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Preface

Andaman has about 99 elephants distributed across different management regimes. The captive elephant research team of Asian Nature Conservation Foundation (ANCF) and Compassion Unlimited Plus Action (CUPA) collected data on captive conditions of elephants. This led to two benefits: welfare status of elephants and their mahouts across different management regimes in Andaman was now known. Fact sheets or profiles with selected features or parameters were developed. It is assumed this data base consisting of fact sheets for individual elephants and mahouts may act as a source of information for laymen and scientists, animal keepers and department officers, to access basic details of the elephants. In addition, the profile may act as a set format to follow as well as being an official layout for the way the data must be retrieved, categorizing of the elephants according to where they are housed, physical characteristics and health reports.

In the first section, this document describes the procedures and benefits of creating a profile for each animal and their mahout/cawadi in Andaman. Each profile deals with the goals, parameters, descriptive features, graphical features, body measurements and details of mahout/cawadi. Section two provides a list of elephants kept under different management regimes. This section is based on elephants reported from different regimes and this arrangement is based on the order of welfare (better to bad) status which emerged through the investigation of captive elephants for the Island. Section three presents the profiles of all the elephants visited and investigated for Andaman the profiles are organized based on the serial number given to the elephants when visited individually.

We assume that creating a fact sheet or profile is the first step in understanding the welfare status of Asian elephants in captivity and this experience and knowledge of Andaman may form a model for other states where captive elephants are kept under different management regimes.

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Section 1: Developing fact sheets (profiles) for captive elephants and their keepers

Protocol and Significance

ABSTRACT

It is clear that the captive elephant policy and situation in India needs to be changed and modified. The lack of knowledge or a central database was identified as one of the major problems regarding the management of captive elephants in India. A survey on captive elephants and their mahouts was conducted all over India. It was a vast and complex job that took up an immense amount of time and manpower. During the survey, an additional benefit was identified in having a simple and accessible overview of captive elephant locations, actual numbers, and the management system or lack of the same that surrounded it. The collective efforts of the entire captive elephant research team led to developing a fact sheet (profile) for each elephant. The objective of the captive elephant profiles is to create a comprehensive and complete database that would be easy to refer and use. This may also provide scope or motivation for updating the information collected; which would make the database remain valid for a substantial period. The obvious benefit of individual profiles is that the information available on these animals may collectively provide an insight on population status, sex ratio and other such relevant information. The profiles give information not only on the distribution of captive elephants in the state but also on the distribution of elephants between institutions. With this, it may now be possible to make a reliable prediction on the current captive elephant population status or growth in the state, and whether this condition alters, in time, with ageing animals. The first step towards the final format is to come up with a structure that will provide easy and comprehensive information. It will have to be user friendly and easily understood by all readers and concerned individuals or institutions.

The parameters and associated aspects were made into a template. There were two templates made, one for males and one for females and there could be other types as well. The profile has four different categories which are descriptive features, graphical features, measurements and the details on Mahout/cawadi. The parameters in the category of descriptive features specify not only the descriptive background of the elephant, but also features such as physical state, work routine, food and behaviour. Under graphical features, an extra dimension has been added to the profiles by including photos. This helps not only to identify the elephant, but offers several other insights as well. Measurements displayed as figures may help make an assessment in the elephant's growth and health status. The mahouts and/or cawadies are an integral part of a captive elephant's life and several parameters about them are included in the profile. It is believed that creating a fact sheet (profile) is the first step in understanding the welfare status of Asian elephants in captivity. Updating information is a long term process and there should be motivation, reason and resources to do so. Our study has initiated the process of creating fact sheets or profiles for captive elephants and the process has to be continued.

Introduction

It is clear that the captive elephant policy and situation in India needs to be changed and modified (Bist et. al., 2001). The first step therefore, is to enable policy makers to have a comprehensive overview, so that viable proposals for improvement in existing management regimes and Ownership Laws can become an instrument to safeguard the welfare and conservation potential of these magnificent giants. Detailed survey of all captive elephants in India is a project that has never been attempted before. By default, this meant that it was a step in the unknown. A procedure had to be developed and the institutions housing captive elephants needed to be located. This was a tremendous task. Often, lists of elephants in the offices of the State Wildlife Departments were outdated and irrelevant. This meant going with a rough idea and then creating a new database. Lack of an established network, database or other forms of reference for information on the captive elephant population was the major hurdle. This lack of a central database was identified as one of the major problems regarding the management of captive elephants in Andaman and across India.

Keeping this in mind, a questionnaire was developed over two consecutive workshops, comprising of all personnel involved with elephant keeping, forest camp managers, veterinarians, biologists, researchers and NGOs (Varma, 2009). A data sheet was developed and a survey conducted in Andaman as a pilot project. This was later extended all over India. It was a vast and complex job that took up an immense amount of time and manpower. However, what happens when the monumental task of surveying all captive elephants in India is undertaken for the first time? First of all, one ends up with an amount of data, the sheer size of which is so voluminous that it would take several researchers, volunteers and other dedicated people years to process, at different levels. Secondly, the data collected turns out to be a virtual goldmine of information, so complete and valuable that it could serve for more than just scientific reports. During the survey, an additional benefit was identified in having a simple and accessible overview of captive elephant locations, actual numbers, and the management system or lack of the same that surrounded it. The collective efforts of the entire captive elephant research team led to developing a fact sheet (profile) for each elephant.

The Profiles

It became clear that part of the data from the survey could and should be used to create a fact sheet (profile) for each elephant and its handler and this information could be used for future purposes of monitoring, management and possibly making changes in current policies governing captive elephants.

Goal

The final objective of the Andaman profiles is to create a comprehensive and complete database that would be easy to refer and use. This may also provide scope or motivation for updating the information collected, which would make the data base valid for a substantial period. It will provide basic information to all individuals and institutions that have an interest in captive elephants without having to fall back on other sources. The information for these profiles has been derived from the Management Survey data. To make sure the profiles did not become too extensive, a selection of all the important survey parameters needed to be identified and short listed. However, this meant that the selection of the most important components needed to be made without leaving out anything that could be considered critical for the elephant's welfare and for the final relevance of the profiles.

This reflects in 1: number of parameters selected

2: the information given on each individual elephant

Since this is the first time an attempt of this nature has been made, there may be lacunae and the fact that the population is not static means that the record of profiles is dynamic; new elephants need to be added when introduced to the captive population. Existing elephants that are on record need their status to be updated as deceased, gifted, purchased or transferred from the state or freshly acquired from trade.

The benefits of having profiles

The benefits of the profiles are numerous. The obvious benefit individually is the information available on a given animal and collectively it may provide insight on population status, sex ratio and other such relevant information. Furthermore it is now possible to access basic information on individual elephants which will help to strengthen knowledge about their specific status or even health conditions. Information on an individual elephant's behaviour, for instance, can provide useful knowledge on the risks involved in handling the animal.

There are many other benefits as well. The profiles give information not only on the distribution of captive elephants in the state, but also on the distribution of elephants between institutions (Table 1). There is now also a clear available record on the division between sexes (Table 1), including vital information on the reproductive status. By combining all this information with the listing of different age classes (Table 1) it may be now possible to make a reliable prediction on the current captive elephant population status or growth in the state, and whether this condition may alter in time, with ageing animals.

Table 1: Divisions in sex, age class and institution (Source: Andaman survey data)

Classification	Numbers	Percentage
Sex: Male	23	24
Female	72	76
Type: FD	74	78
F&PDC	18	19
Private	3	3

As the captive elephants in the state have just undergone a detailed investigation, it is now possible to state the exact numbers in captivity, the status of their welfare, budgets needed for management to improve on the scale of individual institutions, regions, states and eventually the entire country. Additionally, by combining different parameters it is possible to come up with a pattern of keeping elephants or their working conditions or even body or health conditions across different management regimes. The outcome may indicate that there are apparent relations between two or more parameters.

These anticipated links between different parameters could form the nucleus of the management, knowledge for current and future research. Combining information of appearance (e.g. pigmentation or injuries or body condition) with housing or food conditions may lead to understanding more about the true status and significance of inter-linked parameters. In conclusion, the benefit of these profiles is diverse on various levels and their usability will only grow over time when consistent record keeping is maintained.

Procedure

As mentioned earlier, the profiles should be comprehensive. To achieve this, it may be necessary to use only those parameters that reveal the basic background of the elephant. It should however be complete to a point whereby a preliminary assessment can be made about the animal. If this leads to the need for further information, the animal in question is to be visited or full details about it through the entire data sheet need to be accessed.

Structure

The first step towards the final format was to come up with a structure that would provide easy and comprehensive information. It would have to be user friendly, easily understood by all readers, concerned individuals and institutions. As captive elephants live under various institutions each with its own specific management regime, each profile has been categorised. The following were identified in Andaman:

- 1.Forest or Camp Elephants Owned and managed solely by the Forest Department of Andaman (FDA).
- 2. Forest & Plantation Development Corporation (F&PDC) Owned and managed by Government of India.
- 3. Private Individuals Owned and managed by private individuals.

The individual pages of the profile have four distinct categories;

- 1. Descriptive features
- 2. Graphical features
- 3. Measurements
- 4. Mahout/ Cawadi data

This classification is synoptic and provides an obvious distinction between categories. The first page contains the descriptive features and photos, starting with the name, age and location of each elephant and a frontal photograph. The reader is able to immediately identify the elephant and can then decide upon further reading. The heading lists sex, type (e.g. camp, temple, etc) and State, the last being important if the profiles are extended all over India. A footer could be created for each profile giving the elephant's name, age and location, making it possible to browse through the different profiles to search for any one particular elephant. Other features such as the date on which the profile was constructed and second, a confidential number for the field researcher who collected this data could be also considered. Both these may be of great importance when handling legal issues. However the current profiles, for specific reasons, have for the time being not considered these aspects, but eventually it could be included.

Parameters

The parameters and associated aspects were made into a template that can be reused for this and other projects, national and international. There were two templates made, one for males (Figure 1) and one for females (Figure 2). There could be other types as well; for example, a profile exclusively for calves or young animals or for source of animals namely captive born/transferred/gifted. If there is a template developed for calves, it may not have details of cycling, number of calves born and status of musth or number of calves sired. If there is an exclusive template for source of the elephants, and the source happens to be captive born, the details used for "captured elephants" such as 'Reason for Source' can be avoided in the template.

Figure 1: Example of template for male elephants



A 22 Name of the Elephant Chaitanya Age (in yrs) 27 Female/ Male Male

Type of ownership Forest Department

Makhna/Tusker Tusker Tusk/tush type Upwards

Current Location of animal Basduck, Radhanagar District North Andaman Source of the animal Calf Of Ratankali

26/8/82 Date or year of source 2 1/2y, 88cm Age/height at source Location of orgin Thoraktang

Andaman and Nicobar Island State

Type of shelter Forest Type of flooring Earthen Source of water Stream Interaction with other elephants No 0 Hours/day

0

Number of elephants Aggressive Personality

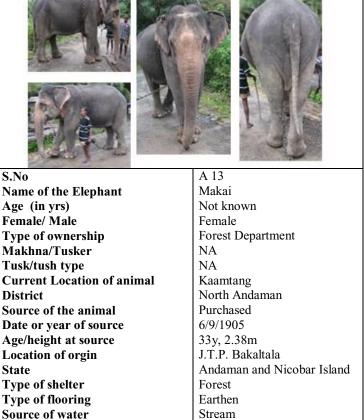
Number of people killed/injured 2 killed Stereotypic behaviour No

Type of work No Work Hours/day NA

Source of food Free ranging Type of food Forest species **Status And Time of Musth** Reported Number of calves sired Not known

Type of disease reported No chronic Availability of veterinary doctor Yes Number of mahouts changed 4

Figure 2 Example of template for female elephants



Personality Number of people killed/injured

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Stereotypic behaviour Type of work Hours/day Source of food

Type of food
Occurrence of heat cycles
Number of calves born
Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed 6/9/1905
33y, 2.38m
J.T.P. Bakaltala
Andaman and Nicobar Island
Forest
Earthen
Stream
No
0
0
Quiet
0
No
No Work
NA
Free ranging
Forest species
Not Known

No chronic

Yes

^{*}see appendix-I, II, III for abbreviation, Names of food plants/food used and terms used. The four different categories into which the profiles are divided are explained in the following paragraphs.

Descriptive features

The parameters in this category specify not only the descriptive background of the elephant, but also parameters like physical state, work routine, food and behaviour. Table 2 provides details of the parameters of the descriptive features. The first column reflects the parameters and the specific order of the listed parameters often reflects the relationship between the different parameters. The second column lists the individual purpose for which the parameter was included. The third column lists 'Group purpose' and the group purpose is evolved by combining some of the parameters together. Whether Individual or group purpose, there could be other benefits. The purpose provided in the table may act as an example and the actual purpose could be described in further detail in the table.

Table 2: Descriptive features: their parameters include individual and grouped purpose (Source: profile templates).

Parameter	Individual purpose	Group purpose	
Name of	Describes which elephant is	These parameters identify the	
Elephant	being discussed	individual elephant. Provides	
Age (Yrs)	Describes the age class of the	information on the divisions of sexes,	
	elephant and thus the kind of	age class and distribution.	
	management required. Age		
	may be given as of the date of		
	the survey or of compilation of		
	the profile.		
Sex	Describes whether the elephant		
	is male or female		
Location	Describes where the elephant		
	is, making it traceable		
State	Becomes important when other		
	states are included in the total		
	file		
Makhna/Tusker	Reveals the genetic build up of	Provides information on what	
	the elephant.	elephants are in captivity and thus in	
Tusk/Tush type	Gives information about the	demand and/or available. Some states	
	state of the tusk, (e.g. broken,	or regimes may like to keep animals	
	fully grown.)	only of a particular sex (Namboodiri,	
		2008).	
Source	Source of origin. Describes	Discusses the history of the	
	whether the elephant is captive	elephant. When used in combination	
	born, captured, rescued,	with the other profiles knowledge	
	purchased or donated.	becomes available from where	
Year	With the details of year of	institutions acquire their Elephants – it	
	birth/capture/transferred/gifted,	may give clues about the growth of	
	it describes how long an	population (captive born for example)	
	elephant has been in	or decline of wild elephants (as more	
	captivity/possession of the institution	elephants are captured)	
	HISTITUTION		
Ago/hoight of	Describes the age class of the		
Age/height at source	Describes the age class of the elephant at the time of		
source	capture/donation/birth/etc.		
	capture/donation/onth/etc.		

Location(of	Describes where the elephant	
source)	originates from.	
Reason(for	Describes what the reason for	
source-	capture/purchase/donation/etc	
particularly for	was	
capture,		
transfer,		
orphaned or		
rescued	Deficient the hearing	Combined there were the first
Type of shelter	Reflects the housing conditions. Free ranging	Combined, these parameters indicate the housing conditions of the elephant
	conditions. Free ranging (meaning freedom to roam in	and, indirectly, about its management.
	(semi) natural conditions) is	and, maneetry, about its management.
	the most desirable condition in	
	captivity. Shelters need to take	
	care of animal needs, thus they	
	need to be big enough. A small	
	shelter reflects poor housing.	
	Also listed are the hours an	
	elephant is chained. The longer	
	an animal is chained, the	
	higher the risk of injury and	
TD 6.01	stress related problems	
Type of flooring	Type of flooring is important	
	as an elephant is designed to walk/stand on earthen flooring.	
	Any other type of flooring may	
	be harmful for the animal.	
Source of water	Describes the source of water.	
	Natural running water is the	
	most ideal (Varma, et al.,	
	2008). Running water is	
	preferred above still water	
	because it is less prone to	
	contamination. Minimum	
	availability should be between	
	150 and 200 litres per day per	
	elephant. Tap water sources	
	shared with humans is least ideal because of the risk of	
	cross infections.	
Interaction with	Elephants are highly social	These combined, parameters describe
other elephants	animals (Poole and Moss,	the interaction with other elephants,
1	2008). In natural situations,	which may be highly important for the
	they live in family groups.	animals physical and mental wellbeing
Hours/day	The longer the interaction, the	
	more natural, and thus	
	preferred.	

Number of	Natural herds average at 6	
individuals	elephants (Sukumar, 2000).	
	Any number closest to this is	
D	preferred.	T1
Personality	States whether the animal is	These parameters can predict expected
	calm, predictable, aggressive,	future behaviour. Knowledge about the
	unpredictable, etc. It helps in	animal's behaviour and behavioural
	assessing how to handle the	history can help a great deal in
	animal.	management planning and animal
People	Describes the human/elephant	handling.
killed/injured	history or interaction. If there	
	are any prior incidents, this can	
	affect the management.	
Sterotypic	Describes the occurrence of	
behaviour	stereotypic behaviour. This is	
	an indication that the animal is	
	not well. It may suffer from	
	stress, boredom or other	
	negative conditions that may	
	result in this behaviour.	
Type of work	Describes what type of work	Combined, something can be said of
	the elephant is involved in.	the positive or negative effect the work
	Carrying tourists in howdahs,	will have on an animal's mental and
	begging, processions,	physical wellbeing. It also provides
	patrolling, etc.	some information about the animal's
Hours / day	The amount of hours reflects	management.
	the impact the work activity	
	will have on the animal.	
Source of food	Where the animal gets its food	These parameters describe the type and
	from; stall fed or free- ranging.	variety, quality and quantity of food
	Both sources combined are the	given elephants are exposed to
	preferred situation.	1
Type	What does the animal's food	
	consist of; describes the	
<u> </u>	quality of the food.	
Status of	Gives information about	, ,
musth/cycling	whether the elephant is	reproductive stage of the animal, a
	physically capable of	
	reproduction and is going	drawn (Clubb and Mason, 2002). If all
	through natural hormonal	
NI C	cycles.	males, it may end up mating with its
Number of	Gives information whether the	own offspring
calves given	elephant had offspring. If yes,	
birth to/sired	is it contributing to the gene	
	pool or population growth and	
D .	the reproductive health.	D 11 11 11 21 21
Permanent	Describes the injuries or	Describes health status of the animal.
injury/handicap	handicaps, if any. This provides some insight into the	Both history and current status. Makes it possible to make a prediction for
1		

	animal's medical history and	future health and management.
	current capabilities. Also	istare meanth and management.
	injuries or handicaps indicates	
	whether the animal is suffering	
	or not	
Disease	The same as with the	
reported	injury/handicap parameter	
	except it applies to diseases.	
Veterinary	Describes whether the animals	
doctor	have access to a veterinarian or	
availability	not. Regular checkups by an	
	experienced veterinarian and	
	immediate availability is	
	highly important if the animal	
	is to be managed properly	
Changes of	The less changes the better	
mahout	(Clubb and Mason, 2002). An	
	elephant is a highly social	
	animal capable of forming	
	strong bonds with its handler.	
	The longer a good handler is	
	with one elephant the more at	
	ease the elephant will be with	
	him and, often, its situation.	

