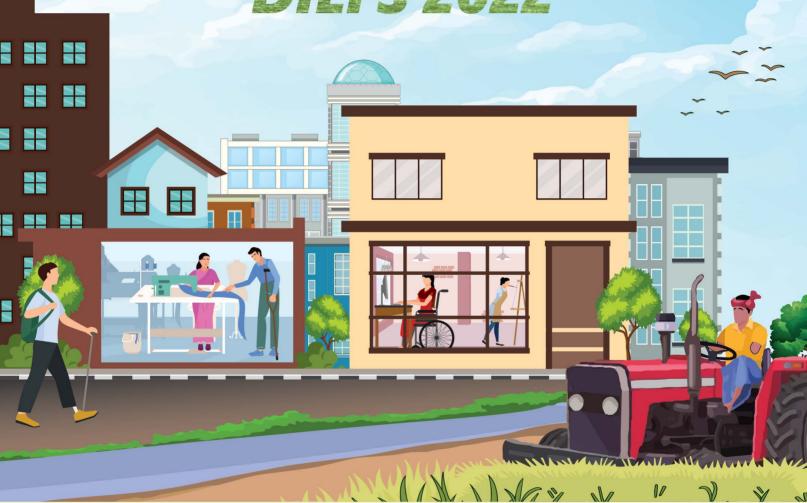


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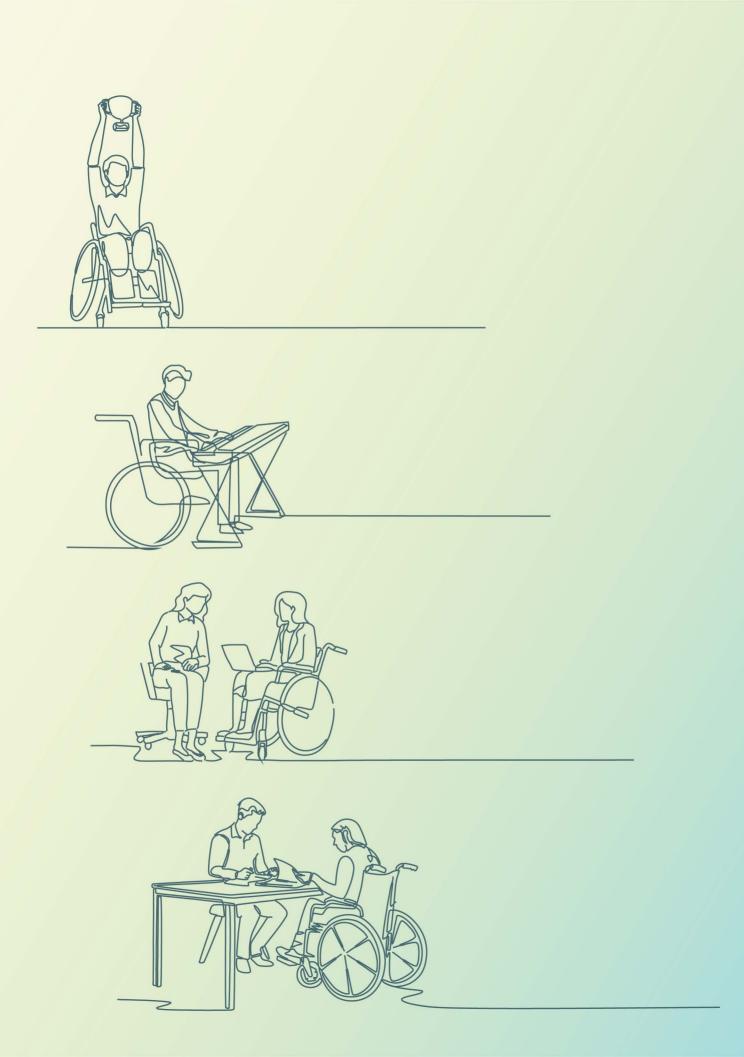






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#### **FOREWORD**

Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS), the National Statistical Organization (NSO) has carried out the Labour Force Survey 2022 under the Improving Labour Market Information through the Labour Force Survey Project. This survey provides comprehensive estimates of key labour market indicators, including employment, unemployment rate, youth employment, working hours, sectoral employment, formal and informal employment, occupational safety, disability in the labour force, migration costs, and other related metrics.

Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS) has introduced a disability module in the Labour Force Survey 2022 and released a comprehensive report titled 'Disability Insights from Labour Force Survey 2022' microdata. This report analyzes data from the Labour Force Survey 2022 to better understand the challenges and opportunities faced by people with disabilities in the labour market. The findings of the report will be instrumental in tracking progress towards the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), especially Goal 8: Decent Work and Economic Growth.

Having reliable statistics on the employment of persons with disabilities serves three important purposes. On the one hand it provides the evidence that persons with disabilities are faced with a significant gap compared with the rest of the population and that we need to take action to address this. Second, collecting data regularly allows to see if the situation is improving and thirdly it can also provide useful guidance for the design of policies and programmes. Quite often countries have included the relevant disability questions in their surveys, but have then not had the resources to properly analyse this information.

ILO Geneva Office would like to congratulate wholeheartedly the Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS) and the ILO Office in Dhaka not only for having collected disability disaggregated data in the 2022 Labour Force Survey but also for having analyses the data which are so clearly presented in this report. Bangladesh is again setting a great example for disability inclusion.

This report delves into the findings derived from the analytical analysis of labour market indicators of the Labor Force Survey conducted by the BBS. The insights gathered shed light on the challenges faced by persons with disabilities in the labour market and provide a foundation for informed decision-making. As ILO continues its mission to promote social justice and decent work, this report serves as a crucial tool for understanding the current state of disability inclusion in the workforce. Drawing upon these data insights, recommendations grounded in evidence will be put forth to foster the establishment of more inclusive and accessible workplaces. The ILO has plans to collaborate with the Ministry of Labour and Employment (MoLE) and other pertinent policy stakeholders to shape policies and address the implications derived from the survey findings.

We would like to extend our sincere gratitude to Ms. Aleya Akter, Respected Secretary of the Statistics and Informatics Division (SID) for her valuable guidance and support in the preparation of the report. We want to thank our colleagues from ILO Dhaka office and ILO Geneva for providing technical assistance and guidance throughout the survey and report. Special acknowledgment is extended to Mr. Muhammad Atikul Kabir, Director (Ad.), Industry and Labour Wing, and Ms. Aziza Rahman, Deputy Director and focal point officer for their significant roles in this survey.

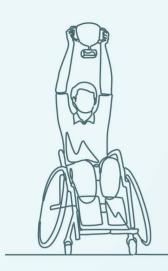
We believe this report will greatly enhance national support to enter in the labour market of persons with disabilities. Together, we strive to build a future where every individual, regardless of ability, has equal access to opportunities and can contribute meaningfully to the world of work.

BBS and the ILO Office in Dhaka to continue this excellent collaboration and to be a leading example on this in the region and beyond.

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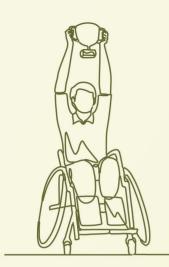
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## **Executive Summary**

Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics has conducted 'The Labor Force Survey 2022' that provides information on the country's labour market such as employment, unemployment, employment by industry, employment by occupation, employment by job status, informal employment, youth labour force, labour force participation rates, average weekly working hours, monthly earnings etc. With technical support from the International Labour Organization (ILO), the survey includes a module on disability, using the Washington Group short module. This module has assessed individuals' difficulties in basic activities like walking, seeing, hearing, remembering, self-care, and communication. By identifying those facing challenges in these activities, it provides insights into labour market dynamics for persons with disabilities. Labour Force Survey 2022 presented a comprehensive picture of the labour market based on gender and urban-rural disaggregation with national estimates for the aged 15 years and older population persons with disability and without disability.

In the Labor Force Survey 2022, the 6-item Washington Group Short Set of Disability Questions (WGQ) has been utilized to collect disability data, to provide insights into various labour market indicators. These questions are designed to identify individuals facing difficulties in performing basic universal activities, including walking, seeing, hearing, remembering, self-care, and communication. Individuals experiencing difficulties in at least one of these six activities and finding it difficult or impossible to work are categorized with functional difficulties or persons with disabilities. This classification aids in addressing functional difficulties or persons with disabilities in labour market dynamics.

This comprehensive report highlighting the chief characteristics of persons with disabilities and disaggregating the key labour market indicators by disability status from the Labour Force Survey (LFS) 2022 microdata. It also examines the major components of the survey including socio-demographic characteristics of individuals with disabilities such as age and sex, geographical distribution (urban/rural areas); education; labour force status and employment status etc.

The sample frame for the LFS 2022 survey was based on the different enumeration areas (EAs) identified in the second round of the Population and Housing Census 2022. A total of 1284 primary sampling units (PSUs) has been selected throughout the country for data collection. From each PSU, 24 households were selected by using a double-stage sampling process. Data collection was carried out through Computer-Assisted Personal Interviewing (CAPI) by 107 data collectors nationwide. A total of 30816 households was surveyed quarterly, contributing to the overall dataset of 123264 households over the year.

Overall, 33 lac 79 thousand people are disabled aged 15 years and older according to Labour Force Survey 2022 of which 8 lac 78 thousand are in the urban area and the rest 25 lac 1 thousand were in the rural area. On the other hand, out of 15 lac 67 thousand female persons with disability 3 lac 97 thousand live in urban area and the rest 11 lac 70 thousand live in rural area. Out of 18 lac 12 thousand male disabled 4 lac 81 thousand live in the urban area and the rest 13 lac 31 thousand live in the rural area.

Out of the 33 lac 79 thousand disabled population aged 15 years and over 18 lac 12 thousand were male and the rest 15 lac 67 thousand were female. In the urban area, out of 8 lac 78 thousand disabled population 4 lac 81 thousand were male and the rest 3 lac 97 thousand were female. In the rural area, out of 25 lac 1 thousand disabled persons, 13 lac 31 thousand were male and the rest 11 lac 70 thousand were female. At the aggregate level, 53.62% disabled were male and the rest 46.38% were female. In the urban area, out of 74.03% disabled persons 39.39% were male and the rest 34.63% were female. The age distribution of persons with disability shows that generally disability increases with age group 40-44 and older, and this is also true for male and female population.

Among the disabled persons 37.11% were literate and the rest 62.89% were illiterate. This is also true for male and female. Among the persons with disability, most of them are 'illiterate that is no class passed or not attained school and this is also true for male and female with higher number of illiterates among female.

Among disabled persons a small percentage (0.21%) receive vocational training and such percentage were 0.28% for male and 0.13% for female. As regard training of the disabled person at the aggregate level 30.33% receive training for 1-3 months followed by 22.14% for less than 1 week and 15.46% for 3-4 weeks. For females 22.57% receive training for less than one week followed by 18.61% for 1-3 months and 17.48% for 4-6 months. Among males, the highest 36.88% receive training for 1-3 months followed by 21.90% for less than 1 week and 12.99% for higher than 6 months.

As regards types of training at the national level, 20.87% receive training an agricultural crop production and preservation followed by 19.93% in ready-made garments (RMG) and 10.89% in foreign language. Among males the highest 28.03% receive training in agriculture crop production and preservation followed by 19.76% in ready-made garments (RMG) and 18.56% in computer. For the females, the highest 27.35% receive training non-crop agriculture activities followed by health and paramedical services (27.16%) and ready-made garments (20.29%).

As regards the source of training of the disabled persons, at the national level the highest 51.85% received training in the government institute followed by NGO (23.21%) and other institutions 12.53%. Among males the highest 60.13% received training in the government institutes followed by 20.12% by NGOs and Joint Venture Institute (14.69%). For females the highest disabled persons receive training in government institute followed by 28.73% by NGOs and (25.59%) by other institution.

The unemployment rate of disabled population was 1.63% at the national level and 1.54% for the male and 1.93% for female. These rates are much higher those who are not disable. Among the employed population with disability the highest 54.56% were own account worker followed by employee (31.92%) and contributing family helper (9.37%). Among the males the highest 55.19% were own account worker followed by employee (34.99%) and contributing family helper (5.09%). Among the females, the highest 52.47% were own account worker followed by contributing family helper (23.58%) and employee (21.76%).

As high as 52.16% disabled persons are employed in agriculture sector followed by service (36.71%) and industry (11.13%). Among males 47.94% are employed in agriculture sector followed by service sector (39.47%). On the other hand, among the females 66.09% are employed in agriculture sector, 27.58% in service and only 6.33% in industry. At the national level only 12.81% are in the formal sector and such percentage for males and females are 15.74% and 3.13% respectively. All the rest are engaged in informal sector.

At the national level an employed persons worked for 38 hours in a week and 40 hours in the urban area and 36 hours in the rural area. For the males 44 hours worked per week is found at the national level and 46 hours and 42 hours respectively in urban and rural areas. For the females the average working hours is only 31 hours and it is 33 hours and 29 hours respectively in the urban and rural areas.

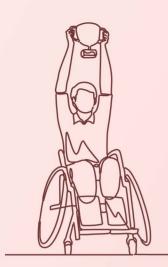
The average monthly income of a person with disability is TK 10470.01 at the national level, it is TK 11,552.72 in urban area and TK 9417.31 in the rural area. The males person with disabilities have higher monthly income than their female counterparts in the both urban and rural area.

The labour force participation rate of disabled person was only 22.54% and it was 32.22% for the males and 11.34% for females. The employment to population ratio (working age population 15 years and older with disabled persons is 22.17% at the national level whereas it is 31.73% for the males and only 11.12% for the females.



## Acronyms

Acronym	Description
BBS	Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics
CRPD	Convention on the Rights of People with Disabilities
SDG	Sustainable Development Goals
EA	Enumeration Area
HQ	Headquarter
ICLS	International Conference of Labour Statisticians
ILO	International Labour Organization
WHO	World Health Organization
HIES	Household Income and Expenditure Survey
UNDESA	United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs
NEET	Not in Employment, Education and Training
LFS	Labour Force Survey
NSO	National Statistical Organization
PSU	Primary Sampling Unit
SVRS	Sample Vital Registration System
SID	Statistics and Informatics Division
WB	World Bank
WG	Washington Group on Disability Statistics



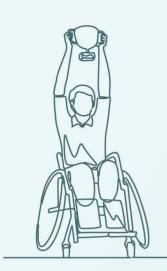






## **CHAPTER 1**











## **Chapter 1**

#### Introduction

#### 1.1 Introduction

As illustrated, Article 1 of the CRPD states, Disability is defined as "persons with disabilities include those who have long-term physical, mental, intellectual or sensory impairments which in interaction with various barriers may hinder their full and effective participation in society on an equal basis with others." It is important to note that in the preamble of the CRPD, disability is defined as an evolving concept and that disability results from the interaction between persons with disabilities and attitudinal and environmental barriers that hinder their full and effective participation in society on an equal basis with others. In other words, it is not the person with a specific impairment but the barriers that hinder their participation that disable them. This is important when considering work and labour rights.

Article 27 of the Convention on the Rights of People with Disabilities (CRPD), adopted by the United Nations General Assembly in December 2006, recognizes the rights of people with disability to work on an equal basis with others; this includes the opportunity to gain a living by work freely chosen or accepted in a Labour market and work environment that is open, inclusive and accessible to people with disabilities." Under the CRPD, the denial of reasonable accommodation constitutes disability-based discrimination. It also prohibits employment discrimination, calls for reasonable accommodation in the workplace, and promotes access to vocational training and self-employment opportunities. The Government of Bangladesh signed and ratified the United Nations Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD) on 30 November 2007 and its Optional Protocol on 12 May 2008.

The United Nations (UN) General Assembly, in its 70th Session held on 25 September 2015, adopted the document titled "Transforming our World: the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development," consisting of 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) and associated 169 targets. The SDGs provide an international framework for more equitable, peaceful, resilient, and prosperous societies. Countries are expected to take ownership and establish a national framework for achieving these goals. The 2030 Agenda also underscored the fact that quality, reliable, and disaggregated data would be needed to measure progress on the targets and ensure that 'Leave No One Behind.'

The SDG Goal-4 mentions that inclusive and equitable quality education opportunities for all focus on eliminating gender disparities in education and ensuring equal access to all levels of education and vocational training for the vulnerable, including persons with disabilities. Goal 8 of the SDG is to promote sustained, inclusive, and sustainable economic growth, full and productive employment, and decent work for all; the international community aims to achieve full and productive employment and decent work for all women and men, including for persons with disabilities, and equal pay for work of equal value. The Goal 10 of the SDG strives to reduce inequality within and among countries by empowering and promoting the social, economic, and political inclusion of all persons with disabilities. The Goal 11 of the SDG envisages work to make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, and sustainable. To realize this goal, Member states of the UN are called upon to provide access to safe, affordable, accessible, and sustainable transport systems for all, improving road safety, notably by expanding public transport with special attention to the needs of those in vulnerable situations, such as persons with disabilities. The Goal 17 of the SDG stresses that "to strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize the global partnership for Sustainable Development, data collection and monitoring and accountability of the SDGs are crucial. Member states of the UN would significantly increase the ability to obtain high-quality, timely, and reliable data disaggregated by disability.

#### 1.2 Global Scenario

It is observed from the information available in various sources that "people with disabilities are disproportionately affected by limited active engagement in the labour market, either by working or looking for work. This disparity is highest

in Europe and North America, followed by Northern Africa and Western Asia, and Eastern and Southeastern Asia, compared to persons without disabilities (ILO, 2022; UNDESA, 2018). It is also observed that people with disabilities are inactive compared to people without disabilities. The inactivity rates are higher among females compared to their male counterparts, a trend observed globally (World Bank, 2020)." The World Employment and Social Outlook 2022 by the International Labour Organization (ILO) highlights that people with disabilities face significantly lower labour force participation rates globally compared to those without disabilities. Similarly, the Disability and Development Report: Realizing the SDGs by, for, and with Persons with Disabilities (2018) by the United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UNDESA) documents regional disparities, noting that Europe, North America, and other regions exhibit the highest levels of inactivity among persons with disabilities. Furthermore, the Disability Inclusion and Accountability Framework (2020) by the World Bank emphasizes that women with disabilities experience lower labour market engagement compared to men with disabilities and women without disabilities. The World Report on Disability (2011), jointly published by the World Health Organization (WHO) and the World Bank, provides additional evidence that inactivity rates are consistently higher for people with disabilities globally, with women being disproportionately affected.

The unemployment rate of people with disabilities is high in most regions of the world compared to people without disabilities, as highlighted in the World Report on Disability (WHO & World Bank, 2011). It may be noted that persons with disability have less basic education than persons without disability, and this is true for all the regions of the world (Disability and Development Report, UNDESA, 2018). On average, only 26.1% of people with disabilities are employed across 90 countries, which is approximately half the employment rate of people without disabilities (World Employment and Social Outlook 2022, ILO, 2022).

It is concerning that a large proportion of people with disabilities in developing countries are engaged in informal jobs, which often lack security and benefits. According to the World Employment and Social Outlook 2022 (ILO, 2022), two-thirds of the 90 countries with available data show that people with disabilities are more likely than those without to be employed in the informal sector. This highlights the significant barriers they face in accessing formal jobs that provide stable and secure incomes. Furthermore, the lack of coverage by labour legislation and social security systems for workers in informal employment places persons with disabilities in even more vulnerable situations, increasing their risk of poverty (World Report on Disability, WHO & World Bank, 2011).

In all but one region of the world, people with disabilities were more likely than those without disabilities to be in self-employment, namely their account workers or contributing family workers. This often reflects a lack of opportunities to find paid jobs (World Employment and Social Outlook 2022, ILO, 2022). Women with disabilities face even more significant challenges as they continue to experience disproportionately limited employment opportunities. Their employment rate is not only lower than that of men with disabilities but also lower than that of women without disabilities. Globally, only one in four women with disabilities is employed, compared to one in three men with disabilities (Disability and Development Report, UNDESA, 2018).

It should be noted that 50.0% of youth with disabilities compared to 25.0% of youth without disabilities are Not in Employment, Education, or Training (NEET), with the dichotomy being most extreme in Central and Southern Asia (Disability and Development Report, UNDESA, 2018). Overall, women with disabilities generally have a higher NEET rate than their male counterparts. However, in some regions, mainly Europe and Northern America, NEET rates are higher for men with disabilities (World Employment and Social Outlook 2022, ILO, 2022). The lack of participation in skill development or employment leaves youth with disabilities particularly vulnerable to both labour market exclusion and broader social marginalization (World Report on Disability, WHO & World Bank, 2011).

#### 1.3 Organization involved in generating disability statistics in Bangladesh

Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics used questions to collect disability statistics in the Population and Housing Census 2011, 2022, Sample Vital Registration System (SVRS) project. The Household Income and Expenditure Survey (HIES) also collected data on disability. However, the questions used in these censuses and surveys were not similar.

In 2001, an international seminar on the Measurement of Disability was held in New York. It formed the Washington Group (WG) on Disability Statistics, a UN city group under the UN Statistical Commission. During the meeting, participants

agreed that there is a need for common definitions, concepts, standards, and methodologies to produce statistics or estimates about persons with disabilities. Since its inception, the WG has developed and tested several tools to be used for the collection of internationally comparable disability data. It meets annually with representatives from various international statistical offices and non-governmental organizations. So far, products developed by WG include a short set of six questions on functioning designed primarily and an Extended set of questions on Functioning Censuses and Surveys. The questions in the short module are: working, seeing, hearing, cognition, self-care, and communication.

The disability module was used in HIES 2010, 2016 and 2022. They used the WG short module. These questions have four response categories: - (i) no problem, (ii) some problem, (iii) a lot of problems, (iv) unable. The Labour Force Survey (LFS) also used the WG short module on disability, which is similar to HIES. In the present study, the disability of the population has been addressed disaggregated by age, sex, gender, educational status, participation in the labour market, employment, informal employment, unemployed, youth employment and unemployment, working hours and earning from jobs, quality and social security and safety of work, labour underutilization, a form of work, etc.

The Disability Detection Survey is undertaken by the Ministry of Social Welfare a unique programme. The Government of Bangladesh is dedicated to meeting the needs of all marginalized people deprived of their civic rights. The Government is keen to bring inclusive development for all, irrespective of age, sex, religion, ethnicity, disability status, and social stigma. Concerning Goal 17 of the SDGs, accurate data must be available to ensure any programme relating to persons with disabilities.

#### 1.4 Labour Force Survey

Labour Force Surveys (LFS) are one of the primary national household surveys conducted by countries. They are designed to produce official national statistics on the labour force, employment, and unemployment for monitoring and planning. LFS is the primary source behind headline indicators of the labour market for short-term tracking and more structural information on the number and characteristics of the employed, their jobs and working conditions, the job search activities of those without work, etc. They are a unique data source on informal employment and are increasingly designed to produce statistics on unpaid forms of work and other related topics through add-on modules. At the international level, LFS is the primary source for monitoring global commitments on the world of work, including under Goal 8 (Decent Work and Economic Growth) and Goal 5 (Gender Equality) of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. BBS conducts quarterly LFS to support short-term monitoring of labour markets and the economy.

Nevertheless, LFS data generally provides a snapshot of the labour market at a given time or over a period. Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics has initiated the Labour Force Survey in the field since January 2022, including the disability module in line with Washington Group's short questionnaires. The survey is expected to yield statistical indicators of Bangladesh's work and life conditions and ascertain regional disparities and characteristics. Such indicators will be helpful for policymaking and the design of appropriate interventions at the national level.

Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics, known as the National Statistics Office of Bangladesh, conducts the Labour Force Survey under the Statistics Act of 2013 mandate. Labour Force Survey 2022 offers overall information on the country's labour market. This survey exposes quarterly data on employment, unemployment, employment by industry and occupation, job status, informal employment, the youth labour force, labour force participation rates, long-term unemployment, literacy, vocational training among the working-age population, average weekly working hours, monthly earnings, migration costs, and functional difficulties associated with employment. The questionnaires used in data collection and the concepts relevant to this survey were marked as global standards. Labour Force Survey 2022 is conducted quarterly, focusing on annual labour statistics, including quarterly estimations. It encompasses labour force, employment, and unemployment statistics for the year 2022, with data collected in the 1st Quarter (January-March), 2nd Quarter (April-June), 3rd Quarter (July-September), and 4th Quarter (October-December). Crucially, the survey was financed by the government of Bangladesh through the improvement of labour market information through the Labour Force Survey initiative. Additionally, a module on disability in the labour market is prepared with technical assistance from the International Labour Organization (ILO).

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#### 1.5 Objective of the study

- a) To prepare a comprehensive report highlighting the chief characteristics of persons with disabilities and disaggregating the key labour market indicators by disability status from the Labour Force Survey (LFS) 2022 microdata.
- b) To find out the major components of the survey, including socio-demographic characteristics of disabled residents such as age and sex, geographical distribution (urban/rural areas), education, labour force status, employment status, etc.

#### 1.6 Output of the activities

The output of the activities between ILO-BBS is

- a) Data analysis upon completion of data collection on disability module, LFS 2022
- b) Prepare comprehensive and infographic reports based on labour market indicators focused on disability.

#### 1.7 Scope and coverage of LFS

The Labour Force Survey 2022 (LFS) provides a reliable labour force estimate, including employment of persons with functional difficulties, labour underutilization, and persons outside of the labour force. The LFS also made it possible to collect data on persons engaged in other forms of work, such as own-use production of goods and services provision, unpaid trainees, and volunteers. Another objective was to collect information on the recruitment cost and income of the migrant workers.

The above survey components covered the population aged 15 or older living in the sampled households to estimate many socio-demographic variables classified by sex, age, educational attainment, occupation, and industry. The survey involved a quarterly sample of 30816 households from 1284 primary sampling units (PSUs) distributed across all 64 Districts of Bangladesh. The LFS covered dwelling households, including one-person households in urban and rural areas. The institutional population, living in hostels, hotels, hospitals, old homes, military and police barracks, prisons, welfare homes, and other institutions, were excluded from the LFS coverage.

To finalize the report on disability insights from the Labour Force Survey, a three-day residential training programme with stakeholders and a day-long workshop jointly organized by the Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS) and the International Labour Organization (ILO). The workshop included participants from disabled communities, government representatives, researchers, and the UN data group. During the workshop, the findings from the survey were presented, and feedback was collected. Based on their valuable suggestions, a comprehensive report was prepared. Some participants from the disabled communities emphasized the importance of publishing such reports in Braille to ensure accessibility and inclusivity.

#### 1.8 Disability captured in LFS 2022 Survey

The 6-item Washington Group Short Set of Disability Questions (WGQ) is designed to identify individuals with disabilities by assessing their difficulties in performing basic universal activities. These questions focus on walking, seeing, hearing, cognition, self-care, and communication. In the Labour Force Survey 2022, the 6-item WGQ was employed to collect disability data, providing insights into various labour market indicators. Within these questions, individuals face difficulties in at least one or two of the six activities; some find it impossible or challenging to work on them. For these reasons, two designated categories have been identified as functional difficulties or persons with disabilities. This classification helps to capture functional difficulties or persons with disabilities in the context of labour market dynamics. All the estimations have been prepared based on the 13th ICLS (International Conference of Labour Statisticians).

#### 1.9 Concepts and Definitions used in LFS 2022

#### Age coverage

Age is a strong determinant of the labour market. Standard age cut-offs and categories are essential. The survey's labour-related questions refer to the population of 15 years old and older. The following age ranges are used to present the statistics: 15–24; 25–34; 35–44; 45–54; 55–64; and 65 and over.

#### Sex

Every individual's sex (male or female) is recorded, as sex disaggregation of data is a fundamental requirement for gender statistics, particularly for analyzing the gender gap in access to the labour market. For policy purposes, all core indicators are broken down by sex to maximize information on any gender gap.

#### **Dwelling**

A dwelling is a separate and independent place of abode intended for habitation by one household. Although designed for habitation by one household, at the time of the survey, a dwelling may be occupied by more than one household.

#### Household

A household is defined as a group of persons who live together and make standard provisions for food and other essentials for living. The people in the group may be related or unrelated, or a combination of both. A household may consist of only one person or several persons. Stemming from the above definition, lodgers or other permanent residents who live and take their meals with the household are to be counted as household members, even though they may have no blood relationship with the household head. Servants or paid domestic employees should be counted as part of the household. People who live in the same dwelling but do not share food expenses or do not eat meals together are not members of the same household. To be considered a household member, an individual must reside with the other household members in the dwelling for a substantial part of the year (e.g., six-month criterion) and not be a member of any other household.

#### **Labour Force**

The labour force concept refers to the current labour supply for producing goods and services in exchange for pay or profit. The form of work identified as employment sets the reference scope of activities for labour force statistics. In the QLFS, the "labour force" refers to persons 15 years or older who contribute or are available to contribute to the production of goods and services in the country, and it consists of employed and unemployed persons.

#### Labour force status

Categories for labour force status used to break down labour market indicators at the individual level are based on the following categories:

- Employed
- Unemployed
- Outside labour force.

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#### **Persons in employment**

During a short reference period, people in employment are defined as those of working age who were engaged in any activity to produce goods or provide services for pay or profit or own use production of goods. They comprise: employed persons "at work", i.e. who worked in a job for at least one hour;

- a) Employed persons "at work," i.e., who worked in a job for at least one hour;
- b) Employed persons "not at work" due to temporary absence from a job or to working-time arrangements (such as shift work, flexitime, and compensatory leave for overtime).

#### Persons in employment

Persons in unemployment are defined as all those of working age who were not in employment, carried out activities to seek employment during a specified recent period, and were currently available to take up employment given a job opportunity.

The 'not in employment' criterion distinguishes employment and unemployment. Not in employment should be interpreted as a total lack of work or, more precisely, as not having been employed during the previous week. Thus, a person is to be considered as not in employment if s/he did not work in the last week (not even for one hour) nor was temporarily absent from work as determined by the definition of employment. The other two criteria of the standard definition of unemployment, currently available to take up employment and seeking employment, distinguish those of the non-employed population who are unemployed from those who are outside the labour force.

To seek employment refers to any activity carried out during a specified period comprising the previous four weeks or one month to find a job or set up a business or agricultural undertaking. This includes part-time, informal, temporary, seasonal, or casual employment within the national territory or abroad.

A test of readiness to start a job is currently available, assessed concerning a short reference period used to measure employment.

#### One hour criterion

A person is considered to have engaged in a given form of work when performing such form of work for at least one hour during the relevant, short reference period. This one-hour criterion ensures coverage of all activities, including part-time, temporary, casual, or sporadic activities, and the comprehensive measurement of all labour inputs into production.

#### Own-use production of goods

These are all those of working age who, during a short reference period, performed any activity to produce goods for their final use where:

- a) "any activity" refers to work performed in the various activities under paragraphs (b) and (c) below for a cumulative total of at least one hour;
- b) Production of "goods" (within the 2008 SNA production boundary) covers:
  - i. producing and/or processing for storage of agricultural, fishing, hunting, and gathering products;
  - ii. collecting and/or processing for storage mining and forestry products, including firewood and other fuels;
  - iii. fetching water from natural and other sources;

- iv. manufacturing household goods (such as furniture, textiles, clothing, footwear, pottery, or other durables, including boats and canoes);
- v. building, or effecting significant repairs to one's dwelling, farm buildings, etc.

#### **Employment in the Informal Economy**

The QLFS of Bangladesh will assist in identifying employment in the informal economy, i.e., in the informal sector and informal employment. According to the ILO definition, the term 'informal economy' refers to all economic activities by workers and economic units that are – in law or practice – not covered or insufficiently covered by formal arrangements. These activities are not included in the law, which means that they are operating outside the formal reach of the law, or they are not covered in practice, which means that – although they are operating within the formal reach of the law, the law is not applied or not enforced; or the law discourages compliance because it is inappropriate, burdensome, or imposes high costs." Importantly, these activities should not be carried out in violation of the criminal law and relevant legislation acts.

As mentioned above, employment in the informal economy refers to two concepts:

- a) Employment in the informal sector
- b) Informal employment

While these concepts are related and complement each other, they are different as they refer to different aspects of the informalisation of employment, as is shown below:

- (i) Employment in the informal sector is an enterprise-based concept; and
- (ii) Informal employment is a job-based concept

#### Informal employment

This refers to the total number of informal jobs in formal, informal sector enterprises or households (paid domestic workers, goods production for own consumption) during a given reference period. International Labour Office. Guidelines concerning a statistical definition of informal employment, adopted by the 17th ICLS (November 2003). Informal employment refers to jobs lacking essential social or legal protection or employment benefits. Thus, employees have informal jobs if their employment relationship is, in law or practice, not subject to national labour legislation, income taxation, social protection, or entitlement to certain employment benefits (advance notice of dismissal, severance pay, paid annual or sick leave, etc.).

Due to large diversity in informal employment, such jobs should be determined in accordance with the Bangladesh national circumstances.

The 17th ICLS recommends the following operational criteria for measuring the informal jobs of employees:

- (i) Lack of coverage by social security system
- (ii) Lack of entitlement to paid annual or sick leave
- (iii) Lack of written employment contract
- (iv) Casual/temporary nature of work.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> International Labour Office. Resolution concerning decent work and the informal economy. 90th Session of the General Conference of the International Labour Organization. Geneva 2002, para. 3, p. 25.

It should be noted that the mere presence of criterion "iii" or "iv" is insufficient to consider a job as being informal.

#### Persons outside the Labour Force

These working-age people were neither employed nor unemployed in the short reference period.

#### **Labour Force Participation Rate**

The labour force participation rate measures the proportion of a country's working-age population engaging actively in the labour market by working or looking for work. It indicates the size of the labour supply available to produce goods and services relative to the working-age population. The breakdown of the labour force by sex and age group gives a profile of the distribution of the economically active population within a country. The working-age population is above the legal working age – often aged 15 and older. The labour force participation rate is the ratio of the labour force to the working-age population, expressed as a percentage. The labour force is the sum of the persons employed and the number of persons unemployed. Thus, the measurement of the labour force participation rate requires the measurement of both employment and unemployment. The labour force participation rate is related by definition to other indicators of the labour market. The inactivity rate equals 100 minus the labour force participation rate when the participation rate is expressed as a number between 0 and 100. The labour force participation rate indicator plays a central role in studying the factors that determine the size and composition of a country's human resources and in making projections of the future labour supply. The information is also used to formulate employment policies, determine training needs, and calculate the expected working lives of the male and female populations and the rates of accession to and retirement from economic activity – crucial information for the financial planning of social security systems. The indicator is also used to understand the labour market behavior of different population categories. The level and pattern of labour force participation depend on employment opportunities and the demand for income, which may differ from one category of persons to another.

#### **Employment of disabled persons or person with functional difficulties**

A person with difficulty functioning may have activity limitations, which means problems an individual may have in executing activities.

For this survey, functional difficulty is classified into six core categories. The concepts and definitions are based on the International Classification of Functioning, Disability, and Health (ICF) of the World Health Organization (WHO). These difficulties are the following:

- a. Difficulty in seeing, even if wearing eyeglasses
  - Seeing refers to an individual using his/her eyes and vision capacity in order to perceive or observe what is happening around him/her.
- b. Difficulty in hearing, even if using a hearing aid
  - Hearing refers to an individual using his/her ears and auditory (or hearing) capacity in order to know what is being said to him/her or the sounds of activity, including danger that is happening around him/her.
- c. Difficulty in walking or climbing steps
  - Walking refers to an individual using his/her legs in such a way as to propel himself/herself over the ground to get from one point or place to another. The capacity to walk should be without assistance of any device or human. If such assistance is needed, the person has difficulty in walking.
  - Difficulty in walking also refers to any difficulty with walking (whether it is on flat land or up or down steps) that a person considers a problem.

#### d. Difficulty in remembering or concentrating

Difficulty in remembering or concentrating refers to a person who experiences a functional difficulty because of a health condition or health problem and may resort to taking notes, use of electronic reminder systems or with verbal cueing from personal assistants as a memory aid, and not because the person is busy or aging.

#### e. Difficulty in self-caring (bathing or dressing)

Bathing refers to the process of cleaning one's entire body (usually with a soap and water). The washing activity includes cleaning hair down to the feet, as well as gathering any necessary items for bathing such as soap, shampoo, washcloth, or water.

Dressing refers to all aspects of putting clothing or garments on the upper and lower body, including the feet. Gathering clothing from storage areas (such as closet or dressers), securing buttons, tying knots, zipping, and others, should be considered part of the dressing activity.

This question refers not only to the washing of one's entire body but also includes all aspects of dressing the upper or lower body.

Difficulty in self-caring also refers to a person who is using assistive device or getting help from someone in bathing or dressing due to a health condition.

#### f. Difficulty in communicating

Communicating refers to an individual's exchanging information or ideas with other people through the use of language.

Difficulty may be experienced due to communication-related factors, such as hearing loss, language problems after a stroke, stuttering, anxiety, or any other factor related to a health condition.

Difficulty in communication considers the person's usual mode of communication (such as spoken language, sign language, gestural, or with an assistive device such as a hearing aid) and situations such as when others babble, with background noise, or with distractions. Difficulty in communication should be health-related.

#### Reference period

The interviews are uniformly distributed for the entire quarter, being carried out continuously (weekly) in each month of a given quarter. The reference period is a week, prior to the interview.

#### **Unemployment rate**

The unemployment rate is the proportion of the unemployed population to the total population in the labour force.



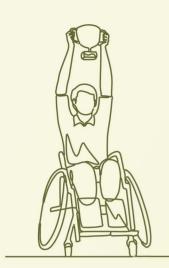






## **CHAPTER 2**











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#### **Socio-Demographic Profile of Persons with Disabilities**

This chapter deals in the socio-demographic profile of persons with disabilities aged 15 year and older. The characteristics that have been discussed are age, sex & locality, distribution of disabled persons by age group, household head, tenancy status of dwelling houses, sources of lighting, type of fuel used for cooking, households by toilet facilities and sources of drinking water. These characteristics have been presented by urban-rural breakdown.

#### 2.1: Persons with disabilities aged 15 years and older by locality and sex

Persons with disabilities aged 15 years and over by locality and sex has been presented in Table 2.1. It is observed from the table that total number of disabled populations are 3379 thousand in the country of which 2501 thousand in the rural area and 878 thousand in the urban area. Among these disabled persons 1812 thousand were male and 1567 thousand were female. In the rural area 1331 thousand were male whereas, 1170 thousand were female. On the other hand, 481 thousand were male in the urban area as against 397 thousand were female.

As regards percentage distribution of disabled persons by residence it is observed that 74.02% live in the rural area while 25.98% live in the urban area. Among the male, 73.45% live in the rural area and 26.55% live in the urban area. For the female, 74.66% live in the rural area and 25.34% live in the urban area.

As regards share of disabled, 53.62% are male and 46.38% are female. In the rural area 39.39% are male and 34.63% are female of total disabled persons. In the urban area 14.23% are male and 11.75% are female of total disabled persons.

Table 2.1: Distribution of the persons with disabilities in working age population/aged 15 years and older by sex and locality

Lacality	Number (In '000)			Share of sex by locality (%)			Overall share of disabled (%)		
Locality	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Rural	1,331	1,170	2,501	73.45%	74.66%	74.02%	39.39%	34.63%	74.02%
Urban	481	397	878	26.55%	25.34%	25.98%	14.23%	11.75%	25.98%
National	1,812	1,567	3,379	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	53.63%	46.37%	100.00%

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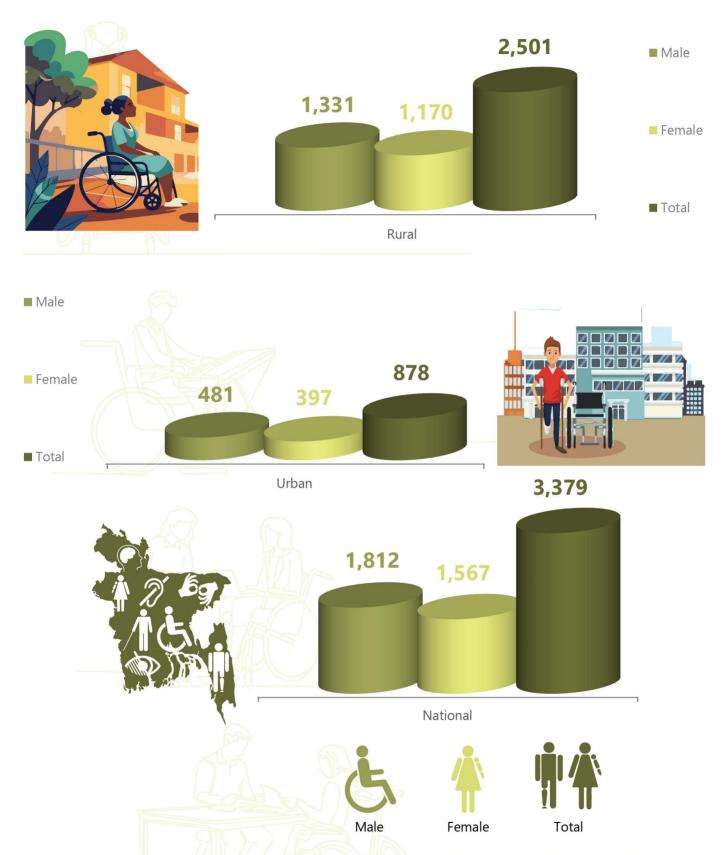


Figure 2.1: Distribution of the persons with disabilities in working age population/aged 15 years and older by sex and locality

## 2.2: Working age population persons with disabilities aged 15 years and older by age and sex

Working age population persons with disabilities aged 15 years and older by age and sex have been presented in Table 2.2. It is revealed from the table that disabled population increases with increase of age with few exceptions. The highest disabled persons were found in the age group 65 years and over (44.47%) followed by age 60-64 (11.34%) and age group 55-59 (8.32%). This fact is also true for both male and female disabled population.

Table 2.2: Distribution of working age population of the persons with disabilities by sex and age group

Age group	Number Number (In '000)		%		% of total persons with disabilities				
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
15-19	105	71	176	5.79%	4.53%	5.21%	3.11%	2.10%	5.21%
20-24	83	54	137	4.58%	3.45%	4.05%	2.46%	1.60%	4.06%
25-29	71	54	125	3.92%	3.45%	3.70%	2.10%	1.60%	3.70%
30-34	68	50	118	3.75%	3.19%	3.49%	2.01%	1.48%	3.49%
35-39	77	62	139	4.25%	3.96%	4.11%	2.28%	1.83%	4.11%
40-44	75	62	137	4.14%	3.96%	4.05%	2.22%	1.83%	4.05%
45-49	88	79	167	4.86%	5.04%	4.94%	2.60%	2.34%	4.94%
50-54	106	107	213	5.85%	6.83%	6.30%	3.14%	3.17%	6.31%
55-59	134	147	281	7.40%	9.38%	8.32%	3.97%	4.35%	8.32%
60-64	209	174	383	11.53%	11.10%	11.33%	6.19%	5.15%	11.34%
65+	796	707	1,503	43.93%	45.12%	44.48%	23.55%	20.92%	44.47%
Total	1,812	1,567	3,379	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	53.63%	46.37%	100.00%

#### 2.3: Disability status of head of household by sex and locality

The disability status of heads of households has been presented in Table 2.3. It is observed from the table that 84.61% heads of disabled families were male as against 15.39% for female. In the rural area 81.61% heads of disabled households were male and 18.39% were female. In the urban area 85.69% heads were male as against 14.31% were female.

Table 2.3: Distribution of sex of the head of the households of persons with disabilities by area

Sex of the head of the household In percentage (%)	Rural	Urban	National
Male-Headed	81.61%	85.69%	84.61%
Female-Headed	18.39%	14.31%	15.39%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

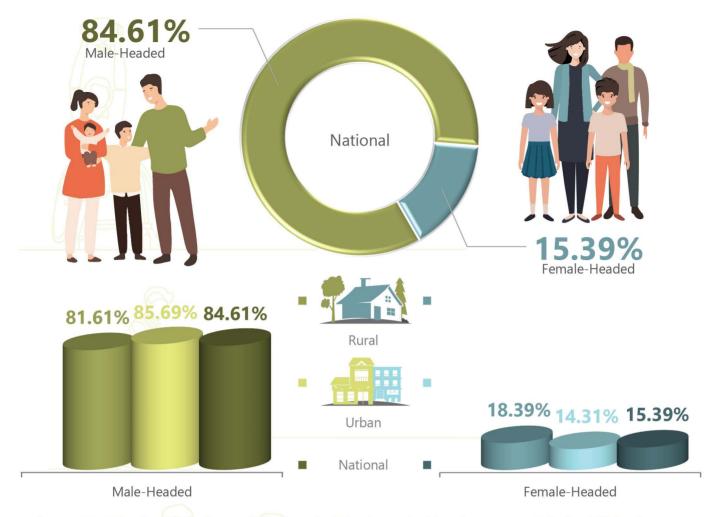


Figure 2.2: Distribution of sex of the head of the households of persons with disabilities by area

#### 2.4: Tenancy status of households with disabilities by locality

At the aggregate level 86.60% live in owned houses, 9.58% in rented houses and 3.82% live in rent free houses. In the rural area, 93.76% live in their own houses, 2.75% live in the rented houses and 3.49% live in rent-free houses. In the urban area, 66.22% live in owned houses, 29.00% live in rented houses and 4.78% live in rent-free houses.

