

**Short Note on Religion-wise and Social Groups-
wise Percentage of Landholding Households and
Religion-wise Self-Employed in Rural India**

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Table1 (below) shows that Religion-wise Percentage of Landholding Households for Hindus has increased from 2004-05 in 2011-12 and also in 2012-13. Whereas, it has decreased for Muslims and Other Minorities for the same period.

Table1: Religion-wise Percentage of Landholding Households

S.No.	Year	Religion-wise	Percentage of Landholding Households
	2013-14		
1		Hindu	85.0
2		Muslims	11.0
3		Other Minorities	4.0
	2011-12		
4		Hindu	84.2
5		Muslims	11.2
6		Other Minorities	4.6
	2004-05		
7		Hindu	81.8
8		Muslims	12.7
9		Other Minorities	5.4

Whereas, Table2 (below) shows that Social Group-wise Percentage of Landholding Households for OBCs has increased from in 2011-12 than 2004-05 but it has decreased for SCs, STs and others for the same period.

Table2: Social Group-wise Percentage of Landholding Households

S.No.	Year	Social Groups-wise	Percentage of Landholding Households
	2011-12		
1		OBCs	44.2
2		SCs	20.9
3		STs	11.2
4		Others	23.7
	2004-05		
5		OBCs	41.2
6		SCs	19.7
7		STs	8.4
8		Others	30.7

Religion-wise Self-employed in Rural India (above 15 years of age) depicts that for Hindus and Other Minorities it has increased in 2011-12 than in 2004-05 whereas for Muslims it has decreased for the same period (Table3, below).

Table3: Religion-wise Employment Status in the Farm Sector Self-employed in Rural India (above 15 years of age)

S.No.	Year	Religion-wise (farm Sector Self-employed)	Percentage of Employment in Rural India (above 15 years of age)
	2011-12		
1		Hindu	65.0
2		Muslims	61.5
3		Other Minorities	72.1
	2004-05		
4		Hindu	63.8
5		Muslims	62.7
6		Other Minorities	68.5

Source:

<https://indianexpress.com/article/india/india-others/muslims-account-for-just-over-11-report-says-85-of-rural-landowners-are-hindus/>