

Daman & Diu

Lok Sabha 2009 Elections

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Daman and Diu Election Watch

Lok Sabha elections 2009

Lok Sabha 2009 elections in Daman and Diu were held on April 30th 2009 for one parliamentary constituency. This report includes analysis of voting trend, criminalization and money power in these elections.

Political Parties and Candidates

In Lok Sabha 2004, 3 parties contested. This went up to 4 parties in Lok Sabha 2009 elections. In Lok Sabha 2004 elections 3 candidates contested. This went up to 7 candidates in Lok Sabha 2009 elections.

Executive summary

- Affidavits of all 7 candidates contesting the Lok Sabha 2009 elections were analyzed by the Daman and Diu Election Watch.
- 1 of these 7 candidates had pending criminal cases.
- Average asset for a candidate from Daman and Diu was 2.4 crores.
- The constituency was won by Lalubhai Patel of BJP.
- Average assets for the winner, runner up and second runner up were 5.35 crores.
- The winner Lalubhai Patel from BJP had assets in excess of 3.6 crores but did not declare PAN details.
- There were no female candidates from Daman and Diu. .

Voting and winning trend

The % of votes polled by major parties

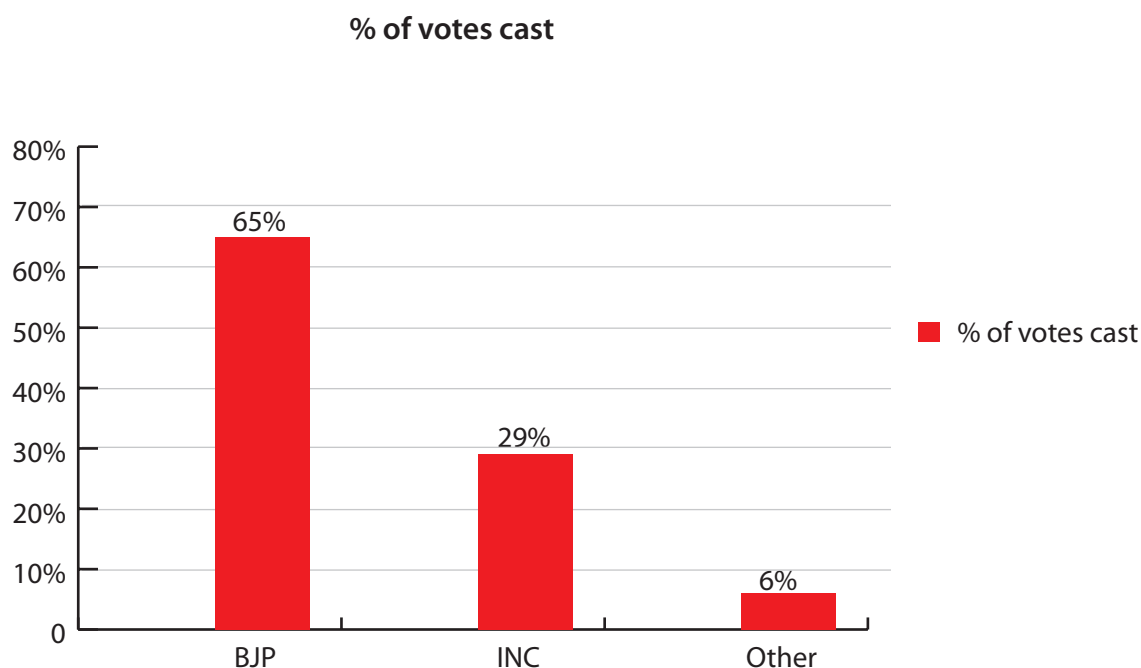
BJP managed to get 65% of the votes polled. This was 47% of the electorate. The total electorate in Daman and Diu was 95,382 and the total votes polled were 68,024.

Further break-up is given table

Table: Per cent of votes cast

| Party | Total votes cast for the party | % of votes cast | % of total registered voters |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| Bhartiya Janta Party(BJP) | 44,546 | 65% | 47% |
| Indian National Congress(INC) | 19,708 | 29% | 21% |
| Others | 3,770 | 6% | 4% |

Figure: Per cent of votes cast in Daman and Diu- Party wise



Comparison of Candidates

| S No. | Name | Age | Gender | Party Code | Criminal Cases | No. of Cases | Serious IPC Counts | Education Level | Total Assets | Total Liabilities | PAN Given |
|-------|------------------------------|-----|--------|------------|----------------|--------------|--------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|-----------|
| 1 | LALUBHAI PATEL (WINNER) | 53 | M | BJP | No | 0 | 0 | 10th Pass | 3,68,79,385 3 Crore + | 21,35,939 21 Lacs + | No |
| 2 | DAHAYABHAI VALLABHBHAI PATEL | 64 | M | INC | No | 0 | 0 | 12th Pass | 5,31,22,703 5 Crore + | 0 | Yes |
| 3 | GOHEL GAUTAMKUMAR NATVARSIH | 28 | M | IND | No | 0 | 0 | 12th Pass | 4,20,000 4 Lacs + | 6,41,000 6 Lacs + | Yes |
| 4 | PANDEY DINESHBHAI | 37 | M | IND | Yes | 1 | 0 | 12th Pass | 22,95,000 22 Lacs + | 8,54,990 8 Lacs + | Yes |
| 5 | RAMESHBHAI D. SINGH | 42 | M | SP | No | 0 | 0 | 12th Pass | 27,40,500 27 Lacs + | 0 | Yes |
| 6 | SINDE SHAILESHBHAI | 39 | M | IND | No | 0 | 0 | 12th Pass | 21,58,000 21 Lacs + | 0 | Yes |
| 7 | TANDEL GOPALBHAI KALYANBHAI | 55 | M | NCP | No | 0 | 0 | Not Given | 7,06,97,264 7 Crore + | 1,32,37,708 1 Crore+ | Yes |