Graphical features

An extra dimension has been added to the profiles by including photos. This will not only help to identify the elephant, but will offer several other insights as well. Each profile may in principal contain four photos of each animal. One frontal photo, one rear and two lateral photos (see figure 1 and 2). By using this system, all sides of the animal are visible, similar in all profiles, making each elephant classifiable. Photographs of elephant handlers could be included along with the animals, but the changes of a given handler for a given elephant is very frequent, and may not be too useful for the purpose of record keeping.

In the list below, several qualities that can be identified through the photos:

- Distinctive features; this will make it possible to identify the elephant long/short tusk or tush/ear fold and other distinct features.
- Shows possible age class. A knowledgeable person can assess the age class of an elephant by looking at its appearance.
- Except for Makhna (tuskless male) and females, it helps in identifying male elephants.
- By adding photos to the archive they become not unlike a passport for elephants. It is (for example) no longer possible to insure an elephant twice and claim money for the death or injury of a non existing animal. Inspections of institutions will become easier. An injured, sick or deceased elephant can no longer be hidden away.
- Body condition:. Gives an indication about the health status of the animal. Are the ribs visible or not, is there obesity. This information reveals the status of the health and management of the elephant.

- Injuries (old/new); Another feature that may be indicative of the well-being of an animal, and may provide basic medical history of the animal.
- Pigmentation: recognition. Many elephants have distinctive pigmentation that may be unique to them. The photos show which part of the body has pigmentation and to what degree. The distribution or spread of pigmentation on an elephant's body may be related to a specific region, this can be achieved by comparing different animals.
- Using the photos can provide new and interesting information for management or learning the science of the species. For instance, combining pigmentation features with other parameters can provide information that was previously unknown like;
- Is there a higher occurrence of pigmentation among wild or captive elephants?
- Is there a relationship between pigmentation and food?
- Is there a relationship between pigmentation and shade availability?

Measurements

This category will help make an assessment on the elephant's growth and health status. In the profile, the measurements are displayed as figures (see figures 1 and 2 for examples) featuring several measurable parameters (see Figure 3 and photos 1 to 15 for body measurements). All sizes are given in centimetres.

The following parameters were included:

- Right tusk*
- Left tusk*
- Body length
- Neck girth
- Chest girth
- Circumference of foreleg base left
- Circumference of foreleg base right
- Shoulder height

^{*} In the female profiles the tusk parameters were not included as they are (in most cases) nonexistent.

Body measurements					
Tusk girth (right)	Tusk starting (TS)	Tusk m	iddle (TM)		
Tusk tip (TT)			` '		
Tusk girth (left)	Tusk starting (TS)	Tusk m	iddle (TM)		
Tusk tip (TT)					
Tusk length (right)	TS to end of the tu	ısk:			
Tusk length (left):	TS to end of the tusk:				
Body length (L) = Tip of the fore head to the base of the tail:					
Neck girth (N) = Location between neck and fore legs:					
Chest girth (G) = Meeting points of the belly and fore legs:					
Circumference of foreleg base (C) Right Left					
Shoulder height (H) Right Left					

Body measurements: figure/photos

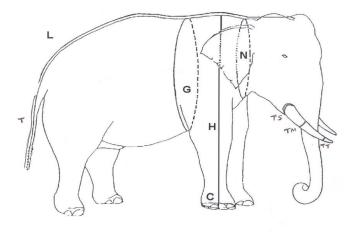


Figure 3: Body measurements

Circumference of foreleg base (C) Photo 1 & 2







Photo 2

Body length (L) = Tip of the fore head to base of the tail (Photo 3, 4 & 5):







Photo 3

Photo 4

Photo 5

Shoulder height (H) = Photo 6, 7 & 8







Photo 8

Photo 7

Chest girth (CG) = Meeting points of the belly and fore legs Photo 9 Neck girth (NG) Photo 10 $\,$







Photo 10

Tusk girth: Tusk starting (TS) Tusk middle (TM) Tusk tip (TT) (Photos 11, 12 & 13)



Photo 11 (TS)



Photo 12 (TM)



Photo 13 (TT)

Tusk length (to be taken for left & right) TS to end of the tusk: (Photo 14 & 15)





Photo 14 & 15 TL

By looking at the different sizes in the figure, a part of the animal's growth history is revealed. For instance, by comparing the values of neck girth and height, health status in terms of obesity can be arrived at. An estimate on health can be made by combining values of different animals; measurement of shoulder height of an animal can also be used to estimate the age of elephants, measurements of circumference of the right legs could be used to estimate height of the animal (see Figure 4 for age estimation).

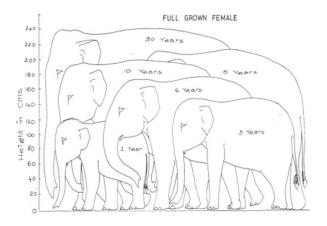


Figure 4: Field guide for ageing elephants (Sukumar 1985)



Figure 5: Elephants photographed for age and sex classification



Figure 6: Identifying different individuals based on distinct features (note a hole on the left ear of a female elephant)

It is often not possible to weigh an elephant on site. However weight of an elephant can be arrived at by using some body measurements. For example the values of chest and neck girths may be used to calculate the body weight of the elephant (Sreekumar and Nirmalan, 1989). The weight estimate contributes a lot in assessing the health status and growth history of elephants kept in captivity.

Mahout/cawadi

The mahouts and/or cawadies are an integral part of a captive elephant's life. Their work circumstances and general well-being reflects directly on the elephant's conditions. Therefore several parameters about the animal handlers are included in the profile. In Table 3, for example each parameter is discussed in the same manner as the parameters for the descriptive features in the elephant section.

Table-3: Parameters used in the profiles of mahouths and cawadies

	Mahout	Cawadi
Name	Nanjappa Bhojari	Srinivas
Age (yrs)	55	33
Total experience as a mahout (in relation to his age)	55%	45%
Total experience with this elephant	51%	25%
(in relation to elephant's age)		
Community	Hindu	Hindu
Formal Training	No (but has experience)	No (but has experience)
Family occupation	Agriculture	Agriculture
Education	Nil	5th Standard
Salary/yr(INR)	96,000	60,000
Job status	Permanent	Permanent
Marital status	Married	Married

Number of Children	4	3
Usage of tools	Yes	Yes
Type	Sick, ankush	Sick, ankush
Health status	Good	Good
Insurance	Yes	No
Source	Employee	NA
Will his children join this	Yes	Not known
profession?	103	1 TOURIOWII

Table 4: Mahout/Cawadi features: individual and group purposes

D	Individual purpose	Group purpose		
Parameter Mahout Name	<u> </u>			
	States the name	dentification of the person		
Age	Age of the person	_		
Total	Describes what percentage of his life he has been an animal			
experience as	handler. This is done by	It is assumed that the longer an elephant		
a mahout (in	dividing the years of experience	works with one handler the better		
relation to his	as a mahout by his age.	(Varma, et al., 2008). Any previous		
age) %		experience of the handler will improve		
Total	Describes what percentage of	his handling skills. Combined, it gives a		
experience	the elephant's life this person	clear indication whether this mahout is		
with this	has been the animal's caretaker.	suitable for a given elephant in terms of		
Elephant (in	This is done by dividing the	personal experience as well as experience		
relation to	years of experience with this	with this elephant.		
Elephant's	animal by the age of the			
age) %	Elephant.			
Community	States the cultural background	Describing the cultural and personal		
	of the handler. Some specific	background of these handlers help to		
	communities have a long	make a further assessment whether this		
	history of working with	person might be fit to be an animal		
	elephants. Generally speaking,	handler or not.		
	handlers from these			
	communities will have more			
	knowledge and certain affection			
	for elephants that might benefit			
	the relationship with their			
	animal.			
Source	If a handler had source training,			
training	it will make a difference to his			
	knowledge and skills.			
Family	If there has been a history of			
occupation	elephant handling in the family,			
	the same assumption as the			
	community parameter can be			
	made.			
Education	Basic education will benefit the			
	general feeling of well-being of			
	the handler. It will be easier to			

	work under different	
	circumstances and in different	
	regions.	
Salary/yr	Salary received on an annual	Having knowledge about job status and
Salai y/yi	basis. It may be a primary	income helps in assessing the living
	motivating factor for the job	conditions of the handlers. If these are
Job status	Describes whether the handler	too low, it is very likely to have a
oob status	has a temporary or permanent	negative effect on his work, which then
	contract with the institution.	reflects in the welfare of the elephant.
Marital status	Describes whether the handler	Describes handler's personal life. Having
	is married or not.	a family life can bring pride and
Number of	States the number of children	happiness to someone's life, but also
Children	this person has. The higher the	brings extra responsibility in terms of
	number, the higher the family's	providing resources, housing, health and
	expenses will be.	education
Usage of tools	Does the handler use tools to	The usage of tools is daily practice in
	control the animal or not.	animal training and handling to get the
Type	If so, what sorts of tools are	animal to obey commands. The usage of
	used?	the kind of tools tells us something about
		how the animal is handled or controlled.
Health status	Describes the (current) health	
	status of the handler	
Insurance	Tells whether the handler is	The health insurance status is an
~	insured or not.	important indication about whether the
Source	The source of the insurance. It	handler is physically capable of doing his
	is best if the handler is insured	job now. Being in one of the more
	by his/her employer. If	dangerous jobs, insurance is highly important to provide both a feeling of
	insurance is paid out of the handler's salary, this will limit	safety for the future and financial
	his budget. External sources,	security in case of accidents for both
	like an NGO providing	handler and his family.
	resources for this aspect is also	imilator and into running.
	a good source for insurance.	
Will his	Indicates if there is any	
children join	intention of the handler's	
this	children continuing in this line	
profession?	of work.	

Conclusion

Creating a fact sheet (profile) is the first step in understanding the welfare status of Asian elephants in captivity. Combinations of profile structure, parameters selected and individual or group purpose provided may offer simple but distinct knowledge about the current status, welfare and management of the species in captivity. If parameters across individuals or institutions are taken into consideration, the profiles may have many other benefits. These benefits may be difficult to condense in a single document. Maintaining elephants in captivity is a dynamic process. As time passes, age of the elephant or location or other details given in the profile or profiles keep changing and even name of the animal may be changed depending

on the institution it is transferred or gifted to. As time moves on, the actual challenge is to maintain new information on various aspects or parameters selected. Creating and monitoring is a dynamic process and out dated information has very little or no value for the species and its management in captivity.

Updating information is a long term process and there should be motivation, reason and resources to do so. Our study on captive elephant ecology and management initiated the process of creating fact sheets or profiles for captive elephants, and the process has to be continued. The updating process to become easier or effective, has to be a part of the work responsibility of the concerned government authorities. However, the government alone cannot under take this significant but time and resource consuming assignment and every one who is concerned about the status of welfare elephants in captivity has to contribute or become part of this important assignment.

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Section 2: Check-list of Captive Elephants in Andaman

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S.No	Name of the Elephant	Age (yrs)	Female/ Male	Type of ownership	Current Location of animal	District
1	Yamuna	0.17	Female	FD	Parnashala	Middle Andaman
2	Priyanka	3	Female	FD	Pathar Tikry, Tugapur	North Andaman
3	Vijaya laxmi	4	Female	FD	Kalapattar training camp, Havelock	Havelock Island
4	Amitha	4	female	FD	Ferragunj	South Andaman
5	Vijaya Kumari	8	Female	FD	Kalapattar training camp, Havelock	Havelock Island
6	Indira	21	Female	FD	Pathar Tikry, Tugapur	North Andaman
7	Mammy	28	Female	FD	Kalapattar training camp, Havelock	Havelock Island
8	Niharika	28	Female	FD	Pathar Tikry, Tugapur	North Andaman
9	Parvati	34	Female	FD	Rutland Island	
10	Sarasu	36	Female	FD	Pathar Tikry, Tugapur	North Andaman
11	Chanchal	37	Female	FD	Basduck,Radhanagar	North Andaman
12	Ambika*	37	female	FD	Ferragunj	South Andaman
13	Lucy	40	Female	FD	Ferragunj	South Andaman
14	Indira	46	Female	FD	Kalapattar training camp, Havelock	Havelock Island
15	Champa	47	Female	FD	Basduck,Radhanagar	North Andaman
16	Gulab Kali	50	Female	FD	Radha nagar beach, Havelock	Havelock Island
17	Chandra	51	Female	FD	Throtang	Middle Andaman
18	Chanchal Kali 2	53	Female	FD	Radha nagar beach, Havelock	Havelock Island
19	Mallika	57	Female	FD	Chidia Tapu camp	South Andaman
20	Motikali	59	Female	FD	Nabagram	North Andaman
21	Gulab Kali	64	Female	FD	Manglutan	South Andaman

22	Bani		Female	FD	Paschim Sagar	North Andaman
23	Rupkali		Female	FD	Paschim Sagar	North Andaman
24	Smitha*	50	Female	FD	Nabagram	North Andaman
25	Lilly		Female	FD	Nabagram	North Andaman
26	Sita Kumari		Female	FD	Nabagram	North Andaman
27	Menaka		Female	FD	Nabagram	North Andaman
28	Mini Kumari		Female	FD	Ramnagar	North Andaman
29	Varsha		Female	FD	Ramnagar	North Andaman
30	Anna Kumari		Female	FD	Ramnagar	North Andaman
31	Paru		Female	FD	Betapur	Middle Andaman
32	Nikki		Female	FD	Throtang	Middle Andaman
33	Razia		Female	FD	Throtang	Middle Andaman
34	Ganga		Female	FD	Markarti Valley	Middle Andaman
35	Sundar Kali		Female	FD	Markarti Valley	Middle Andaman
36	Pawan Kali		Female	FD	Markarti Valley	Middle Andaman
37	Chanchal Kali		Female	FD	Markarti Valley	Middle Andaman
38	Sunitha		Female	FD	Parnashala	Middle Andaman
39	Chanchal Kali 1		Female	FD	South Creek	Middle Andaman
40	Pawankali		Female	FD	Ferragunj	South Andaman
41	Laxmi		Female	FD	Shol Bay	South Andaman
42	Hemamalini		Female	FD	Shol Bay	South Andaman
43	Sania		Female	FD	Shol Bay	South Andaman
44	Kaushalya		Female	FD	Tugapur	North Andaman
45	Rupkali		Female	FD	Bajota	North Andaman
46	Laila		Female	FD	Bajota	North Andaman
47	Jaya		Female	FD	Karmatang	North Andaman
48	Sharon* 8		Female	FD	Karmatang	North Andaman

49	Makai		Female	FD	Kaamtang	North Andaman
50	Danimala*	8	Female	FD	Mohanpur	North Andaman
51	Mohini		Female	FD	Mohanpur	North Andaman
52	Champa		Female	FD	Mohanpur	North Andaman
53	Rani		Female	FD	Mohanpur	North Andaman
54	Sumit	10	Male (Makhna)	FD	Nabagram	North Andaman
55	Ganga Prasad	49	Male (Makhna)	FD	Tugapur	North Andaman
56	Bijli Prasad	60	Male (Makhna)	FD	Tugapur	North Andaman
57	Sanjeev		Male (Makhna)	FD	Karmatang	North Andaman
58	Laxmi Prasad		Male (Makhna)	FD	Mohanpur	North Andaman
59	Lal Bahadur		Male (Makhna)	FD	Paschim Sagar	North Andaman
60	Sunil		Male (Makhna)	FD	Throtang	Middle Andaman
61	Indrajit		Male (Makhna)	FD	Ferragunj Checkpost	South Andaman
62	Ganesh	3	Male	FD	Throtang	Middle Andaman
63	Sheetal	23	Male	FD	Rutland Island	
64	Ravish	24	Male	FD	Rutland Island	
65	Chaitanya	27	Male	FD	Basduck,Radhanagar	North Andaman
66	Naresh Bahadur	47	Male	FD	Ferragunj	South Andaman
67	Krishna Prasad	59	Male	FD	Rutland Island	
68	Laxmi Prasad		Male	FD	Nabagram	North Andaman
69	Gai Bahadur		Male	FD	Nabagram	North Andaman