Table 2.4: Distribution of ownership of the dwelling house of persons with disabilities by area

Type of Ownersh	nip In percentage (%)	Rural	Urban	National
Owned	Color Des	93.76%	66.22%	86.60%
Rental		2.75%	29.00%	9.58%
Rent-free		3.49%	4.78%	3.82%
Total		100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

#### 2.5: Sources of lighting of disabled household by locality

The sources of lighting of disabled households have been presented in Table 2.5. It is revealed from the Table that 97.99% households have connections of electricity in their household followed by solar panel (1.28%) and kerosene (0.69%). In the rural area 97.45% have electricity connection in their households followed by solar panel (1.67%) and kerosene (0.85%). In the urban area 99.52% households have electricity connection followed by kerosene and solar panel. It may be noted that use of solar panel is comparatively high in rural areas compared to its urban counterpart.

Table 2.5: Distribution of households of persons with disabilities by main sources of light area

Main source of light In percentage (%)	Rural	Urban	National
Electricity	97.45%	99.52%	97.99%
Kerosene	0.85%	0.24%	0.69%
Solar panel	1.67%	0.18%	1.28%
Others	0.03%	0.06%	0.04%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

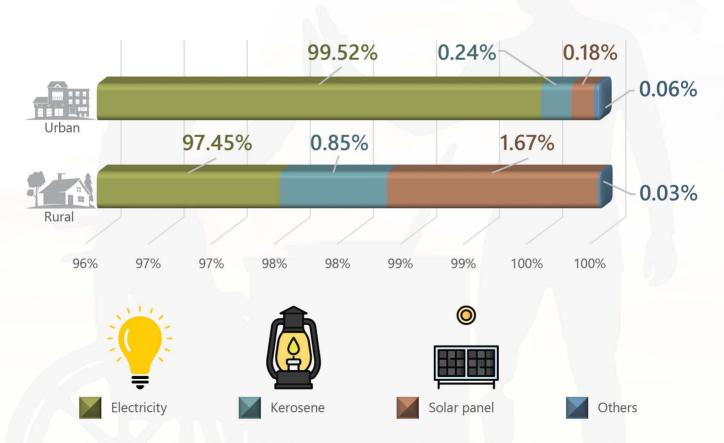


Figure 2.3: Distribution of households of persons with disabilities by main sources of light area

#### 2.6: Use of cooking fuel in the households with disabilities by locality

It is noticed that at the national level 43.84% households use wood/firewood for cooking followed by dung/leave/straw (36.55%) and natural gas/LPG (19.05%). The use of other fuels is insignificant. In the rural area 48.0% households use wood/firewood, 45.05% use dung/leave/straw and 6.86% use natural gas/LPG. The use of other fuels is insignificant. In the urban area, the highest 53.80% use Natural gas/LPG followed by wood/firewood (31.98%) and dung/leave/straw (12.35%). Only 1.59% use electricity as cooking fuel and the use of other fuels is insignificant.

Table 2.6: Distribution of households of persons with disabilities by type of fuel used for cooking and sex

Fuel used for cooking In percentage (%)	Rural	Urban	National
Wood/ Firewood	48.00%	31.98%	43.84%
Dung / Leave / Straw	45.05%	12.35%	36.55%
Natural Gas / LP Gas	6.86%	53.80%	19.05%
Bio-Gas	0.01%	0.23%	0.07%
Electricity	0.04%	1.59%	0.45%
Others	0.04%	0.05%	0.04%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

#### 2.7: Use of toilet facilities in the households with disabilities by locality

Use of toilet facilities in the households with disabilities has been presented in Table 2.7. It is revealed from the Table that at the national level the highest 45.94% use pit latrine followed by sanitary (water sealed) by 41.36% and katcha latrine (12.27%). It is frustrating that even today 0.43% hasno toilet. They use open field for defecation.

In the rural area as high as 53.50% use pit latrine followed by sanitary water sealed (30.77%) and katcha latrine (15.15%). There is no latrine for the 0.58% households and they use open space for defecation. In the urban area, as high as 71.53% households with disability use sanitary (water sealed) toilet followed by pit latrine (24.37%), katcha latrine (4.07%) and 0.03% households have no latrine. They use open space for defecation.

Table 2.7: Distribution of households of persons with disabilities by access to toilet facilities and sex

Type of toilet In perc	centage (%)	Rural	Urban	National
Sanitary (water-sealed)		30.77%	71.53%	41.36%
Pit latrine		53.50%	24.37%	45.94%
Katcha toilet		15.15%	4.07%	12.27%
Open air/No toilet		0.58%	0.03%	0.43%
Total		100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

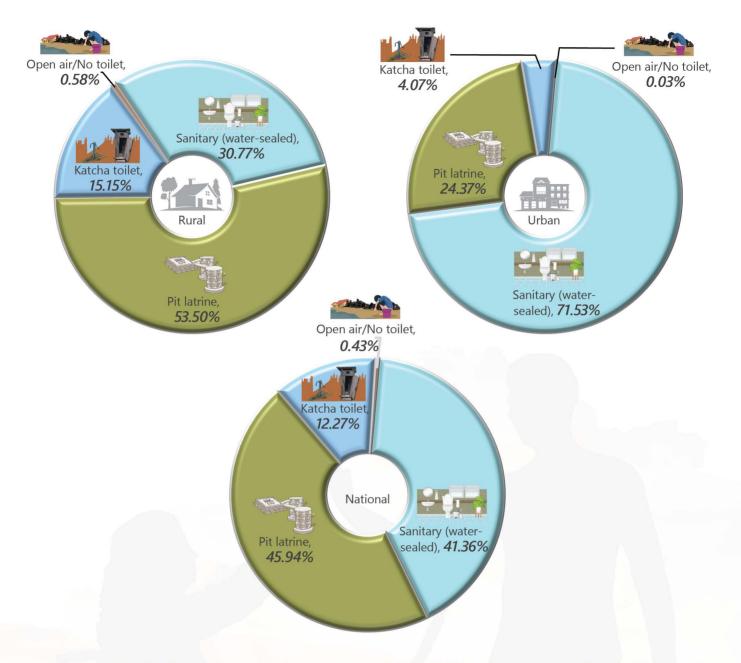


Figure 2.4: Distribution of households of persons with disabilities by access to toilet facilities and sex

### 2.8: Sources of drinking water of the households with disabilities by locality

The sources of drinking water of the households with disability have been presented in Table 2.8. It is seen from the table that at the national level as high as 82.39% use tubewell/deep tubewell as the source of drinking water followed by tap water. The use of other sources is insignificant.

In the rural area, the highest 91.93% households use tubewell/deep tubewell as a source for drinking water followed by tap water (5.37%) and pond/river/ditch/canal (1.11%). Other sources were used by 1.23% households. In the urban area, 55.23% use tubewell/deep tubewell, followed by tap water (44.16%) and pond/river/ditch/canal (0.34%). Other sources were used by 0.27% households.

Table 2.8: Distribution of households of persons with disabilities households by access to toilet facilities and sex (%)

Main source of drinking water In percentage (%)	Rural	Urban	National
Tap water	5.37%	44.16%	15.45%
Tube well/deep tube well	91.93%	55.23%	82.39%
Well	0.36%	0.00%	0.27%
Pond/River/ Ditch/ Canal	1.11%	0.34%	0.91%
Others	1.23%	0.27%	0.98%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

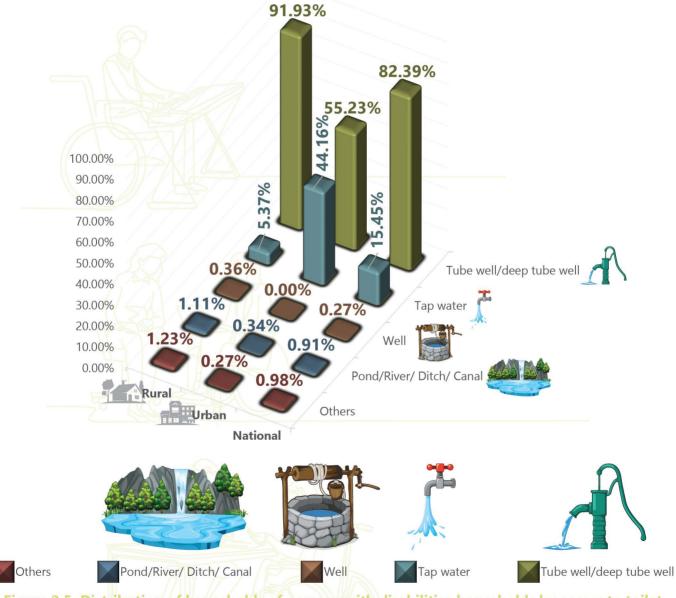
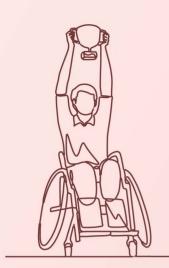


Figure 2.5: Distribution of households of persons with disabilities households by access to toilet facilities and sex (%)

# **CHAPTER 3**











### **Chapter 3**

### **Education and Vocational Training of Persons with Disabilities**

This chapter deals in education and vocational training of the persons with disabilities aged 15 years and older. In case of education, the level of education of disabled persons has been discussed. In case of vocational training, duration of training, type of training received and the name of institutions from where the training has been received are discussed in this chapter.

### 3.1: Literacy rate of persons with disabilities aged 15 years and older by sex

Literacy rate of persons with disabilities 15 years and older by sex has been presented in Table 3.1 and Figure 3.1. The literacy rate among the population with disabilities aged 15 years and older reveals significant gender disparities. Overall, 37.11% of individuals in this group are literate, while 62.89% are illiterate. When disaggregated by sex, the data shows that 44.98% of male with disabilities are literate compared to only 28.02% of female, highlighting a pronounced gap in educational attainment. Conversely, the illiteracy rate is higher among female, with 71.98%, compared to 55.02% for male. These figures underscore the need for targeted interventions to improve access to education for people with disabilities, particularly for women, to minimize the gender gap in literacy.

Table 3.1: Literacy rate of the population with disability aged 15 years and older by sex

Indicator I	n percentage (%)	Male	Female	Total
Literate		44.98%	28.02%	37.11%
Illiterate		55.02%	71.98%	62.89%
Total		100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

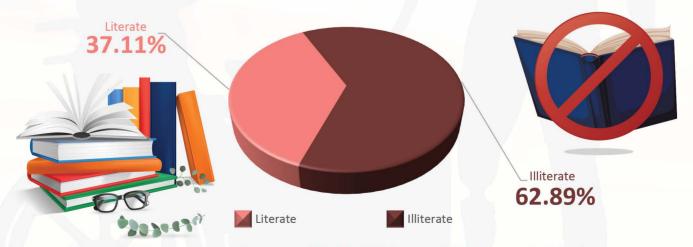


Figure 3.1 Literacy rate of person with disabilities aged 15 years and older by sex

### 3.2: Level of education of persons with disabilities aged 15 years and older by sex

Level of education of persons with disabilities has been presented in Table 3.2. It is observed from the table that among the disabled persons 63.48% have no class passed, 17.43% read up to primary level, 13.17% received education up to secondary level, 2.72% received education up to higher secondary level, 2.72% read up to tertiary level and 0.48% read in other levels.

There exists sex differential in the level of education of persons with disabilities. Among the no class passed; male 55.68% and female 72.5%. Primary education was attained by 18.93% male compared to 15.7% female. Secondary education was obtained by 16.61% male as against 9.19% female. Higher Secondary education passed male was 3.97% as compared to 1.27% female. Tertiary education was attained by 4.09% male as against 1.15% female. Other types of education were received by 0.72% male compared to 0.19% female.

Table 3.2: Distribution of persons with disabilities aged 15 and older, by level of completed education and sex

Level of education	Number (In Thousand)			In percentage (%)		
Level of education	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
No class passed	1,009	1,136	2,145	55.68%	72.50%	63.48%
Primary	343	246	589	18.93%	15.70%	17.43%
Secondary	301	144	445	16.61%	9.19%	13.17%
Higher Secondary	72	20	92	3.97%	1.27%	2.72%
Tertiary	74	18	92	4.09%	1.15%	2.72%
Others	13	3	16	0.72%	0.19%	0.48%
Total	1,812	1,567	3,379	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

# 3.3: Vocational training received by persons with disabilities aged 15 years and older by sex

Vocational training received by persons with disabilities has been presented in Table 3.3. It is revealed from the table that only 0.21% disabled person received vocational training and the rest 99.79% did not receive any vocational training. There exists a wide sex differential among persons with disabilities. In case of male 0.28% received some sort of vocational training as against only 0.13% female received such kind of vocational training. Among male 99.72% did not receive any sort of vocational training as against as high as female 99.87%.

Table 3.3: Status of Vocational training of persons with disabilities aged 15 years and older by sex

Vocational Training rec		Number (In Thousand)		In percentage (%)		
vocational Training rec	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Yes	CM \	2	7	0.28%	0.13%	0.21%
No	1,807	1,565	3,372	99.72%	99.87%	99.79%
Total	1,812	1,567	3,379	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

# 3.4: Duration of training received by persons with disabilities aged 15 years and older by sex

Duration of training received by persons with disabilities has been presented by Table 3.4. It is revealed from the table that 22.14% received training for less than one week., 6.85% for 1-2 weeks, 15.46% for 3-4 weeks, 30.33% for 1-3 months, 8.85% for 4-6 months and 16.37% for 6 months or above.

There exists variation between males and females in receiving vocational training. Less than one week training was received by 21.9% male compared to 22.57% for female. One to two weeks training was received by 8.28% male compared to 4.28% female. Three to four weeks training was received by 15.92% male compared to 14.65% female. One to three months training was received by 36.88% male as against 18.61% for female. Four to Six months training was received by 4.03% male compared to 17.48% female. More than six months training was received by 12.99% male as against 22.41% female.

Table 3.4: Persons with disabilities aged 15 and older who have received training, by sex and duration of training

Duration of training In percentage (%)	Male	Female	Total
<1 week	21.90%	22.57%	22.14%
1-2 weeks	8.28%	4.28%	6.85%
3-4 weeks	15.92%	14.65%	15.46%
1-3 months	36.88%	18.61%	30.33%
4-6 months	4.03%	17.48%	8.85%
>6 months	12.99%	22.41%	16.37%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

# 3.5: Types of vocational training received by persons with disabilities aged 15 years and older by sex

Table 3.5 provides an overview of the types of training received by disabled persons. The data indicates that 12.7% received computer training, 4.63% received training in craftsman/handicraft and cottage work, 3.29% on creative art/artists/photography, 20.87% on agriculture crop production and preservation, 8.64% on non-crop agricultural activities, 8.58% on health and paramedical services, 1.93% on driving and motor mechanic, 10.89% on foreign language, 1.48% on construction related works, 19.93% on ready-made garment and 7.06% on other discipline.

