

**Government of Pakistan  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF STATISTICS**

**LABOUR FORCE SURVEY Year 1996-97**

Survey Period:	Code
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<b>Section 1: Identification</b>				Processing Code											
1. Province:					8. Address:										
2. District:					9. Serial number of household: →										
3. Tehsil/Taluka:					10. Name of head of household:										
4. City Town:					11. Father's name:										
5. Mouza/Deh/Village:					12. Respondent's name:										
6. Enumeration Block Code:					13. Respondent's Sex: -- 1=male, 2=female →										
7. Locality:					14. Respondent's relation to head of household: → 1=head of household: 2=other member of household 3=others										

<b>Section 2: Field Operations</b>						
Items	Date	Name		Designation		Signature
(1)	(2)	(3)	Code	(4)	Code	(5)
1. Survey						
2. Inspection (i)						
3. (ii)						
4. Checking/editing in the Regional/Field Offices						
5. Despatch to Headquarters						
6. Receipt at Headquarters						

<b>Section 3: Editing at Regional Offices / Headquarters</b>						
Item	Date	Name		Designation		Signature
(1)	(2)	(3)	Code	(4)	Code	(5)
1. Editing by staff						
2. Checking by officer (i)						
3. (ii)						
4. Despatch to D. P. Section						

**Section 4: Household Composition and Demographic Information**

Sl. No.	Names of household members who usually live here. Do not list guests, visitors, etc.  (List members according to sequence given in column 3)	Relation to Head  1. Head 2. Spouse 3. Son/ daughter (unmarried) 4. Son/ daughter (married) 5. Father/ mother 6. Brother/ sister 7. Other relative 8. Servant 9. Non-relative	Present Status  1. Present 2. Temporarily absent	Sex  1. Male 2. Female	Age  In completed years	Marital Status  1. Never married 2. Married 3. Widow/ widower 4. Divorced	ALL PERSONS 5 YEARS	
							Literacy  Can .... read and write with understanding in any language?  1. Yes. 2. No.	Educational Level  01. No formal education 02. K.G., Nursery 03. K.G but below primary 04. Primary but below middle 05. Middle but below matric 06. Matric but below intermediate 07. Inter. but below degree 08. Degree in engineering 09. degree in medicine 10. Degree in agriculture 11. Degree in other subjects 12. Post graduate
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**REMARKS:**



**Section 5: CURRENT ACTIVITY (All persons 10 years and above)**

S. No.:	Name:
(Tick the correct entry only for each question)	
<p>1. Did ..... do any work for pay, profit, or family gain during last week, at least for one hour on any day?</p> <p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (Skip to 7)</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><u>NOTE:</u> Work Includes:</p> <p>a) the production and processing of primary products whether for market, barter or own consumption:</p> <p>b) the production of all other goods and services for the market and, in the case of households producing such goods and services, the corresponding production for own consumption:</p> <p>c) own account construction.</p>	<p>4. Why did ..... not work last week ?</p> <p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> Illness or injury</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> Strike or lockout</p> <p>3. <input type="checkbox"/> Holiday, Ramzan, vacation or leave of absence</p> <p>4. <input type="checkbox"/> Off-season Inactivity</p> <p>5. <input type="checkbox"/> Due to bad weather</p> <p>6. <input type="checkbox"/> Due to mechanical breakdown</p> <p>7. <input type="checkbox"/> Due to shortage of raw material</p> <p>8. <input type="checkbox"/> Educational and training leave</p> <p>9. <input type="checkbox"/> Maternity or parental leave</p> <p>10. <input type="checkbox"/> Other reasons i.e. reductions in economic activity such as: lower production due to less demand; or shortage of irrigation water; or load shedding (gas or electricity) (specify) _____</p> <p>11. <input type="checkbox"/> Other voluntary or personal reason, e.g religious or social activities of attended political gathering, etc. (specify) _____</p> <p>12. <input type="checkbox"/> Other involuntary reasons (law and order situation, etc.) (Specify) _____</p>
<p>2. Even if ..... did not work last week for some reason, did ..... have a job or enterprise such as a shop, business, farm or service establishment (fixed or mobile)?</p> <p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> YES, a job. (Skip to Q. 4)</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> YES, an enterprise such as a shop, business, farm or service establishment (fixed or mobile) (Skip to 4)</p> <p>3. <input type="checkbox"/> NO, but plans to take a job within a month. (Skip to 21)</p> <p>4. <input type="checkbox"/> NO.</p>	
<p>3. Did ..... help to work for family gain in a family business or family farm during last week?</p> <p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. (Skip to 7)</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> No. (Skip to 26)</p>	<p>5. How long has ..... been continuously absent from that job or enterprise such as a shop, business, farm or service establishment (fixed or mobile)?</p> <p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> Less than a month give No. of day _____</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> A month or more</p>

