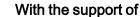


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Acute Food Insecurity Situation in Sindh

Results of IPC Food Insecurity Analysis for Jamshoro, Sanghar, Umerkot and Tharparkar Districts of Sindh







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OBJECTIVES OF IPC ACUTE FOOD INSECURITY ANALYSIS

- Assess the acute food insecurity situation in 4 drought prone districts in Sindh (Jamshoro, Sanghar, Tharparkar and Umerkot)
- **Classify areas** based on the prevalence of acute food insecurity
- Identify major contributing factors to acute food insecurity
- Indicate implications for response planning



METHODOLOGY OF ANALYSIS

- Due to absence of recent secondary data for acute analysis, primary data was collected through Livelihood and Food Security Assessment (LFSA) during April/May 2017
- Training on tool of LFSA from April 20-22, 2017
- Data collection by experienced field staff of member organization of FSWG including Bureau of Statistics (BoS)-Sindh from April 23 to May 06, 2017
- District teams supervised by experienced staff of BoS-Sindh
- Monitoring of data collection by staff of BoS-Sindh, FAO and WFP
- Data entry led by staff of FAO
- Data analysis by data analysts of IPC RSU, FAO, WFP and BoS
- Training on IPC Acute Analysis from May 18-21, 2017
- IPC Acute Analysis workshop from May 22-24, 2017
- IPC Acute Analysis Report reviewed by IPC Regional and Global Support Unit
- Presentation of the IPC Acute findings presentation of results to different government and non-government workshops



INDICATORS USED IN IPC ACUTE FOOD INSECURITY ANALYSIS

- **Food consumption**-food consumption score, sources of food, minimum dietary diversity
- Expenditure on food
- Iodized salt consumption
- No. of meals eaten yesterday
- Household hunger score
- Child feeding- minimum dietary diversity, minimum meals frequency
- **Health and Nutrition-** Nutritional status (GAM status) of under 5 children, Nutritional status of PLW, prevalence of disability, distance to health facility, problems in accessing health care
- Assets- ownership of physical and productive assets
- Land- ownership and cultivation, sufficiency of own produced cereals, water availability for agriculture
- Livestock- ownership, deaths, sale
- Income quintiles
- Sources of Livelihood- agriculture, non-agriculture, sustainable, unsustainable
- Reduced coping strategies (rCSI)
- Livelihood coping strategies
- **Debt-** source, reasons, outstanding amount
- Migration
- Water- Access to improved sources of water, time to collect water, quality measures to improve water,
- Sanitation- Access to improved sanitation
- Exposure to natural shocks/hazards (flood, drought etc)
- **Housing**-ownership status, # of rooms, cooking fuel, access to electricity
- Assistance received



DATA SOURCES

- Livelihood and Food Security Assessment (LFSA) 2017
- SMART Survey (Jamshoro, Tharparkar)
- National Institute of Population Studies (NIPS)
- Crop Production
- Livestock Production
- Food Stocks
- Prices



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KEY HIGHLIGHTS

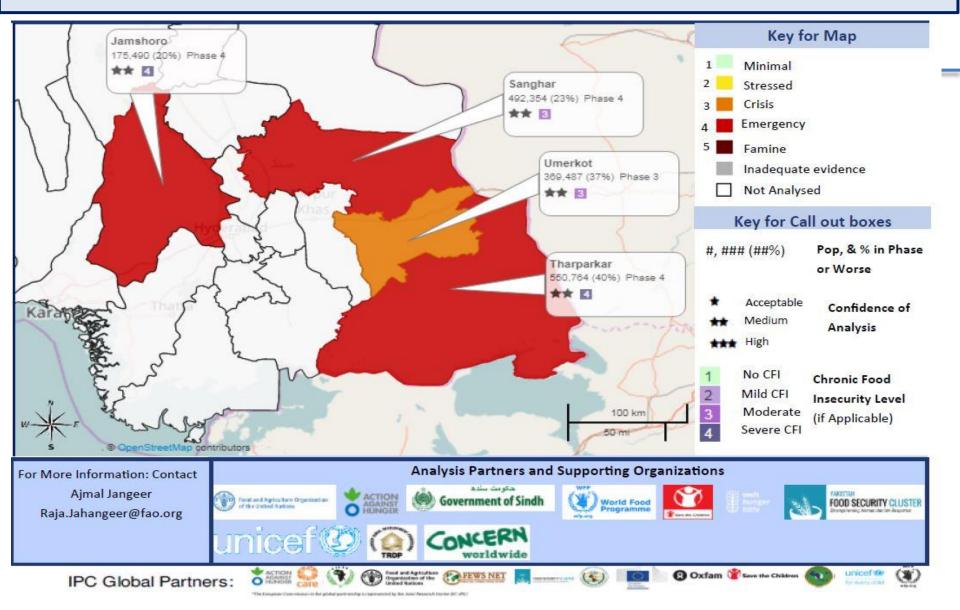
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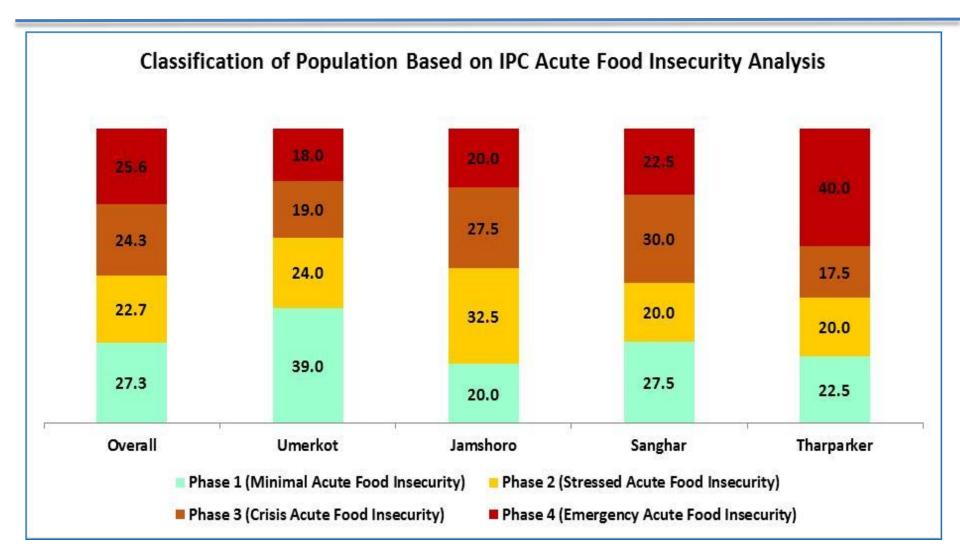
- 26% is estimated to be in Phase 4 (Emergency Acute Food Insecurity)
- 24% in Phase 3 (Crisis Acute Food Insecurity)
- 23% in Phase 2 (Stressed Acute Food Insecurity) and
- 27% in Phase 1 (Minimal Acute Food Insecurity)

