

### 12.4 Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons by Occupational Groups

Major occupational groups	2001-02	2003-04	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
<b>Pakistan</b>						
<b>Total</b>	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Legislators, Senior Officials and Managers	11.56	11.48	11.98	12.31	12.70	12.38
Professionals	2.08	1.98	1.67	1.64	1.47	1.73
Technicians and Associate Professionals	4.74	4.88	5.09	4.99	5.31	5.39
Clerks	1.71	1.64	1.43	1.44	1.64	1.36
Service Workers and Shop and Market Sales Workers	5.67	5.16	5.37	5.58	4.90	4.88
Skilled Agricultural and Fishery Workers	34.69	34.92	35.31	36.36	37.36	37.61
Craft and related Trades Workers	16.20	15.88	15.76	15.30	15.20	14.47
Plant and Machine Operators and Assemblers	3.92	3.75	4.16	4.08	4.04	4.09
Elementary (unskilled) occupations	19.44	20.32	19.23	18.30	17.38	18.09
<b>Rural</b>						
<b>Total</b>	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Legislators, Senior Officials and Managers	7.48	7.12	7.69	7.71	7.88	7.27
Professionals	1.24	1.16	0.89	0.95	0.76	0.84
Technicians and Associate Professionals	3.48	3.27	3.62	3.44	3.89	3.75
Clerks	0.87	0.79	0.63	0.80	0.77	0.65
Service Workers and Shop and Market Sales Workers	3.66	3.31	3.57	3.48	3.13	3.14
Skilled Agricultural and Fishery Workers	48.47	48.83	48.59	49.91	50.88	51.58
Craft and related Trades Workers	11.10	11.04	11.10	11.10	10.81	10.37
Plant and Machine Operators and Assemblers	3.33	2.94	3.35	3.17	3.26	3.53
Elementary (unskilled) occupations	20.38	21.54	20.56	19.44	18.64	18.89
<b>Urban</b>						
<b>Total</b>	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Legislators, Senior Officials and Managers	20.45	20.99	21.63	22.77	24.09	24.30
Professionals	3.90	3.77	3.40	3.22	3.15	3.82
Technicians and Associate Professionals	7.47	8.41	8.38	8.52	8.64	9.22
Clerks	3.55	3.50	3.25	2.88	3.70	3.02
Service Workers and Shop and Market Sales Workers	10.04	9.19	9.40	10.36	9.09	8.94
Skilled Agricultural and Fishery Workers	4.64	4.53	5.50	5.51	5.45	5.06
Craft and related Trades Workers	27.34	26.44	26.22	24.87	25.57	24.02
Plant and Machine Operators and Assemblers	5.21	5.51	5.97	6.16	5.88	5.40
Elementary (unskilled) occupations	17.39	17.66	16.25	15.71	14.43	16.23

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.