70	Vikram		Male	FD	Markarti Valley	Middle Andaman
71	Pawan		Male	FD	Markarti Valley	Middle Andaman
72	Ram		Male	FD	Kalapahar	Middle Andaman
73	Kumar		Male	FD	Lorojig	Middle Andaman
74	Mattu Bahadur		Male	FD	South Creek	Middle Andaman
75	Niras		Male	FD	South Creek	Middle Andaman
76	Harihar Prasad		Male	FD	John Lawrance Island	Havelock Island
77	Lal Ram		Male	FD	John Lawrance Island	Havelock Island
78	Billy Bahadur		Male	FD	Ferragunj Checkpost	South Andaman
79	Gulab Kali		Female	F&PDC	White surf falls, Hut bay	Little Andaman
80	Un named calf	0.5	Female	F&PDC	Check post, Hut bay	Little Andaman
81	Amaravathi	1	Female	F&PDC	White surf falls, Hut bay	Little Andaman
82	Akash (Shreya)	8	Female	F&PDC	Check post, Hut bay	Little Andaman
83	Marry	16	female	F&PDC	Ferragunj	South Andaman
84	Anarkali	43	Female	F&PDC	Ferragunj	South Andaman
85	Champakali	47	Female	F&PDC	Ferragunj	South Andaman
86	Renu	50	Female	F&PDC	Krishana nalla, Hut bay	Little Andaman
87	Gangavathi	54	Female	F&PDC	Check post, Hut bay	Little Andaman
88	Rup Kumari	59	Female	F&PDC	Krishana nalla, Hut bay	Little Andaman
89	Jill	71	Female	F&PDC	Krishana nalla, Hut bay	Little Andaman
90	Vanrani		Female	F&PDC	White surf falls, Hut bay	Little Andaman
91	Kalpana		Female	F&PDC	Ferragunj	South Andaman
92	Appu	3.5	Male (Makhna)	F&PDC	Krishana nalla, Hut bay	Little Andaman

93	Gautam Bahadur	29	Male (Makhna)	F&PDC	Krishana nalla, Hut bay	Little Andaman
94	Dulip Bahadur	10	Male	F&PDC	Netaji Camp, Hut bay	Little Andaman
95	Samsher		Male	F&PDC	Farm Trikery, Hut bay	Little Andaman
96	Balvant		Male	F&PDC	Ferragunj	South Andaman
97	Rajan	56	Male	Private	Radha nagar beach, Havelock	Havelock Island
98	Chanchal Pyaari		female	Private	Makarti Valle	
99+	Man Pyaari		female	Private	Makarti Valle	

^{*}Sold to private owners in main land India; +not in the data base

Section 3: Profiles









S.No Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source

Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water Interaction with other

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Status And Time of Musth Number of calves sired Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary Number of mahouts changed A 1

Ganga Prasad

49 Male

Forest Department

Makhna NA

Tugapur

North Andaman

Purchased

NK

33y, 2.38m

NK NK Forest Earthen Stream Yes

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Quiet 0

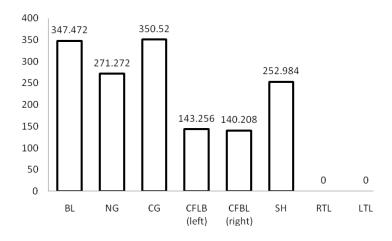
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No Logging

Free ranging Forest species Reported

NK

No chronic



KEY
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NG: Neck Girth, CG: Chest Girth, SH: Shoulder Height,
CFLB (left): Circumference of left foreleg base,
CFLB (right): Circumference of right foreleg base

Mahout name	Shaw Sanbi
Age	43
Caste	Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	20
Total expereince with this	
animal	15
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather	
occupation	Agriculture
Education	6
Salary/yr	87600
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this	
profession	No









Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs) Female/ Male

Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source

Age/height at source Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour Type of work

Hours/day Source of food

Type of food Status And Time of Musth Number of calves sired

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 2

Bijli Prasad

60

Male

Forest Department

Makhna NA

Tugapur

North Andaman

Purchased

1981

33.5y, 2.42m Sonepur Bihar

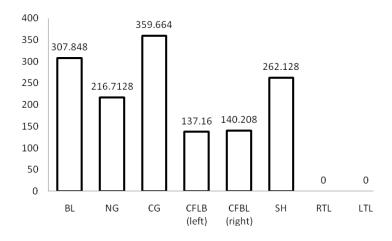
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Rough 0 No Logging NA

Free ranging
Forest species
Reported
NK

No chronic Yes



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CFLB (right): Circumference of right foreleg base

Mahout name	Shaw Kanai
Age	50
Caste	Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	20
Total expereince with this	
animal	20
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	8
Salary/yr	96000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	5
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Gastric Trouble
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this	
profession	No









Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs) Female/ Male Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker

Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source

Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 3 Sarasu 36

Female

Forest Department

NA

NA

Pathar Tikry, Tugapur North Andaman

Purchased

1987 16y, 2.02m

16y, 2.02m NK

NK Forest Earthen Stream Yes 16

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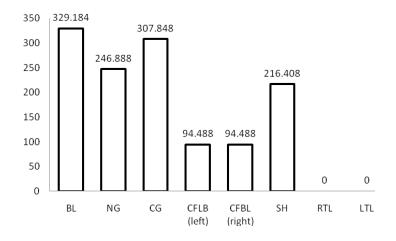
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Forest species

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> No chronic Yes

Not Known



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CFLB (right): Circumference of right foreleg base

Mahout name	Walter
Age	40
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	12
Total expereince with this animal	8
Source of training	6 Months
Mahout's father occupation	Coolie
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Coolie
Education	9
Salary/yr	72000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No







Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker

Tusk/tush type

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Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

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Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 4

Niharika 28 Female

Forest Department

NA

Rt Broken/Left Partially Visible

Pathar Tikry, Tugapur North Andaman Calf of Paru 14/3/1979 Night

90cm on 15-3-1979 Morning

Paknashshala Camp

Andaman and Nicobar Island

Stream
Yes
16
3
Quiet
0
No
Logging
4-5 Hours

Forest

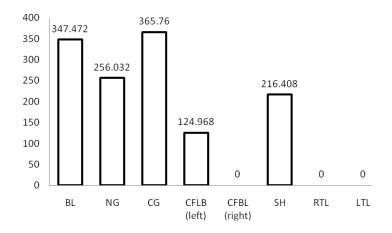
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Free ranging
Forest species

NK 3

No chronic Yes

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Mahout name	Sawant Singh
Age	45
Caste	Rothiya, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	20
Total expereince with this animal	17
Source of training	1 Months
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	No
Salary/yr	84000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	yes







Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male

Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source

Age/height at source

Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food

Type of food
Occurrence of heat cycles

Number of calves born
Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 5 Priyanka

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Female

Forest Department

NA NA

Pathar Tikry, Tugapur

North Andaman Calf of Niharika 9/3/2004 Morning

NK

Chain ful Forest Area

Andaman and Nicobar Island

Forest Earthen Stream Yes 24 3

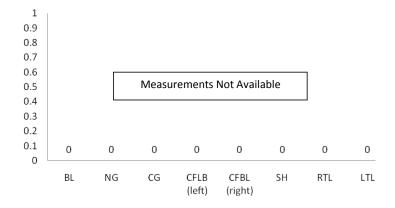
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No Calf NA

Free ranging Forest species

NA NA

No chronic



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Mahout name	Sawant Singh
Age	45
Caste	Rothiya, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	20
Total expereince with this animal	3
Source of training	1 Months
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	No
Salary/yr	84000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	yes









S.No Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership
Makhna/Tusker
Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source

Age/height at source Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work
Hours/day
Source of food
Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 6 Indira 21

Female

Forest Department

NA NA

Pathar Tikry,Tugapur North Andaman Calf Of Dhanimala

17/1/1986

5y, (1991)Purchase

NK NK Forest Earthen Stream Yes 16

3 Nervous

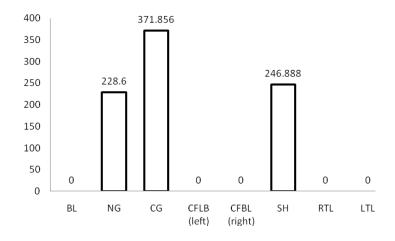
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Logging 4-5 Hours Free ranging Forest species

NK NK

No chronic Yes

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Mahout name	Novel Gudiya
Age	50
Caste	Munda, Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	14
Total expereince with this animal	4 Months
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	No
Salary/yr	86400
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type **Current Location of animal** District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed

A 7

Kaushalya NK

Female

Forest Department

NA

Tugapur North Andaman

Purchased 1986

19y, 2.18m Sonepur Bihar

Forest Earthen Stream

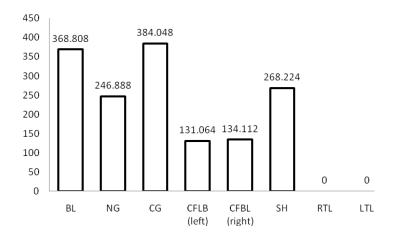
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Nervous

No Logging 3-4 Hours Free ranging

Forest species NK

No chronic



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Mahout name	Zakruis Minge
Age	30
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	4
Total expereince with this animal	2
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Forest Department
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	8
Salary/yr	36000
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	Not Decided







S.No Name of the Elephant Age (in vrs)

Female/ Male Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal
Date or year of source
Age/height at source
Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day

Source of food Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 8 Rupkali NK

Female Forest Department

NA NA Bajota

> North Andaman Purchased 10/11/1995

24y Sonepur Bihar Forest Earthen Stream Yes 24

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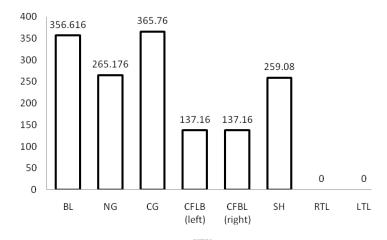
Easily Frightened

No No Work NA

Free ranging Forest species

NK 0

No chronic



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Mahout name	Layo Billong
Age	53
Caste	Kedia, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	35
Total expereince with this animal	20
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	No
Salary/yr	87600
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs) Female/ Male

Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source

Age/height at source Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 9 Laila NK Female

Forest Department

NA NA Bajota

> North Andaman Purchased 8/11/1995

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Sonepur Bihar Forest Earthen Stream Yes

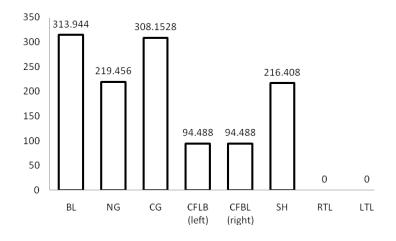
24 1 Quiet 0 No

No Work NA

Free ranging Forest species

NK 0

No chronic



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Mahout name	Mangal Ram
Age	45
Caste	Uraow,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	15
Total expereince with this animal	15
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	No
Salary/yr	31200
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	5
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	No









Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs) Female/ Male

Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

North Andaman Source of the animal Born 5/1/1988 Date or year of source Age/height at source 2.28cm

Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed

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Jaya NK

Female

Forest Department

NA NA Karmatang

Middle Andaman

Andaman and Nicobar Island

Forest Earthen Stream Yes 24

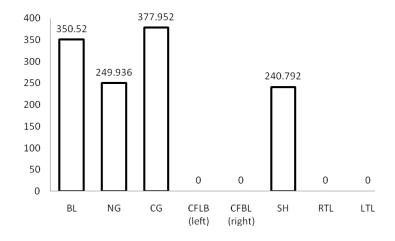
Easily Frightened

1 injured No Dragging 4-5 Hours Free ranging Forest species

NK

No chronic Yes

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Mahout name	Christopher Xalxo
Age	38
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	20
Total expereince with this animal	20
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	No
Salary/yr	82800
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No



S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
NK
Female/ Male

A 11
Sharon
NK
Female

Type of ownership Forest Department

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal
District
Source of the animal
Date or year of source
Age/height at source
Location of orgin

Karmatang
North Andaman
Calf Of Jaya
11/8/2000
90cm
Bajota

State Andaman and Nicobar Island

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants

Forest
Earthen
Stream
Yes

Hours/day 24
Number of elephants 1
Personality Quiet

Number of people killed/injured 0

Stereotypic behaviour
Type of work
Hours/day
No
No
No Work
NA

Source of food Free ranging

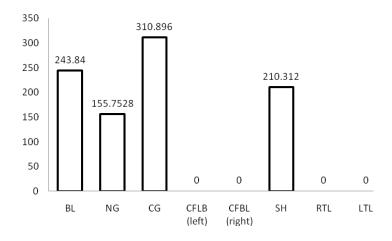
Type of food Forest species

Occurrence of heat cycles
Number of calves born
NA

Type of disease reported
Availability of veterinary doctor

Yes

Number of mahouts changed 0



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Mahout name	Christopher Xalxo
Age	38
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	20
Total expereince with this animal	
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	No
Salary/yr	82800
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership
Makhna/Tusker

Tusk/tush type Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal
Date or year of source
Age/height at source
Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food

Source of food Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 12 Sanjeev

NK Male

Forest Department

Makhna NA

Karmatang North Andaman Purchased 6/8/1905

13y, 2.02 m Sonepur

Andaman and Nicobar Island

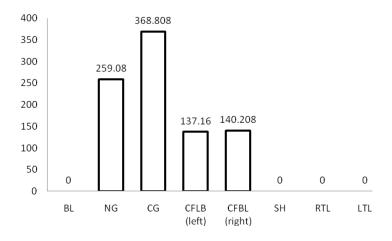
Forest Earthen Stream No

Nervous/Aggressive/Killer

1 No No Work NA

Free ranging Forest species

NA NA No chronic



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Mahout name	Shibanath Ram
Age	55
Caste	Gowala,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	Not remember
Total expereince with this animal	Not remember
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	1
Salary/yr	81600
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	yes







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NK Female

Makai



S.No Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership

Type of ownership Forest Department

Makhna/Tusker NA
Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal
District
Source of the animal
Date or year of source
Age/height at source
Location of orgin

Kaamtang
North Andaman
Purchased
6/9/1905
33y, 2.38m
J.T.P. Bakaltala

Location of orgin
State

J.T.P. Bakaltala
Andaman and Nicobar Island

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants
Forest
Earthen
Stream
No

Hours/day
Number of elephants

Personality Quiet
Number of people killed/injured 0
Stereotypic behaviour

Stereotypic behaviourNoType of workNo WorkHours/dayNASource of foodFree ranging

Source of food
Type of food
Occurrence of heat cycles

Free ranging
Forest species
NK

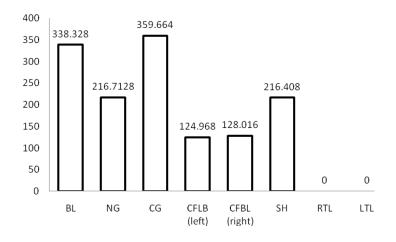
Number of calves born

Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor

Yes

Availability of veterinary doctor Y Number of mahouts changed 1



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Mahout name	Sukra Kujur
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Age	50
Caste	Uraow,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	Not remember
Total expereince with this animal	8
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	8
Salary/yr	72000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	Not Decided









S.No Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal District

Source of the animal Date or year of source

Age/height at source Location of orgin

State
Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 14 Danimala NK Female

Forest Department

NA NA Mohai

Mohanpur North Andaman Purchased

NK

35y, 2.42 m

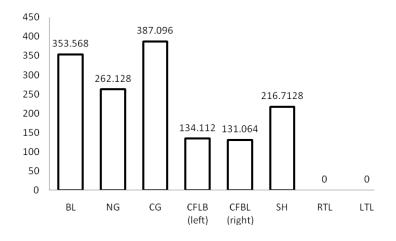
NK NK Forest Earthen Stream Yes 24 3 Quiet

No Logging 4-5 Hours Free ranging Forest species

NK NK

0

No chronic



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Mahout name	Isdor Tatte
Age	Not remember
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	more than 20yrs
Total expereince with this animal	9
Source of training	2 days
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	5
Salary/yr	87600
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal District Source of the animal

Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour Type of work

Hours/day
Source of food

Source of food
Type of food
Occurrence of heat cycles

Number of calves born Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 15 Mohini NK Female

Forest Department

NA NA

Mohanpur North Andaman Calf of Champa 13/4/1999

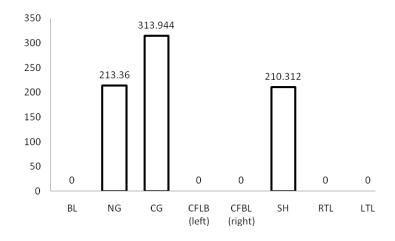
NK NK NK NK Forest Earthen

Stream Yes 24 3 Quiet

0 No No Work NA

Free ranging Forest species

NK NA No chronic



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Mahout name	D.K.Kujur
Age	39
Caste	Uraow,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	18
Total expereince with this animal	NK
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Forest Department
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	8
Salary/yr	76800
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour Type of work

Hours/day
Source of food
Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 16 Champa NK Female

Forest Department

NA NA

Mohanpur North Andaman Purchased 1/12/1976 11y Sonepur Bihar Forest

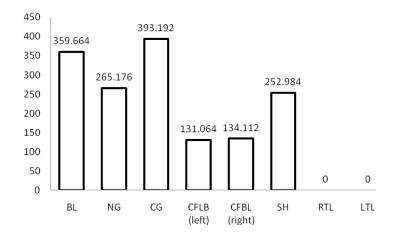
Earthen Stream Yes 24 3 Quiet

0 No Logging 4-5 Hours Free ranging Forest species

NK NK

No chronic Yes

Not Known



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CFLB (right): Circumference of right foreleg base

Mahout name	D.K.Kujur
Age	39
Caste	Uraow,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	18
Total expereince with this animal	7
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Forest Department
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	8
Salary/yr	76800
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership
Makhna/Tusker
Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal District

Source of the animal Date or year of source

Age/height at source Location of orgin State Type of shelter Type of flooring

Source of water Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 17 Rani NK Female

Forest Department

NA NA

Mohanpur North Andaman Calf of Champa 7/11/2002

NK NK NK Forest

Earthen Stream Yes 24 3

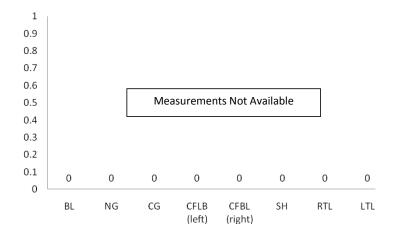
Quiet 0 No Calf NA

Free ranging Forest species

NA NA

No chronic Yes

NK



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Mahout name	D.K.Kujur
Age	39
Caste	Uraow,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	18
Total expereince with this animal	NK
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Forest Department
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	8
Salary/yr	76800
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership
Makhna/Tusker
Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food