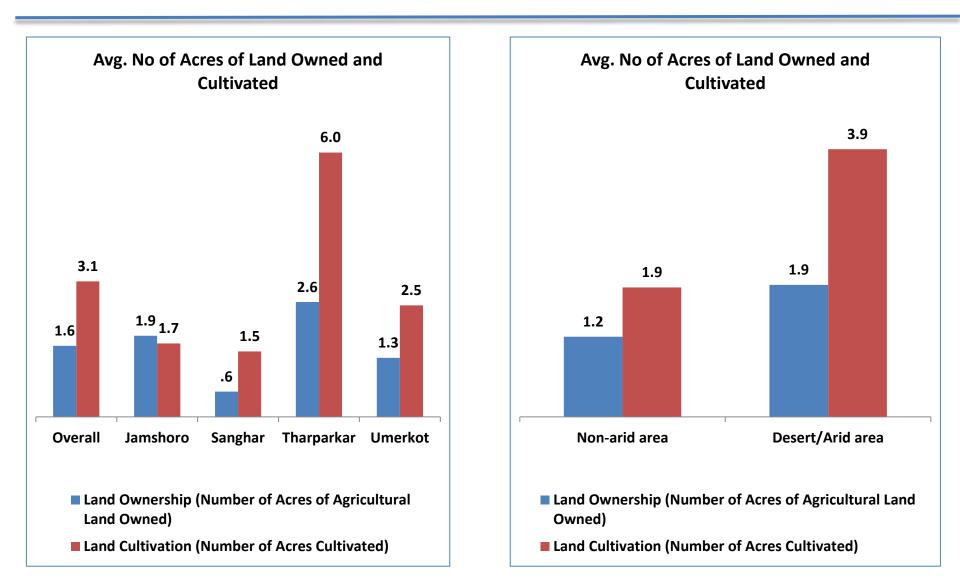
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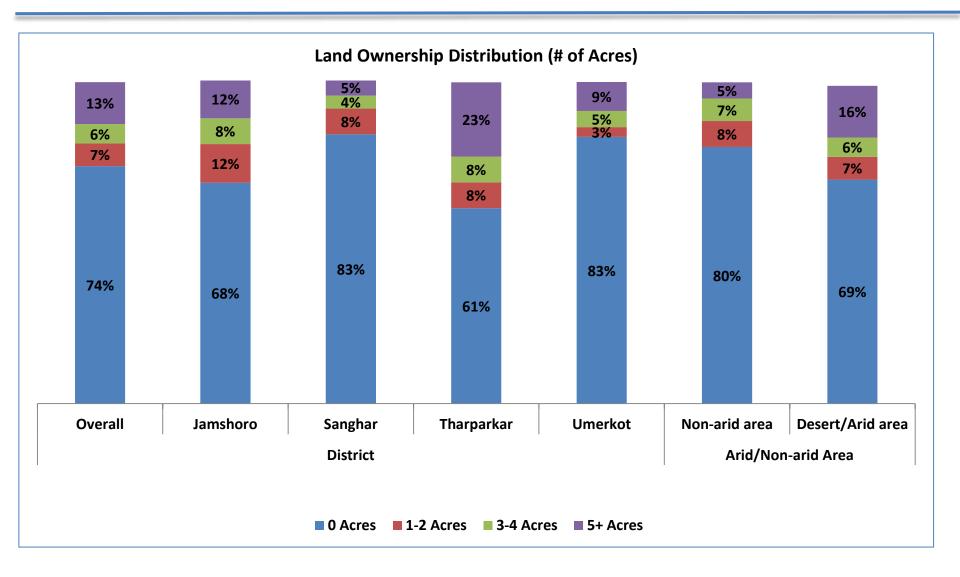
- 3 (Tharparkar, Jamshoro, and Sanghar) are classified as Phase 4 or Emergency Phase, because based on the analysis of outcome and contributing factors, 20% or more population in these district was in Phase 4.
- > 1 district (Umerkot) is classified in Phase 3 or Crisis

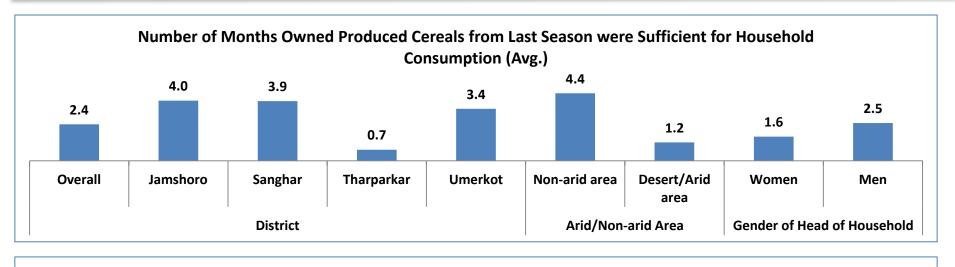
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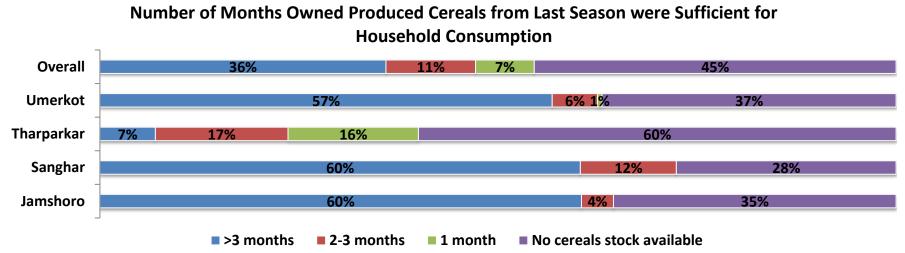