<p>6. What kind of attachment does ..... have to that job or enterprise?</p> <p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> Own enterprise such as shop, business, farm or service establishment (fixed or mobile).</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> Payment for duration of absence.</p> <p>3. <input type="checkbox"/> Assurance of agreement on return to work.</p> <p>4. <input type="checkbox"/> Other form of attachment such as profit sharing, etc.</p>	<p>7. <input type="checkbox"/> Own account worker agriculture (Skip to Q.14)</p> <p>8. <input type="checkbox"/> Owner cultivator (Skip to Q.14)</p> <p>9. <input type="checkbox"/> Share cropper (Skip to Q.14)</p> <p>10. <input type="checkbox"/> Contract cultivator (Skip to Q.14)</p> <p>11. <input type="checkbox"/> Unpaid family worker agriculture (Skip to Q.14)</p> <p>12. <input type="checkbox"/> Unpaid family worker (Non – Agri.)</p> <p>13. <input type="checkbox"/> Other, such as a member of a producer’s cooperative, etc.</p>
<p>7. What was ..... main occupation, e.g. what was the nature of work that ..... did?</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>	<p>10. What kind of enterprise?</p> <p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> Federal Govt. (Skip to Q.14)</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> Provincial Govt. (Skip to Q.14)</p> <p>3. <input type="checkbox"/> Local body Govt. (Skip to Q.14)</p> <p>4. <input type="checkbox"/> Public enterprise (Corporation by act of national or provincial assembly) (Skip to Q.14)</p> <p>5. <input type="checkbox"/> Private limited company (Skip to Q.14)</p> <p>6. <input type="checkbox"/> Public limited company (Skip to Q.14)</p> <p>7. <input type="checkbox"/> Cooperative society (Skip to Q.14)</p> <p>8. <input type="checkbox"/> Individual ownership</p> <p>9. <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership</p> <p>10. <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____</p>
<p>8. What was the nature of work done by the enterprise such as shop, business, farm, service establishment (fixed or mobile), office/institution where ..... worked ?</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>	<p>11. Does the enterprise keep written accounts?</p> <p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>3. <input type="checkbox"/> Don’t know</p>
<p>9. What was ..... employment status? (Read all the options to the respondent)</p> <p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> Regular paid employee with fixed wage?</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> Casual paid employee</p> <p>3. <input type="checkbox"/> Paid worker by piece rate or work performed</p> <p>4. <input type="checkbox"/> Paid non-family apprentice</p> <p>5. <input type="checkbox"/> Employer</p> <p>6. <input type="checkbox"/> Own account worker – non-agriculture</p> <p>(Continued in next column)</p>	



## SECTION 6: UNDEREMPLOYMENT

19. Why did ..... work less than 35 hours during last week?

1.  Normally works the same number of hours
2.  Illness or injury
3.  Holiday, Ramzan, vacation or leave of absence
4.  Strike
5.  Mechanical or electrical breakdown
6.  Shortage of raw materials or fuel
7.  Lockout, lay-off
8.  Bad weather, off - season
9.  Other voluntary or personal reasons, e. g. religious or social activities or attended political gathering , etc. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Specify)
10.  Other Involuntary reasons law & order situation , etc. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Specify)
11.  Educational and training leave
12.  Maternity or parental leave
13.  Other i.e. reduction in economic activity such as: lower production due to less demand; or shortage of irrigation water; or load shedding (gas or electricity) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Specify)

20. Was .....available for additional work?

1.  YES
2.  NO

21. Did ..... seek any alternative work last week?

1.  YES
2.  NO

## SECTION 7: FOR PAID EMPLOYEES ONLY

For persons who were given codes 1 – 4 in Q.9.

For persons having codes 5 – 11 in Q.9,  
This interview is completed go to next person.

22. At ..... main work, what is the periodicity of payment?

1.  Daily
2.  Weekly
3.  Fortnightly (Skip to Q.24)
4.  Monthly (Skip to Q.24)
5.  Other periodicity: \_\_\_\_\_  
Specify
6.  Piece rate basis for service performed
7.  Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Specify)

23. How much money did ..... earn from the main work last week?

- Cash Rs. \_\_\_\_\_ (Skip to Q.25)
- Kind (including free or subsidised housing, transport etc. give market value) in Rs. \_\_\_\_\_ (Skip to Q.25)

24. How much money did ..... earn from the main work last month?

- Cash Rs. \_\_\_\_\_
- Kind (including free or subsidised housing, transport etc. give market value) in Rs. \_\_\_\_\_

25. How much money did ..... receive last year in bonuses? (i.e amount in addition to his usual pay, remuneration etc.)?. (whether annually, quarterly or adhoc basis, calculate for the year)

- Rs. \_\_\_\_\_
- None.

This interview is completed go to next person

## Section 8: UNEMPLOYMENT

26. Was ..... available for work during the last week?

(Read all the options and mark the appropriate one)

1.  Within this household only
2.  Within this village/town/city only
3.  Anywhere in this District
4.  Anywhere in this Province
5.  Anywhere in Pakistan
6.  Not available (Skip to Q.39)

31. What type of work would ..... be available for? (Read all the options to the respondent and mark the preferred one)

1.  Full – time paid employment with government
2.  Full – time paid employment with private business/ industry
3.  Part – time paid employment
4.  Self employment given the necessary resources & facilities
5.  Other type of employment such as on commission, contract employment, daily wages, etc.

28. When was the last time that ..... was seeking work?

1.  During the last week
2.  1 to 4 weeks ago
3.  1 to 2 months ago
4.  3 to 6 months ago
5.  7 to 12 months ago
6.  More than 1 year ago  
(Skip to Q.31)
7.  Never has sought work  
(Skip to Q.31)

29. How long has ..... been seeking work?

1.  less than a month
2.  1 to 2 months

(Continued in next column)

3.  3 to 6 months
4.  7 to 12 months
5.  more than 1 year

30. What steps has .... taken during the last year in search of work?  
(Read all options and mark all mentioned by the respondent, more than one answer acceptable )

1.  Applied to prospective employer
2.  Checked at worksites, farms, factories, markets, etc.
3.  Applied for permit or license to set up own enterprise such as a shop, business, farm, or service establishment (fixed or mobile)
4.  Looked for land, building, machinery or equipment for setting up own enterprise such as shop, business, farm, or service establishment (fixed or mobile)
5.  Sought assistance from friends or relatives
6.  Placed or answered advertisements
7.  Registered with Government employment agency
8.  Registered with private employment agency
9.  Arranged for financial resources
10.  Applied for loan/credit
11.  Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Specify)
12.  No specific step
13.  Unknown

31. Would ..... Be willing to

1.  Only work for wage or salary on locally prevailing terms consistent with qualifications and experience

or

2.  take any job on any terms or conditions?



32. Has ..... ever worked in

- a job or business
- a farm or by fishing
- other household economics activities (collecting wood, milling/ grinding food, etc.)

1.  Yes (Ask Q.33)

2.  No (This interview is completed go to the next person)

33. Did ..... work in the last 12 months?

1.  Yes

2.  No

34. What was ..... occupation, in other words, what was the nature of work ..... previously did?

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35. What was the nature of work done by the enterprise such as shop, business, farm, service establishment (fixed or mobile), office/institution where ..... Previously worked?

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36. For how many years has ..... been doing this sort of work?

1.  Less than one year

2.  One year but less than 5 years

3.  Five years but less than 10 years

4.  Ten years or more

37. What was .... employment status? (Read all the options to the respondent).

1.  Regular paid employee with fixed wage

2.  Casual paid employee

3.  Paid worker by piece rate or work performed

4.  Paid non-family apprentice

5.  Employer

6.  Own account worker non – agriculture

7.  Owner cultivator

8.  Share cropper

(Continued in next column)

9.  Contract cultivator

10.  Unpaid family worker

11.  Other, such as a member of a producer’s cooperative, etc.

38. What was the kind of enterprise?

1.  Federal Govt.

2.  Provincial Govt.

3.  Local body Govt.

4.  Public enterprise (Corporation by act of national or provincial assembly)

5.  Private limited company

6.  Public limited company

7.  Cooperative society

8.  Individual ownership

9.  Partnership

10.  Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

This interview is completed: go to next person

39. Why was ..... not available for work? (Read all the options to the respondent)

1.  Illness

2.  Will take a job within a month

3.  Temporally laid off

4.  Apprentice and not willing to work

5.  Student and not willing to work

6.  Housekeeping and not willing to work

7.  Retired and not willing to work

8.  Agricultural landlord/ property owner and not willing to work

9.  Too young to work

10.  Too old to work

11.  Unable to work/handicapped

12.  Other reason: \_\_\_\_\_ (Specify)

**SECTION : Persons 10 years and above with codes 6 or 12 in question 39**

<p><b>WORK ACTIVITY</b></p> <p>(First, ask all the questions listed below and tick '1' for each activity that the person was engaged in during the last week and '2' for each activity that the person did not engage in; second, for each '1' answer, go back and ask the number of hours worked during the last week.)</p>	1 = YES	For each <b>YES</b> , how many hours did ..... work last week?		
	2 = NO	Total Hours	own family	Other people for cash or payment in kind?
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
40. During the last week did ..... help or work in:				
1. Agricultural operations, such as ploughing, sowing, transplanting rice, picking cotton, collection of vegetables & fruit, harvesting crops, weeding fields?	<input type="checkbox"/>			
2. Processing food, namely milling, grinding, drying seeds, maize or rice husking? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>			
3. Livestock operations, such as meat, feeding and milking animals, churning milk, grassing, collection of cowdung and preparing dung cakes?	<input type="checkbox"/>			
4. Poultry raising, such as feeding poultry birds, collection & packing of eggs, giving injections or medicine to birds and preparation of feeds?	<input type="checkbox"/>			
5. Construction work, such as mud plaster of roofs and walls of house and godown, construction and repair of boundary walls, rooms, etc.?	<input type="checkbox"/>			
6. Collection of firewood or cotton sticks for use as fire wood for household consumption?.....	<input type="checkbox"/>			
7. Bringing water from outside to the house, taking food from house to farm ?	<input type="checkbox"/>			
8. Making clothes, sewing pieces of cloth or leather, knitting, embroidery, mat and rope making, ginning, spinning and weaving ?	<input type="checkbox"/>			
9. Shopping and marketing ?	<input type="checkbox"/>			
10. Washing, mending or pressing clothes ?	<input type="checkbox"/>			
11. Caring for children or health care of ill persons?	<input type="checkbox"/>			
12. Helping children do homework or other educating activities ?	<input type="checkbox"/>			
13. Cleaning and arranging the house ?	<input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Other activities which produce goods or services at home which are generally available in the market?	<input type="checkbox"/>			
<b>Specify:</b> _____				
41. Occupation				<input type="checkbox"/>
42. Industry				<input type="checkbox"/>
43. Employment Status				<input type="checkbox"/>
44. Number of hours worked				<input type="checkbox"/>

**This interview is completed: go to the next person.**

