

Table 1. Percentage distributions of fecund wives aged 15-44 and of their husbands, by selected demographic and family planning characteristics, according to urban-rural residence, Pakistan Demographic and Health Survey, 1990-1991

Characteristic	Wives			Husbands		
	Total (N=1,260)	Urban (N=373)	Rural (N=887)	Total (N=1,260)	Urban (N=373)	Rural (N=887)
Wants more children						
Yes	59.1	49.8	63.1	69.7	59.2	74.1
No	40.9	50.2	36.9	30.3	40.8	25.9
Current age						
<30	46.5	44.5	47.4	24.6	22.6	25.4
30-39	31.3	35.1	29.6	34.4	36.0	33.7
40-44†	22.2	20.4	23.0	41.0	41.4	40.9
Education						
None	82.0	61.1	91.4	51.0	30.3	59.9
Primary/middle	10.5	18.0	7.3	28.6	27.2	29.1
Higher	7.5	20.9	1.3	20.4	42.4	11.1
Attitude toward family planning						
Approves	54.6	74.3	46.2	66.4	74.6	62.9
Disapproves	45.4	25.7	53.8	33.6	25.4	37.1
Discussed family planning with spouse						
None	57.7	42.1	63.6	58.6	42.4	65.5
Some	42.3	57.9	36.4	41.4	57.6	34.5
Knows source of family planning						
Yes	42.3	68.4	31.3	63.2	81.0	55.8
No	57.7	31.6	68.7	36.8	19.0	44.2
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

†Age-group is ≥40 among men.