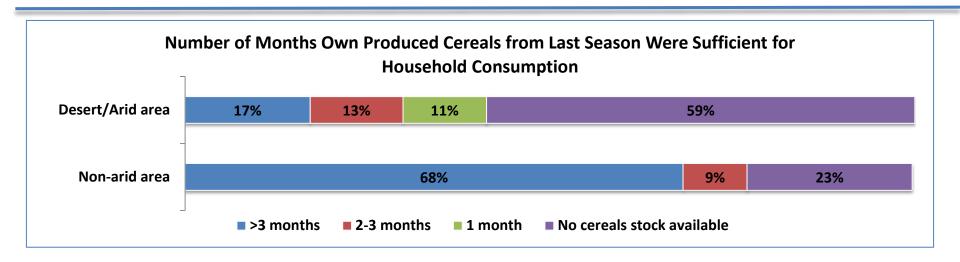


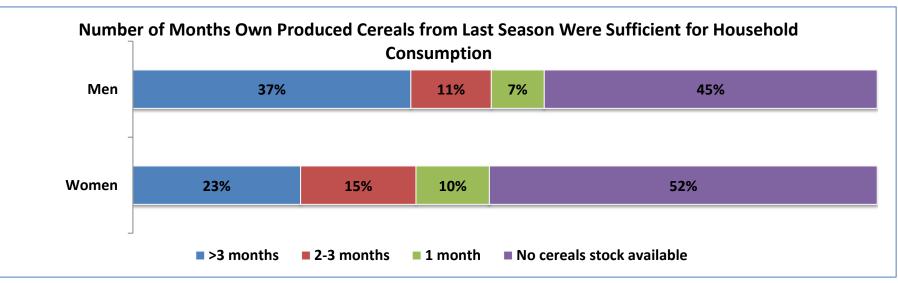


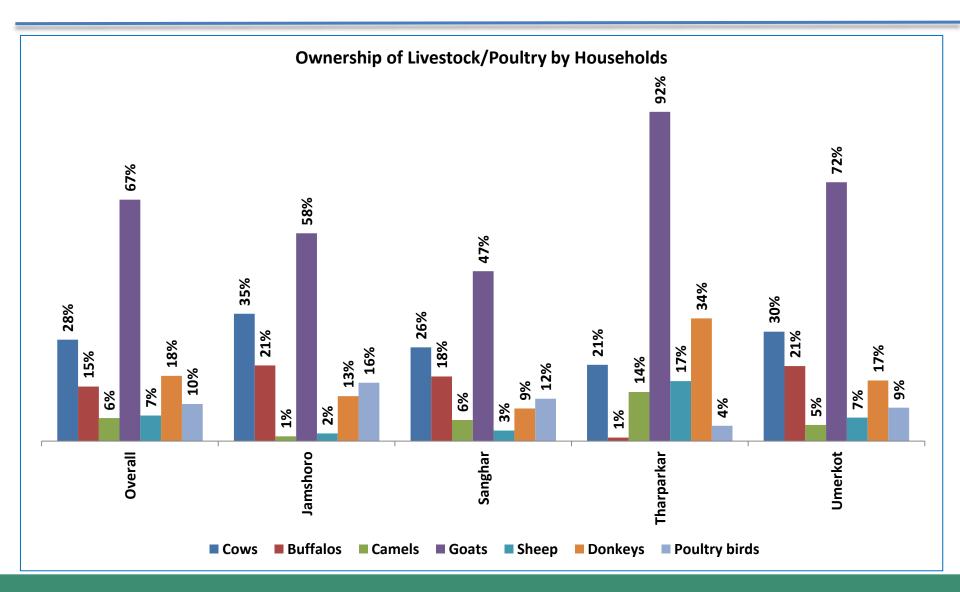


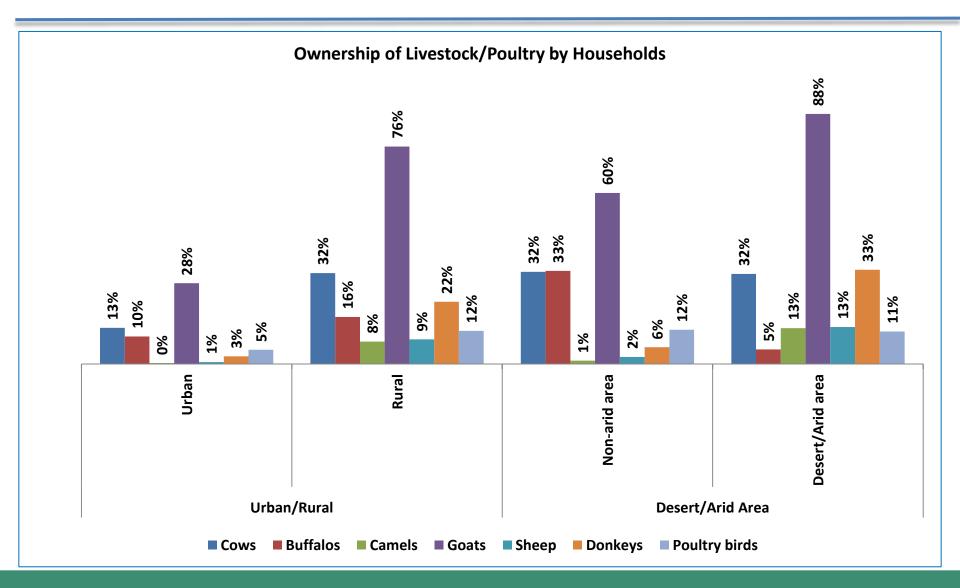


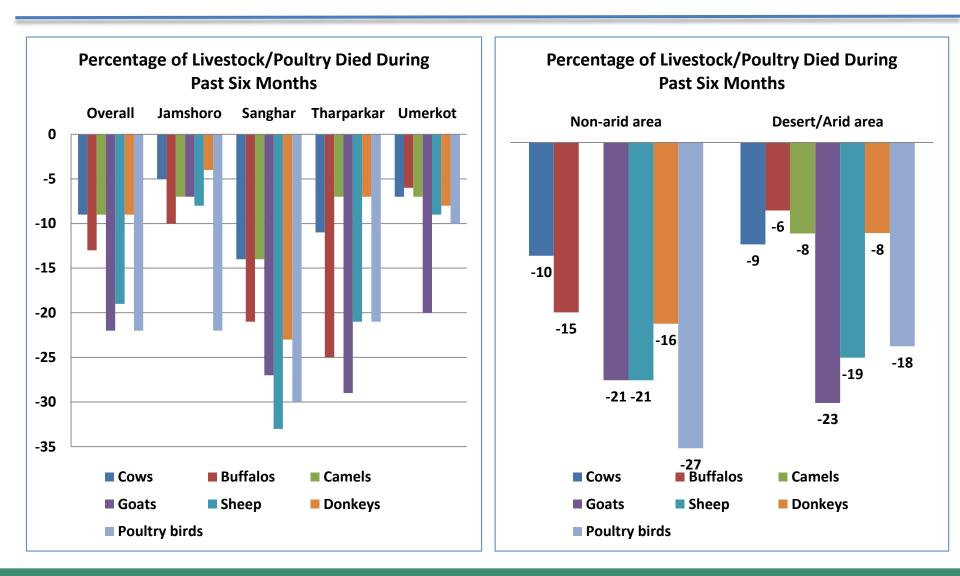


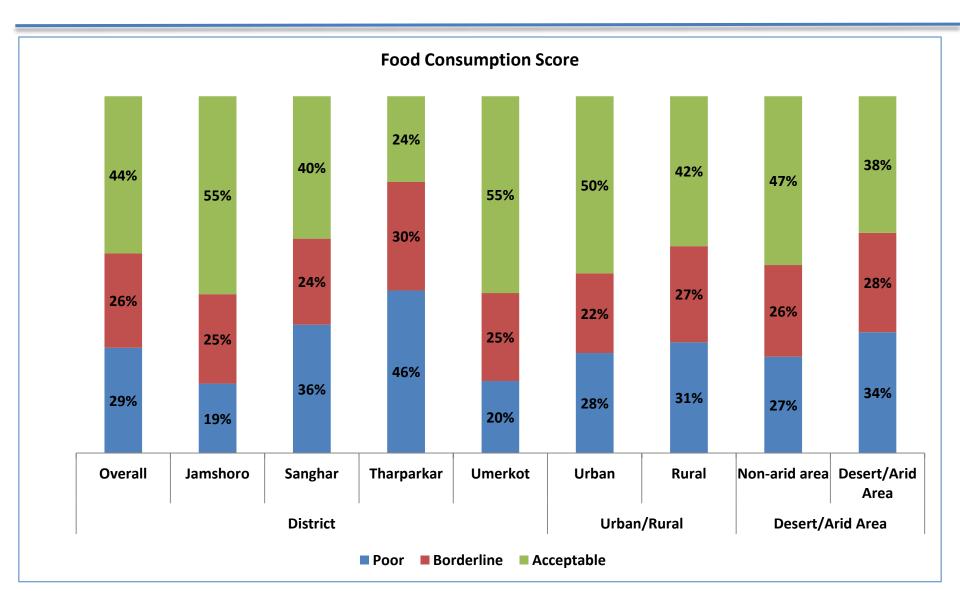


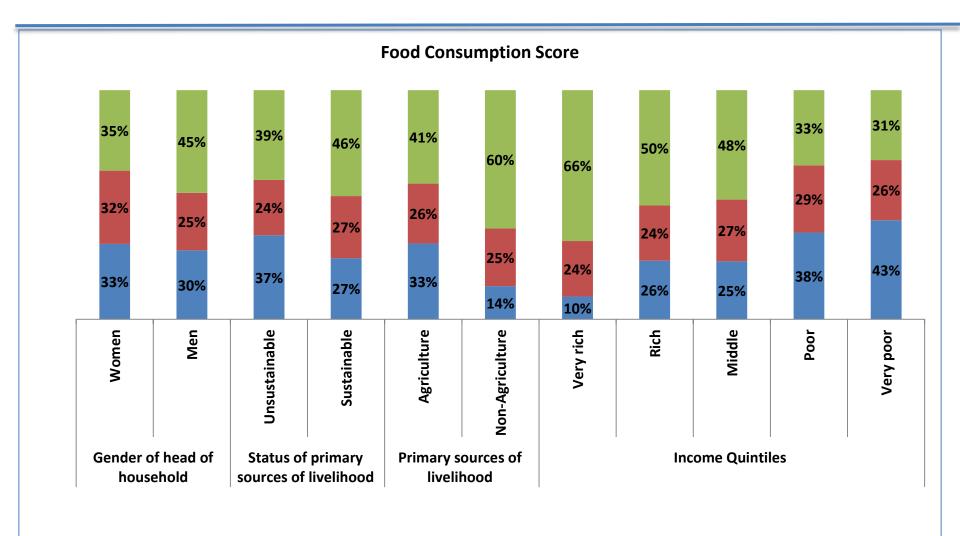