There exists a wide range of sex differential in the type of vocational training received by the disabled persons. Training in computer was received by 18.56% male and no female have got such training. Crafts/handicrafts and cottage work was received by 14.66% female and no male received such training. Creative art/artists/photography was received by 4.82% male no female received such training. Training on agriculture, crop production and preservation was received by 28.03% male as against 5.35% female. Training on non-crop agricultural activities was received by 27.16% female and no male received such training. Training on health and paramedical service was received by 27.16% female and no male have received such training. Training on driving and motor mechanic was received by 2.82% male and no female received such training. Training on construction related works was received by 2.16% male and no female received such training. Training as ready-made garments (RMG) was received by 19.76% male compared to 20.29% female. Training on other disciplines was received by 7.93% male as against 5.19% female.

Table 3.5: Distribution of persons with disabilities aged 15 years and older, by type of vocational training received and sex

Type of training In percentage (%)	Male	Female	Total
Computer	18.56%	0.00%	12.70%
Craftsman/handicraft and cottage work	0.00%	14.66%	4.63%
Creative arts/artists/photography	4.82%	0.00%	3.29%
Agriculture crop production and preserve	28.03%	5.35%	20.87%
Non-crop agricultural activities	0.00%	27.35%	8.64%
Health and paramedical services	0.00%	27.16%	8.58%
Driving and motor mechanic	2.82%	0.00%	1.93%
Foreign language	15.92%	0.00%	10.89%
Construction related works	2.16%	0.00%	1.48%
Ready-made Garments (RMG)	19.76%	20.29%	19.93%
Other	7.93%	5.19%	7.06%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

# 3.6: Vocational training received by persons with disabilities aged 15 years and older by sources of training by sex

The data presented in Table 3.6 and Figure 3.2 illustrate the vocational training received by disabled individuals from various sources. At the aggregate level, the majority, accounting for 51.85%, received training from government institute, followed by NGO at 23.21%, other institute at 12.53%, and joint venture institute at 12.41%.

A notable discrepancy exists in the sources of training between male and female among disabled individuals. The highest 60.13% male received training from government institute as against 37.05% for the female. Training of disabled female offered by NGO was 28.73% as against 20.12% for male. Training offered to disabled male by joint venture institute was 14.69% compared to 8.33% for the female. Training offered by other institutions was 5.06% for male and more than 5 times higher at 25.89% for female. No training was received by disabled persons from private institute and foreign institute.

Table 3.6: Persons with disabilities aged 15 years and older who have received training, by source of training and sex

Source of Training In p	ercentage (%)	Male	Female	Total
Government Institute	6.50	60.13%	37.05%	51.85%
Private Institute		0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
NGO		20.12%	28.73%	23.21%
Foreign Institute		0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Joint Venture Institute		14.69%	8.33%	12.41%
Others Institute		5.06%	25.89%	12.53%
Total		100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

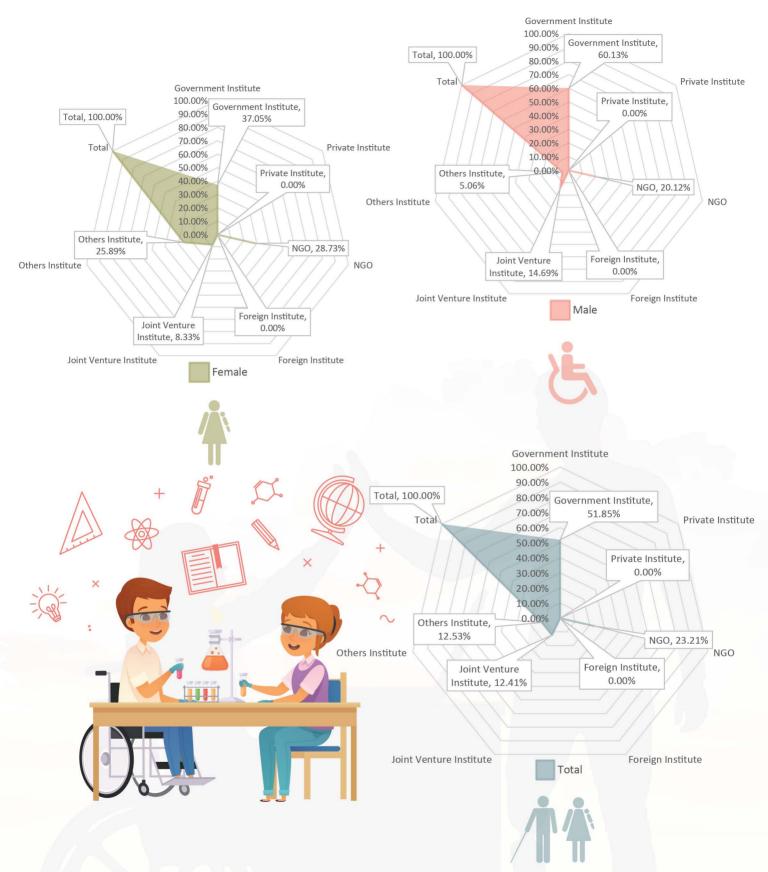
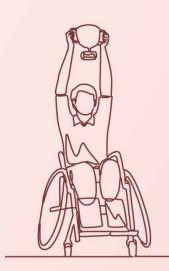


Figure 3.2 Vocational training received by persons with disabilities aged 15 years and older by sources of training



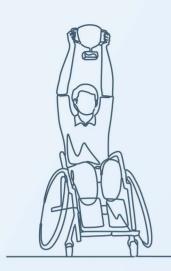






# **CHAPTER 4**











### **Chapter 4**

# Selected Characteristics of Labour Market Indicators with Disabilities

Chapter 4 presents selected characteristics of the labour force with disabilities, including data disaggregated by sex, employed and unemployed populations, individuals not in the labour force, unemployment rates, labour force participation rate, working hours, formal and informal employment, and employment by disability category. The estimates have been primarily prepared using the 13th ICLS framework. However, key variables have also been produced following the 19th ICLS framework to ensure global comparability.

### 4.1 Labour Force with disability by sex

The population aged 15 years and over that is engaged in economic activity, often known as the labour force includes both employed and unemployed people.

#### Labour Force = Employed + Unemployed

Labour force with disabilities by sex (13<sup>th</sup> ICLS) and their corresponding percentages have been presented in Table 4.1.1. It is revealed from the table that 761 thousand and 530 persons were disable in the labour force, of which 583 thousand and 900 were male and 177 thousand 630 were female. On the other hand, at the aggregate level, 72288 thousand and 470 persons were not disabled. Among the not disabled persons 46684 thousand 100 were male and 25604 thousand 370 persons were female. The percentage of disabled individuals at the national level was 1.04%. Among the total male population, 1.24% was disabled, and 0.69% was disabled among the total female population.

Table 4.1.1 Labour Force with disabilities by sex (13th ICLS)

Labour force	Male	Female	Total
In th	nousands		
With disabilities	583.90	177.63	761.53
Without disabilities	46,684.10	25,604.37	72,288.47
Total	47,268.00	25,782.00	73,050.00
In perc	entage (%)		
With disabilities	1.24%	0.69%	1.04%
Without disabilities	98.76%	99.31%	98.96%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

The table 4.1.2 presents the distribution of the labour force in Bangladesh by disability status and sex, based on the 19<sup>th</sup> ICLS framework. Among the total labour force of 59682 thousand individuals, 686,400 (1.15%) are persons with disabilities, comprising 559,610 male (1.19% of the male labour force) and 126,790 female (0.99% of the female labour force). In contrast, individuals without disabilities make up 98.85% of the total labour force, with 46321 thousand 460 male and 12673 thousand 840 female. This data highlights the relatively low participation rate of persons with disabilities in the labour market, particularly among women.

Table 4.1.2 Labour Force with disabilities by sex (19th ICLS)

Labour force	Male	Female	Total
In thousands			
With disabilities	559.61	126.79	686.40
Without disabilities	46,321.46	12,673.84	58,995.30
Total	46,881.00	12,801.00	59,682.00
In percentage (%)			
With disabilities	1.19%	0.99%	1.15%
Without disabilities	98.81%	99.01%	98.85%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

### 4.2 Employed population with disabilities by sex

The characteristics of the employed population are discussed in this chapter, including employment by industry, occupation, job status and educational attainment. Persons in employment are defined as all those of working age who, during a short reference period (last seven days) were engaged in any activity to produce goods or provide services for pay or profit and unpaid family helper according to 19<sup>th</sup> ICLS and own use consumption of goods works includes in 13<sup>th</sup> ICLS. They comprise:

- a) employed persons "at work", i.e. who worked in a job for at least one hour;
- b) employed persons "not at work" due to temporary absence from a job, or to working-time arrangements (such as shift work, flexitime and compensatory leave for overtime).

**Employed (13th ICLS) =** Employed for pay or profit or own use consumption of goods work

**Employed (19th ICLS) =** Employed only for pay or profit and excludes own use consumption of goods work

Employed persons with disabilities by sex have been presented in Table 4.2.1 based on 13th ICLS. It is revealed from the table that at the aggregate level 749 thousand 80 were disabled persons of which 574 thousand 880 were male and 174 thousand 200 were female. Alternatively, 69718 thousand 920 were not disabled of which 45037 thousand 120 were male and 24681 thousand 800 were female. Among the total population, the percentage distribution of the employed disabled population at the aggregate level was 1.06%. For male it was 1.26%, while for female it was much less than that of their male counterpart at 0.7%. The rest of the employed persons for total, male and female were not disabled.

Table 4.2.1 Employed population with disabilities by sex (13th ICLS)

Employed population	Male	Female	Total
In thousands			
With disabilities	574.88	174.20	749.08
Without disabilities	45,037.12	24,681.80	69,718.92
Total	45,612.00	24,856.00	70,468.00
In percentage (%)			
With disabilities	1.26%	0.70%	1.06%
Without disabilities	98.74%	99.30%	98.94%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

The table 4.2.2 outlines the employed population in Bangladesh by disability status and sex, as per the 19th ICLS framework. Of the total employed population of 56,172,970 individuals, 665,740 (1.19%) are persons with disabilities, including 545,200 male (1.22% of employed male) and 120,540 female (1.05% of employed female). The vast majority, 98.81%, of the employed population does not have disabilities, comprising 44,130,180 male and 113,77,050 female. These figures indicate that persons with disabilities, particularly women, remain underrepresented in the employed workforce.

Table 4.2.2 Employed population with disabilities by sex (19th ICLS)

Employed population	Male	Female	Total
In the	ousands		
With disabilities	545.20	120.54	665.74
Without disabilities	44,130.18	11,377.05	55,507.23
Total	44,675.38	11,497.59	56,172.97
In perce	entage (%)		
With disabilities	1.22%	1.05%	1.19%
Without disabilities	98.78%	98.95%	98.81%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

### 4.3 Unemployed population by disabilities and sex

Persons in unemployment are defined as all those of working age who were not in employment, carried out activities to seek employment during a specified recent period and were currently available to take up employment given a job opportunity.

To seek employment refers to any activity when carried out, during a specified recent period comprising the previous four weeks or one month, for the purpose of finding a job or setting up a business or agricultural undertaking. This includes also part-time, informal, temporary, seasonal or casual employment, within the national territory or abroad.

Currently available serves as a test of readiness to start a job in the present, assessed with respect to a short reference period not exceeding two weeks in total, so as to ensure adequate coverage of unemployment situations among different population groups. Here, available for last seven days and next 14 days were considered. According to 13<sup>th</sup> ICLS unemployment considered last seven days whereas 19<sup>th</sup> ICLS unemployment considered currently available both last seven days and next 14 days.

Future starters defined as persons not in employment and currently available who did not seek employment because they had already made arrangements to start a job within a short subsequent period, set according to the general length of waiting time for starting a new job. Future starter conditions applied only estimation unemployment according to 19th ICLS.

Unemployed population by disability and sex has been illustrated in Table 4.3.1 based on 13<sup>th</sup> ICLS. Overall, 2582 thousand people were unemployed of which 1656 thousand were male and 926 thousand were female. It is seen from the table that at the national level 12 thousand 450 disabled persons were unemployed of which 9 thousand 20 were male and 3 thousand 430 were female. The remaining of the unemployed population at the national level as well as in the male and female categories was not disabled. At the national level 0.48% of the total unemployed populations were disabled. Among the unemployed male 0.54% were disabled and among the unemployed female 0.37% were disabled. The rest of the unemployed population at the national level, as well as in the male and female categories, were not disabled.

Table 4.3.1 Unemployed population with disabilities by sex (13th ICLS)

Unemployed population	Male	Female	Total
In thousands			
With disabilities	9.02	3.43	12.45
Without disabilities	1,646.98	922.57	2,569.55
Total	1,656.00	926.00	2,582.00
In percentage (%)			
With disabilities	0.54%	0.37%	0.48%
Without disabilities	99.46%	99.63%	99.52%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

The table 4.3.2 provides data on the unemployed population in Bangladesh by disability status, sex, and quarters, based on the 19th ICLS framework. Out of the total unemployed population of 35,08,730 individuals, 20,660 (0.59%) are persons with disabilities, comprising 14,410 male (0.65% of unemployed male) and 6,250 female (0.48% of unemployed female). The majority, 99.41%, of the unemployed population consists of individuals without disabilities, including 21,91,280 male and 12,96,790 female. These figures highlight the low representation of persons with disabilities particularly women within the unemployed population.

Table 4.3.2 Unemployed population with disabilities by sex (19th ICLS)

Unemployed population	Male	Female	Total
In thousands			
With disabilities	14.41	6.25	20.66
Without disabilities	2,191.28	1,296.79	3,488.07
Total	2,205.69	1,303.04	3,508.73
In percentage (%)			
With disabilities	0.65%	0.48%	0.59%
Without disabilities	99.35%	99.52%	99.41%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

#### 4.4 Outside Labour Force with disabilities and sex

These are persons of working age who were neither in employment nor in unemployment in the short reference period (last seven days).

Disabled population not in the labour force and non-disabled person in the labour force have been illustrated in Table 4.4.1 based on 13th ICLS. It is revealed from the table that 2617 thousand and 470 persons with disability were not in labour force, with population for male and female were 1228 thousand 100 and 1389 thousand and 370. The total labour force at aggregate level was 46325 thousand of which 43707 thousand 530 were not disabled. For the total labour force male were 11823 thousand of which 10594 thousand 900 were not disabled. On the other hand, out of 34502 thousand female 33112 thousand 630 were not disabled. At the aggregate level 5.65% were disabled and such percentage for male was 10.39% and for female it was only 4.03%. The rest labour force at the aggregate level was not disabled and such percentage for male was 89.61%, for female 95.97% and for total 94.35%.