Type of food Status And Time of Musth

Number of calves sired
Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 18

Laxmi Prasad

NK Male

Forest Department

Makhna NA

Mohanpur North Andaman Purchased Feb-91 36y, 245cm Sonepur Bihar Forest Earthen

Stream No 0

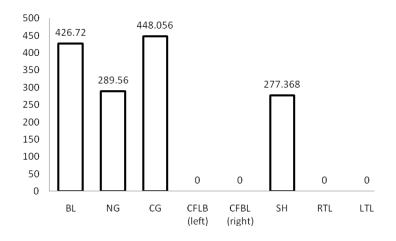
Nervous 2 injured No

No Work

NA

Free ranging Forest species Reported NK No chronic

Yes 0



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Mahout name	Lukas Ekka
Age	48
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	18
Total expereince with this animal	18
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	No
Salary/yr	77200
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	Not Decided









S.No Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership
Makhna/Tusker
Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source

Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day

Source of food Type of food

Status And Time of Musth

Number of calves sired Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 19

Lal Bahadur

NK Male

Forest Department

Makhna NA

Paschim Sagar North Andaman Purchased

1954

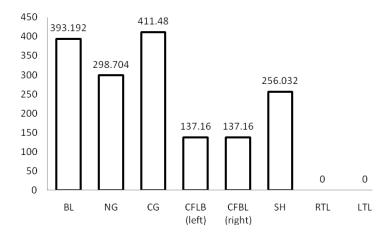
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NK Assam Forest Earthen Stream Yes 4

2 nervous 1 injured No No Work NA

Free ranging Forest species Reported NK No chronic Yes

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Mahout name	William Lakda
Age	50
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	Not remember
Total expereince with this animal	Not remember
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	No
Salary/yr	79200
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	5
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	not known







Bani

Female

NK

4 2

Ouiet



S.No

Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs) Female/ Male

Forest Department Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type NA Paschim Sagar

Current Location of animal

District

North Andaman Source of the animal Local Born 5/4/1979 Date or year of source Age/height at source NK

Location of orgin Thoraktang

State Andaman and Nicobar Island

Type of shelter Forest Earthen Type of flooring Stream Source of water Interaction with other elephants Yes

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

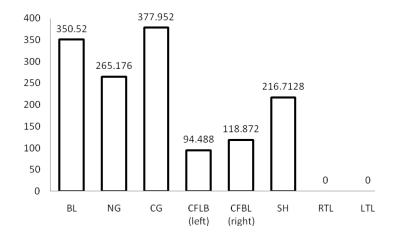
Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour No No Work Type of work Hours/day NA Source of food Free ranging

Forest species Type of food Occurrence of heat cycles NK

Number of calves born No chronic Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Yes

4 Number of mahouts changed



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CFLB (right): Circumference of right foreleg base

Mahout name	Anil Bepari
Age	30
Caste	Bengali,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	13
Total expereince with this animal	4
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Mahout
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Forest Department
Education	10
Salary/yr	78000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	no









S.No Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District
Source of the animal
Date or year of source
Age/height at source
Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour Type of work

Hours/day Source of food

Type of food
Occurrence of heat cycles

Number of calves born
Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 21 Rupkali NK Female

Forest Department

NA NA

> Paschim Sagar North Andaman Purchased Nov-78 10y, 7' Sonepur Bihar Forest Earthen

Stream Yes 4 2 nervous

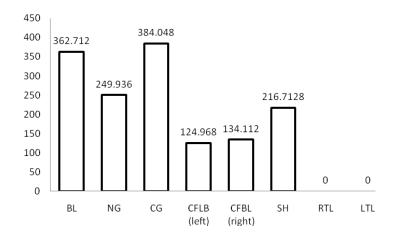
nervous 1 injured No No Work NA

Free ranging Forest species

NK 0

No chronic Yes

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Mahout name	Bijay Majli
Age	49
Caste	Bengali,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	17
Total expereince with this animal	17
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	84360
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	Not Decided









S.No

Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs) Female/ Male

Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source

Age/height at source
Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food

Source of food Type of food

Status And Time of Musth Number of calves sired Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 22

Chaitanya

27 Male

Forest Department

Tusker Upwards

Basduck, Radhanagar

North Andaman Calf Of Ratankali

26/8/82 2 1/2y, 88cm Thoraktang

Andaman and Nicobar Island

Forest Earthen Stream No

0 Aggressive

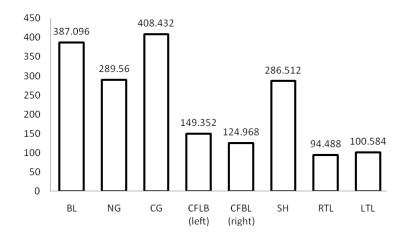
2 killed No

No Work NA

Free ranging Forest species Reported

NK No chronic

Yes 4



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Mahout name	Sadanand Mestri
Age	50
Caste	Bengali,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	13
Total expereince with this animal	4
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	9
Salary/yr	62780
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	no









S.No Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs) Female/ Male Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food

Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed

A 23 Champa

47 Female

Forest Department

NA NA

Basduck, Radhanagar

North Andaman Purchased

1960

30y, 2.25m Sonepur Bihar Forest Earthen Stream

No 0

0 Quiet 0

No

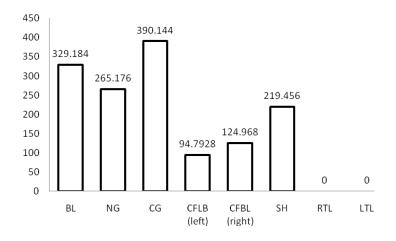
No Work NA

Free ranging Forest species

NK

No chronic

Yes 0



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Mahout name	Emlen Kujur
Age	51
Caste	Luthiran,Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	15
Total expereince with this animal	15
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	86160
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	no









S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male

A 24
Chanchal
37
Female

Type of ownership Forest Department NA

Tusk/tush type
Current Location of animal
District

NA
Basduck,Radhanagar
North Andaman

Source of the animal Purchased
Date or year of source NK
Age/height at source NK
Location of orgin NK
State NK

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants
Forest
Earthen
Stream
No

Hours/day 0

Number of elephants 0
Personality Quiet

Number of people killed/injured 0
Stereotypic behaviour No

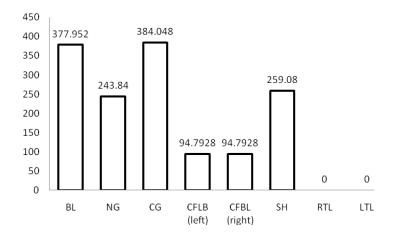
Type of work
Hours/day
No Work
NA

Source of food Type of foodFree ranging
Forest species

Occurrence of heat cycles
Number of calves born
Type of disease reported
Availability of veterinary doctor

NK
0
No chronic
Yes

Number of mahouts changed 3



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Mahout name	Bikram Ram
Age	30
Caste	Uraow,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	13
Total expereince with this animal	6
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Mahout
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	5
Salary/yr	62040
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	no







S.No Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin

State Type of shelter Type of flooring **Source of water**

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour Type of work

Hours/day Source of food

Type of food Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 25 Motikali 59

Female

Forest Department

NA NA

Nabagram North Andaman Purchased

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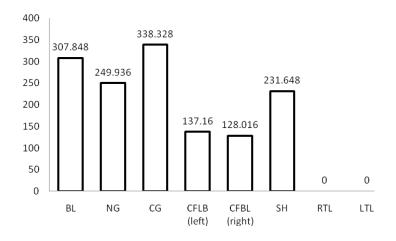
Earthen Stream No 0 0 Quiet 0

No No Work NA

Free ranging Forest species NK

No chronic Yes

3



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Mahout name	Allvis Calco
Age	58
Caste	Catholic, Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	35
Total expereince with this animal	1
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	3
Salary/yr	86532
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









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Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs) Female/ Male

Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Status And Time of Musth

Number of calves sired

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 26

Laxmi Prasad

NK Male

Forest Department

Tusker Upwards Nabagram

North Andaman

NK NK NK

NK NK Forest

Earthen Stream

No 0 0

Quiet 1 injured

No No Work

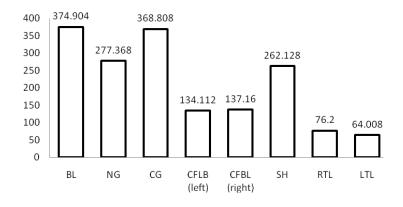
Free ranging
Forest species
Reported

NK

NA

No chronic

Yes 4



Mahout name	Karmoo Lakda
Age	45
Caste	Uraow,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	10
Total expereince with this animal	7
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	84000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	Not Decided









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NK

Female

S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male

Type of ownership Forest Department

Makhna/Tusker NA
Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Nabagram

District North Andaman

Source of the animal NK
Date or year of source NK
Age/height at source NK
Location of orgin NK
State NK

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants
Hours/day
Forest
Earthen
Stream
No

Number of elephants

Personality
Number of people killed/injured

0

Stereotypic behaviour No

Type of work

Hours/day

No Work

NA

Free ranging

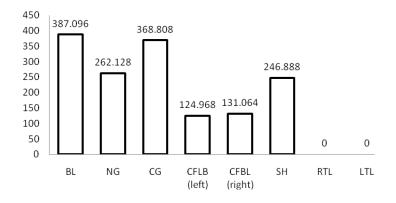
Source of food Free ranging Forest species

Occurrence of heat cycles
Number of calves born

NK
0

Type of disease reported
Availability of veterinary doctor
Number of mahouts changed

No chronic
Yes
Not Known



Mahout name	Dulal Das
Age	45
Caste	Bengali,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	32
Total expereince with this animal	4
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	freedom Fighter
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	88200
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	1
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









A 28 Name of the Elephant Lilly NK Age (in vrs) Female/ Male Female

Type of ownership Forest Department

Makhna/Tusker NA NA Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal Nabagram North Andaman District

Source of the animal NK Date or year of source NK NK Age/height at source NK Location of orgin NK State

Type of shelter Forest Earthen Type of flooring Stream Source of water Interaction with other elephants Yes Hours/day 24

Number of elephants 1 Personality Quiet Number of people killed/injured 0

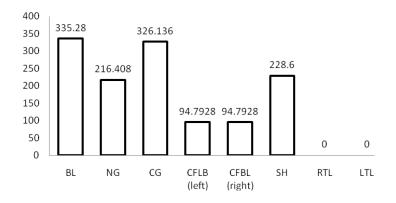
Stereotypic behaviour No Type of work No Work Hours/day NA

Source of food Free ranging Type of food Forest species

NK Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born 2

Type of disease reported No chronic Availability of veterinary doctor Yes 1

Number of mahouts changed



Mahout name	Anand Haldar
Age	55
Caste	Bengali,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	30
Total expereince with this animal	20
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	6
Salary/yr	108000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Asthma`
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	NO









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NK

Male

Gai Bahadur

Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male

Type of ownership Forest Department

Tusker Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type NK

Current Location of animal Nabagram North Andaman District

Source of the animal NK Date or year of source NK Age/height at source NK Location of orgin NK NK State

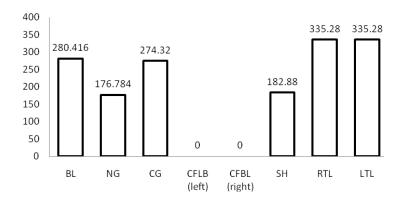
Type of shelter Forest Earthen Type of flooring **Source of water** Stream Yes Interaction with other elephants 24 Hours/day Number of elephants 1

Personality Quiet Number of people killed/injured 0 Stereotypic behaviour No No Work Type of work Hours/day NA

Source of food Free ranging

Type of food Forest species **Status And Time of Musth** NK

Number of calves sired NK No chronic Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Yes Number of mahouts changed 0

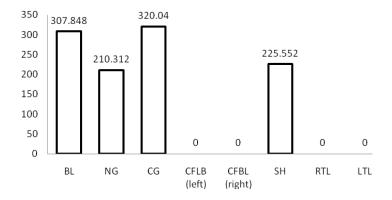


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Mahout name	Karthik Sigghar
Age	38
Caste	Bengali,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	5
Total expereince with this animal	3
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	3
Salary/yr	39500
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	yes

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A 30 S.No Sumit Name of the Elephant Age (in vrs) 10 Female/ Male Male Type of ownership Forest Department Makhna/Tusker Makhna NA Tusk/tush type **Current Location of animal** Nabagram North Andaman District Source of the animal NK Date or year of source NK NK Age/height at source NK Location of orgin State NK Type of shelter Forest Type of flooring Earthen Source of water Stream **Interaction with other elephants** No Hours/day Number of elephants aggressive/ Rough Personality Number of people killed/injured 1 Killed/ 2 Injured Stereotypic behaviour No Type of work No Work Hours/day NA Source of food Free ranging Type of food Forest species **Status And Time of Musth** not Reported Number of calves sired NA No chronic Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Yes Not Known Number of mahouts changed



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Mahout name	Ramachandra
Age	35
Caste	Uraow,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	14
Total expereince with this animal	4
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	PWD
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	10
Salary/yr	77400
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	1
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	Not Decided



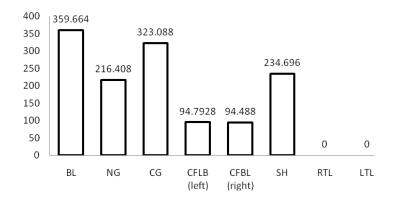
Name of the Elephant Sita Kumari Age (in yrs) NK Female Female/ Male Forest Department Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA **Current Location of animal** Nabagram District North Andaman Source of the animal NK NK Date or year of source NK Age/height at source Location of orgin NK State NK Type of shelter Forest Type of flooring Earthen Source of water Stream **Interaction with other elephants** Yes 24 Hours/day Number of elephants 1 Personality Quiet Number of people killed/injured 0 Stereotypic behaviour No Type of work No Work Hours/day NA Source of food Free ranging Type of food Forest species Occurrence of heat cycles NK

Number of calves born

Type of disease reported

0

No chronic



Mahout name	Sujit Kumar Tirkay
Age	26
Caste	Roman Catholic, Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	3 1/2
Total expereince with this animal	3 1/2
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Mahout
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	10
Salary/yr	76800
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	NO









S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
NK
Female/ Male
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Menaka
NK
Female

Type of ownership Forest Department

Makhna/Tusker NA
Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Nabagram
North Andaman

Source of the animal NK
Date or year of source NK
Age/height at source NK
Location of orgin NK

StateNKType of shelterForestType of flooringEarthenSource of waterStreamInteraction with other elephantsYes

Hours/day
Number of elephants
Personality

Yes
24

Quiet

Number of people killed/injured 0
Stereotypic behaviour No

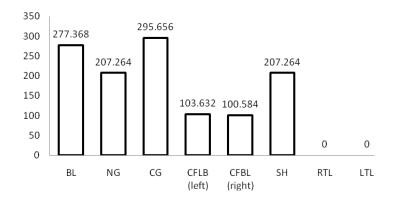
Type of work
Hours/day
NA
Source of food
No Work
NA
Free ranging

Type of food Forest species

Occurrence of heat cycles NA Number of calves born NA

Type of disease reported
Availability of veterinary doctor
Number of mahouts changed

No chronic
Yes
2



Mahout name	Asarus Toppo
Age	59
Caste	Essie, Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	23
Total expereince with this animal	8
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	8
Salary/yr	102000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	NO









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Name	of the	Elephan	f

Age (in yrs) Female/ Male Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker

Tusk/tush type **Current Location of animal**

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter Type of flooring **Source of water**

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food

Type of food Occurrence of heat cycles

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed

Number of calves born

A 33 Mini Kumari

NK Female

Forest Department

NA NA

Ramnagar North Andaman

NK

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NK NK Forest

Earthen Stream Yes 24

2 Ouiet 0

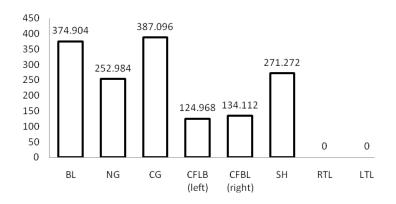
Nο No Work

Free ranging Forest species

NK 1

NA

No chronic Yes



Mahout name	Micheal Minge
Age	51
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	8
Total expereince with this animal	8
Source of training	6 Months
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	3
Salary/yr	96000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	NO









S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership
Makhna/Tusker

Tusk/tush type
Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behavior

Type of work Hours/day

Source of food Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 34 Varsha NK Female

Forest Department

NA NA

Ramnagar North Andaman

NK NK NK NK NK Forest

Earthen Stream Yes 24

Quiet 0 Yes

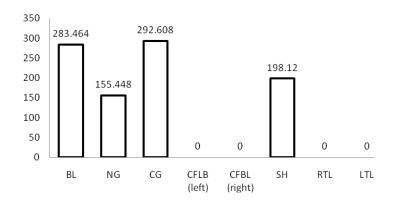
No Work

Free ranging Forest species

NA NA

No chronic Yes

3



Mahout name	Pradeep Indavar
Age	28
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	5
Total expereince with this animal	5 Days
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Forest Department
Education	9
Salary/yr	13000
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	NO









Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male

Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal Ramnagar District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring **Source of water**

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour Type of work

Hours/day

Source of food Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed

A 35

Anna Kumari

NK Female

Forest Department

NA NA

North Andaman

NK NK NK NK NK

Forest Earthen Stream Yes

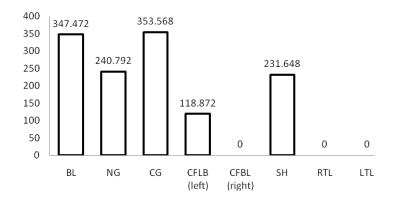
No No Work

NA

Free ranging Forest species

NK 1

> No chronic Yes



Mahout name	Ramsai Ekka
Age	49
Caste	Uraow,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	30
Total expereince with this animal	10
Source of training	Forest Department
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	90000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	5
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	NO