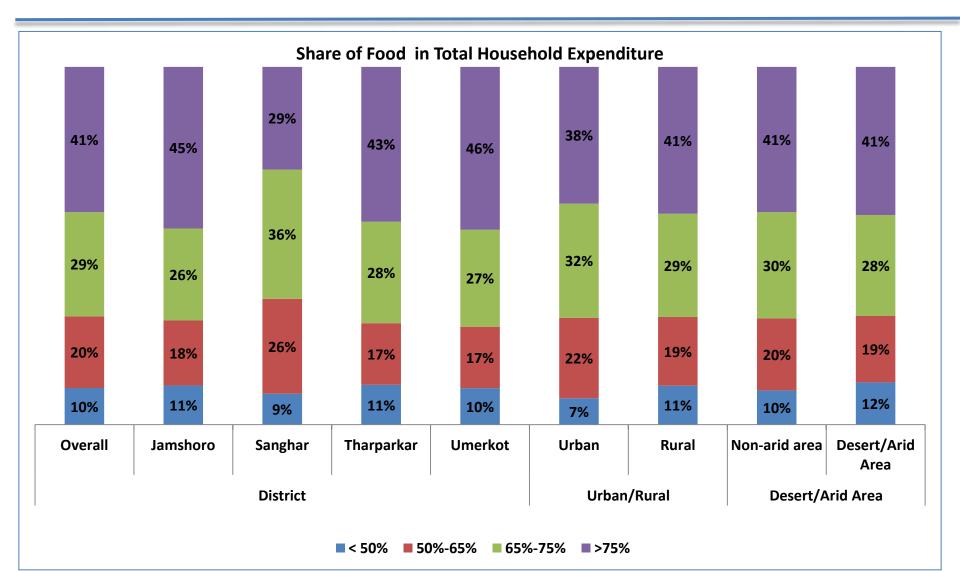




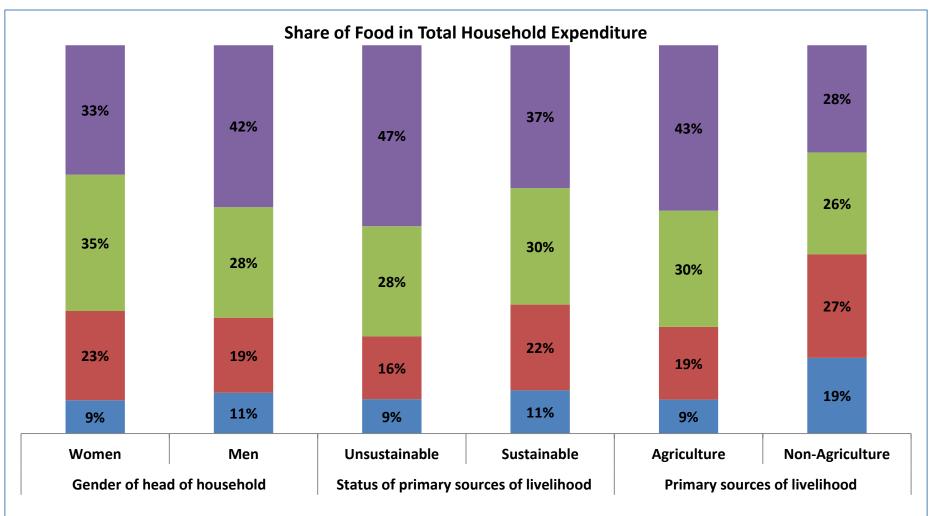




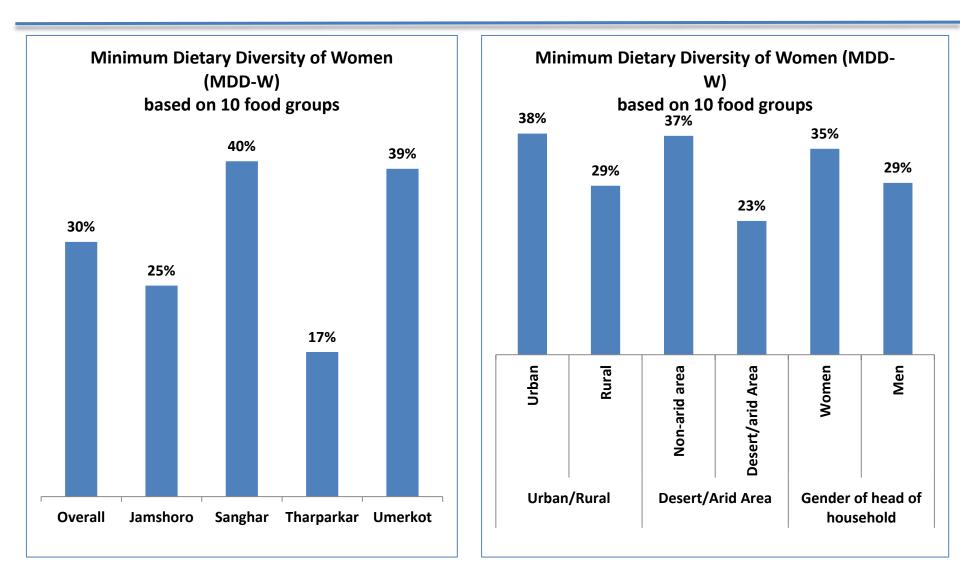


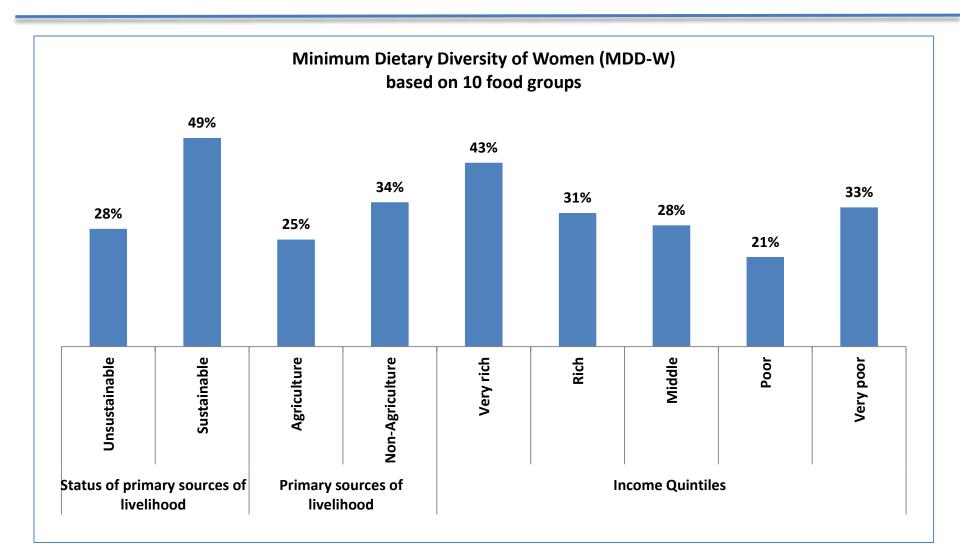


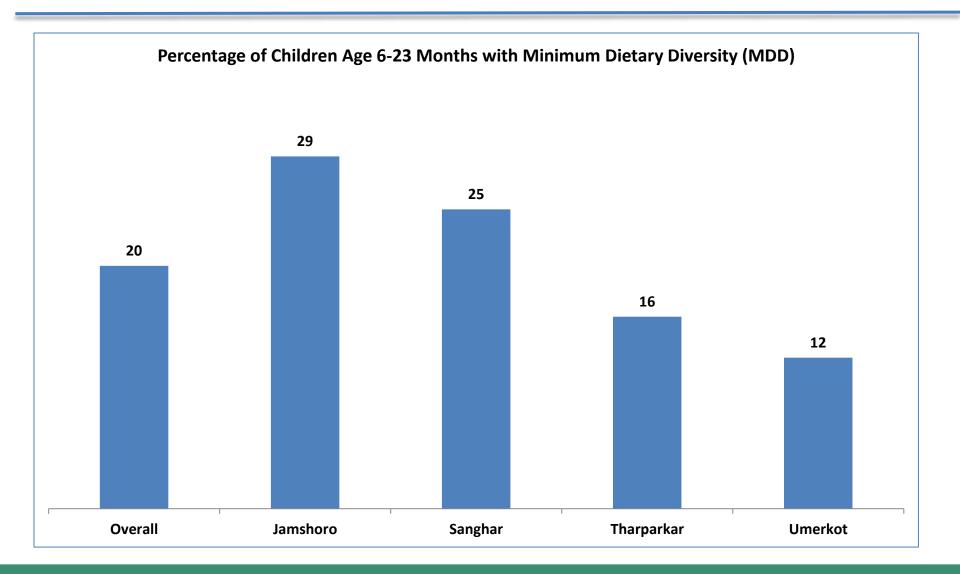
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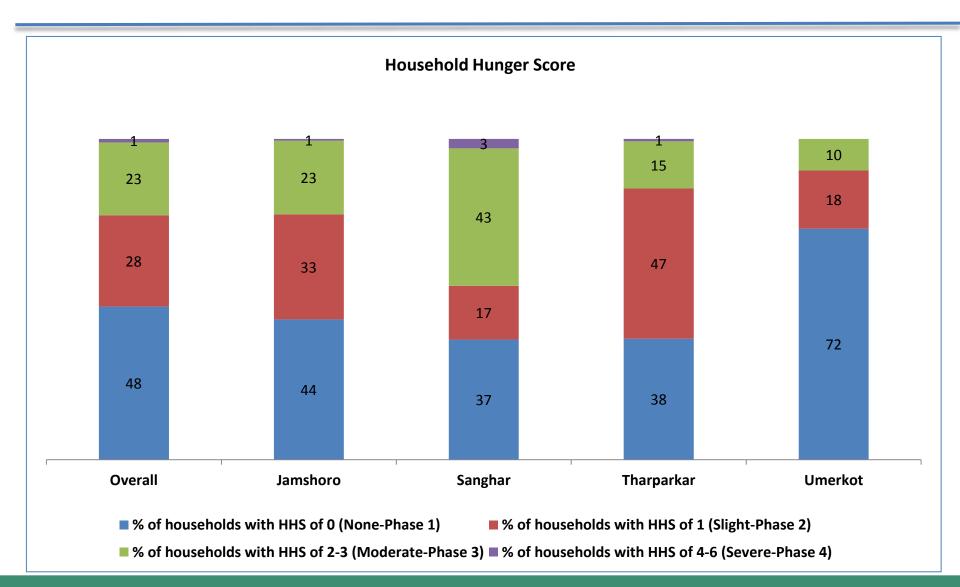


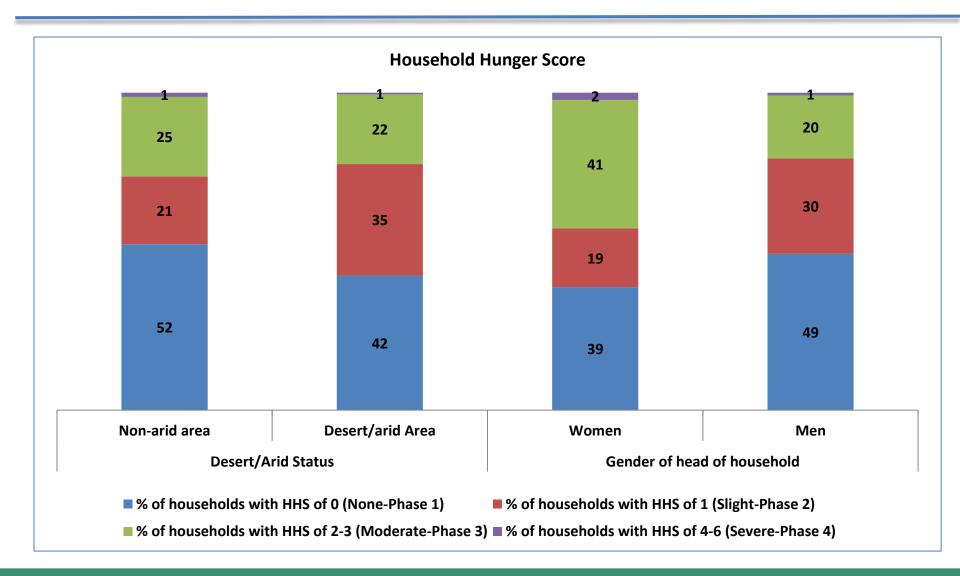
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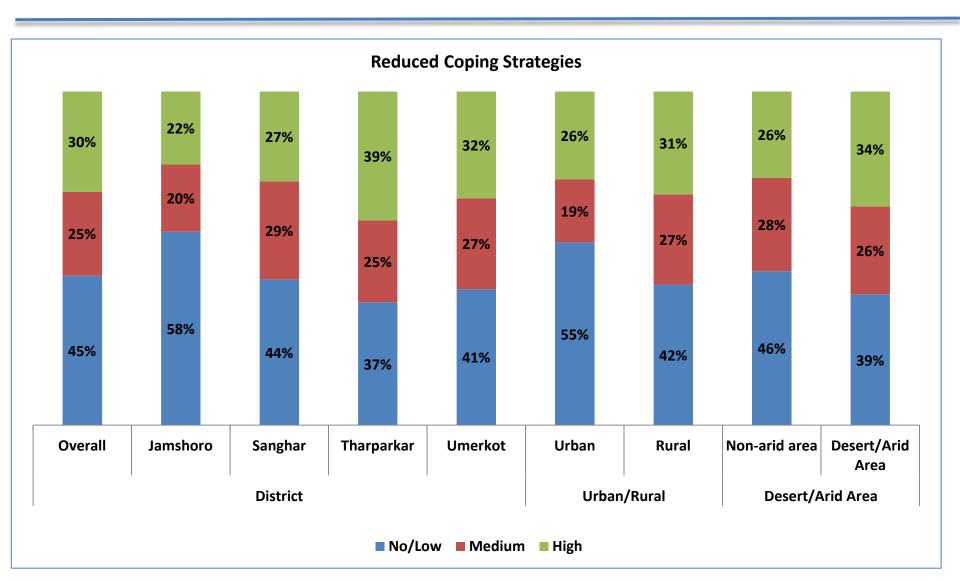