Table 4.4.1 Outside labour force with disability by sex (13th ICLS)

Not in Labour Force	Male	Female	Total
In thousands			
With disabilities	1,228.10	1,389.37	2,617.47
Without disabilities	10,594.90	33,112.63	43,707.53
Total	11,823.00	34,502.00	46,325.00
In percentage (%)			
With disabilities	10.39%	4.03%	5.65%
Without disabilities	89.61%	95.97%	94.35%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

The table 4.4.2 provides data on the population not in the labour force in Bangladesh by disability status and sex, following the 19th ICLS framework. Out of the total 596,79,490 individuals not in the labour force, 26,93,450 (4.51%) are persons with disabilities, with 12,52,620 male (10.27% of male not in the labour force) and 14,40,830 female (3.03% of female not in the labour force). The majority, 95.49%, consists of individuals without disabilities, including 109,49,030 male and 460,37,020 female. These figures highlight that female, both with and without disabilities; dominate the population not participating in the labour force.

Table 4.4.2 Not in labor force with disabilities by sex (19th ICLS)

Not in Labour Force	Male	Female	Total
In thousands			
With disabilities	1,252.62	1,440.83	2,693.45
Without disabilities	10,949.03	46,037.02	56,986.05
Total	12,201.64	47,477.85	59,679.49
In percentage (%)			
With disabilities	10.27%	3.03%	4.51%
Without disabilities	89.73%	96.97%	95.49%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

### 4.5 Unemployment Rate (%) for 15 years and over by disability

Unemployment Rate (UR) = 
$$\frac{Total\ unemployed\ population}{LabourForce} \times 100$$

The unemployment rates for the population 15 years and over by disability have been presented in Table 4.5.1. It is noticed from the table that overall, 3.53% were unemployed, but for the disabled population, the percentage was 1.63%, while for non-disabled persons, it was 3.55%. The unemployment rate for male was 3.50% at the aggregate level, with 1.54% for the disabled population and 3.53% for the non-disabled population. For female, at the aggregate level, 3.59% were unemployed. On the other hand, for the disabled population, such rate was 1.93%, while it was 3.60% for the non-disabled.

Table 4.5.1 Unemployment rate aged 15 or older by disability (13th ICLS)

Unemployment Ra	ate In percentage (%)	Male	Female	Total
With disabilities		1.54%	1.93%	1.63%
Without disabilities		3.53%	3.60%	3.55%
Total		3.50%	3.59%	3.53%

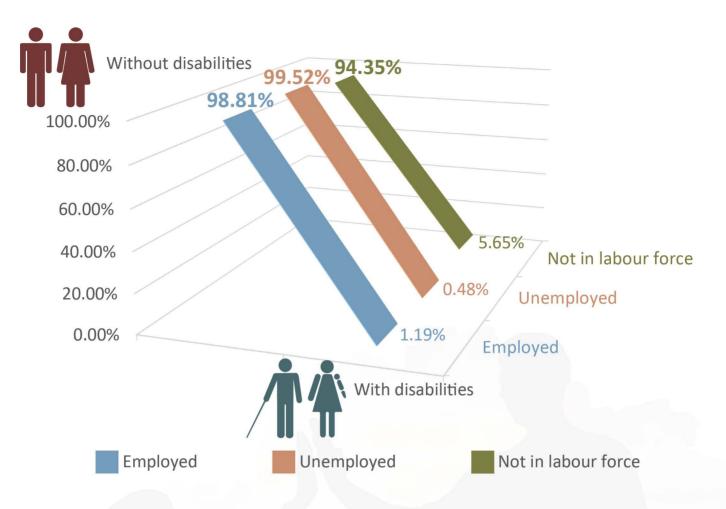


Figure 4.1 Working age population by disability status and employed, unemployed and not in labour force (In %)

The table 4.5.2 presents unemployment rates for individuals aged 15 or older in Bangladesh by disability status and sex, following the 19th ICLS framework. Among persons with disabilities, the unemployment rate is 3.01%, with male at 2.58% and female at 4.93%. In comparison, individuals without disabilities have a higher overall unemployment rate of 5.91%, with male at 4.73% and female at 10.23%. These figures reveal that while persons with disabilities have lower unemployment rates overall, women with disabilities face significantly higher unemployment compared to their male counterparts.

Table 4.5.2 Unemployment rate aged 15 or older by disability (19th ICLS)

Unemployment Rate In percentage (%)	Male	Female	Total
With disabilities	2.58%	4.93%	3.01%
Without disabilities	4.73%	10.23%	5.91%
Total	4.70%	10.18%	5.88%

## 4.6 Distribution of employed population with disabilities, by status in employment and sex

Table 4.6 presents the employed population with disabilities, sex and employment status. It is revealed from the data set that overall, among the employed population with disability, 239.07 thousand were employee, 26.13 thousand were employer, 408.71 thousand were own account worker, 70.19 thousand were contributing family helper and 4.98 thousand were listed as others. The total employed population with disability in the country stands at 749.08 thousand. Among the male population, 201.17 thousand were employee, whereas 37.9 thousand were for the female counterpart. In the case of employer, male were 23.81 thousand and female were 2.32 thousand. The total employer number stands at 26.13 thousand.

Regarding own account worker, 317.30 thousand were male compared to 91.41 for female and the total own account workers stand at 408.71 thousand. For contributing family helper, the number of male stands at 29.29 thousand and female at 40.90 thousand, making a total number of 70.19 thousand contributing family helper.In the case of other employment 3.31 thousand were male and 1.67 thousand were female, resulting in a total of 4.98 thousand. Overall, there were 574.88 thousand male and 174.20 thousand female among the total employed population with disability, which adds up to 749.08 thousand.

The percentage distribution in the same table shows that own account workers dominate among employed male population with disability followed by employee. The corresponding percentages are 55.19% and 34.99%. respectively. However, in case of female population with disability, own account workers' contribution is as high as 52.47% followed by contributing family helper (23.48%). For the percentage distribution of the total, the percentage of own-account workers (54.56%) is the highest, followed by employee at 31.92%, similar to the pattern observed in the male category.

Table 4.6 Distribution of employed population with disabilities, by status in employment and sex(13th ICLS)

Status in employment	Male	Female	Total
In thousands			
Employee	201.17	37.90	239.07
Employer	23.81	2.32	26.13
Own account worker	317.30	91.41	408.71
Contributing family helper	29.29	40.90	70.19
Others	3.31	1.67	4.98
Total	574.88	174.20	749.08
In percentage (%)			
Employee	34.99%	21.76%	31.92%
Employer	4.15%	1.33%	3.49%
Own account worker	55.19%	52.47%	54.56%
Contributing family helper	5.09%	23.48%	9.37%
Others	0.58%	0.96%	0.66%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

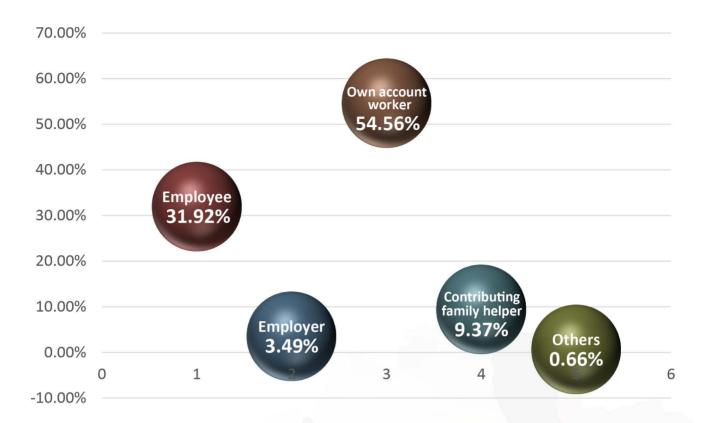


Figure 4.2 Distribution of employed population with disabilities, by status in employment and sex (In %)

### 4.7 Percentage of Employed Population with Disabilities by Broad Economic Sector

The statistics regarding employed population with disability by broad economic sector has been presented in the Table 4.7.It can be construed from the table that Agricultural dominates in the field of employment for disable persons. In case of male their percentage is 47.94% followed by service sector at 39.47% and the rest are employed in industry (12.59%). Similar patterns are also observed for female category and also at the aggregate level.

Table 4.7 Employed population with disabilities by main economic sector (13th ICLS)

Economic Sector In percentage (%)	Male	Female	Total
Agriculture	47.94%	66.09%	52.16%
Industry	12.59%	6.33%	11.13%
Service	39.47%	27.58%	36.71%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

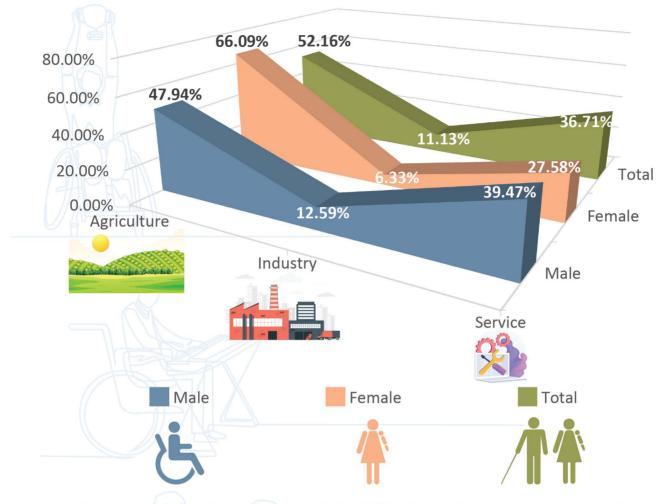


Figure 4.3 Employed population with disabilities by main economic sector (In %)

### 4.8 Percentage of Employed Population with Disabilities by Formal and Informal Sector

Employed population with disability by formal and informal sector has been provided in Table 4.8. It is seen from the table that informal sector dominates in the employment of disabled person. According to the data presented in Table 4.8, the percentage of male in informal sector is 84.26%, whereas the percentage of female in informal sector is 96.87%. The rest of the male and female are in the formal sector. This information indicates that disabled persons have less opportunity to be employed in the formal sector. Most of them are instead employed in informal sector.

Table 4.8 Employed population with disabilities by informal and formal sector and sex (13th ICLS)

Status in employn	nent In percentage (%)	Male	Female	Total
Informal		84.26%	96.87%	87.19%
Formal		15.74%	3.13%	12.81%
Total		100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

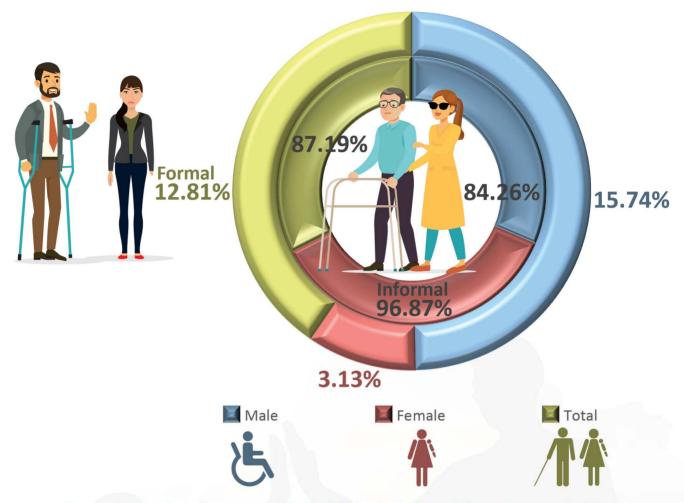


Figure 4.4 Employed persons with disabilities by informal/formal sector (In %)

### 4.9 Employed Population with Disabilities by Type

The statistics associated with employed population with disabilities type has been presented in Table 4.9. It can be inferred from the table is that among male the highest 40.71% had difficulty of walking or climbing followed by difficulty in seeing (33.56%) and difficulty in hearing (19.36%). This pattern is also visible among female and aggregate disabled persons in employment. The corresponding percentage for female are 36.18% for walking or climbing, 29.50% for difficulty in seeing and 25.33% for difficulty in hearing.

Table 4.9 Employed population with disabilities by type in disability and sex

Indicators	Male	Female	Total
In thousands			
Employed population	45,612.00	24,856.00	70,468.00
Employed population with disability	574.88	174.20	749.08

Indicators	Male	Female	Total
In percentage (%)			
Difficulty of seeing	33.56%	29.50%	32.62%
Difficulty of hearing	19.36%	25.53%	20.80%
Difficulty of walking or climbing stairs	40.71%	36.18%	39.65%
Difficulty of communication	14.67%	20.06%	15.92%
Difficulty of remembering or concentrating	7.92%	9.41%	8.27%
Difficulty of self-care	7.75%	10.05%	8.29%

# 4.10 Average Number of Hours Worked by Disabled persons in Employment per week (In Hours)

Average number of hours worked by disabled persons per week has been presented in Table 4.10. It is observed from the tables that, for the male the average number of hours worked by disabled persons per week stands at 44 hours at the national level, such number in the rural and urban were 42 hours and 46 hours respectively. For the female average hours worked per week at the national level was 31 hours and such number for female at the rural and urban areas were 29 and 33 hours respectively. At the national level an employed person with disability worked for 38 hours in a week and 40 hours in the urban area and 36 hours in the rural area.

Table 4.10 Average number of hours employed persons with disabilities worked per week, by sex and area (13th ICLS)

Average number of hour	Male	Female	Total
In Hour			
Rural	42	29	36
Urban	46	33	40
Bangladesh	44	31	38

### 4.11 Average Monthly Earnings of Employed with Disabilities by sex and locality

Statistics regarding average monthly earnings of employers with disabilities have been provided in Table 4.11. It is seen that for male it was BDT 10210.22 in the rural area and BDT 14817.30 in the urban area. At the national level the amount was BDT 12513.76. From the data presented in Table 4.11, it can be observed that the average monthly earnings of female employers in the rural area was BDT 8624.39 and in the urban area was 8228.14. At the national level the figures stand at BDT 8426.27 only. The average monthly income of a person with disability was TK 10470.01 at the national level, it was TK 11,552.72 in urban area and TK 9417.31 in the rural area.

Table 4.11 Average monthly earnings of employed with disabilities by sex and locality (13th ICLS)

Average monthly earnings	Male	Female	Total
(In BDT)			
Rural	10,210.22	8,624.39	9,417.31
Urban	14,817.30	8,228.14	11,522.72
Bangladesh	12,513.76	8,426.27	10,470.01

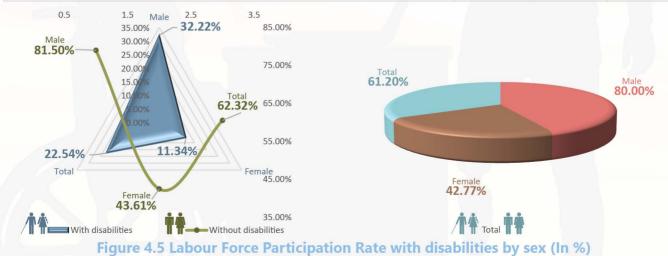
### 4.12 Labour Force Participation Rate with Disabilities by Sex

Labour Force Participation Rate (LFPR) = 
$$\frac{Labour Force}{Population 15 years and older} \times 100$$

Labour force participation rate of the persons with disabilities has been presented in Table 4.12.1 based on 13th ICLS. It is seen from the table that the participation rate for male in labour force at the national level was 80.00%. It was 32.22% for persons with disabilities and 81.50% for persons without disability. For the female the rates for disabled persons were 11.34% and 43.61% for persons without disability. At the national level it was 42.77%. At the national level the participation rate for persons with disabilities was 22.54% and it was 62.32% for persons without disability and 61.20% at aggregate level.