A 36 Name of the Elephant Paru Age (in yrs) NK Female/ Male Female

Type of ownership Forest Department NA Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal Betapur

Middle Andaman District

Source of the animal NK NK Date or year of source Age/height at source NK Location of orgin NK State NK

Type of shelter Forest Type of flooring Earthen Source of water Stream Interaction with other elephants Yes 24 Hours/day

Number of elephants

Quiet/ Easily Frightened Personality

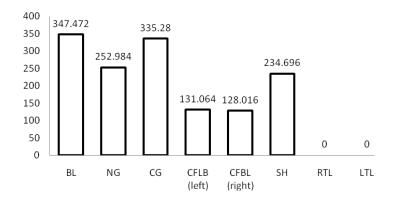
Number of people killed/injured Stereotypic behaviour No Type of work Logging Hours/day 3 Hours Source of food Free ranging

Type of food Forest species Occurrence of heat cycles NK

Number of calves born No chronic Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Yes

Not Known Number of mahouts changed

NK



Mahout name	Bipnath Tirkay
Age	55
Caste	Uraow,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	23
Total expereince with this animal	4
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Coolie
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Coolie
Education	10
Salary/yr	93360
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	9
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Not Known
Source	
Will his children join this profession	yes









S.No Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants Hours/day

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Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Status And Time of Musth
Number of calves sired
Type of disease reported
Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 37 Sunil

NK Male

Forest Department

Makhna NA

Throtang Middle Andaman

NK

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> NK Forest Earthen Stream

No 0

0

Easily Frightened

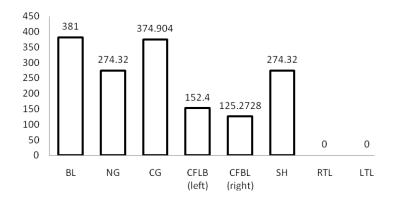
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Free ranging
Forest species
Reported

No chronic Yes

0

NK



Mahout name	Pascal Kujur
Age	46
Caste	uraow, Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	18
Total expereince with this animal	18
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Mahout
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Not Known
Education	5
Salary/yr	88200
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	1
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	NO









S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants Personality

1 CISUMANLY

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour Type of work Hours/day

Source of food
Type of food

Type of food Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 38 Nikki NK

Female

Forest Department

NA NA

Throtang

Middle Andaman

NK NK NK NK NK NK

Forest Earthen Stream Yes

16 2 Quiet

0 No

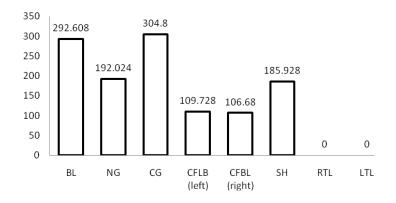
No Work NA

Free ranging Forest species

NA NA

No chronic

Yes 0



Mahout name	Rajesh Lagoon
Age	32
Caste	munda, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	12
Total expereince with this animal	3
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Forest Department
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	8
Salary/yr	51360
Job status	NK
Marital status	Married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	NO









S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership

A 39
Chandra
51
Female
Female
Forest Department

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Throtang
District Middle Andaman

Source of the animal NK
Date or year of source NK
Age/height at source NK
Location of orgin NK
State NK

StateNKType of shelterForestType of flooringEarthenSource of waterStreamInteraction with other elephantsYesHours/day16Number of elephants2

Personality
Number of people killed/injured
Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work
Hours/day
Source of food
Type of food

Dragging
3 Hours
Free ranging
Forest species

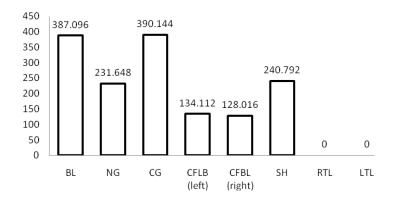
Status And Time of Musth
Number of calves sired

Na
NA

Type of disease reported Shoulder Injury

Availability of veterinary doctor Yes

Number of mahouts changed Not Known



Mahout name	Egnes Kullu
Age	57
Caste	Roman Catholic, Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	28
Total expereince with this animal	10
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	93600
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	yes









S.No Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male

Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal
Date or year of source
Age/height at source
Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants Hours/day

Number of elephants Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour Type of work

Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Status And Time of Musth Number of calves sired

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 40 Ganesh

3 Male

Forest Department

Tusker

Throtang

Middle Andaman

NK NK NK

NK NK NK Forest

Earthen Stream Yes

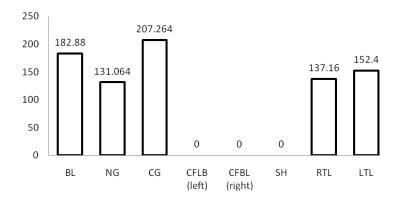
No No Work NA

Free ranging Forest species

NA NA

No chronic Yes

0



Mahout name	Egnes Kullu
Age	57
Caste	Roman Catholic, Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	28
Total expereince with this animal	3
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	93600
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	yes









S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership
Makhna/Tusker
Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source

Location of orgin State Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants Hours/day

Number of elephants Personality

Number of people killed/injured Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Loading Hours/day 4-5 Hours Source of food Free ranging Type of food Forest species

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed

NK Female

Forest Department

NA NA

Throtang

Middle Andaman

NK NK

NK NK NK

Forest Earthen Stream No 0

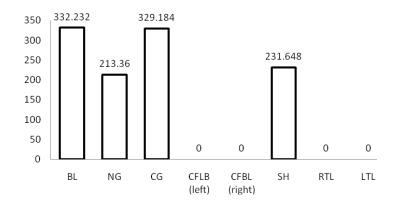
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No

NK NK NK

3

Yes



Mahout name	Naren Chandra mirdha
Age	43
Caste	Bengali,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	12
Total expereince with this animal	12
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	5
Salary/yr	87648
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	NO
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	No









Ganga

Female

Forest Department

NK

NA

NA

NK

NK

NK

NK

0

No

S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership
Makhna/Tusker
Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal Markarti Valley
District Middle Andaman

Source of the animal
Date or year of source
Age/height at source
Location of orgin
State

State
Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants
Hours/day
Number of elephants
Personality

NK
Forest
Earthen
Stream
Yes
2
Quiet

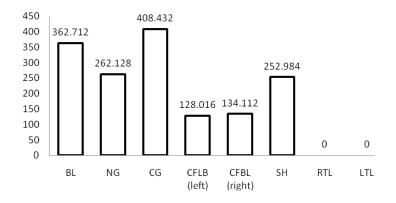
Personality
Number of people killed/injured
Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work
Hours/day
Source of food
Type of food
Free ranging
Forest species

Occurrence of heat cycles
Number of calves born
Type of disease reported
Availability of veterinary doctor

NK
No chronic
Yes

Availability of veterinary doctor Yes Number of mahouts changed 1



Mahout name	Piyush Kujur
Age	32
Caste	uraow, Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	16
Total expereince with this animal	15
Source of training	6 Months
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	5
Salary/yr	85680
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









Vikram

Forest Department

NK

Male

S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership

Makhna/TuskerTuskerTusk/tush typeNK

Current Location of animal Markarti Valley
District Middle Andaman

Source of the animal NK
Date or year of source NK
Age/height at source NK
Location of orgin NK
State NK

State
Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants

NK
Forest
Earthen
Stream
Yes

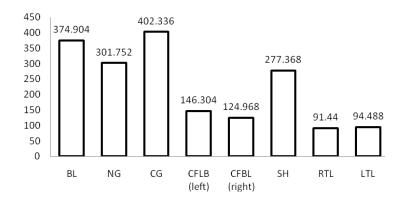
Hours/day 18 Number of elephants 2 Personality Quiet

Number of people killed/injured 1 Killed/ 2 Injured

Stereotypic behaviourNoType of workLoggingHours/day4-5 HoursSource of foodFree rangingType of foodForest speciesStatus And Time of MusthReported

Number of calves sired
Type of disease reported
Availability of veterinary doctor
Number of mahouts changed

NK
No chronic
Yes
2



Mahout name	Bhyathor Topoo
Age	52
Caste	uraow, Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	34
Total expereince with this animal	12
Source of training	Forest Department
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	5
Salary/yr	88200
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	no
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	NO



S.No A 44
Name of the Elephant Pawan
Age (in yrs) NK
Female/ Male Male

Type of ownership Forest Department

Makhna/TuskerTuskerTusk/tush typeNK

Current Location of animalMarkarti ValleyDistrictMiddle Andaman

Source of the animal NK
Date or year of source NK
Age/height at source NK
Location of orgin NK
State NK

Type of shelterForestType of flooringEarthenSource of waterStreamInteraction with other elephantsYes

Interaction with other elephants Yes
Hours/day 24

Number of elephants
Personality
Number of people killed/injured
Stereotypic behaviour

2
Quiet
0
No

Type of work
Hours/day
No Work
NA

Source of foodFree rangingType of foodForest species

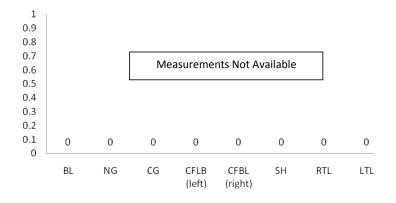
Status And Time of Musth
Number of calves sired

NA
NA

Type of disease reported No chronic

Availability of veterinary doctor Yes

Number of mahouts changed Not Known



Mahout name	Anil Runda
Age	26
Caste	munda, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	5 Months
Total expereince with this animal	5 Months
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	5
Salary/yr	40560
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	No





S.No Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs)

Female/ Male Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker

Tusk/tush type Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin

State
Type of

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 45

Sundar kali

NK Female

Forest Department

NA NA

> Markarti Valley Middle Andaman

NK

NK NK NK

NK NK Forest

Earthen Stream

Yes 18 1

Quiet 0 No

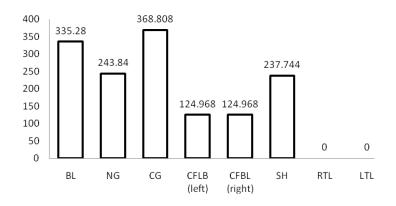
Logging 4-5 Hours Free ranging Forest species

NK 1

No chronic

Yes

Not Known



Mahout name	Habeel Toppo
Age	45
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	29
Total expereince with this animal	3
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	4
Salary/yr	90000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	Not Decided









S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership

A 46
Pawan Kali
NK
Female
Female
Forest Department

Type of ownership Fore
Makhna/Tusker NA
Tusk/tush type NA

Tusk/tush type
Current Location of animal
District

NA
Markarti Valley
Middle Andaman

Source of the animal NK
Date or year of source NK
Age/height at source NK
Location of orgin NK
State

StateNKType of shelterForestType of flooringEarthenSource of waterStreamInteraction with other elephantsYesHours/day18

Number of elephants
Personality
Quiet

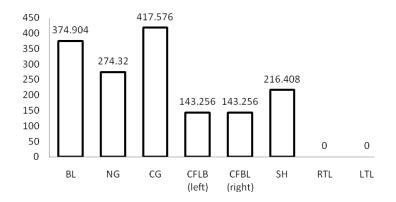
Number of people killed/injured0Stereotypic behaviourNoType of workLoggingHours/day4-5 HoursSource of foodFree rangingType of foodForest species

Occurrence of heat cycles
Number of calves born

NK
0

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Yes

Number of mahouts changed 0



KEY
RTL: Right Tusk/Tush Length, LTL: Left Tusk/Tush Length, BL: Body Length,
NG: Neck Girth, CG: Chest Girth, SH: Shoulder Height,
CFLB (left): Circumference of left foreleg base,
CFLB (right): Circumference of right foreleg base

Mahout name	Siral Bade
Age	Not remember
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	Not remember
Total expereince with this animal	Not remember
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	90000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	yes









S.No Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs)

Female/ Male
Type of ownership
Makhna/Tusker
Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 47

Chanchal Kali

NK Female

Forest Department

NA NA

> Markarti Valley Middle Andaman

NK NK NK NK NK Forest

Earthen Stream Yes

4-8 Days/ Month

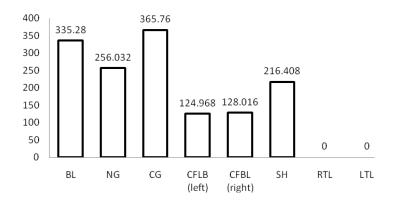
Quiet
0
No
Logging

4-5 Hours Free ranging Forest species

NK 0

No chronic Yes

Not Known



Mahout name	Parsanath Singh
Age	46
Caste	Rathiya, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	16
Total expereince with this animal	16
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	5
Salary/yr	51600
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	5
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Remale/ Male
Type of ownership
A 48
Ram
NK
Male
Type of ownership
Forest Department

Makhna/Tusker Tusker Tusk/tush type NK

Current Location of animal Kalapahar

District Middle Andaman

Source of the animal NK
Date or year of source NK
Age/height at source NK
Location of orgin NK
State NK

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants
Hours/day

Forest
Earthen
Stream
No
0

Number of elephants0PersonalityQuietNumber of people killed/injured0Stereotypic behaviourNoType of workLoading

Hours/day
Source of food
Type of food
Status And Time of Musth

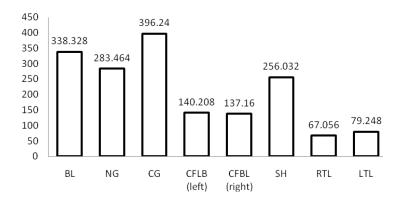
Type of Musth

Free ranging
Forest species
Reported

Number of calves sired NA
Type of disease reported No chronic

Availability of veterinary doctor
Number of mahouts changed

Yes
Not Known



Mahout name	Kalyan Tirky
Age	39
Caste	uraow, Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	16
Total expereince with this animal	15
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	75600
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	NO









Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male

Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker

Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter
Type of flooring

Source of water

Interaction with other elephants Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Stereotypic behaviou Type of work

Hours/day Source of food

Type of food Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 49

Sunitha NK

Female

Forest Department

NA NA

Parnashala

Middle Andaman

NK NK

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> Forest Earthen Stream

Yes 24

1 Quiet 0 No

No Work NA

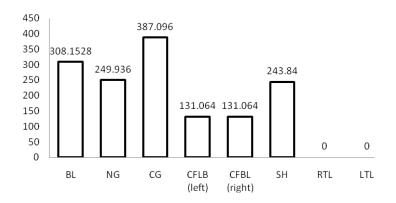
Free ranging Forest species

NA 2

No chronic

Yes

Not Known



Mahout name	Santhosh Topoo
Age	40
Caste	Ranchi, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	12
Total expereince with this animal	12
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Mahout
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	6
Salary/yr	82800
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married/ 2 wives
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	NO
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	NO









S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership

A 50
Yamuna
2 Months
Female
Forest Department

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Parnashala
District Middle Andaman

Source of the animal

Date or year of source

Age/height at source

Location of orgin

NK

State

Type of shelter

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants
Hours/day
Forest
Earthen
Stream
Yes
24

Number of elephants1PersonalityQuietNumber of people killed/injured0Stereotypic behaviourNoType of workNA

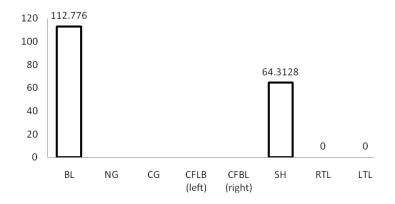
Type of work NA
Hours/day NA

Source of food Feeding Milk

Type of food Milk
Occurrence of heat cycles
Number of calves born NA

Type of disease reported
Availability of veterinary doctor
Number of mahouts changed

No chronic
Yes
0



Mahout name	Santhosh Topoo
Age	40
Caste	Ranchi, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	12
Total expereince with this animal	2 Months
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Mahout
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	6
Salary/yr	82800
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married/ 2 wives
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	NO









S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership
Makhna/Tusker
Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Status And Time of Musth Number of calves sired Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 51 Kumar NK

Male

Forest Department

Tusker NK Lorojig

Middle Andaman

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NK Forest Earthen Stream No

Quiet 1 Killed/1 Injured

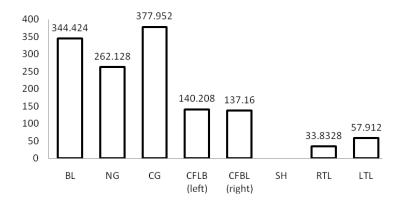
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No

No Work NA

Free ranging Forest species Reported NK

No chronic Yes



Mahout name	Chillgo Beak
Age	47
Caste	uraow, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	13
Total expereince with this animal	13
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	4
Salary/yr	40320
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	NO
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	NO









S.No Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male

Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Status And Time of Musth Number of calves sired Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 52 Mattu Bahadur

NK Male

Forest Department

Tusker NK

> South Creek Middle Andaman

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Earthen Stream No 0

Quiet 1 Killed/1 Injured

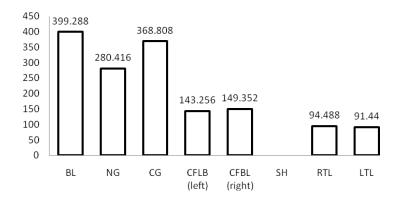
No

No Work NA

Free ranging Forest species Reported NK

No chronic Yes

Not Known



Mahout name	Chandra Ram
Age	50
Caste	Lohar, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	12
Total expereince with this animal	12
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	78000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No