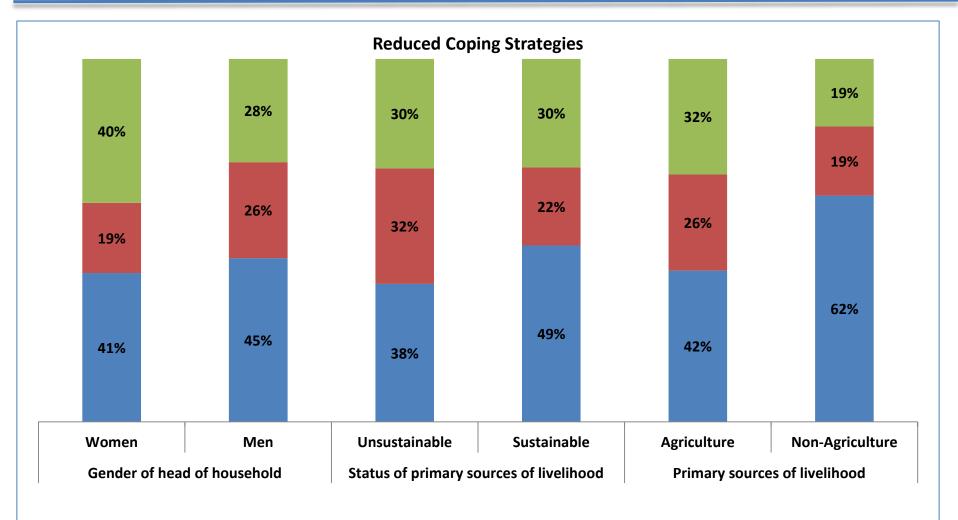




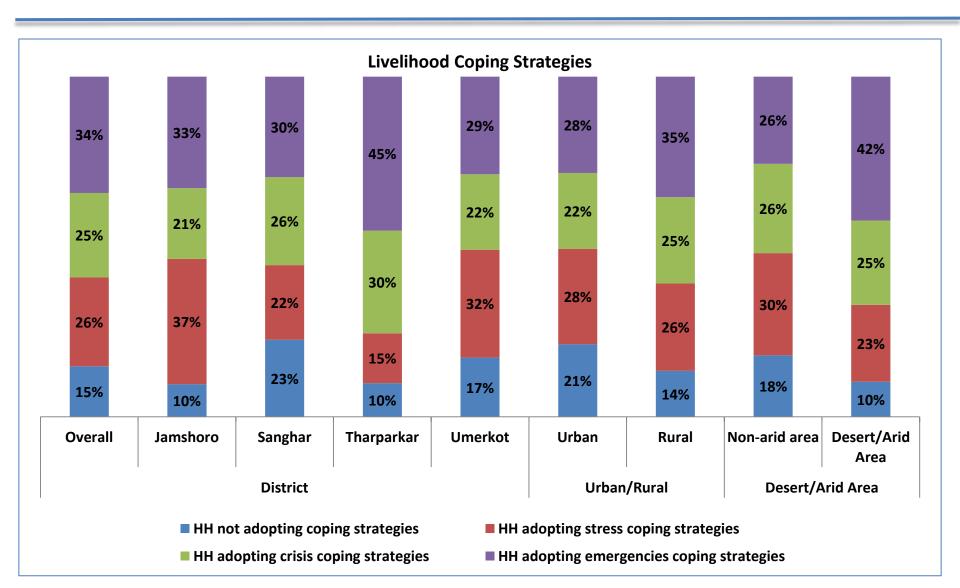




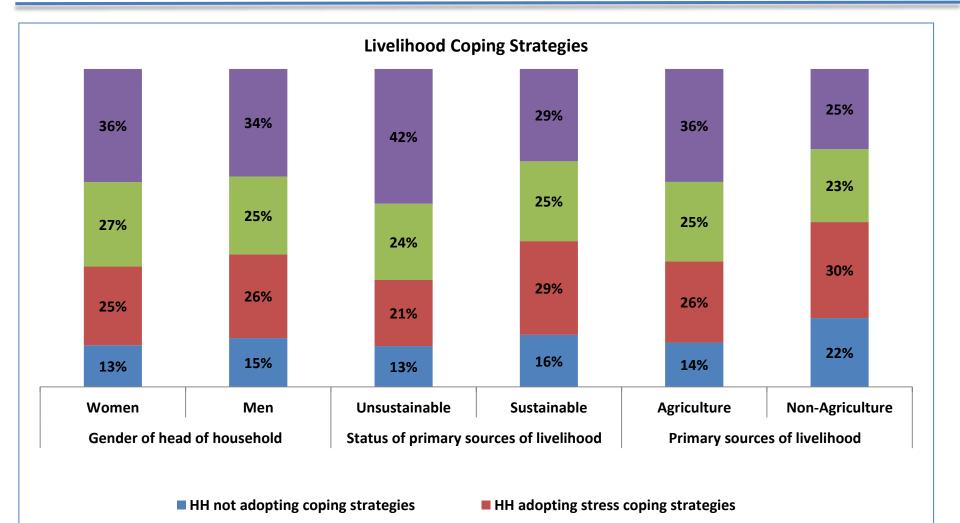
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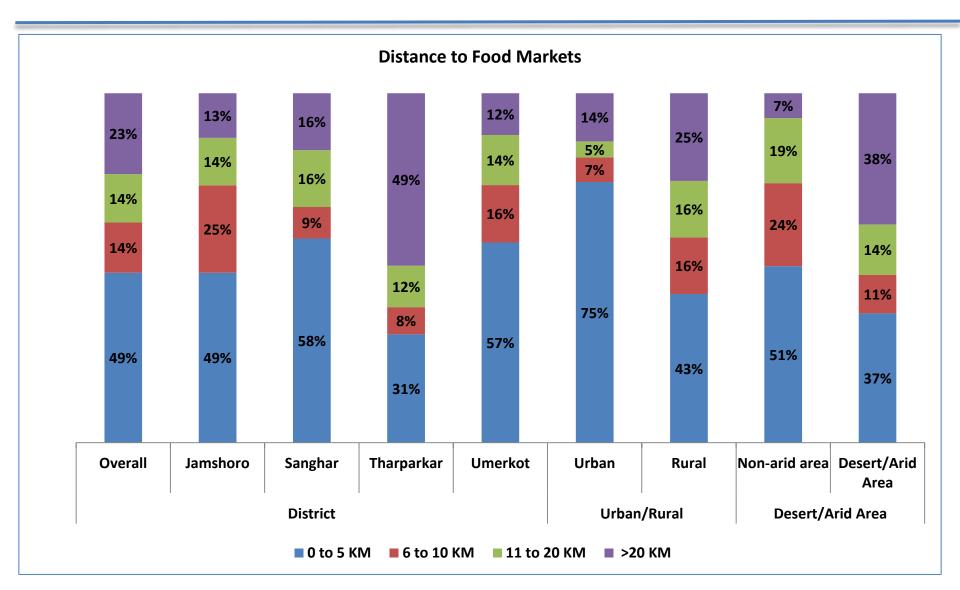


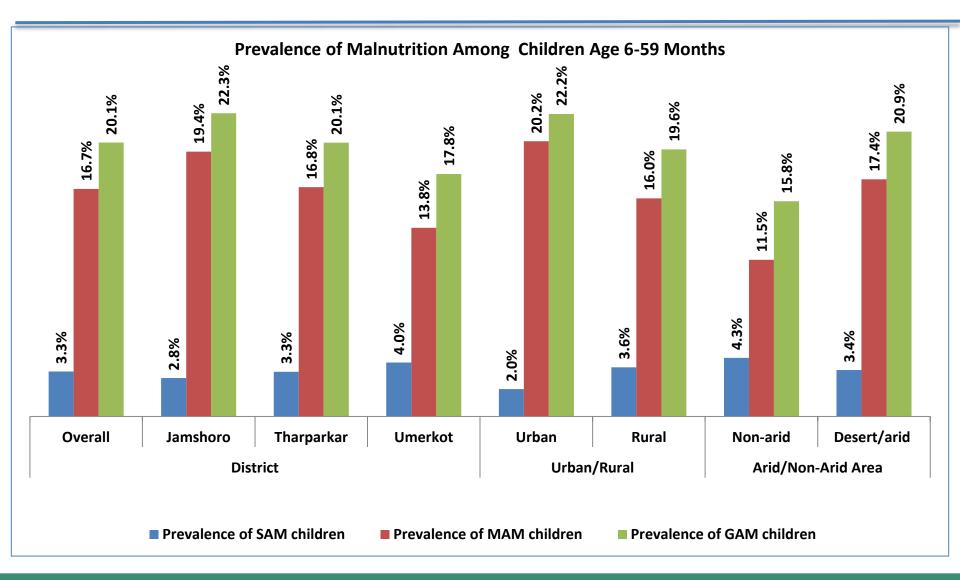
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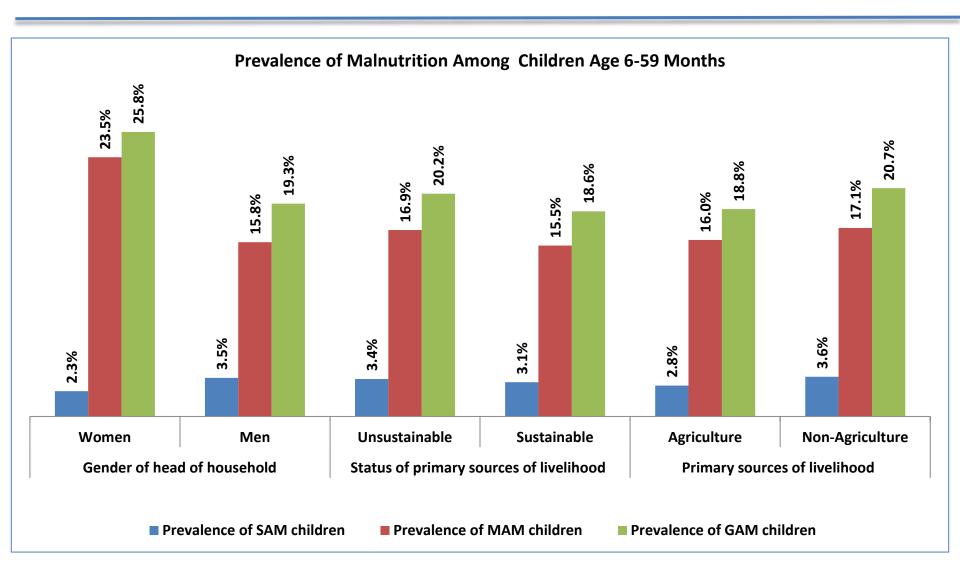


