

APPENDIX I

Assam Population 26,866,000 MILLION

People Groups 60+

15 MILLION Assamese

(Large scale immigration from Bangladesh and Nepal).

Source: Operation World 21st Century Edition

Forward Castes (FC)	Backward Castes (OBC)	Scheduled Castes (SC)	Schedule Tribes (ST)	Other (Numbers not known)
1.4m Brahmin	5.8 m. Bengali	626,000. Namasudra	1.6 m. Bodo (Boro)	Santal
1.3 m. Bania	2.5 m. Assamese	665,000 Kaibartta/Jalia	350,000 Kachari	Munda
	5.8 m. Tea Garden Coolie (of Origin) Most are of tribal and Dalit origin from Bihar, Orissa, Madhya Pradesh.		515,000 Miri	Kharia Orang Rajbongsi
			399,000 Rabha	Mising
Languages 1971 Census		Religion	211,000 Tiwa/Lalung	Mikir
Assamese; Hindi; English		Hindu 5%	83,000 Arleng/Karbi	Kachari
Nepali; Bangla; Manipuri		Muslim 31%	56,600 Dimasa	Mizo
India has 1,652 Languages with	Indo Aryan 94 main Languages.	Christian 3.1%	34,800 Deori	Naga
407 Living Languages and	Dravidian 23 main Languages	Buddhist 0.3%	30,000 Barman	Manipuri
18 Scheduled Languages.	Austro-Asiatic 16 main Languages in North East	Other 0.6%		Ahom
	Sino-Tibetan 80 main Languages in North East.			Khasi
	Other- Arabic etc.			Kalita

Culture arises from People Groups, their languages and religions. Inherent within each, is an intrinsic and unique beauty.

One or all can spark and fuel aggression.