Name of the Elephant

Age (in vrs) Female/ Male

Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour Type of work

Hours/day Source of food

Type of food Occurrence of heat cycles

Number of calves born Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 53

Chanchal Kali 1

NK Female

Forest Department

NA NA

South Creek Middle Andaman

NK NK NK NK NK

Forest Earthen Stream No 0 0

Quiet No

No Work NA

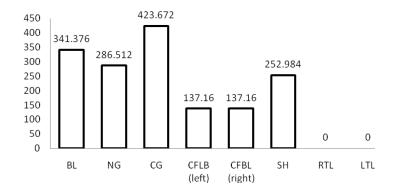
Free ranging Forest species

NK NK

No chronic

Yes

Not Known



KEY
RTL: Right Tusk/Tush Length, LTL: Left Tusk/Tush Length, BL: Body Length,
NG: Neck Girth, CG: Chest Girth, SH: Shoulder Height,
CFLB (left): Circumference of left foreleg base,
CFLB (right): Circumference of right foreleg base

Mahout name	Silbiarus Kispotta
Age	37
Caste	Catholic, Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	17
Total expereince with this animal	7
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	6
Salary/yr	48384
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	no
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	yes



S.No A 54 Name of the Elephant Niras NK Age (in yrs) Female/ Male Male

Type of ownership Forest Department

Makhna/Tusker Tusker Upwards Tusk/tush type South Creek **Current Location of animal** Middle Andaman District

Source of the animal NK Date or year of source NK Age/height at source NK NK Location of orgin NK State Forest Type of shelter

Type of flooring Earthen Source of water Stream Interaction with other elephants No 0 Hours/day Number of elephants 0 Personality Ouiet

Number of people killed/injured 2 injured (Minor)

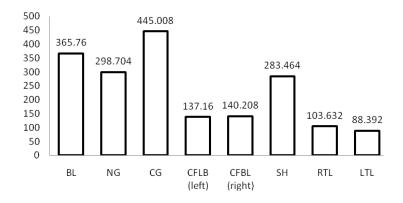
Stereotypic behaviour No No Work Type of work

Hours/day NA Source of food Free ranging

Type of food Forest species **Status And Time of Musth** Reported Number of calves sired NK Type of disease reported No chronic

Availability of veterinary doctor Yes

Number of mahouts changed Not Known



Mahout name	Ajith Calco
Age	35
Caste	uraow, Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	14
Total expereince with this animal	14
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	3
Salary/yr	48384
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	NO
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	NO





S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
NK
Female/ Male

A 55
Samsher
NK
Male

Type of ownership Forest & Plantation Development

Corporation Tusker

Makhna/Tusker
Tusk/tush type
NK
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Current Location of animal Farm Trikery, Hut bay

District Little Andaman

Source of the animal
Date or year of source
NK
Age/height at source
Location of orgin
NK
State
NK
Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Earthen

Source of water Stream
Interaction with other elephants No

Hours/day 0 Number of elephants 0

Personality
Number of people killed/injured

Quiet/ at times aggressive
0/ Killed oneElephant

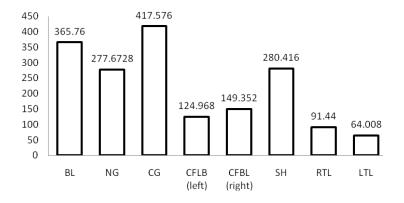
Stereotypic behaviour no

Type of work Dragging Hours/day 5

Source of food
Type of food
Status And Time of Musth
Number of calves sired
Free ranging
Forest species
Reported
NK

Type of disease reported
Availability of veterinary doctor
Yes

Number of mahouts changed 3



Mahout name	John Kujur
Age	52
Caste	Catholic, Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	29
Total expereince with this animal	18
Source of training	6 Months
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	7
Salary/yr	102000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	NO
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	No







S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
NK
Female/ Male
A 56
Gulab Kali
NK
Female

Forest & Plantation Development

Type of ownership Corporation

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal White surf falls, Hut bay

District Little Andaman

Source of the animal
Date or year of source
NK
Age/height at source
NK
Location of orgin
NK
State
NK
Type of shelter
Type of flooring
NK
Earthen

Source of water
Interaction with other elephants

Stream
Yes

Hours/day 24 Number of elephants 2

Personality Quiet/ Frightened

Number of people killed/injured 0

Stereotypic behaviour
Type of work
Hours/day

No
Tourism
10

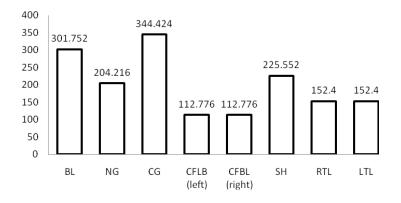
Source of food Free ranging

Type of food Forest species

Status And Time of Musth
Number of calves born

Type of disease reported No chronic Availability of veterinary doctor Yes

Number of mahouts changed 2



Mahout name	Silvester Ekka
Age	54
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	30
Total expereince with this animal	1
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	10
Salary/yr	95760
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No

S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
NK
Female/ Male

A 57
Vanrani
NK
Female

Forest & Plantation Development

Type of ownership Corporation

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal White surf falls, Hut bay

District Little Andaman

Source of the animal

Date or year of source

Age/height at source

Location of orgin

State

NK

NK

NK

NK

Fore

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants

Forest
Earthen
Stream
yes

Hours/day 24 Number of elephants 2

Personality quiet/frightened

Number of people killed/injured
Stereotypic behaviour
Type of work
Hours/day

0
No
No
No
Work

Source of food Free ranging

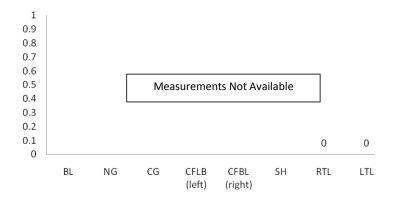
Type of food Forest species

Occurrence of heat cycles
Number of calves born

NK

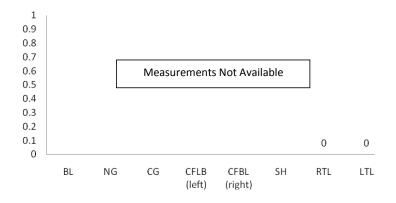
Type of disease reported
Availability of veterinary doctor
Number of mahouts changed

No chronic
Yes
3



Mahout name	Ramsai Ram
Age	46
Caste	Ranchi, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	15
Total expereince with this animal	4
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	48000
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No

S.No A 58 Name of the Elephant Amaravathi Age (in yrs) 1Y 1 Month Female/ Male Female Forest & Plantation Development Type of ownership Corporation Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA **Current Location of animal** White surf falls, Hut bay District Little Andaman Source of the animal NK NK Date or year of source NK Age/height at source NK Location of orgin NK State Forest Type of shelter Type of flooring Earthen **Source of water** Stream **Interaction with other elephants** Yes Hours/day 24 Number of elephants 2 Personality Quiet Number of people killed/injured Stereotypic behaviour No Type of work No Work Hours/day NA Source of food Free ranging Type of food Forest species Occurrence of heat cycles NA Number of calves born NA No chronic Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Yes Number of mahouts changed



Mahout name	no Mahout / Cawadi
Age	
Caste	
Mahout's experince (years)	
Total expereince with this animal	
Source of training	
Mahout's father occupation	
Mahout's Gfather occupation	
Education	
Salary/yr	
Job status	
Marital status	
Number of children	
Type of tool used	
Health status	
Insurance	
Source	
Will his children join this profession	

S.No A 59

Name of the Elephant Gangavathi

Age (in yrs) 54
Female/ Male Female

Forest & Plantation Development

Type of ownership Corporation

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Check post, Hut bay

District Little Andaman

Source of the animal NK
Date or year of source NK
Age/height at source NK
Location of orgin NK
State NK
Type of shelter Forest

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants
Yes

Interaction with other elephants Yes Hours/day 24

Number of elephants 2 Personality Quiet

Number of people killed/injured
Stereotypic behaviour
Type of work

O
No
No Work

Hours/day NA

Source of food Free ranging

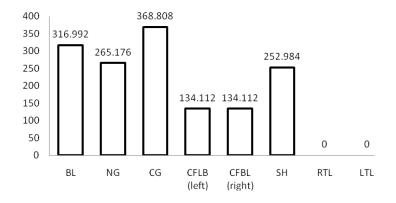
Type of food Forest species

Occurrence of heat cycles
Number of calves born

NK
2

Type of disease reported
Availability of veterinary doctor
Yes

Number of mahouts changed 2



Mahout name	julius Kereketta
Age	60
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	35
Total expereince with this animal	8
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	96600
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No

S.No A 60

Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)

Female/ Male

Akash (Shreya)

8y 1Month

Female

Forest & Plantation Development

Type of ownership Corporation

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Check post, Hut bay Little Andaman

Source of the animal NK
Date or year of source NK
Age/height at source NK
Location of orgin NK
State NK

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants

Yes

24

Hours/day 24 Number of elephants 2

Personality Quiet
Number of people killed/injured 0

Stereotypic behaviour No No Work No Work

Hours/day NA
Source of food Free ranging
Town of food

Type of food
Occurrence of heat cycles

Forest species
NK

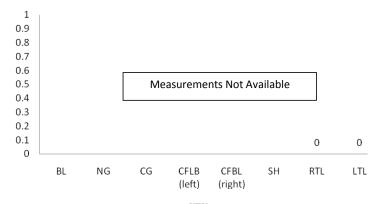
Number of calves born

Type of disease reported

NK

No chronic

Availability of veterinary doctor Yes
Number of mahouts changed 2



Mahout name	NK
Age	37
Caste	Tribal, Ranchi
Mahout's experince (years)	10
Total expereince with this animal	1
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	36000
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	0
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	Not Decided

S.No A 61

Name of the Elephant Un named calf

Age (in yrs) 0.5
Female/ Male Female

Forest & Plantation Development

Type of ownership Corporation

Makhna/Tusker NK Tusk/tush type NK

Current Location of animal Check post, Hut bay

District Little Andaman

Source of the animal
Date or year of source
NK
Age/height at source
Location of orgin
State
NK
NK

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants

Forest
Earthen
Stream
Yes

Hours/day 24

Number of elephants

Personality

Quiet

Number of people killed/injured 0

Stereotypic behaviour No No Work

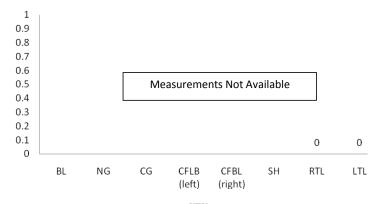
Hours/day NA

Source of food Feeding Milk

Type of food Milk
Occurrence of heat cycles
Number of calves born NA

Type of disease reported No chronic

Availability of veterinary doctor Yes Number of mahouts changed 0



Mahout name	Julius Kereketta
Age	60
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	35
Total expereince with this animal	7 Months
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	96600
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No

Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs) Female/ Male

Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food

Source of food
Type of food
Status And Tin

Status And Time of Musth

Number of calves sired Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 62

Dulip Bahadur

10 Male

Forest & Plantation Development

Corporation Tusker

outwards/Thin Thick Netaji Camp, Hut bay

Little Andaman

NK NK NK NK NK Forest

Earthen Stream Yes

3 days/ in 4 Months

2 Quiet 0

No No Work

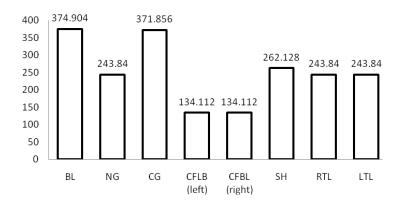
NA

Free ranging Forest species Reported

No chronic

Yes

Not Known



Mahout name	Rajesh Ekka
Age	30
Caste	Ranchi, Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	10
Total expereince with this animal	3 m
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Forest Department
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	4
Salary/yr	38400
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Single
Number of children	0
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	Not Decided

S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male

A 63
Jill
71
Female

Forest & Plantation Development

Type of ownership Corporation

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Krishana nalla, Hut bay

District Little Andaman

Source of the animal
Date or year of source
Age/height at source
Location of orgin
State
NK
NK
NK
NK
Forest

Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants
Hours/day

Torist
Earthen
Stream
Yes
7

Number of elephants

Personality

Quiet

Number of people killed/injured 0

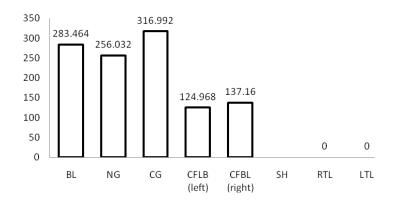
Stereotypic behaviour No No Work Hours/day NA

Source of food Free ranging
Type of food Forest species

Occurrence of heat cycles
NK
Number of calves born

Type of disease reported
Availability of veterinary doctor
Number of mahouts changed

No chronic
Yes
2



Mahout name	Ponnaiya Tappu
Age	52
Caste	uraow, Hindu
Mahout's experience (years)	12
Total experience with this animal	1 1/2 Months
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	42000
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No

S.No A 64

Name of the Elephant Rup Kumari

Age (in yrs) 59 Female/ Male Female

Forest & Plantation Development

Type of ownership Corporation

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Krishana nalla, Hut bay

District Little Andaman

Source of the animal NK NK Date or year of source NK Age/height at source NK Location of orgin NK State

Forest Type of shelter Type of flooring Earthen **Source of water** Stream **Interaction with other elephants** Yes

Hours/day 24 Number of elephants 3

Personality Quiet Number of people killed/injured Stereotypic behaviour No

Type of work Palm Seeds Removing

Hours/day

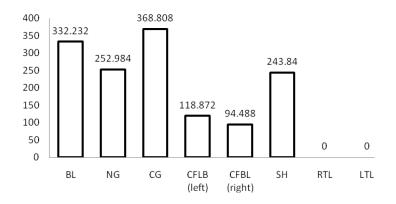
Source of food Free ranging Forest species Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles NK Number of calves born 3

No chronic Type of disease reported Yes

Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed Not Known



Mahout name	Sahadev Palram
Age	55
Caste	Birinjeya, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	32
Total expereince with this animal	16
Source of training	6 Months
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	8
Salary/yr	93600
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	NA

S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male

A 65
Renu
50
Female

Forest & Plantation Development

Type of ownership Corporation

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Krishana nalla, Hut bay

District Little Andaman

Source of the animal
Date or year of source
Age/height at source
Location of orgin
State
NK
NK
NK
NK
NK
Fore

Type of shelterForestType of flooringEarthenSource of waterStreamInteraction with other elephantsYes

Hours/day 24 Number of elephants 2

Personality Quiet

Number of people killed/injured 0 Stereotypic behaviour No

Type of work Palm Seeds Removing

Hours/day 6

Source of food Free ranging

Type of food Forest species

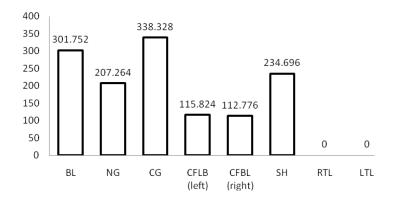
Occurrence of heat cycles
Number of calves born

NK
4

Type of disease reported No chronic

Availability of veterinary doctor
Number of mahouts changed

Yes



Mahout name	Ellisious Kakka
Age	51
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	27
Total expereince with this animal	1
Source of training	1 year
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	3
Salary/yr	90000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No





S.No Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs)

Female/ Male

Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour Type of work

Hours/day Source of food

Type of food Status And Time of Musth

Number of calves sired

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 66 Appu 3y 7 m

male

Forest & Plantation Development

Corporation Makhna NA

Krishana nalla, Hut bay

Little Andaman

NK NK NK NK NK

Forest Earthen Stream Yes 24 2

Quiet/ Playful

0 No

NA

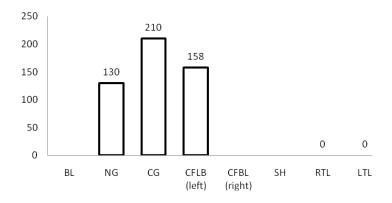
No Work

Free ranging Forest species not Reported

NA

No chronic

Yes NK



KEY
RTL: Right Tusk/Tush Length, LTL: Left Tusk/Tush Length, BL: Body Length,
NG: Neck Girth, CG: Chest Girth, SH: Shoulder Height,
CFLB (left): Circumference of left foreleg base,
CFLB (right): Circumference of right foreleg base

Mahout name	Ram Prasad
Age	45
Caste	Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	17
Total expereince with this animal	1
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	42000
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No

S.No A 67

Name of the Elephant Gautam Bahadur

Age (in yrs) 29 yrs Female/ Male Male

Forest & Plantation Development

Type of ownership Corporation Makhna/Tusker Makhna Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Krishana nalla, Hut bay

District Little Andaman Source of the animal Captive born 26/9/1978 Date or year of source

Age/height at source NA

Little Andaman Location of orgin

Andaman and Nicobar Island State

Forest Type of shelter Type of flooring Earthen Source of water Stream **Interaction with other elephants** No

Hours/day 0 Number of elephants 0 Personality Quiet

Number of people killed/injured Stereotypic behaviour No

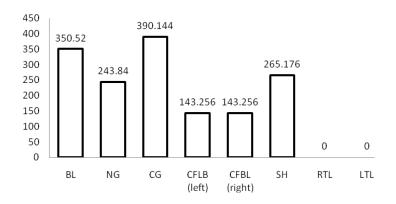
No Work Type of work Hours/day NA

Source of food Free ranging Type of food Forest species **Status And Time of Musth** Reported Number of calves sired NK

No chronic Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor Yes

Number of mahouts changed Not Known



Mahout name	Kurshuur Kerakatte
Age	60
Caste	Uraow,christian
Mahout's experince (years)	25
Total expereince with this animal	25
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	84000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	No

S.No A 68 Gulab Kali Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) 50 Female/ Male Female

Type of ownership Forest Department

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Radha nagar beach, Havelock

District Havelock Island Source of the animal Purchased

1972 Date or year of source NK Age/height at source Location of orgin Sonepur State Bihar Type of shelter Forest Earthen Type of flooring Stream Source of water **Interaction with other elephants** Yes