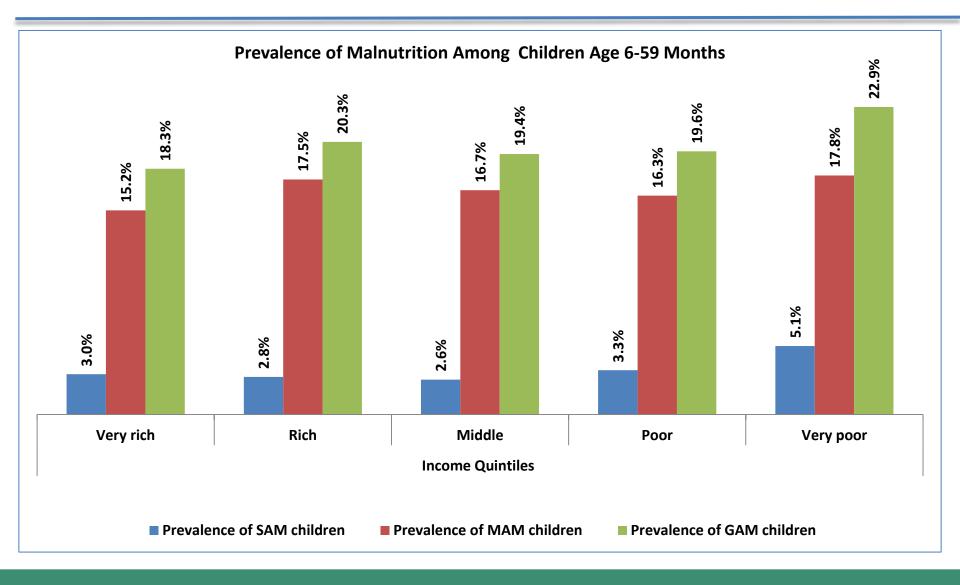
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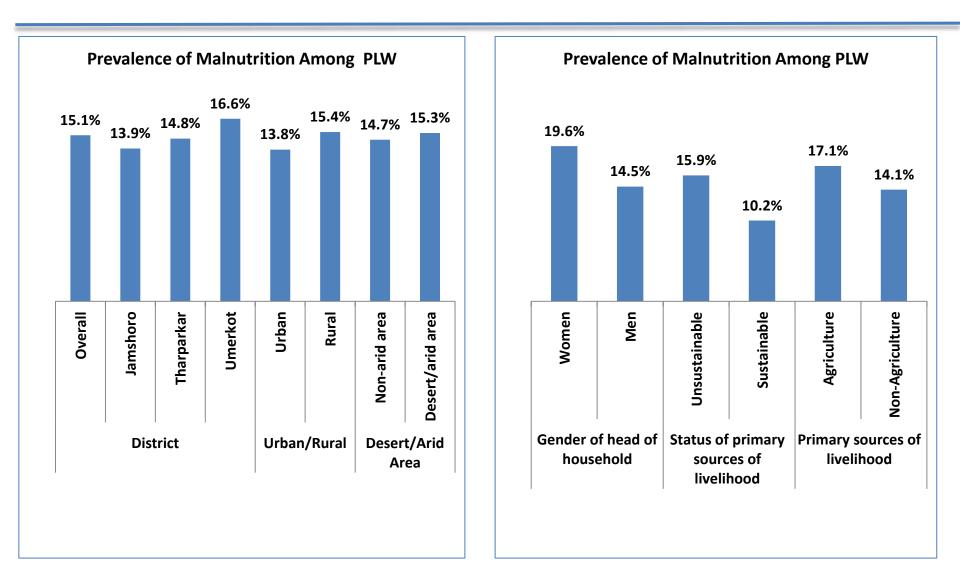
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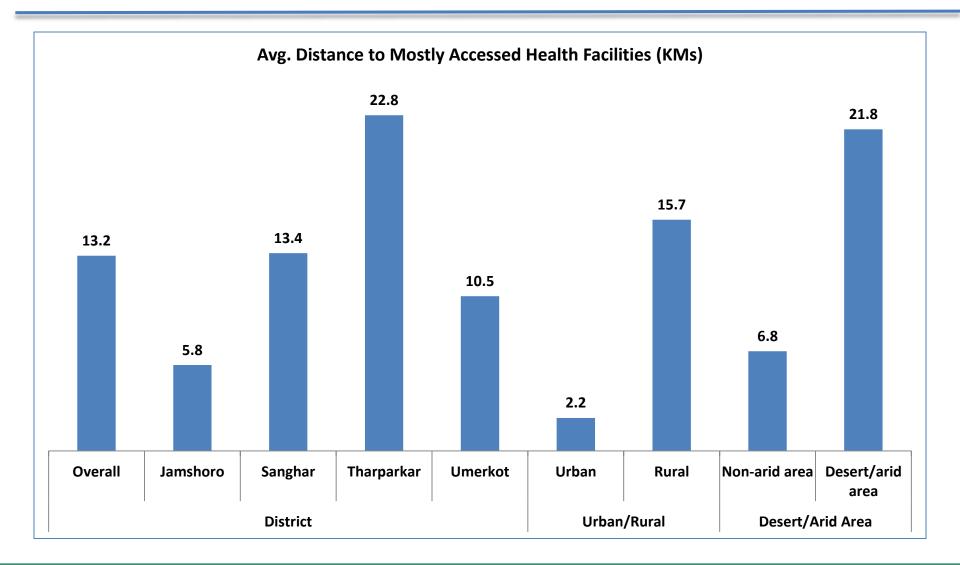


