro Poultry Farm Pvt. Ltd.	Sankrail
6	Dynamic Herbikem India Pvt Ltd.	Jhargram
7	Grami Agro. Pvt Ltd.	Binpur –I
8	G G Agro Products Pvt. Ltd.	Binpur-I
9	G M Trancom Pvt Ltd.	Jhargram
10	IST Industries Pvt. Ltd.	Sankrail
11	Jagatmata rice mill	Gidhni
12	Jhargram Rice Mill.	Jhargram
13	Jhargram Saw Mill & Ice Factory	Jhargram
14	Kanakdurga Agro Products Pvt. Ltd.	Jhargram
15	Kumarpur Agro poultries Ltd	Sankrail
16	Lakshmi Janardan Rice Mill	Jhargram
17	M S Agro Pvt Ltd.	Sankrail
18	Ma Sarada Rice Mill	Sankrail
19	Ma Sitala Rice Mill	Jhargram
20	M/S Sankar Lal Gupta	Jhargram
21	Mandal Edible Products Pvt. Ltd	Binpur-I
22	Neelachal Natural Resource Pvt. Ltd.	Jhargram
23	OM Rice Mill Pvt Ltd.	Binpur -I
24	Patra Industries (New Rice Mill)	Jhargram
25	Pita Mata mrice Mill	Gopiballavpur-II
26	Purna Chandra R.M.	Silda
27	Patra Industries (New Rice Mill)	Jhargram
28	Pita Mata mrice Mill	Gopiballavpur-II
29	Purna Chandra R.M.	Silda
30	S C P Agro Food Products	Jhargram
31	Sarada Rice Mill	Sankrail
32	Sarkar Enterprises	Jhargram

33	Shraddhamayee R.M.	Jhargram
34	Shree Gopal Viniyog Pvt. Ltd.	Jhargram
35	Sitala Mata Rice Mill.	Jhargram
36	Sitala Mata Food Products Pvt Ltd.	Jhargram
37	Tara Engineering Works	Jhargram
38	Tara Soap Factory	Jhargram
39	Text Print	Jhargram
40	Uniglobal Papers Pvt Ltd.	Jhargram
41	Unisavo Paper Mills Pvt Ltd.	Jhargram
42	United Paper & Board Industries Pvt Ltd.	Jhargram
43	United Industries	Jhargram

#### 9.3: Tourist Attractions

Jhargram is an interesting tourist place for its unique location and natural beauty. There are several tourist-attracting places throughout the Sub-Division.

• <u>Jhargram Palace</u> Chilkigarh Raj Palace

Kanak Durga Temple, Medical Plants Garden (Kalaboni)

• Dherua (for the banks of Kansai river), Deer Park (Jangal Mahal Zoological Park)

• Jungle Mahal, Savitri Temple, Rabindra Park

Medical Plants Garden (Kalaboni)
 Dherua (for the banks of Kansai river)

• Sevayatan is known for its beauty of Kechenda Bandh (lake) & surrounding forests.

• **Tribal Museum, Alampur Kendua** (to see migrating birds)

• Kakrajhore Forest <u>Mukutmanipur Dam</u>

• Pukuria Bharat Sevashram Sangha Gidhni (Sri sri Anukulchandra Ashram)

• **Rohini**: This is a historical village situated on the bank of <u>Subarnarekha River</u>. Birthplace of famous Vaishnav saint Rashikanandaji Maharaj.