Table 4.12.1 Labour Force Participation Rate with disabilities by sex (13th ICLS)

Labour Force Participation Rate In percentage (%)	Male	Female	Total
With disabilities	32.22%	11.34%	22.54%
Without disabilities	81.50%	43.61%	62.32%
Total	80.00%	42.77%	61.20%



The table 4.12.2 illustrates the labour force participation rate (LFPR) in Bangladesh by disability status and sex, as per the 19<sup>th</sup> ICLS framework. Among persons with disabilities, the LFPR is 20.31%, with a significant gender gap: 30.88% for male and only 8.09% for female. In comparison, individuals without disabilities have a much higher LFPR of 50.87%, with 80.88% for male and 21.59% for female. The overall LFPR stands at 50.00%, reflecting the considerable disparities in labour market participation, particularly among female with disabilities.

Table 4.12.2 Labour Force Participation Rate with disabilities by sex (19th ICLS)

Labour Force Participation Rate In percentage (%)	Male	Female	Total
With disabilities	30.88%	8.09%	20.31%
Without disabilities	80.88%	21.59%	50.87%
Total	79.35%	21.24%	50.00%

### 4.13 Employment to Population Ratio (%) for Persons with Disabilities

Employment to population ratio of persons with disability has been presented in Table 4.13.It is seen from the table that the ratio is 31.73% for persons with disability in case of male and 78.63% for persons without disability and at the national level it was 77.19%. For female the rate was 11.12% for persons with disability and 42.04% for persons without disability and at the national level it was 41.23% for female. At the national level the rate was 22.17% for persons without disability, 60.10% for persons without disability and 59.03% at the national level.

Table 4.13 Employment-to-population ratio (working age population 15 years and older) with disability status and sex (13th ICLS)

Employment to population ratio In percentage (%)	Male	Female	Total
With disabilities	31.73%	11.12%	22.17%
Without disabilities	78.63%	42.04%	60.10%
Total State of the	77.19%	41.23%	59.03%

# 4.14 Distribution of persons with disabilities, by level of completed education and informal/ formal employment

The data presents a breakdown of education levels among persons with disabilities population, highlighting both the number of individuals (in thousands) and their percentage distribution across different education levels. The majority (49.74%) persons with disabilities have not attained school or passed any class, with a significant portion (54.25%) being in informal education. Primary education accounts for 23.52% of the total, followed by secondary education at 17.78%. Higher secondary and tertiary levels represent smaller segments, 3.74% and 4.74%, respectively, with a nearly equal split between formal and informal education at the tertiary level. The others category is minimal, comprising only 0.48% of the total.

Table 4.14 Distribution of persons with disabilities aged 15 and older, by level of completed education and informal/ formal employment(13<sup>th</sup> ICLS)

Lovel of advention	Number (In Thousand)		In percentage (%)			
Level of education	Informal	Formal	Total	Informal	Formal	Total
No class passed/ Not attained school	354	18	373	54.25%	19.03%	49.74%
Primary	152	25	176	23.22%	25.55%	23.52%
Secondary	109	25	133	16.64%	25.58%	17.78%
Higher Secondary	18	10	28	2.72%	10.70%	3.74%
Tertiary	18	17	36	2.82%	17.87%	4.74%
Others	2	1	4	0.36%	1.27%	0.48%
Total	653	96	749	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

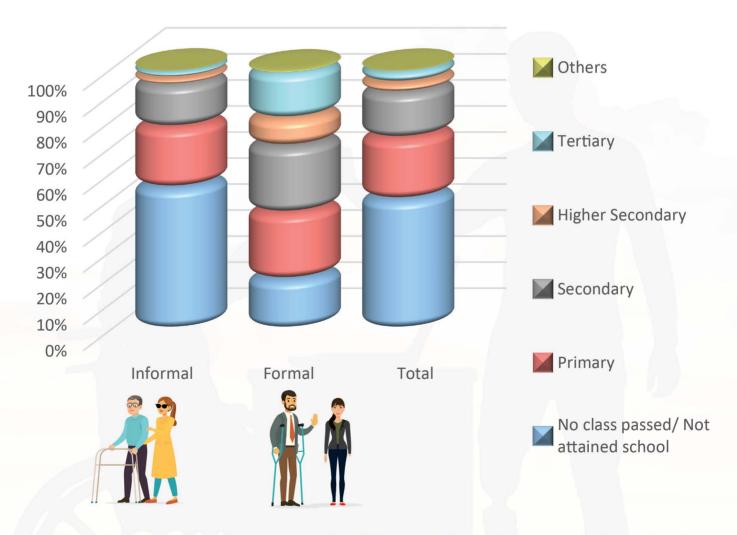


Figure 4.6 Distribution of persons with disabilities aged 15 and older, by level of completed education and informal/ formal employment(In %)

### 4.15 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty seeing by sex

The data provide insights into the employed population with disabilities, specifically focusing on difficulties related to seeing, broken down by sex. Out of a total of 749.08 thousand individuals, 504.75 thousand (67.38%) do not have difficulty seeing, while 244.33 thousand (32.62%) do. Among male, 66.44% do not experience seeing difficulties, compared to 70.5% of female. Conversely, 33.56% of male and 29.5% of female reported the difficulties in seeing. This indicates that a slightly higher proportion of female in the employed disabled population do not face visual challenges compared to their male counterparts.

Table 4.15 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty seeing by sex (13th ICLS)

Difficulty seeing	Male	Female	Total
In thousands			
Not difficulty of seeing	381.94	122.81	504.75
Difficulty of seeing	192.94	51.39	244.33
Total	574.88	174.20	749.08
In percentage (%)			
Not difficulty of seeing	66.44%	70.50%	67.38%
Difficulty of seeing	33.56%	29.50%	32.62%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

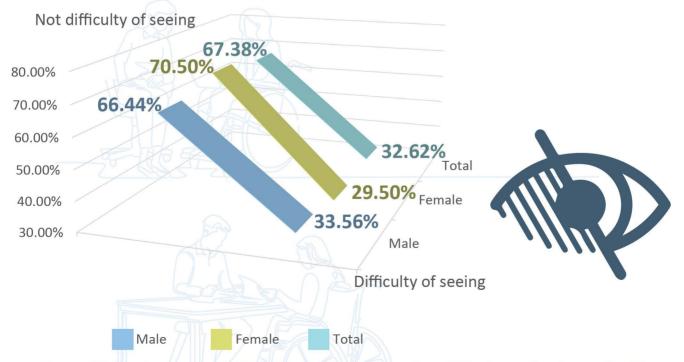


Figure 4.7 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty seeing by sex (In %)

### 4.16 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty hearing by sex

The data examine the employed population with disabilities, focusing on hearing difficulties, and categorizes it by sex. Out of 749.08 thousand individuals, 593.29 thousand (79.2%) do not experience hearing difficulties, while 155.79 thousand (20.8%) do. Among male, 80.64% do not have hearing difficulties, compared to 74.47% of female. On the other hand, 19.36% of male and 25.53% of female reported the difficulties in hearing. This suggests that a higher percentage of female in the employed disabled population face hearing challenges compared to male.

Table 4.16 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty hearing by sex (13th ICLS)

Difficulty hearing	Male	Female	Total
In thousands			
Not difficulty of hearing	463.56	129.73	593.29
Difficulty of hearing	111.32	44.47	155.79
Total	574.88	174.20	749.08
In percentage (%)			
Not difficulty of hearing	80.64%	74.47%	79.20%
Difficulty of hearing	19.36%	25.53%	20.80%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

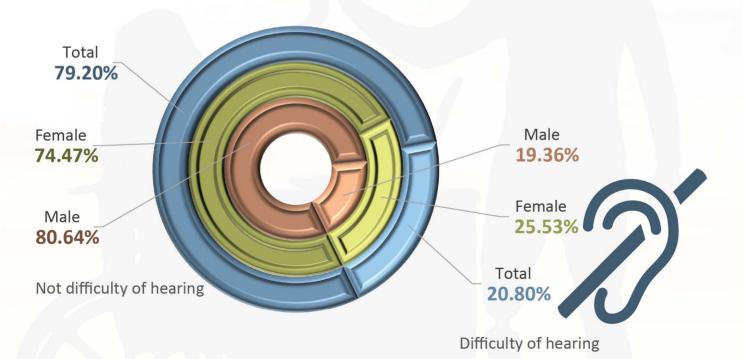


Figure 4.8 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty hearing by sex (In %)

### 4.17 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty walking by sex

The data present the employed population with disabilities, focusing on difficulties related to walking, and is categorized by sex. Out of a total of 749.08 thousand individuals, 452.04 thousand (60.35%) do not have difficulty walking, while 297.04 thousand (39.65%) do. Among male, 59.29% do not experience walking difficulties, compared to 63.82% of female. Conversely, 40.71% of male and 36.18% of female reported the difficulties in walking. This indicates that a higher proportion of male in the employed disabled population face challenges related to walking compared to their female counterparts.

Table 4.17 Employed population with disability who face difficulty walking by sex (13th ICLS)

Difficulty walking	Male	Female	Total
In thousands			
Not difficulty of walking	340.87	111.17	452.04
Difficulty of walking	234.01	63.03	297.04
Total	574.88	174.20	749.08
In percentage (%	5)		
Not difficulty of walking	59.29%	63.82%	60.35%
Difficulty of walking	40.71%	36.18%	39.65%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

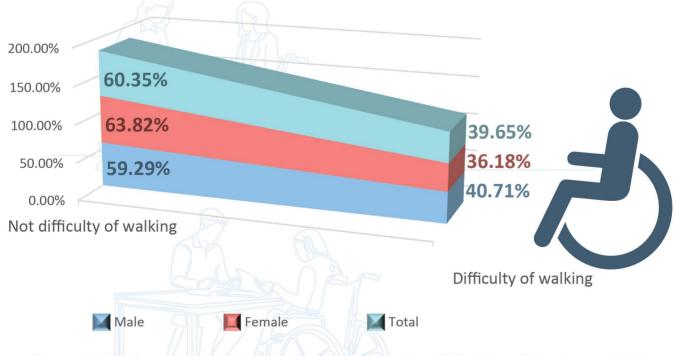


Figure 4.9 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty walking by sex (In %)

### 4.18 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty communication by sex

The data outline the employed population with disabilities, focusing on communication difficulties, broken down by sex. Of the total 749.08 thousand individuals, 629.81 thousand (84.08%) do not experience difficulties in communication, while 119.27 thousand (15.92%) do. Among male, 85.33% do not have communication difficulties, compared to 79.94% of female. Conversely, 14.67% of male and 20.06% of female reported the difficulties in communication. This indicates that a higher percentage of female in the employed disabled population face challenges related to communication compared to male.

Table 4.18 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty communication by sex (13th ICLS)

Difficulty communication	Male	Female	Total
In th	ousands		
Not difficulty of communication	490.55	139.26	629.81
Difficulty of communication	84.33	34.94	119.27
Total	574.88	174.20	749.08
In perc	entage (%)		
Not difficulty of communication	85.33%	79.94%	84.08%
Difficulty of communication	14.67%	20.06%	15.92%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

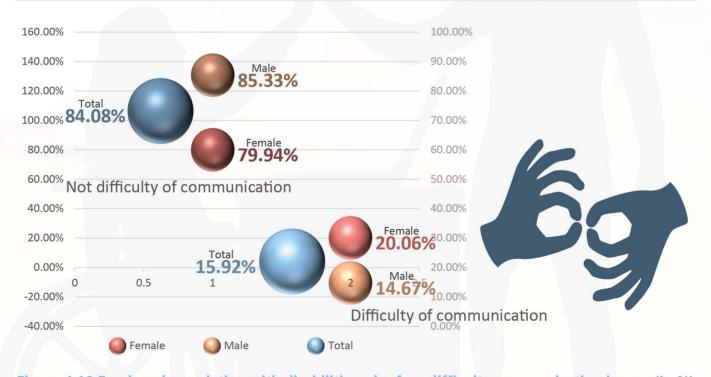


Figure 4.10 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty communication by sex (In %)

### 4.19 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty remembering by sex

The data provide information on the employed population with disabilities, focusing on difficulties related to remembering, categorized by sex. Out of 749.08 thousand individuals, 687.15 thousand (91.73%) do not experience difficulties in remembering, while 61.93 thousand (8.27%) do. Among male, 92.08% do not have remembering difficulties, compared to 90.59% of female. Conversely, 7.92% of male and 9.41% of female reported the difficulties in remembering. This indicates that a slightly higher percentage of female in the employed disabled population face challenges with remembering compared to male.

Table 4.19 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty remembering by sex (13th ICLS)

Difficulty remembering	Male	Female	Total
In thousan	ds		
Not difficulty of remembering	529.34	157.81	687.15
Difficulty of remembering	45.54	16.39	61.93
Total	574.88	174.20	749.08
In percentage	e (%)		
Not difficulty of remembering	92.08%	90.59%	91.73%
Difficulty of remembering	7.92%	9.41%	8.27%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

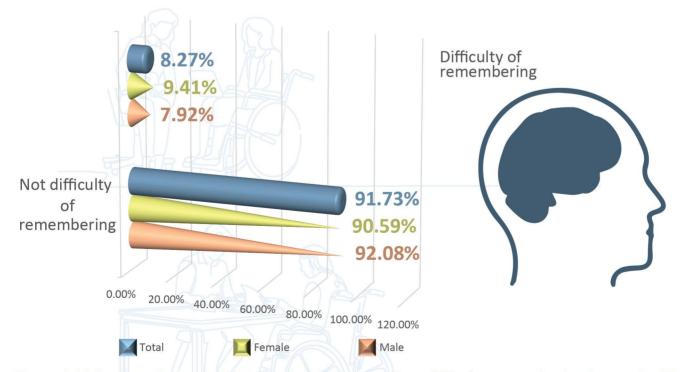


Figure 4.11 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty remembering by sex (In %)

### 4.20 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty self-care by sex

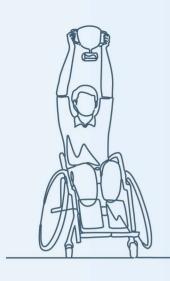
The data examine the employed population with disabilities focusing on difficulty related to self-care categorized by sex. Out of a total of 749.08 thousand individuals, 687 thousand (91.71%) do not have difficulties with self-care, while 62.08 thousand (8.29%) do. Among male, 92.25% do not face self-care difficulties, compared to 89.95% of female. On the other hand, 7.75% of male and 10.05% of female reported the difficulties in self-care. This indicates that a slightly higher percentage of female in the employed disabled population experience challenges with self-care compared to male.

