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The three villages of Rajasthan that formed part of the World Bank project in 1998-99 were in Laksh village which had a programme taking in the 2000-01 period and three different agricultural regions of the State. The projects were a kind of survey of agriculture and other features of the rural economy in Rajasthan, with special reference to the three districts of Jaipur, Sikar and Udaipur.

## ADMINISTRATIVE AND LABORERS

According to the Census of 2011, 75 per cent of Rajasthan's population lived in rural areas. Laborers and agricultural workers accounted for 51 per cent of the State's wage force. However, while a large proportion of the population was dependent on agriculture, agriculture and allied activities accounted for only 30 per cent of the gross state domestic product in the year 2010-11.

Annual investment constituted an extremely important component of the rural economy of Rajasthan. In 2008-09, the total rural investment was Rs. 1,000 crore, which constituted about 11 per cent of the gross state domestic product. In the year in perspective, annual investment accounted for only 3.3 per cent of the total gross domestic product in the same year.