



**UNHCR Sub-Office Central Region
DISTRICT PROFILE**

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PROVINCE:	Kabul				
DISTRICT:	Guldara				
Population 1990:	20.000				
CURRENT ESTIMATED POPULATION					
Total	Returned IDPs	Recent Returnees	IDPs	Children under 12	Female Households
3,000	166(Ind) 37 (Fam)	186 (Ind) 33 (Fam)	-		
ETHNIC COMPOSITION: around 50 % Pashtoon and 50 % Tajik					
EXPECTED RETURNING PULATION 2002					
IDPS		10.000	RETURNEES	2.000 from Iran 6.000 from Pak.	
AUTHORITY					
Head Of District:	Del Agha				
Other Information:	Said Hassan police officer				
GENERAL SITUATION					
<p>Gul Dara was a part of Shakar Dara district before Mr. B. Rabani time. Later on it was recognized as an independent district by the Rabani's government. The district has no office but they use a house which belong to some one, who fled from the area. Almost the whole district is destroyed. It is small district with isolated villages. Main villages near the main road to Kabul are destroyed. There have been shifts of population (Pashtoon-Tajik) during the different war periods.</p>					

SECTORAL INFORMATION					
SHELTER:	Percentage and the number of houses destroyed:		95%		
	Housing Situation of Returning Population :		Houses are destroyed.		
	Comments: Reportedly Tajik population returned earlier and occupied some Pashtoon homes. According to local population they will return homes to Pashtoons if they return.				
WATER:	Type of Potable Water Sources and the Distance:		Channels		
	Availability of Potable water (%):		100%		
	Sanitation and Drainage:		No good sanitation and drainages.		
	Comments: Spring water comes from mountains through channels.				
AGRICULTURE:	Main crops:		Wheat, Grape and fruits.		
	Current Land Condition:		Severely drought affected.		
	Existing Irrigation schemes:		No structured irrigation schemes.		
	Agri/tool Banks:		No		
	Animal Husbandry		Cows, sheep and goats are kept by some families for own use.		
	Comments: A considerable percentage of grape yards are destroyed due to drought and abandonment. Increasing agricultural activity is observed. No machinery is available. Amount of land per family is not sufficient for subsistence.				
INCOME GENERATION:	Main sources of Income:	Agriculture	% of No income in the district		
	Comments:				
HEALTH:	Health Centre:	Types	Currently functioning	Before 1998	
		No. of Clinic:	-	-	

SECTORAL INFORMATION						
		No. of Mobile Clinic:	-	-		
		No. of Hospital:	-	-		
		Nurses and Mid-wives	-	-		
	Comments: No health services are available in the district. Patients have to travel to Kabul for medical treatment.					
EDUCATION:	Education Centre:	Types		Currently functioning	Before 1998	
		No. of high School:		-	?	
		No. of Primary School:		-	?	
		No. of Home Base Sch:		-	?	
	Teacher:	Female:	?	Pupils:	Girls:	?
		Male:	?		Boys:	?
	Literacy Rate %:	10-20% Based on interview to district leader.				
	Comments: As a new district, no facilities are established yet.					
MINE/UXOs:	Existence of mines & UXOs:		Mines and UXOs exist but the demining work is going on.			
	Identified priority villages to clear:		HT is demining along roads.			
	Comments: Mined villages only close to the main Kabul road.					
PROTECTION						
Population Movement:	Small scale return of IDP due to severe destruction of houses.					
Minority Issue:	Potential problem for Pashtoons returning to their occupied houses despite the assurances by local villagers.					
Land Ownership:	Pashtoons' land has reportedly been occupied by Tajiks.					
House Occupation:	Pashtoons' houses have reported been occupied by Tajiks.					
Others:						
NGOs Working in the District						
ACTED, SERVE and HT.						
Other Comments (Accessibility etc)						
Far from the main road, and the road to the district is not so good, and there are mines along the road.						

Signature of the responsible researcher: