

## 19.2 Newspapers and Periodicals by Language and Province

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Language	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
<b>PAKISTAN</b>					
TOTAL	1279	1997	1464	1820	1199
Arabic	4	5	3	5	..
Brahvi	2	2	3	3	3
Balochi	13	17	8	8	8
Bi-trilingual	..	..	1	..	..
English	223	290	133	252	100
Gujrati	13	15	3	1	..
Persian	..	..	..	..	..
Punjabi	2	8	5	7	6
Pushto	14	35	34	33	14
Saraiki	4	4	1	1	1
Sindhi	58	81	35	12	22
Urdu	895	1533	1236	1490	1042
Others	51	7	2	8	3
Language	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
TOTAL	706	952	749	646	619
Arabic	..	2	..	1	..
Brahvi	4	4	4	4	4
Balochi	12	13	12	12	12
Bi-trilingual	..	..	..	..	..
English	56	84	67	68	67
Gujrati	..	..	..	..	..
Persian	..	..	..	..	..
Punjabi	..	2	7	2	1
Pushto	18	17	17	17	15
Saraiki	..	5	..	..	..
Sindhi	16	26	17	21	17
Urdu	600	761	594	487	474
Others	..	38	31	34	29
Language	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
<b>PUNJAB</b>					
TOTAL	361	364	316	513	422
Arabic	..	..	2	..	..
Brahvi	..	..	..	..	..
Balochi	..	..	..	..	..
Bi-trilingual	..	..	..	..	..
English	27	64	40	134	37
Gujrati	..	..	..	..	..
Persian	..	..	..	..	..
Punjabi	..	6	5	7	6
Pushto	3	..	..	..	..
Saraiki	..	..	..	..	..
Sindhi	..	1	..	..	..
Urdu	280	293	268	368	377
Others	51	..	1	4	2
Language	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
TOTAL	20	206	178	152	116
Arabic	..	..	..	..	..
Brahvi	..	..	..	..	..
Balochi	..	..	..	..	..
Bi-trilingual	..	..	..	..	..
English	3	20	14	11	4
Gujrati	..	..	..	..	..
Persian	..	..	..	..	..
Punjabi	..	2	7	2	1
Pushto	..	..	..	..	..
Saraiki	..	4	..	..	..
Sindhi	..	..	..	..	..
Urdu	17	142	126	105	82
Others	..	38	31	34	29

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Language	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	
<b>SINDH</b>						
TOTAL	622	685	116	256	276	
Arabic	4	5	1	5	..	
Brahvi	..	..	..	..	..	
Balochi	1	1	..	..	..	
Bi-trilingual	..	..	1	..	..	
English	178	185	45	62	36	
Gujrati	13	15	3	1	..	
Persian	..	..	..	..	..	
Punjabi	2	2	..	..	..	
Pushto	1	1	1	..	2	
Saraiki	4	4	1	1	1	
Sindhi	58	80	35	12	22	
Urdu	361	385	28	171	214	
Others	..	7	1	4	1	
Language	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	
TOTAL	136	181	107	75	74	
Arabic	..	2	..	1	..	
Brahvi	..	..	..	..	..	
Balochi	..	1	..	..	..	
Bi-trilingual	..	..	..	..	..	
English	15	26	14	14	20	
Gujrati	..	..	..	..	..	
Persian	..	..	..	..	..	
Punjabi	..	..	..	..	..	
Pushto	..	..	..	..	..	
Saraiki	..	1	..	..	..	
Sindhi	16	26	17	21	17	
Urdu	105	125	76	39	37	
Others	..	..	..	..	..	
Language	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	
<b>KHYBER PAKHTOON KHWA</b>						
TOTAL	102	709	728	747	48	
Arabic	..	..	..	..	..	
Brahvi	..	..	..	..	..	
Balochi	..	..	..	..	..	
Bi-trilingual	..	..	..	..	..	
English	4	25	26	34	5	
Gujrati	..	..	..	..	..	
Persian	..	..	..	..	..	
Punjabi	..	..	..	..	..	
Pushto	2	22	25	25	4	
Saraiki	..	..	..	..	..	
Sindhi	..	..	..	..	..	
Urdu	96	662	677	688	39	
Others	..	..	..	..	..	
Language	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	
TOTAL	69	83	99	79	83	
Arabic	..	..	..	..	..	
Brahvi	..	..	..	..	..	
Balochi	..	..	..	..	..	
Bi-trilingual	..	..	..	..	..	
English	10	10	11	15	15	
Gujrati	..	..	..	..	..	
Persian	..	..	..	..	..	
Punjabi	..	..	..	..	..	
Pushto	6	5	5	5	3	
Saraiki	..	..	..	..	..	
Sindhi	..	..	..	..	..	
Urdu	53	68	83	59	65	
Others	..	..	..	..	..	

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Language	(Numbers)				
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
<b>Balochistan</b>					
TOTAL	194	239	304	304	453
Arabic	..	..	..	..	..
Brahvi	2	2	3	3	3
Balochi	12	16	8	8	8
Bi-trilingual	..	..	..	..	..
English	14	16	22	22	22
Gujrati	..	..	..	..	..
Persian	..	..	..	..	..
Punjabi	..	..	..	..	..
Pushto	8	12	8	8	8
Saraiki	..	..	..	..	..
Sindhi	..	..	..	..	..
Urdu	158	193	263	263	412
Others	--	--	--	--	--

Language	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
TOTAL	481	482	365	340	346
Arabic	..	..	..	..	..
Brahvi	4	4	4	4	4
Balochi	12	12	12	12	12
Bi-trilingual	..	..	..	..	..
English	28	28	28	28	28
Gujrati	..	..	..	..	..
Persian	..	..	..	..	..
Punjabi	..	..	..	..	..
Pushto	12	12	12	12	12
Saraiki	..	..	..	..	..
Sindhi	..	..	..	..	..
Urdu	425	426	309	284	290
Others	..	..	--	..	..

Source: Provincial Public Relation Departments.