

**POPULATION BY AREA AND SEX***(Thousand Persons)*

| Item          | Pakistan      |               |               | Punjab       |              |              |
|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
|               | 1998          | 2004*         | 2005*         | 1998         | 2004*        | 2005*        |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>132352</b> | <b>151574</b> | <b>154454</b> | <b>73621</b> | <b>84562</b> | <b>86084</b> |
| <b>Urban</b>  | <b>43014</b>  | <b>49188</b>  | <b>50597</b>  | <b>23019</b> | <b>26439</b> | <b>26915</b> |
| <b>Rural</b>  | <b>89338</b>  | <b>102386</b> | <b>103857</b> | <b>50602</b> | <b>58123</b> | <b>59169</b> |
| <b>Male</b>   | <b>68874</b>  | <b>78493</b>  | <b>79984</b>  | <b>38094</b> | <b>43756</b> | <b>44543</b> |
| <b>Female</b> | <b>63478</b>  | <b>73081</b>  | <b>74470</b>  | <b>35527</b> | <b>40806</b> | <b>41541</b> |

|  | Pakistan     | Punjab       |
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| <b>Urban/Rural Ratio (1998 Census)</b>               | <b>32:68</b> | <b>31:69</b> |
| <b>Sex Ratio Males Per 100 Females (1998 Census)</b> | <b>108</b>   | <b>107</b>   |

**POPULATION OF MAJOR CITIES OF PAKISTAN**  
*(Thousand Persons)*

| City               | 1981 | 1998        |             |             | 1998/1981 Average Annual Growth Rate (%) | 2004*       | 2005*        |              |
|--------------------|------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--|-------------|--------------|--------------|
|                    |      | Both Sexes  | Male        | Female      |  |             |              |              |
| <b>Karachi</b>     |      | <b>5208</b> | <b>9339</b> | <b>5030</b> | <b>4309</b>                              | <b>3.45</b> | <b>10841</b> | <b>11058</b> |
| <b>Lahore</b>      |      | <b>2953</b> | <b>5144</b> | <b>2708</b> | <b>2436</b>                              | <b>3.32</b> | <b>5943</b>  | <b>6131</b>  |
| <b>Faisalabad</b>  |      | <b>1104</b> | <b>2009</b> | <b>1053</b> | <b>956</b>                               | <b>3.58</b> | <b>2306</b>  | <b>2347</b>  |
| <b>Rawalpindi</b>  |      | <b>795</b>  | <b>1410</b> | <b>751</b>  | <b>659</b>                               | <b>3.43</b> | <b>1630</b>  | <b>1660</b>  |
| <b>Multan</b>      |      | <b>732</b>  | <b>1197</b> | <b>638</b>  | <b>559</b>                               | <b>2.93</b> | <b>1391</b>  | <b>1418</b>  |
| <b>Hyderabad</b>   |      | <b>752</b>  | <b>1167</b> | <b>612</b>  | <b>555</b>                               | <b>2.62</b> | <b>1355</b>  | <b>1382</b>  |
| <b>Gujranwala</b>  |      | <b>601</b>  | <b>1226</b> | <b>637</b>  | <b>589</b>                               | <b>3.79</b> | <b>1417</b>  | <b>1442</b>  |
| <b>Peshawar</b>    |      | <b>566</b>  | <b>983</b>  | <b>522</b>  | <b>461</b>                               | <b>3.29</b> | <b>1149</b>  | <b>1174</b>  |
| <b>Quetta</b>      |      | <b>286</b>  | <b>565</b>  | <b>308</b>  | <b>257</b>                               | <b>4.09</b> | <b>664</b>   | <b>679</b>   |
| <b>Islamabad</b>   |      | <b>204</b>  | <b>529</b>  | <b>291</b>  | <b>238</b>                               | <b>5.76</b> | <b>696</b>   | <b>722</b>   |
| <b>Sargodha</b>    |      | <b>291</b>  | <b>458</b>  | <b>240</b>  | <b>218</b>                               | <b>2.70</b> | <b>538</b>   | <b>550</b>   |
| <b>Sialkot</b>     |      | <b>302</b>  | <b>422</b>  | <b>228</b>  | <b>194</b>                               | <b>1.99</b> | <b>474</b>   | <b>481</b>   |
| <b>Bahawalpur</b>  |      | <b>180</b>  | <b>408</b>  | <b>222</b>  | <b>186</b>                               | <b>4.93</b> | <b>482</b>   | <b>492</b>   |
| <b>Sukkur</b>      |      | <b>191</b>  | <b>336</b>  | <b>176</b>  | <b>160</b>                               | <b>3.38</b> | <b>390</b>   | <b>398</b>   |
| <b>Jhang</b>       |      | <b>196</b>  | <b>293</b>  | <b>153</b>  | <b>140</b>                               | <b>2.41</b> | <b>338</b>   | <b>344</b>   |
| <b>Sheikhupura</b> |      | <b>141</b>  | <b>280</b>  | <b>147</b>  | <b>133</b>                               | <b>4.11</b> | <b>315</b>   | <b>320</b>   |
| <b>Larkana</b>     |      | <b>124</b>  | <b>270</b>  | <b>141</b>  | <b>129</b>                               | <b>4.69</b> | <b>313</b>   | <b>320</b>   |
| <b>Gujrat</b>      |      | <b>155</b>  | <b>252</b>  | <b>129</b>  | <b>123</b>                               | <b>2.89</b> | <b>293</b>   | <b>298</b>   |

\* Estimated as on 31st December