Hours/day 24 Number of elephants 1

Personality Quiet/Nervous

Number of people killed/injured No Stereotypic behaviour Tourism Type of work Hours/day

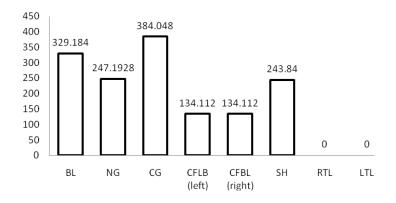
Source of food Free ranging Forest species Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles NK Number of calves born

No chronic Type of disease reported Yes

Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed Not Known



Mahout name	Fedrick Ekka
Age	36
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	13
Total expereince with this animal	13
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Forest Department
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	3
Salary/yr	50400
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	no
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	No



Name of the Elephant Chanchal Kali 2

Age (in yrs) 53
Female/ Male Female

Type of ownership Forest Department

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Radha nagar beach, Havelock

District Havelock Island

Source of the animal Purchased

Date or year of source
Age/height at source
NK
Location of orgin
NK
State
NK

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants

Forest
Earthen
Stream
Yes

Hours/day 24

Number of elephants 1

Personality Quiet/ Nervous

Number of people killed/injured
Stereotypic behaviour
Type of work

Tourism

Hours/day 5

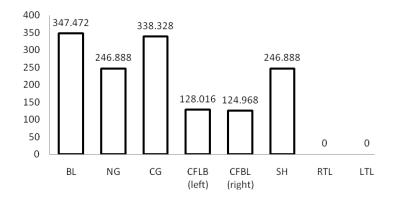
Source of food Type of foodFree ranging
Forest species

Occurrence of heat cycles
Number of calves born

NK

Type of disease reported
Availability of veterinary doctor
Number of mahouts changed

No chronic
Yes
0



Mahout name	John Walter Kujur
Age	38
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	15
Total expereince with this animal	15
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	6
Salary/yr	50400
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	No





S.No A 70 Name of the Elephant Rajan Age (in yrs) 56 Female/ Male Male Type of ownership Private Makhna/Tusker Tusker Tusk/tush type Upwards

Radha nagar beach, Havelock **Current Location of animal**

Havelock Island District

Source of the animal Leased 2002 Date or year of source NK Age/height at source Location of orgin Havelock

Andaman and Nicobar Island State

Type of shelter Forest Earthen Type of flooring Stream Source of water **Interaction with other elephants** No 0 Hours/day

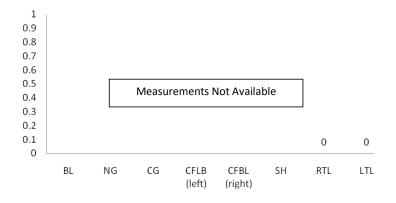
0 Number of elephants Quiet Personality Number of people killed/injured 0 Stereotypic behaviour No

Tourism Type of work

Hours/day Source of food Free ranging Type of food Forest species **Status And Time of Musth** Reported Number of calves sired NK

No chronic Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Yes

Not Known Number of mahouts changed



Mahout name	Chotu
Age	28
Caste	Telugu, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	10
Total expereince with this animal	12 m
Source of training	6 Months
Mahout's father occupation	Private Employe
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Privte Employe
Education	8
Salary/yr	36000
Job status	Temporary
Marital status	Single
Number of children	0
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	Not Decided









S.No	A 71
Name of the Elephant	Indira
Age (in yrs)	46
Female/ Male	Female

Forest Department Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker NA

Tusk/tush type NA

Kalapattar training camp, Havelock **Current Location of animal**

District Havelock Island

Source of the animal NK NK Date or year of source NK Age/height at source Location of orgin NK State NK

Type of shelter Forest Type of flooring Earthen Source of water Stream **Interaction with other elephants** Yes 24

Hours/day 3 Number of elephants

Personality Quiet Number of people killed/injured 0

Number of calves born

Stereotypic behaviour No No Work

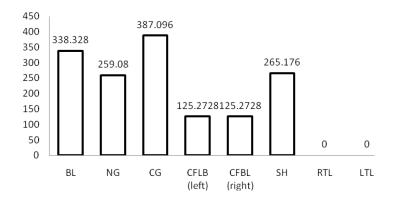
Type of work Hours/day NA

Source of food Free ranging Type of food Forest species Occurrence of heat cycles Not Known

No chronic Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor Yes 2 Number of mahouts changed

1



Mahout name	Emil Tirkay
Age	30
Caste	Uraow- Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	15
Total expereince with this animal	15
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	43680
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	No



S.No A 72 Name of the Elephant Vijaya Kumari

Age (in yrs) 8

Female/ Male Female

Type of ownership Forest Department NA NA

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Kalapattar training camp, Havelock

District Havelock Island

Source of the animal NK
Date or year of source NK
Age/height at source NK
Location of orgin NK
State NK

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants
Hours/day

Forest
Earthen
Stream
Yes
24

Number of elephants 3

Personality Quiet Number of people killed/injured 0

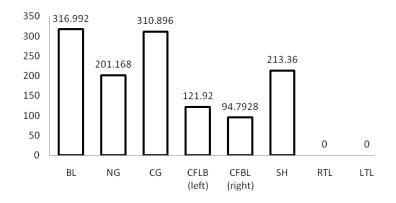
Stereotypic behaviour
Type of work
Hours/day
No
No
No Work
NA

Source of food Free ranging
Type of food Forest species
Occurrence of heat cycles
Not Known

Number of calves born 0

Type of disease reported No chronic

Availability of veterinary doctor Yes Number of mahouts changed 2



Mahout name	Theophel Kerkatt
Age	45
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	15
Total expereince with this animal	2
Source of training	6 Months
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	51600
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	0
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)

Female/ Male

A 73

Mammy
28

Female

Type of ownership Forest Department

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Kalapattar training camp, Havelock

District Havelock Island

Source of the animal NK
Date or year of source NK
Age/height at source NK
Location of orgin NK
State NK
Type of shelter Forest

Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants
Hours/day

Forest
Earthen
Stream
Yes
24

Number of elephants 3
Personality Quiet
Number of people killed/injured 0

Number of people killed/injured 0
Stereotypic behaviour No No Worl

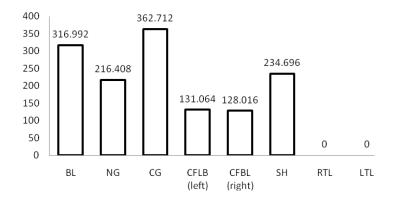
Type of work
Hours/day
No Work
NA
Source of food
Free ranging

Type of food
Occurrence of heat cycles
NK
Number of calves born
Forest species
NK
1

Type of disease reported
Availability of veterinary doctor

No chronic
Yes

Number of mahouts changed Not Known



Mahout name	Elazeer XaXa
Age	40
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	18
Total expereince with this animal	18
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	88800
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	0
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No A 74
Name of the Elephant Vijaya laxmi
Age (in yrs) 4

Female/ Male Female

Type of ownership Forest Department

Makhna/Tusker Na Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Kalapattar training camp, Havelock

District Havelock Island

Source of the animal NK
Date or year of source NK
Age/height at source NK
Location of orgin NK
State NK

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants

Forest
Earthen
Stream
Yes

Hours/day 24

Number of elephants 3
Personality Quiet
Number of people killed/injured 0

Number of people killed/injured 0
Stereotypic behaviour No
Type of work No Work

Type of work
Hours/day
No Work
NA

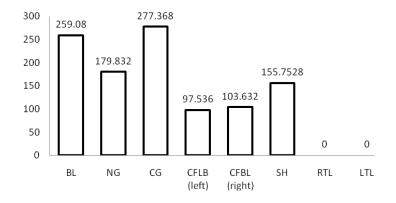
Source of food Free ranging

Type of food Forest species

Occurrence of heat cycles
Number of calves born

NA
0

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor
Number of mahouts changed 0



Mahout name	Edmon Kujur
Age	35
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	8
Total expereince with this animal	4
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	7
Salary/yr	43680
Job status	Daily Wages
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	No
Source	NA
Will his children join this profession	No









Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male

Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter
Type of flooring

Source of water Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour Type of work

Hours/day
Source of food
Type of food

Status And Time of Musth Number of calves sired

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A /5 Harihar Prasad

NK Male

Forest Department

Tusker Upwards

John Lawrance Island

Havelock Island

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Forest Earthen Stream No 0

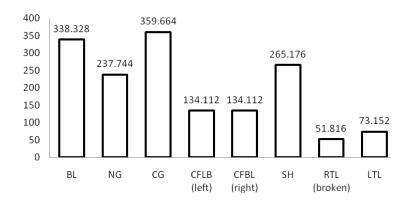
0 Quiet 0

No No Work NA

Free ranging
Forest species
Reported
NK

No chronic Yes

Not Known



KEY
RTL: Right Tusk/Tush Length, LTL: Left Tusk/Tush Length, BL: Body Length,
NG: Neck Girth, CG: Chest Girth, SH: Shoulder Height,
CFLB (left): Circumference of left foreleg base,
CFLB (right): Circumference of right foreleg base

Mahout name	Punni Ram
Age	57
Caste	Harijan, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	20
Total expereince with this animal	15
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	86760
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	7
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership
Makhna/Tusker

Tusk/tush type Current Location of animal

District
Source of the animal
Date or year of source
Age/height at source
Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Status And Time of Musth Number of calves sired Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 76 Lal Ram NK Male

Forest Department

Tusker

Upwards

John Lawrance Island

Havelock Island

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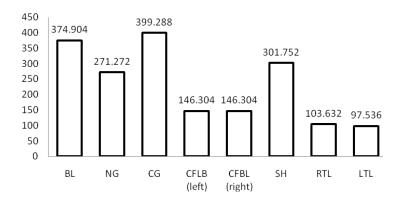
Earthen Stream No 0

Quiet 1 injured No

No Work NA Free ranging

Free ranging Forest species Reported NK

No chronic Yes



Mahout name	Sarjo Lakra
Age	60
Caste	Mahali, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	20
Total expereince with this animal	20
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	78000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	Yes









A 77 S.No Name of the Elephant Pawankali Age (in yrs) NK Female/ Male Female Type of ownership

Forest Department

Makhna/Tusker NA NA Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal Ferraguni South Andaman District

Source of the animal NK Date or year of source NK Age/height at source NK NK Location of orgin State NK

Type of shelter Forest Type of flooring Earthen **Source of water** Stream **Interaction with other elephants** Yes 24 Hours/day

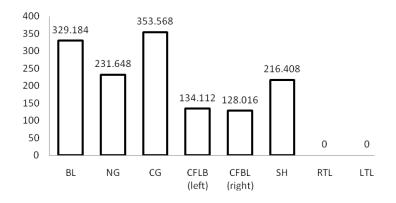
Number of elephants 3 Quiet **Personality** Number of people killed/injured 0 No

Stereotypic behaviour Dragging Type of work

Hours/day Source of food Free ranging

Forest species Type of food Occurrence of heat cycles Yes

Number of calves born Type of disease reported No chronic Availability of veterinary doctor Yes Number of mahouts changed Not Known



Mahout name	Rupan Pradhan
Age	60
Caste	Choud,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	30
Total expereince with this animal	20
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	96000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male

Type of ownership

Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour Type of work

Hours/day Source of food

Type of food Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born

Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 78 Amitha

female

Forest Department

NA NA

> Ferragunj South Andaman

NK NK NK NK

Forest Earthen Stream Yes 24

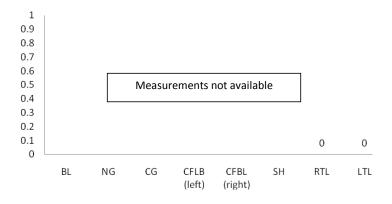
3 quiet 0 No

No Work NA

Free ranging Forest species NA

NA No chronic

Yes 0



Mahout name	Firnatt Barrick
Age	45
Caste	Barrick,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	27
Total expereince with this animal	0.25
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	2
Salary/yr	96000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	good
Insurance	yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No A 79
Name of the Elephant Marry
Age (in yrs) 16
Female/ Male female

Forest & Plantation Development

Type of ownership Corporation

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Ferragunj
South Andaman

Source of the animal NK
Date or year of source NK
Age/height at source NK
Location of orgin NK
State NK

StateNKType of shelterForestType of flooringEarthenSource of waterStreamInteraction with other elephantsYesHours/day24

Number of elephants 3 Personality quiet

Number of people killed/injured 0
Stereotypic behaviour No

Type of work
Hours/day
No Work
NA

Source of food Free ranging

Type of food Forest species

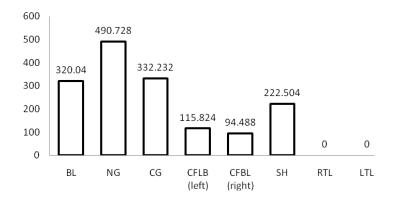
Occurrence of heat cycles

Number of calves born

1

Type of disease reported No chronic Availability of veterinary doctor Yes

Number of mahouts changed 2



Mahout name	Kalmin Tirky
Age	48
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	29
Total expereince with this animal	3
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	100080
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	7
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No







S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)

A 80
Balvant

Female/ Male Male

Forest & Plantation Development

Type of ownership Corporation
Makhna/Tusker
Tusk/tush type Corporation
Tusker

Current Location of animal Ferragunj
District South Andaman

Source of the animal
Date or year of source
Age/height at source
Location of orgin
State
NK
NK
NK
Forest

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants
Forest
Earthen
Stream
Yes

Hours/day 24 Number of elephants 3

Personality quiet & playfull

Number of people killed/injured 0 Stereotypic behaviour No

Type of work
Hours/day
No Work
NA

Source of food Free ranging

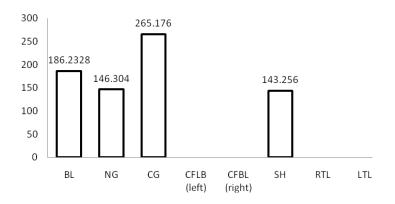
Type of food Forest species

Status And Time of Musth
Number of calves sired

NA
NA

Type of disease reported No chronic

Availability of veterinary doctor Yes **Number of mahouts changed** 0



Mahout name	Kalmin Tirky
Age	48
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	29
Total expereince with this animal	3
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	100080
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	7
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









	A 81
Name of the Elephant	Champakali
Age (in yrs)	47
Female/ Male	Female

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Type of ownership Corporation
Makhna/Tusker NA
Tark/tusk turns

Tusk/tush type
Current Location of animal
District

NA
Ferragunj
South Andaman

Source of the animal
Date or year of source
Age/height at source
Location of orgin
State
Type of shelter

NK
NK
NK
Forest

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants
Hours/day

Forest
Earthen
Stream
Yes
24

Number of elephants 1
Personality Quiet
Number of people killed/injured 0

Stereotypic behaviour No Type of work Dragging

Type of work Dragging Hours/day 3

Source of food Free ranging

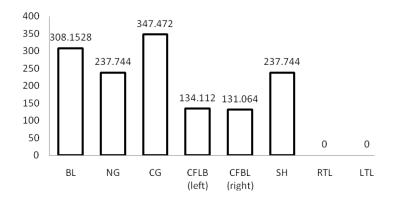
Type of food Forest species

Occurrence of heat cycles
Number of calves born

Yes
4

Type of disease reported
Availability of veterinary doctor
Yes

Number of mahouts changed Not Known



Mahout name	Kameel Ekka
Age	45
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	27
Total expereince with this animal	NK
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	96000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Knee Problem
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)

Female/ Male

A 82

Kalpana

NK

Female

Forest & Plantation Development

Type of ownership Corporation

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA

Current Location of animal Ferragunj
South Andaman

Source of the animal
NK
Date or year of source
NK
Age/height at source
Location of orgin
NK
State
NK
Type of shelter
Type of flooring

Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants

Earthen
Stream
Yes

Hours/day 24

Number of elephants 1

Personality
Number of people killed/injured

Quiet& Playfull
0

Stereotypic behaviour No

Type of work

Hours/day

NA

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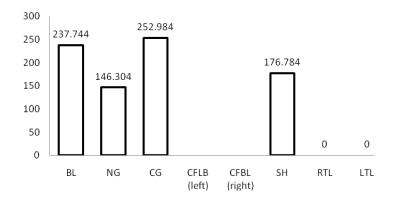
Source of food Free ranging

Type of food Forest species

Occurrence of heat cycles NA Number of calves born NA

Type of disease reported No chronic Availability of veterinary doctor Yes

Number of mahouts changed 0



Mahout name	Kameel Ekka
Age	45
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	27
Total expereince with this animal	
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	96000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Knee Problem
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No A 83 Name of the Elephant Anarkali Age (in yrs) 43 Female/ Male Female

Forest & Plantation Development

Corporation

Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA **Current Location of animal** Ferraguni

Type of ownership

South Andaman

District Source of the animal NK NK Date or year of source NK Age/height at source Location of orgin NK State NK

Type of shelter Forest Earthen Type of flooring Source of water Stream **Interaction with other elephants** No

0 Hours/day

0 Number of elephants

Quiet/Frightened Personality

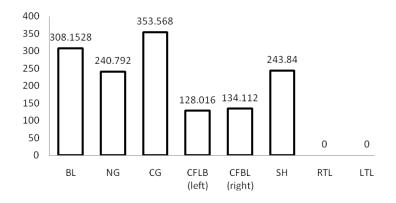
Number of people killed/injured 0 Stereotypic behaviour No Type of work Logging

Hours/day 2 1/2 Source of food Free ranging Type of food Forest species

Occurrence of heat cycles Yes Number of calves born 2

No chronic Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Yes

Number of mahouts changed 1



Mahout name	Philip Minje
Age	48
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	30
Total expereince with this animal	5
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Army
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Not Known
Education	3
Salary/yr	96000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	ТВ
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No



