



Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

**ASER-URBAN
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1. How many divisions did you cover for Urban ASER 2023

ASER covered 31 division in 4 provinces in 2023.

2. In those divisions how many districts were covered by districts in each division?

Overall, 120 districts were covered. Below table show all the list of districts covered in each division. The list is provided by PBS.

ASER URBAN 2023 (PBS Sampling)			
BALUCHISTAN	KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA	PUNJAB	SINDH
<i>Kalat Division</i>	<i>Bannu Division</i>	<i>Bahawalpur Division</i>	<i>Hyderabad Division</i>
<i>Awaran</i>	<i>Bannu</i>	<i>Bahawalnagar</i>	<i>Badin</i>
<i>Kalat</i>	<i>Lakki Marwat</i>	<i>Bahawalpur</i>	<i>Dadu</i>
<i>Khuzdar</i>	<i>North Waziristan</i>	<i>Rahim Yar Khan</i>	<i>Hyderabad</i>
<i>Lasbela</i>	<i>Dera Ismail Khan Division</i>	<i>Dera Ghazi Khan Division</i>	<i>Jamshoro</i>
<i>Surab</i>	<i>Dera Ismail Khan</i>	<i>Dera Ghazi Khan</i>	<i>Matiari</i>
<i>Loralai Division</i>	<i>Tank</i>	<i>Layyah</i>	<i>Sujawal</i>
<i>Barkhan</i>	<i>Hazara Division</i>	<i>Muzaffargarh</i>	<i>Tando Allahyar</i>
<i>Duki</i>	<i>Abbottab</i>	<i>Rajanpur</i>	<i>Tando Muhammad Khan</i>
<i>Loralai</i>	<i>Haripur</i>	<i>Faisalabad Division</i>	<i>Thatta</i>
<i>Musakhel</i>	<i>Mansehra</i>	<i>Chiniot</i>	<i>Karachi Division</i>
<i>Mekran Division</i>	<i>Kohat Division</i>	<i>Faisalabad</i>	<i>Karachi Central</i>
<i>Gwadar</i>	<i>Hangu</i>	<i>Jhang</i>	<i>Karachi East</i>
<i>Kech</i>	<i>Karak</i>	<i>Toba Tek Singh</i>	<i>Karachi South</i>
<i>Panjugur</i>	<i>Kohat</i>	<i>Gujranwala Division</i>	<i>Karachi West</i>
<i>Nasirabad Division</i>	<i>Kurram</i>	<i>Gujranwala</i>	<i>Keamari</i>
<i>Jaffarabad</i>	<i>Malakand Division</i>	<i>Gujrat</i>	<i>Korangi</i>
<i>Jhal Magsi</i>	<i>Lower Chitral</i>	<i>Hafizabad</i>	<i>Malir</i>
<i>Kachhi</i>	<i>Lower Dir</i>	<i>Mandi Bahauddin</i>	<i>Larkana Division</i>
<i>Nasirabad</i>	<i>Malakand</i>	<i>Narowal</i>	<i>Jacobabad</i>
<i>Sohbatpur</i>	<i>Swat</i>	<i>Sialkot</i>	<i>Kambar Shahdad Kot</i>
<i>Quetta Division</i>	<i>Upper Dir</i>	<i>Lahore Division</i>	<i>Kashmore</i>
<i>Chaman</i>	<i>Mardan Division</i>	<i>Kasur</i>	<i>Larkana</i>
<i>Killa Abdullah</i>	<i>Mardan</i>	<i>Lahore</i>	<i>Shikarpur</i>
<i>Pishin</i>	<i>Swabi District</i>	<i>Nankana Sahib</i>	<i>Mirpur Khas Division</i>
<i>Quetta</i>	<i>Peshawar Division</i>	<i>Sheikhupura</i>	<i>Mirpur Khas</i>
<i>Rakhshan Division</i>	<i>Charsadda</i>	<i>Multan Division</i>	<i>Tharparkar</i>
<i>Chagai</i>	<i>Khyber</i>	<i>Khanewal</i>	<i>Umer Kot</i>
<i>Kharan</i>	<i>Nowshera</i>	<i>Lodhran</i>	<i>Shaheed Benazirabad Division</i>
<i>Nushki</i>	<i>Peshawar</i>	<i>Multan</i>	<i>Naushahro Feroze</i>
<i>Washuk</i>		<i>Vehari</i>	<i>Sanghar</i>
<i>Sibi Division</i>		<i>Rawalpindi Division</i>	<i>Shaheed Benazirabad</i>
<i>Dera Bugti</i>		<i>Attock</i>	<i>Sukkur Division</i>
<i>Harnai</i>		<i>Rawalpindi</i>	<i>Ghotki</i>
<i>Kohlu</i>		<i>Sahiwal Division</i>	<i>Khairpur</i>
<i>Sibi</i>		<i>Okara</i>	<i>Sukkur</i>

Ziarat		Pakpattan	
Zhob Division		Sahiwal	
Killa Saifullah		Sargodha Division	
Zhob		Bhakkar	
		Khushab	
		Mianwali	
		Sargodha	

3. In those districts how many HHs were covered by each district?

Overall, 22,875 HHs were covered in Urban ASER. Following table shows district wise households.

Districts	Number of households	Districts	Number of households
Abbottabad District	300	Larkana District	240
Attock District	100	Lasbela District	240
Awaran District	80	Layyah District	100
Badin District	80	Lodhran District	59
Bahawalnagar District	160	Loralai District	379
Bahawalpur District	280	Lower Chitral District	60
Bannu District	260	Lower Dir District	40
Barkhan District	60	Malakand	40
Bhakkar District	80	Malir District	120
Chagai District	80	Mandi Bahauddin District	40
Chaman District	60	Mansehra District	140
Charsadda District	100	Mardan District	360
Chiniot District	60	Matiari District	40
Dadu District	80	Mianwali District	80
Dera Bugti District	200	Mirpur Khas District	319
Dera Ghazi Khan District	160	Multan District	480
Dera Ismail Khan District	540	Musakhel District	100
Duki District	60	Muzaffargarh District	200
Faisalabad District	620	Nankana Sahib District	40
Ghotki District	140	Narowal District	40
Gujranwala District	380	Nasirabad District	180
Gujrat District	200	Naushahro Feroze District	159
Gwadar District	220	North Waziristan District	40
Hafizabad District	60	Nowshera District	120
Hangu District	120	Nushki District	160
Haripur District	160	Okara District	280
Harnai District	80	Pakpattan District	140
Hyderabad District	400	Panjgur District	40
Islamabad District	637	Peshawar District	560
Jacobabad District	120	Pishin District	120
Jaffarabad District	240	Quetta District	799
Jamshoro District	60	Rahim Yar Khan District	220
Jhal Magsi District	40	Rajanpur District	140

<i>Jhang District</i>	140	<i>Rawalpindi District</i>	614
<i>Kachhi District</i>	100	<i>Sahiwal District</i>	180
<i>Kalat District</i>	40	<i>Sanghar District</i>	220
<i>Kambar Shahdad Kot District</i>	160	<i>Sargodha District</i>	340
<i>Karachi Central District</i>	397	<i>Shaheed Benazirabad District</i>	218
<i>Karachi East District</i>	420	<i>Sheikhupura District</i>	140
<i>Karachi South District</i>	260	<i>Shikarpur District</i>	100
<i>Karachi West District</i>	220	<i>Sialkot District</i>	180
<i>Karak District</i>	60	<i>Sibi District</i>	160
<i>Kashmore District</i>	119	<i>Sohbatpur District</i>	40
<i>Kasur District</i>	120	<i>Sujawal District</i>	40
<i>Keamari District</i>	180	<i>Sukkur District</i>	280
<i>Kech District</i>	337	<i>Surab District</i>	40
<i>Khairpur District</i>	300	<i>Swabi District</i>	240
<i>Khanewal District</i>	140	<i>Swat District</i>	480
<i>Kharan District</i>	220	<i>Tando Allahyar District</i>	40
<i>Khushab District</i>	100	<i>Tando Muhammad Khan District</i>	40
<i>Khuzdar District</i>	220	<i>Tank District</i>	60
<i>Khyber District</i>	40	<i>Tharparkar District</i>	120
<i>Killa Abdullah District</i>	40	<i>Thatta District</i>	40
<i>Killa Saifullah District</i>	340	<i>Toba Tek Singh District</i>	80
<i>Kohat District</i>	379	<i>Umer Kot District</i>	160
<i>Kohlu District</i>	40	<i>Upper Dir District</i>	40
<i>Korangi District</i>	280	<i>Vehari District</i>	140
<i>Kurram District</i>	40	<i>Washuk District</i>	140
<i>Lahore District</i>	1079	<i>Zhob District</i>	260
<i>Lakki Marwat District</i>	300	<i>Ziarat District</i>	120
Grand Total		22875	

4. Why results can't be calculated at district level in ASER Urban?

Pakistan Bureau of Statistics (PBS) has developed its own sampling frame for urban domains. Each city/town is divided into enumeration blocks. Each enumeration block comprises of 200 to 250 households on average with well-defined boundaries and maps. The frame used in this survey was the most recent frame, updated through Population and Housing Census 2017. PBS has estimated/calculated sample size of 1154 from sampling frame based on the Population and Housing Census 2017 census on 31 divisions (Urban Part) of Pakistan. Raising sampling weights will be computed. The weighted survey estimates will only be representative at the urban level, specifically 31 divisions, four provinces, and Pakistan Urban level.

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