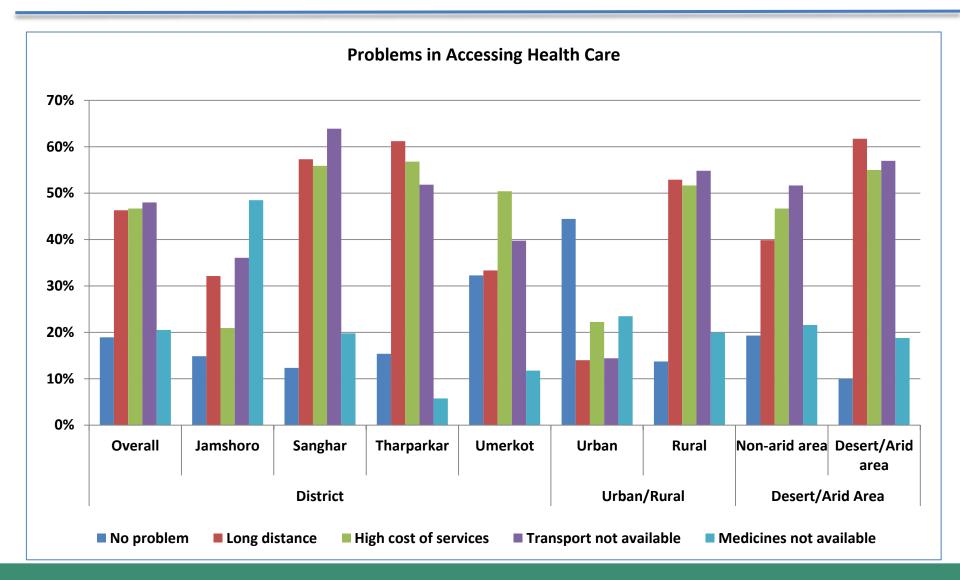


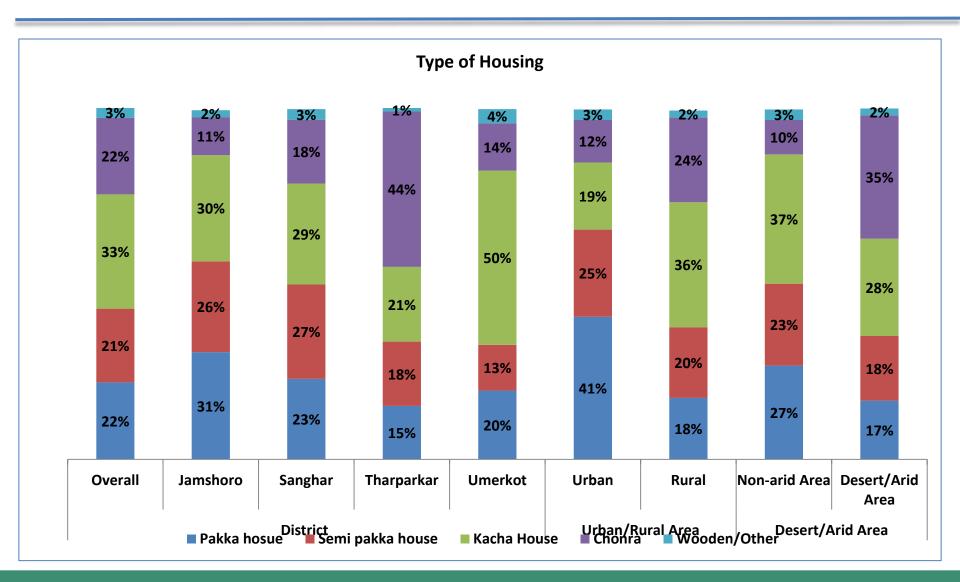


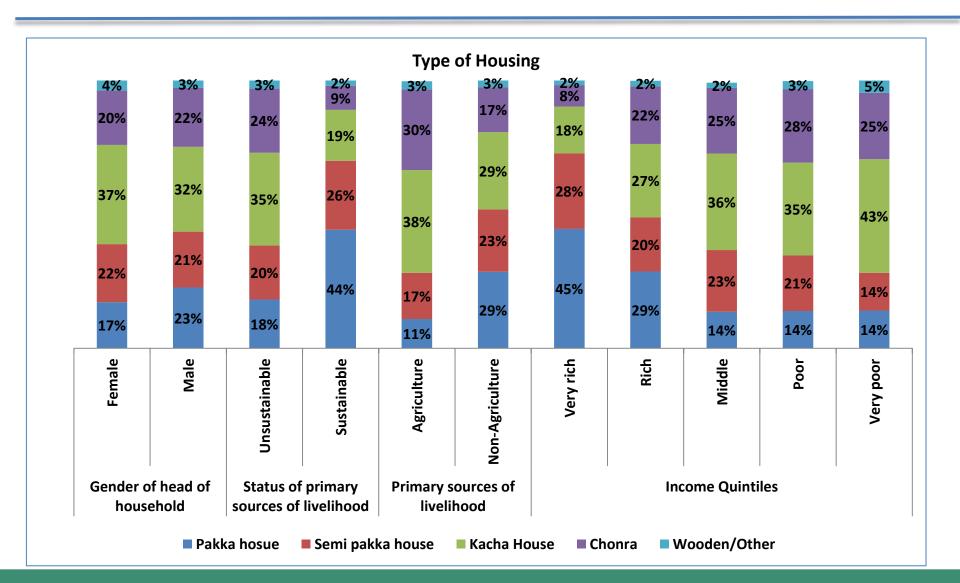


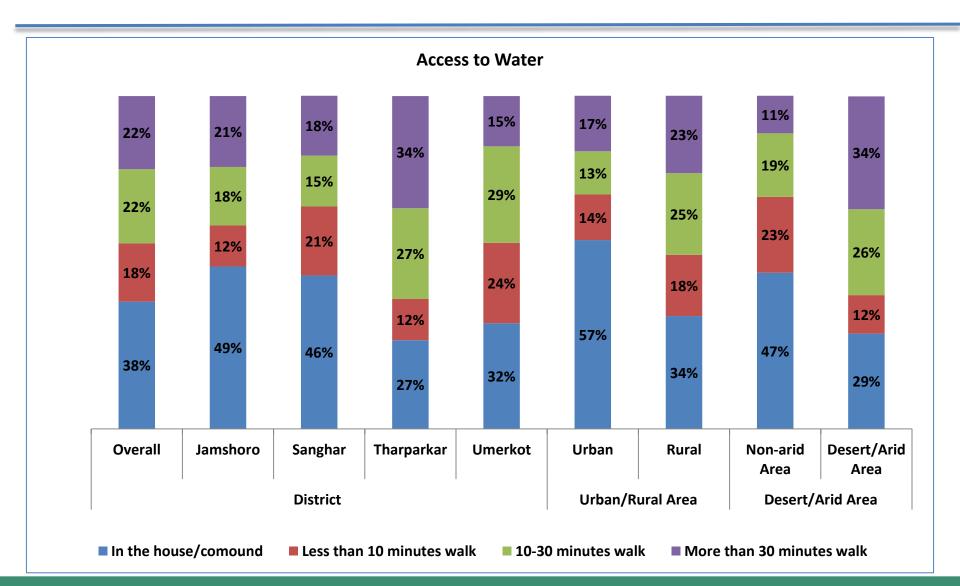


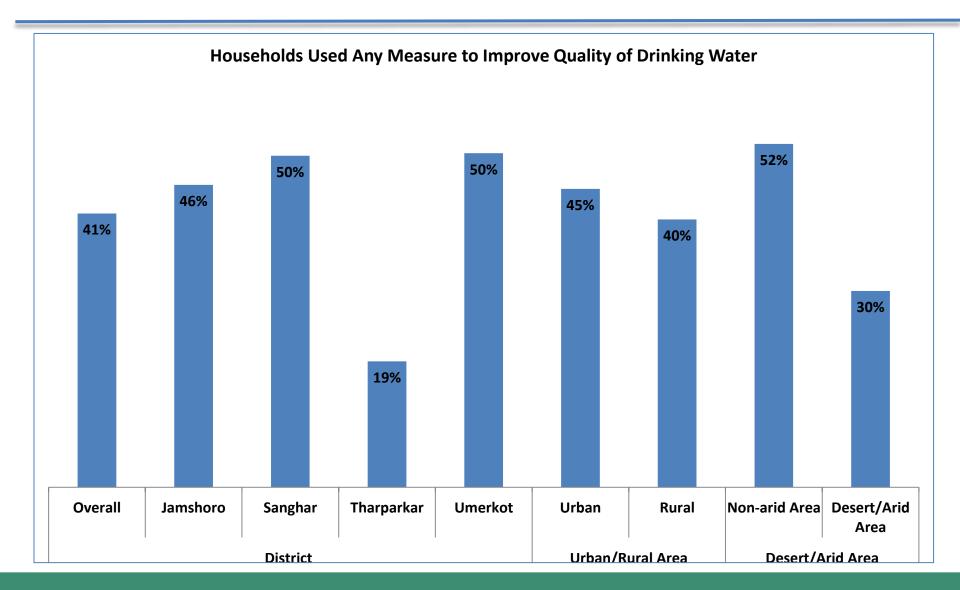


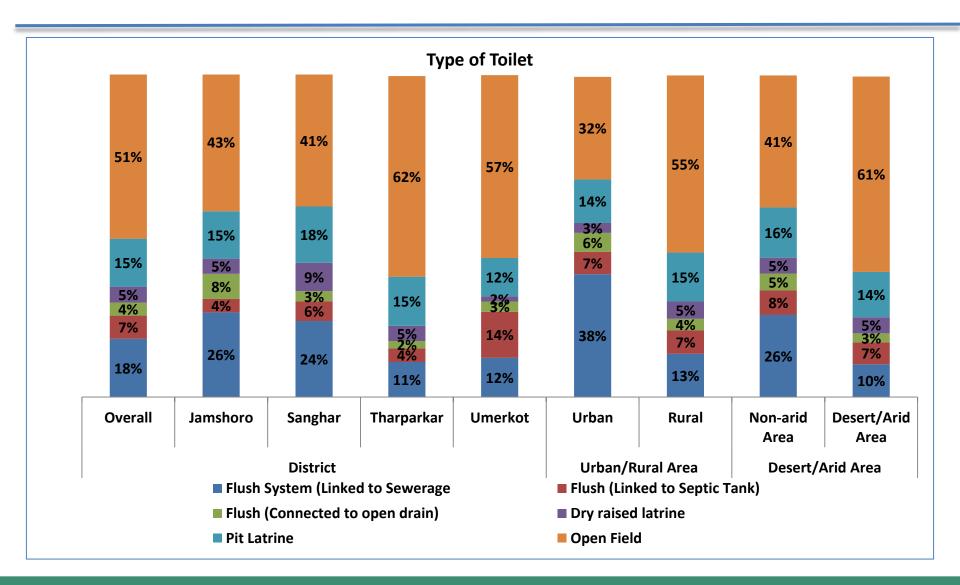














KEY FINDINGS

- Overall, food availability was not found to be a major limiting factor
- Production levels consistent across the 4 districts
- Markets found to be fully functional.
- Poor levels of food consumption and high rates of malnutrition are linked to issues of food access and utilization.
- Households have high reliance on unsustainable livelihood sources
- Low income levels
- Debt accumulation
- Low levels of quality of food consumption
- Poor access to improved water and sanitation

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IPC LOCAL PARTNERS

- Ministry of National Food Security & Research
- Ministry of Planning, Development & Reforms
- Ministry of Health Services and Regulation
- Pakistan Bureau of Statistics
- National Agriculture Research Council
- Pakistan Agriculture Research Council
- National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA)
- National Institute of Population Studies (NIPS)
- Planning & Development Department-Sindh
- Bureau of Statistics-Sindh
- Provincial Nutrition Cell-Sindh
- Agriculture Extension Department-Sindh
- Livestock Department-Sindh
- Women Development-Sindh
- Provincial Disaster Management Authority (PDMA), Sindh
- Food Department-Sindh
- Action Against Hunger (ACF)
- Concern Worldwide

- Save the Children
- TRDP
- IFPRI Pakistan
- SDPI
- SDF
- AWKUM
- Welthungerhilfe
- SAFWCO
- Pakistan Food Security Cluster/Working Group
- UN Agencies (FAO, WFP, UNICEF, OCHA)
- ECHO-Financial Support

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LIVELIHOOD AND FOOD SECURITY ASSESSMENT (LFSA) 2017 DISTRIBUTION OF SAMPLE

JAMSHORO		SANGHAR		THARPARKAR		UMERKOT	
Sub-district		Sub-district		Sub-district		Sub-district	
(Taluka/Tehsil)	Share	(Taluka/tehsil)	Share	(Taluka/tehsil)	Share	(Taluka/tehsil)	Share
Kotri	32%	Jam Nawaz Ali	9%	Chachro	18%	Kunri	23%
Manjhand	19%	Khipro	26%	Dahli	9%	Pithoro	9%
Sehwan	25%	Sanghar	26%	Diplo	18%	Samaro	23%
Thana Bula Khan	24%	Shahdadpur	13%	Islamkot	9%	Umerkot	45%
		Sinjhoro	8%	Mithi	27%		
		Tando Adam	17%	Nagarparkar	18%		

		JAMSHORO	SANGHAR	THARPARKAR	UMERKOT	Overall
Linkon / Dunal	Urban	29%	21%	9%	18%	19%
Urban/Rural	Rural	71%	79%	91%	82%	81%
	Non-Arid Area	29%	78%	0%	61%	41%
Desert/Arid Area	Desert/Arid Area	71%	22%	100%	39%	59%
Gender of head of	Female	18%	19%	11%	8%	14%
household	Male	82%	81%	89%	92%	86%

LFSA Sample: 4 districts, 20 sub-districts (Talukas/Tehsils), 89 PSUs (17 urban, 72 rural), 1573 households, 1075 PLW, 1343 children age 6-59 months (681 children age 6-23 months)