



HARYANA

An India State



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Pictured above are the **22** districts within Haryana. Haryana is a landlocked state and is located in northern part of the country, with a population of over 25 million people.

Religion	Percentage
Hindu	87.46%
Muslim	7.03%
Sikh	4.91%
Jain	0.21%
Christian	0.20%
Buddhist	0.03%
Other	0.18%

Hindi was the sole official language of Haryana until 2010 and it is spoken by the majority of the population (87.31%). Haryana has 70% rural population who primarily speak **Haryanvi dialect** of **Hindi**, as well as other related dialects, such as **Bagri** and **Mewati**. Significant minority languages spoken in Haryana are **Punjabi** (10.57%), **Urdu** (1.23%), **Bengali** (0.19%) and **Nepali** (0.10%). Additionally 0.6% of the state population speak **other minority languages**. **Punjabi** is the second official language of Haryana for government and administrative purposes.

“ Say not ye, There are yet four months, and *then* cometh harvest? Behold, I say unto you, Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest.” John 4 : 35