

PLATEAU

BRIEF HISTORY

Plateau state is located in the north central geo-political zone of Nigeria. It was created in 1976 and has Jos as its capital, Plateau State derived as name from Jos Plateau Highlands. Much of the state consists of undulating highlands of an average height of 1200 meters. There are several rivers and streams forming captivating landscape scenery. The land features show many escarpments, rugged hills and rock formation. The land area covers about 26,629.5 square kilometers, and this is inhabited by about 3,178.712 according to 2006 census. The gives a population density of about 119 versions per square kilometer.

Plateau State is divided into chiefdom and emirates, each encompassing ethnic groups who share common attributes. Leaders of chiefdoms are elected, while succession to the emirate is hereditary. There are seventeen (17) Local Government Areas in the state, with about 40 ethnic group. Each ethnic group has its language, while Hausa has been widely accepted as a medium of communication. Farming is the main occupation.

Many other tribes in Nigeria have come to settle peacefully among the indigenes of the state, and Christianity is the predominant religion.

Industrial activities include fiber making, smelting, brewing, brick making and confectionary. The Naraguta leather industry is a famous traditional leatherwork industry in Nigeria, columbine and tin are both mined at Bukuru. Other mineral deposits include lead zinc and limestone.

Plateau is well served by good network of roads, two rail lines and a modern airport.

ELECTORAL STATISTICS

S/N	LGA	NO. of PUs	NO. of RAs
1	Barkin Ladi	131	11
2	Bassa	145	16
3	Bokkos	127	14
4	Jos East	90	10
5	Jos North	474	14
6	Jog South	285	12
7	Kanam	140	14
8	Kanke	81	10
9	Langtang North	114	14
10	Lantang South	68	10
11	Mangu	223	16
12	Mikang	60	10
13	Pankshin	136	12
14	Qua'anpan	166	11
15	Riyom	87	10
16	Shendam	182	12
17	Wase	122	12
	TOTAL	2631	207

SENATORIAL DISTRICTS

S/N	DISTRICT	LGA COMPOSITION	RAs	PUs	COLLATION CENTRE
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91	Plateau South SD/091/PL	Langtang North/Wase/Langtang South/Mikang/Qua'anpan/Shendam	68	712	LG Council Sec. Shendam
92	Plateau Central SD/092/PL	Bokkos/Kanke/Mangu/Pankshin/ Kanam	66	707	LG Council Pankshin
93	Plateau North SD/093/PL	Barkin Ladi/Bassa/Jos East/Jos North/Jos South/Riyom	73	1,212	LG Council JMDB Jos North

FEDERAL CONSTITUENCIES

S/ N	CONSTITUENCY	LGA COMPOSITION	RAs	PUs	COLLATION CENTRE
308	Jos North/Bassa FC/308/PL	Jos North/Bassa	10	619	Jos North LG Sec.
309	Jos East/Jos South	Jos South/Jos East	12	375	Jos South LG Sec.
310	B-Ladi/Riyom	B-Ladi/Riyom	11	218	B/Ladi LG Sec.
311	Bokkos/Mangu	Bokkos/Mangu	10	350	Mangu LG Sec.
312	Pankshin/Kanke/Kanam	Pankshin/Kanke/Kanam	16	357	Pankshin LG Sec.
313	Wase	Wase	12	122	Wase LG Sec.
314	L/North/L/south	Lantang North/ Lantang South	14	182	L/North LG Sec.
315	Mikang/Qua'anpan/Shen dam	Mikang/Qua'anpan/Shen dam	12	408	Shendam LG Sec.

STATE CONSTITUENCIES

S/N	CONSTITUENCY	CODE	COLLATION CENTER
1	B/Ladi	SC/01/PL	B/Ladi LGAs Secretariat
2	Pengana	SC/02/PL	Govt. College Jingre
3	Rukuba/Irigwe	SC/03/PL	LGA Office, Bassa
4	Bokkos	SC/O4/PL	Bokkos LGAs Secretariat
5	Jos East	SC/05/PL	Jos East LGAs Secretariat
6	Jos North	SC/06/PL	Jos North LG Sec.
7	Jos North West	SC/07/PL	Govt. College Jos
8	Jos South	SC/08/PL	Jos South LGC secretarial
9	Kanke	SC/09/PL	Kanke LGC secretarial
10	Pankshin North	SC/10/PL	Pankshin LG Sec.
11	Pankshin South	SC/11/PL	Jibilik Primary School
12	Dengi	SC/12/PL	Kanam LG Sec.
13	Kantana	SC/13/PL	LEA Primary School
14	Langtang North	SC/14/PL	Langtang North LG Sec.
15	Langtang Central	SC/15/PL	FGC Langtang
16	Langtang South	SC/16/PL	Langtang South LG Sec.
17	Mangu South	SC/17/PL	Mangu LG Sec.
18	Mangu North	SC/18/PL	College of Education Gindiri
19	Mikang	SC/19/PL	Mikang LGC secretarial
20	Qua'anpan North	SC/20/PL	Qua'anpan LG Secretariat
21	Qua'anpan South	SC/21/PL	College of Arts, Sci & Rem. Studies Kurgwi

22	Riyom	SC/22/PL	Riyom LG Sec.
23	Shendam	SC/23/PL	Shebdan LGC Sec
24	Wase	SC/24/PL	Wase LGC Sec.

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