

# LABOUR

## 12.4 Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons by Occupational Groups

Major occupational groups	1999-00	2001-02	2003-04	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
<b>Pakistan</b>						
<b>Total</b>	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Legislators, Senior Officials and Managers	11.00	11.56	11.48	11.98	12.31	12.70
Professionals	2.21	2.08	1.98	1.67	1.64	1.47
Technicians and Associate Professionals	4.17	4.74	4.88	5.09	4.99	5.31
Clerks	1.56	1.71	1.64	1.43	1.44	1.64
Service Workers and Shop and Market Sales Workers	4.58	5.67	5.16	5.37	5.58	4.90
Skilled Agricultural and Fishery Workers	40.03	34.69	34.92	35.31	36.36	37.36
Craft and related Trades Workers	15.05	16.20	15.88	15.76	15.30	15.20
Plant and Machine Operators and Assemblers	3.28	3.92	3.75	4.16	4.08	4.04
Elementary (unskilled) occupations	18.13	19.44	20.32	19.23	18.30	17.38
<b>Rural</b>						
<b>Total</b>	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.02
Legislators, Senior Officials and Managers	6.40	7.48	7.12	7.69	7.71	7.88
Professionals	1.35	1.24	1.16	0.89	0.95	0.76
Technicians and Associate Professionals	2.97	3.48	3.27	3.62	3.44	3.89
Clerks	0.67	0.87	0.79	0.63	0.80	0.77
Service Workers and Shop and Market Sales Workers	3.00	3.66	3.31	3.57	3.48	3.13
Skilled Agricultural and Fishery Workers	54.46	48.47	48.83	48.59	49.91	50.88
Craft and related Trades Workers	9.62	11.10	11.04	11.10	11.10	10.81
Plant and Machine Operators and Assemblers	2.44	3.33	2.94	3.35	3.17	3.26
Elementary (unskilled) occupations	19.08	20.38	21.54	20.56	19.44	18.64
<b>Urban</b>						
<b>Total</b>	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Legislators, Senior Officials and Managers	22.26	20.45	20.99	21.63	22.77	24.09
Professionals	4.31	3.90	3.77	3.40	3.22	3.15
Technicians and Associate Professionals	7.12	7.47	8.41	8.38	8.52	8.64
Clerks	3.74	3.55	3.50	3.25	2.88	3.70
Service Workers and Shop and Market Sales Workers	8.43	10.04	9.19	9.40	10.36	9.09
Skilled Agricultural and Fishery Workers	4.65	4.64	4.53	5.50	5.51	5.45
Craft and related Trades Workers	28.35	27.34	26.44	26.22	24.87	25.57
Plant and Machine Operators and Assemblers	5.33	5.21	5.51	5.97	6.16	5.88
Elementary (unskilled) occupations	15.81	17.39	17.66	16.25	15.71	14.43

Note: i) Total may not add to 100 due to rounding effect.  
ii) Survey was not conducted in 1998-99, 2000-01, 2002-03 & 2004-05.

Source: Labour Force Surveys of the respective year.