

14. HANDICRAFTS

14.1 & 14.2 Name and Address of Handicraft Sales Centers 2010-11

Sl. No.	Name of the Area	Name and address of the Handicraft Shops	Articles available
1	Madurai Corporation	Khadi kraft, 251 A , West Masi St, Madurai.	1.KHADI -- Cotton , Polyster , Silk , Woollen
2	Melur Municipality	Melur Khadiraft, Trichy Road, Melur.	
3	Pazhanganatham	Assistant Director (Khadi & Village Industries) Madurai office campus	2. VILLAGE INDUSTRIES – Leather, Soap, Honey, Handicrafts & Other V.I. Articles
4	Usilampatti	Khadiraft, Usilampatti	
5	Thirumangalam	Khadiraft, Usilampatti Road, Thirumangalam.	

Source : Assistant Director, Khadi and Village Industries, Madurai.

14.3 Value of Articles Produced 2010-11

Sl. No.	Name of the Handicrafts	Value of articles in lakhs			
		Production		Sales	
		Qty.	Value		
	I.KHADI				
1	Yarn	Cotton	1.65	10.37	-
		Polyster	1.34	06.37	
2	Khadi		0.20	15.06	33.50
3	Polyster		0.07	06.00	23.81
4	Silk		-	-	27.21
5	Woollen		-	-	0.59
	II. Village Industries products				
1	Footwear units		-	15.70	15.90
2	Soap units		-	-	08.20
3	Honey		-	-	00.69
4	Others		-	-	03.47
5	Carpentry & Blacksmithy Unit		-	30.75	31.89

Source : Asst. Director of Khadi and Village Industries, Madurai.

14.4 Number of Families engaged in Khadirafts 2010-11

Sl. No	Name of the Handicrafts	No. of Families Engaged
	There are no Separate Production centers in the District. Articles sold in this Centre were purchased from other private Institutions	---