A 84 Name of the Elephant Lucy Age (in yrs) 40 Female/ Male Female Type of ownership Forest Department Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NA **Current Location of animal** Ferraguni South Andaman District Source of the animal NK Date or year of source NK Age/height at source NK Location of orgin NK

Number of elephants1PersonalityQuietNumber of people killed/injured0Stereotypic behaviourNo

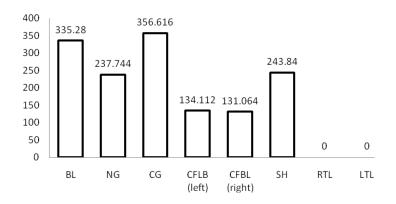
Type of work

Dragging

Hours/day :

Source of food Free ranging
Type of food Forest species

Occurrence of heat cyclesYesNumber of calves born1Type of disease reportedNKAvailability of veterinary doctorYesNumber of mahouts changed2



Mahout name	Rajesh Kujur
Age	40
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	20
Total expereince with this animal	6
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	80400
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No





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S.No	A 85
Name of the Elephant	Ambika
Age (in yrs)	37
Female/ Male	Female
Type of ownership	Forest Department
Makhna/Tusker	NA
Tusk/tush type	NA
Current Location of animal	Ferragunj
District	South Andaman
Source of the animal	NK
Date or year of source	NK
Age/height at source	NK
Location of orgin	NK
State	NK
Type of shelter	Forest

Type of flooring Earthen
Source of water Stream
Interaction with other elephants Yes
Hours/day 24

Number of elephants

Personality
Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

No

Type of work No Work

Hours/day (

Source of food Free ranging
Type of food Forest species

Occurrence of heat cycles

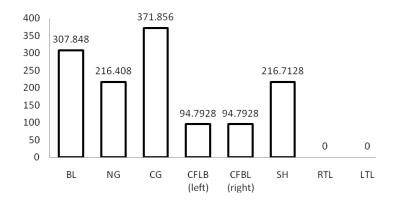
Number of calves born

Type of disease reported

Yes

Availability of veterinary doctor
Number of mahouts changed

Yes



Mahout name	Niranjan Jaidhar
Age	36
Caste	Bengali,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	6
Total expereince with this animal	NK
Source of training	6 Months
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	5
Salary/yr	63120
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S No

Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership
Makhna/Tusker

Tusk/tush type Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin

State
Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day

Source of food

Type of food
Status And Time of Musth

Number of calves sired Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 86

Naresh Bahadur

47

Male

Tusker

Forest Department

Upwards Ferragunj South Andaman

South A
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Forest
Earthen

Stream No 0 0

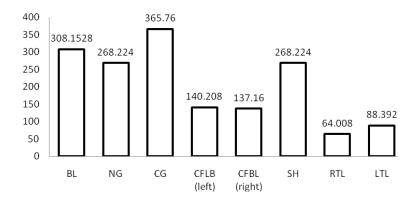
Quiet 0 No

No Work

0

Free ranging Forest species Reported Not known No chronic Yes

Not Known



KEY

RTL: Right Tusk/Tush Length, LTL: Left Tusk/Tush Length, BL: Body Length,
NG: Neck Girth, CG: Chest Girth, SH: Shoulder Height,
CFLB (left): Circumference of left foreleg base,
CFLB (right): Circumference of right foreleg base

Mahout name	Kurvas Tirky
Age	40
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	3
Total expereince with this animal	3
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	PWD Dept
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	10
Salary/yr	81360
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership
Makhna/Tusker
Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food

Type of food
Status And Time of Musth

Number of calves sired Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 87

Billy Bahadur

NK Male

Forest Department

Tusker Broken

Ferraguni Checkpost

South Andaman

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Forest Earthen Stream No

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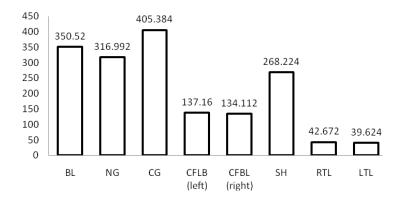
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No Loading

Free ranging Forest species Reported

Not known No chronic Yes

Not Known



Mahout name	Albert Kerkatte
Age	38
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	15
Total expereince with this animal	15
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Forest Department
Education	8
Salary/yr	72000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









S.No Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work

Hours/day

Source of food Type of food **Status And Time of Musth**

Number of calves sired Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 88 Indrajit NK Male

Forest Department

Makhna NA

Ferraguni Checkpost

South Andaman

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Earthen Stream No 0

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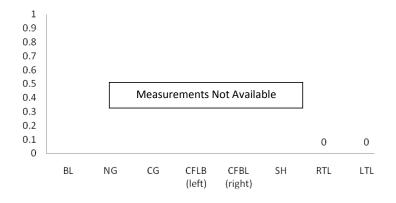
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No

No Work

Free ranging Forest species Reported Not known No chronic

Yes



Mahout name	Sanjay prakash Minch
Age	36
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	8
Total expereince with this animal	8
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	6
Salary/yr	72000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal
Date or year of source
Age/height at source
Location of orgin
State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour Type of work

Hours/day Source of food

Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

A 89 Laxmi NK Female

Forest Department

NA

Not visible Shol Bay

South Andaman

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Forest Earthen Stream Yes

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Quiet 0 No

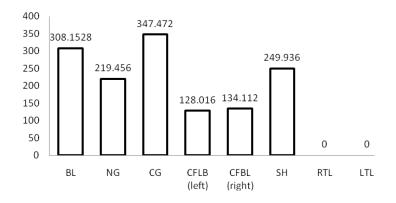
No Work NA

Free ranging Forest species

Yes 1

> No chronic Yes

Not Known



Mahout name	Prabhudas Kalko
Age	36
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	11
Total expereince with this animal	3
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Mahout
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	9
Salary/yr	56400
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No









Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker

Tusk/tush type **Current Location of animal**

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin

State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour Type of work

Hours/day Source of food

Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed

A 90

Hemamalini

NK Female

Forest Department

NA

Not visible Shol Bay South Andaman

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Yes 24 2

Quiet 0 No

No Work

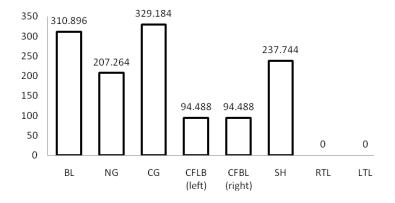
NA

Free ranging Forest species

Yes 1

> No chronic Yes

2



Mahout name	Binu Baggy
Age	54
Caste	Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	15
Total expereince with this animal	6
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Daily wages
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Daily wages
Education	0
Salary/yr	75600
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Body and leg pain
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No







Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) Female/ Male

Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work
Hours/day

Source of food Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 91 Sania NK Female

Forest Department

NA

Not visible
Shol Bay

South Andaman NK

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Earthen Stream Yes 24

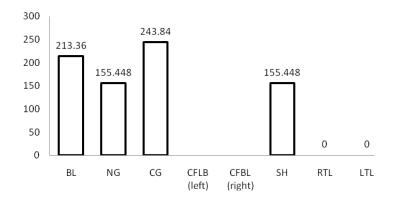
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No Work NA

Free ranging Forest species NA

NA No chronic

Yes 2



Mahout name	Binu Baggy
Age	54
Caste	Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	15
Total expereince with this animal	4
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Daily wages
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Daily wages
Education	0
Salary/yr	75600
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	4
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Body and leg pain
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No







Gulab Kali

Not visible

Manglutan

South Andaman

Forest Department

64

NA

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No

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Quiet

No

Forest

Earthen Stream

Female

S.No

Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs) Female/ Male

Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker

Tusk/tush type Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin

State Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Pensioner

Hours/day NA

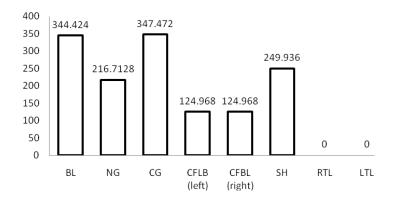
Source of food Free ranging
Type of food Forest species
Occurrence of heat cycles
Currently No

Number of calves born

Type of disease reported No chronic

Availability of veterinary doctor Yes

Number of mahouts changed Not Known



Mahout name	Birsa Dung dung	
Age	31	
Caste	Hadiya, Hindu	
Mahout's experince (years)	17	
Total expereince with this animal	17	
Source of training	Expereince	
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture	
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture	
Education	5	
Salary/yr	79200	
Job status	Permanent	
Marital status	Married	
Number of children	3	
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick	
Health status	Good	
Insurance	Yes	
Source	Self	
Will his children join this profession	No	







Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)
Female/ Male
Type of ownership
Makhna/Tusker
Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source Location of orgin State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants Personality

Personality

Number of people killed/injured Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work

Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Occurrence of heat cycles

Number of calves born Type of disease reported

Availability of veterinary doctor Number of mahouts changed A 93 Mallika 57

Female

Forest Department

NA

Not visible

Chidia Tapu camp South Andaman

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Forest Earthen Stream No

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No Work

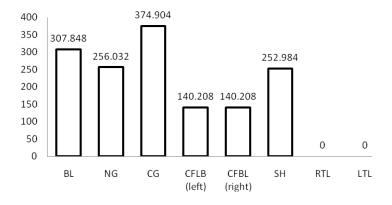
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Free ranging Forest species Currently No

3

No chronic

Yes 3



Mahout name	Eqnes Toppo
Age	42
Caste	Christian
Mahout's experince (years)	20
Total expereince with this	
animal	15
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather	
occupation	Agriculture
Education	0
Salary/yr	78000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	1
	Knife/wooden
Type of tool used	ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this	
profession	No

S.No A 94
Name of the Elephant Ravish
Age (in yrs) 24
Female/ Male Male

Type of ownership Forest Department

Makhna/Tusker
Tusk/tush type
Current Location of animal
Tusker
Not known
Rutland Island

District NK

Source of the animal Captive born
Date or year of source 5/11/1982
Age/height at source NK

Location of orgin Mannarghat/South Andaman
State Andaman and Nicobar Island

Type of shelter

Type of flooring

Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Forest

Earthen

Stream

Yes

Hours/day
Number of elephants

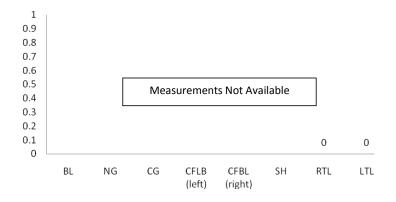
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Type of work
Hours/day
No Work
NA

Source of foodFree rangingType of foodForest speciesStatus And Time of MusthReportedNumber of calves siredNot knownType of disease reportedAnemiaAvailability of veterinary doctorYes

Number of mahouts changed

4



Mahout name	
Age	40
Caste	Bengali,Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	10
Total expereince with this animal	3
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	5
Salary/yr	84000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	Married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	No

S.No
Name of the Elephant
Age (in yrs)

Female/ Male

A 95
Sheetal
23
Male

Type of ownership Forest Department

Makhna/TuskerTuskerTusk/tush typeNot knownCurrent Location of animalRutland Island

District NK

Source of the animal
Date or year of source
Age/height at source
Location of orgin

Captive born
1984
NK
NK

State Andaman and Nicobar Island

Type of shelter
Type of flooring
Source of water
Interaction with other elephants
Hours/day
Forest
Earthen
Stream
Yes
24

Number of elephants 24

Personality
Number of people killed/injured

Undependable 3 injured

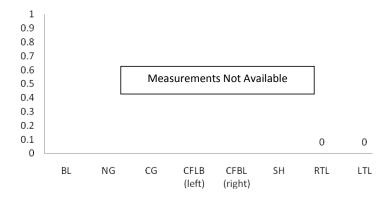
Stereotypic behaviour
Type of work
Hours/day
No Work
NA

Source of food
Type of food
Status And Time of Musth
Number of calves sired
Not known

Type of disease reported
Availability of veterinary doctor

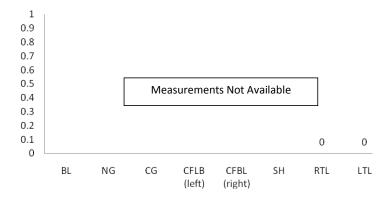
Not know
Anemia
Yes

Number of mahouts changed Not Known



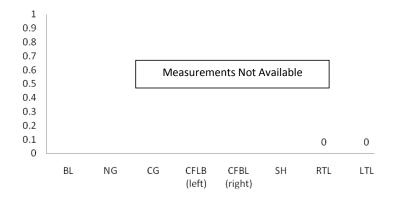
Mahout name		
Age	45	
Caste	Ranchi, Christian	
Mahout's experince (years)	15	
Total expereince with this animal	6	
Source of training	Expereince	
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture	
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture	
Education	5	
Salary/yr	84000	
Job status	Permanent	
Marital status	married	
Number of children	Not known	
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick	
Health status	Good	
Insurance	Yes	
Source	Self	
Will his children join this profession	Not Decided	

S.No A 96 Krishna Prasad Name of the Elephant Age (in yrs) 59 Female/ Male Male Type of ownership Forest Department Makhna/Tusker Tusker Tusk/tush type Not known **Current Location of animal** Rutland Island District NK Source of the animal Purchased 1957 Date or year of source NK Age/height at source Location of orgin Sonepur State Bihar Type of shelter Forest Earthen Type of flooring Source of water Stream **Interaction with other elephants** Yes Hours/day 24 Number of elephants 1 Personality quiet Number of people killed/injured 0 Stereotypic behaviour No No Work Type of work Hours/day NA Source of food Free ranging Type of food Forest species **Status And Time of Musth** Reported Number of calves sired Foot rot/anemia Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor Yes Number of mahouts changed 5



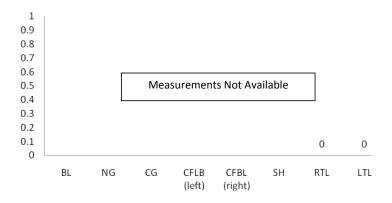
Mahout name	
Age	59
Caste	Ranchi, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	25
Total expereince with this animal	20
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	2
Salary/yr	90000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	married
Number of children	3
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	no

S.No A 97 Name of the Elephant Parvati Age (in yrs) 34 Female/ Male Female Type of ownership Forest Department Makhna/Tusker NA Tusk/tush type NK **Current Location of** animal Rutland Island District NK Purchased Source of the animal 1995 Date or year of source Age/height at source NK Location of orgin Sonepur Bihar State Forest Type of shelter Type of flooring Earthen Source of water Stream **Interaction with other** elephants Yes Hours/day 24 Number of elephants 1 Quiet Personality Number of people 0 killed/injured Stereotypic behaviour No No Work Type of work NA Hours/day Source of food Free ranging Type of food Forest species Yes Occurrence of heat cycles Number of calves born Type of disease reported Anemia Availability of veterinary doctor Yes Number of mahouts changed



Mahout name	
Age	48
Caste	Ranchi, Hindu
Mahout's experince (years)	34
Total expereince with this animal	34
Source of training	Expereince
Mahout's father occupation	Agriculture
Mahout's Gfather occupation	Agriculture
Education	6
Salary/yr	84000
Job status	Permanent
Marital status	married
Number of children	2
Type of tool used	Knife/wooden ankush/Stick
Health status	Good
Insurance	Yes
Source	Self
Will his children join this profession	no

S.No	A 98	
Name of the Elephant	Chanchal Pyaari	
Age (in yrs)	NK	
Female/ Male	Female	
Type of ownership	Private	
Makhna/Tusker	NA	
Tusk/tush type	NK	
Current Location of animal	Makarti Valle	
District	NK	
Source of the animal	NK	
Date or year of source	NK	
Age/height at source	NK	
Location of orgin	NK	
State	NK	
Type of shelter	forest	
Type of flooring	Earthen	
Source of water	Stream	
Interaction with other elephants	NK	
Hours/day	NK	
Number of elephants	NK	
Personality	NK	
Number of people killed/injured	NK	
Stereotypic behaviour	NK	
Type of work	NK	
Hours/day	NK	
Source of food	NK	
Type of food	NK	
Occurrence of heat cycles	NK	
Number of calves born	NK	
Type of disease reported	NK	
Availability of veterinary doctor	NK	
Number of mahouts changed	NK	



Mahout name	NK
Age	NK
Caste	NK
Mahout's experince (years)	NK
Total expereince with this animal	NK
Source of training	NK
Mahout's father occupation	NK
Mahout's Gfather occupation	NK
Education	NK
Salary/yr	NK
Job status	NK
Marital status	NK
Number of children	NK
Type of tool used	NK
Health status	NK
Insurance	NK
Source	NK
Will his children join this profession	NK

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Name of the Elephant

Age (in yrs) Female/ Male Type of ownership Makhna/Tusker Tusk/tush type

Current Location of animal

District

Source of the animal Date or year of source Age/height at source

Location of orgin State

Type of shelter Type of flooring Source of water

Interaction with other elephants

Hours/day

Number of elephants

Personality

Number of people killed/injured

Stereotypic behaviour

Type of work Hours/day Source of food Type of food

Status And Time of Musth Number of calves sired Type of disease reported Availability of veterinary doctor

Number of mahouts changed

Chaitanya

27 Male

Forest Department

Tusker Upwards

A 22

Basduck, Radhanagar

North Andaman Calf Of Ratankali

26/8/82 2 1/2y, 88cm Thoraktang

Andaman and Nicobar Island

Forest Earthen Stream

Aggressive 2 killed No Work

Free ranging Forest species Reported Not known

No chronic

Yes

This document is aimed to provide a comprenshive data base for elephants and their mahouts in Andaman Islands. It is assumed this data base consisting of fact sheets for individual elephants and mahouts may act as a source of information for laymen and scientists, animal keepers and department officers, to access basic details of the elephants.