Table 4.20 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty self-care by sex (13th ICLS)

Difficulty selfcare	Male	Female	Total
In thousands			
Not difficulty of self-care	530.30	156.70	687.00
Difficulty of self-care	44.58	17.50	62.08
Total	574.88	174.20	749.08
In percentage (%)			
Not difficulty of self-care	92.25%	89.95%	91.71%
Difficulty of self-care	7.75%	10.05%	8.29%
Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%



Figure 4.12 Employed population with disabilities who face difficulty self-care by sex (In %)



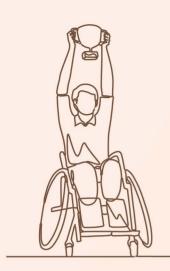






# **CHAPTER 5**











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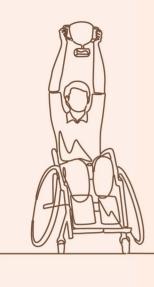
#### Conclusion

Based on the provided information, it's evident that labour force participation for person with disabilities is very low. Despite being more likely to be self-employed, people with disabilities are still twice as likely to be unemployed compared to those without disabilities. This is compounded by lower levels of education and major involvement in sectors such as agriculture and the informal economy. Overall, the combination of lower employment, educational barriers, involvement in certain sectors especially informal sector, and lower monthly income highlights the urgent need for more inclusive policies and initiatives to address the employment disparities faced by people with disabilities. These efforts should focus to provide accessible education and training opportunities, promoting inclusive hiring practices, and establishing robust support systems to ensure equal participation and opportunities in the labour force for individuals with disabilities.

Addressing these disparities requires immediate and targeted action. Inclusive policies must be designed to remove barriers and promote equal opportunities for persons with disabilities. Key initiatives should include accessible education and vocational training programs tailored to their needs, fostering inclusive hiring practices in both public and private sectors, and strengthening social support systems to facilitate their integration into the labour market. Additionally, efforts should focus on enabling their transition from informal to formal employment, ensuring decent work conditions, and enhancing income stability.

A concerted commitment from governments, employers, civil society, and international organizations is essential to build an inclusive labour market where individuals with disabilities can contribute meaningfully and achieve economic empowerment.

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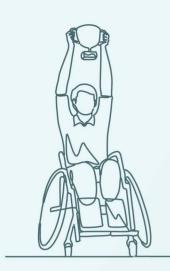






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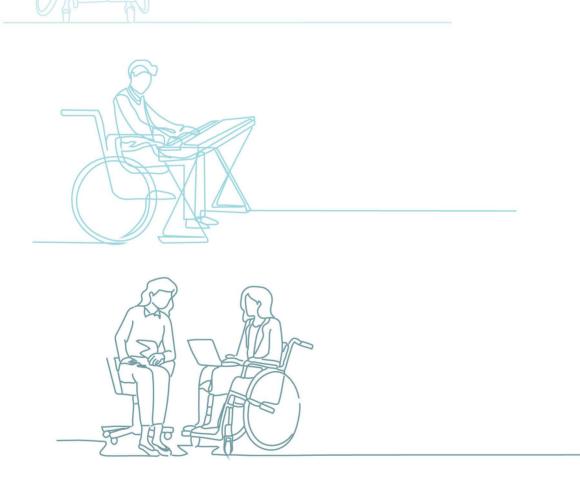
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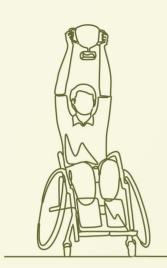
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# Annexure ii











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#### **Different Committees**

#### **Composition of Project Implementation Committee (PIC)**

(Not according to seniority)

01	Director General, Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics	Chairperson
02	Additional Secretary, Development Wing, Statistics and Informatics Division	Member
03	Deputy Secretary, Development Wing, Statistics and Informatics Division	Member
04	Representative, Industry and Energy Division, Planning commission	Member
05	Representative, Programming Division, Planning commission	Member
06	Representative, NEC-ECNEC & Coordination and Planning, Planning Division	Member
07	Representative, Implementation Monitoring and Evaluation Division, Ministry of Planning	Member
80	Representative, General Economic Division (GED), Planning commission	Member
09	Representative, Finance Division, Ministry of Finance	Member
10	Representative, ISRT, University of Dhaka	Member
11	Director, Industry and Labour Wing, BBS	Member
12	Deputy Project Director, Improving Labour Market Information through	
	Labour Force Survey (ILMI) Project, BBS	Member
13	Project Director, Improving Labour Market Information through	
	Labour Force Survey (ILMI) Project, BBS	Member-Secretary

The terms of reference of the committee are as follows:

- (a) providing necessary assistance and advice for the smooth implementation of the project;
- (b) providing necessary decisions to solve problems arising in project implementation;
- (c) at least one meeting of the Committee shall be held every three (03) months;
- (d) The Committee may co-opt one or more members if necessary.

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01	Additional Secretary (Informatics), SID	Chairperson
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04	Deputy Secretary, Developmen-2, SID	Member
05	Deputy Secretary, Informatics-1, SID	Member
06	Deputy Secretary (Coordination and Reform Section), SID	Member
07	Project Director, Improving Labour Market Information through	
	Labour Force Survey (ILMI) project, BBS	Member
80	Deputy Director, Publication Section, FA & MIS Wing, BBS	Member
09	Deputy Secretary, Informatics-2, SID	Member-Secretary

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03	Director, Demography and Health Wing, BBS	Member
04	Director, Computer Wing, BBS	Member
05	Director, Census Wing, BBS	Member
06	Director, National Accounting Wing, BBS	Member
07	Director., Finance, Administration & MIS Wing, BBS	Member
08	Director, Industry and Labo <mark>ur Wi</mark> ng, BBS	Member
09	Project Director, SVRS in Digital Platform Project, BBS	Member
10	Director, Statistical Staff Training Institute (SSTI), BBS	Member-Secretary

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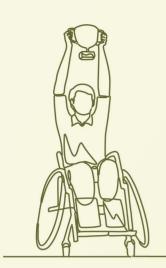
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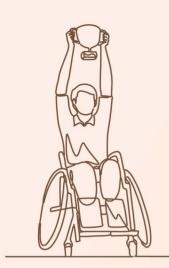






# **Annexure iii**











# Annexure iii

# **Survey Questionnaire**

# **Bangladesh Quarterly Labour Force Survey 2022**

ECTIO	N 1: HOUSEHOLD INFOR	RMATION
ART A:	SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITION	N (HOUSING, ASSETS, ETC.)
HI_01	What is the tenancy status of the dwelling occupied by this household?	01 Owned 02 Rented
HI_02	Type of dwelling	03 Rent-free 01 Individual 02 Apartment
HI_03	Construction material of walls	03 Joint 01 Straw/Bamboo/Polythene/Plastic
		02 Mud/Unburnt brick 03 Tin (Cl sheet) 04 Wood 05 Brick / Cement
HI_04	Construction material of roof	99 Other 01 Straw/Bamboo/Polythene/Plastic 02 Tin (Cl sheet) 03 Tally
HI_05	Construction material of floor	04 Brick / Cement 99 Other 01 Mud / Unburnt brick
		02 Wood/Bamboo 03 Brick/Cement 04 Mosaic/Tiles 99 Other
HI_06	Number of rooms	01 Total 02 Living Room
HI_07	What is the main source of drinking water of your household?	01 Tap/Pipe/Supply 02 Tube well /deep tube well 03 Well 04 Pond/river/canal/ditch
		05 Bottle water/jar 06 Fountain/Chora 99 Rain Water/Other

HI_08	What is the main source of	01 Electricity	
	light in your household?	02 Solar Electricity	
		03 Kerosene	
		04 Bio-gas	
		99 Other	
HI_09	Which is the most used fuel	01 Wood / firewood	
	for cooking in your household?	02 Dung / Leave / Straw	
		03 Gas / LP	
		04 Bio-gas	
		05 Kerosene	
		06 Electricity	
		99 Other	
HI_10	What type of toilet is used by	01 Sanitary (water-sealed)	
	your household?	02 Pit latrine/Non-sanitary	
		03 Kaccha/Hanging (permanent/Temporary)	
		99 Open air / No toilet facilities	
HI_11	What is the main source of	01 Agriculture	
_	income of your household?	02 Industry	
	TO THE	03 Service	
		04 Income recipient	
		05 Remittances	
		99 Other	
HI_12	What is the total amount of	00 No land	
_	land owned by all household	01 0.01-0.04 acres	
	members?	02 0.05-2.49 acres	
	TO THE REAL PROPERTY OF THE PERTY OF THE PER	03 2.50-7.49 acres	
	(/_1)	04 7.5 acres and above	
HI_13	Which of the following assets	01 Almirah/wardrobe/Wooden furniture	
ARAGO-074 - 0230-1	are available in your	02 Sewing machine	
	household?	03 Microwave oven	
	$\Lambda \cup J A M$	04 Freezer/Fridge	
	(Multiple Answer)	05 Push cart/Rickshaw/Rickshaw van	
	C 66 2 51	06 Bicycle	
		07 Motorcycle	
		08 3-weeled motor vehicle/easy bike/Trucktor	
		09 Vehicle of 4 wheels or more	
	A LAND	10 Boat / Motorboat	
		11 Electric fan	
		12 Mobile	
		13 Telephone (Land phone)	
	77117 /	14 Television	
		, i la consistent	

How many members in this house?		
List of all members in the household (All persons who usually live and eat together in the same house or compound and share the same housekeeping		
arrangement. A person is counted as a household member if s/he lives here or has been absent for less than 6 months.		
Process Provided States and Control States S		
your family gone abroad as a migrant worker for the last 04 years?  (Enter the total number of immigrant members)	O2 Yes, another member of the family	For option 01, fill all the modules including Household Roster and Migration module from MGT_02  For option 02, fill only Migration module  For option 03, Don't fill Migration module  CTION
MEMBERS		
FULL NAME	01	
(First of all, the name of the household head, then the head's spouse, smallest son/daughter, then elder	02	
	List of all members in the household (All persons who usually live and eat together in the same house or compound and share the same housekeeping arrangement. A person is counted as a household member if s/he lives here or has been absent for less than 6 months.  Exclude- Guests and  ation of Migrant Worker  Have you or any member of your family gone abroad as a migrant worker for the last 04 years?  (Enter the total number of immigrant members)  FULL NAME  (First of all, the name of the household head, then the head's spouse, smallest	List of all members in the household (All persons who usually live and eat together in the same house or compound and share the same housekeeping arrangement. A person is counted as a household member if s/he lives here or has been absent for less than 6 months. Exclude- Guests and ation of Migrant Worker  Have you or any member of your family gone abroad as a migrant worker for the last 04 years?  (Enter the total number of immigrant members)  No  2: HOUSEHOLD ROSTER, DIFFICULTY and SOCIAL PROTE HOUSEHOLD ROSTER  MEMBERS  FULL NAME  (First of all, the name of the household head, then the head's spouse, smallest

HI_01	brother sister, father/mother-	09			
	in-law, brother/sister-in-law,	10			
	Other relatives, household	11			
	worker and Others)	12			
		13			
		14			
		15			
HI_02	Relation to the household	01	Head		
	head	02	Husband/Wife		
		03	Son/Daughter		
		04	Mother/Father/In-Law		
		05	Brother/Sister		
		06	Domestic Worker		
		07	Other Relatives		
		08	Non Relative		
HI_03	Gender	01	Male		
		02	Female		
		03	Third Gender		
HI_04	Age (Complete Years) If age < 1 then write 00, If Age>99then write 99				
HI_05	What is your religion?	01	Islam		
_	, ,		Sanatan (Hinduism)		
		03	100		
		$-H \rightarrow 0$	Christianity		
		99			
HI_06	Current Marital status	01	Single		
			Married		
	Only if ≥ 10 years	03	Widow/widower		
		04	Separated		
		05	Divorced		
PART B:	FUNCTIONAL DIFFICULTIY (EL	IGIBILIT	Y)		
(For all a		n emplo	yment and have responded "A lot of o	difficulty" or "canno	ot do at all /
DIF_01	[Do/Does] [you/he/she] have	01	No difficulty		
	difficulty seeing, even when	02	4 1364		
	wearing [your/his/her]	-	A lot of difficulty		
	glasses]? Would you say	04			
	[Read response categories]	3/			

DIE 00			
DIF_02	[Do/Does] [you/he/she] have	01 No difficulty	
	difficulty hearing, even when	02 Some difficulty	
	using a hearing aid(s)]?	03 A lot of difficulty	
	Would you say [Read response categories]	04 Cannot do at all / Unable to do	
DIF_03	[Do/Does] [you/he/she] have difficulty walking or climbing steps? Would you say?	01 No difficulty	
		02 Some difficulty	
		03 A lot of difficulty	
	[Read response categories]	04 Cannot do at all / Unable to do	
DIF_04	Using [your/his/her] usual	01 No difficulty	
	language, [do/does]	02 Some difficulty	
	[you/he/she] have difficulty	03 A lot of difficulty	
	communicating, for example understanding or being understood? Would you say?	04 Cannot do at all / Unable to do	
DIF_05	[Do/Does] [you/he/she] have	01 No difficulty	
	difficulty remembering or	02 Some difficulty	
	concentrating? Would you	03 A lot of difficulty	
	say[Read response categories]	04 Cannot do at all / Unable to do	
DIF_06	[Do/Does] [you/he/she] have	01 No difficulty	
	difficulty with self-care, such	02 Some difficulty	
	as washing all over or	03 A lot of difficulty	
	droccing? Mould you cay	04 Conset de et all / Headle te de	
	dressing? Would you say [Read response categories]	04 Cannot do at all / Unable to do	
	[Read response categories] SOCIAL PROTECTION		
or all ag	[Read response categories] SOCIAL PROTECTION	employment and have responded "A lot of difficulty" or "cann	oot do at all /
or all ag	[Read response categories]  SOCIAL PROTECTION  red 15 and over who are not in	employment and have responded "A lot of difficulty" or "cann	ot do at all /
or all ag	[Read response categories]  SOCIAL PROTECTION  Led 15 and over who are not in the color of duestice to at least one of questice that the difficulties (you/NAME) have been	employment and have responded "A lot of difficulty" or "canrons DIF 1-6	ot do at all /
or all ag	[Read response categories]  SOCIAL PROTECTION  Led 15 and over who are not in the do" to at least one of question  Have the difficulties  (you/NAME) have been officially recognized (certified)	employment and have responded "A lot of difficulty" or "canrons DIF 1-6  01 Yes	ot do at all /
or all ag	[Read response categories]  SOCIAL PROTECTION  Led 15 and over who are not in the composition of the composi	employment and have responded "A lot of difficulty" or "canrons DIF 1-6  01 Yes	ot do at all /
or all ag nable to SP_01	[Read response categories]  SOCIAL PROTECTION  Led 15 and over who are not in the do" to at least one of question  Have the difficulties  (you/NAME) have been officially recognized (certified) as a disability?  (Certificate/Subarna Card)	employment and have responded "A lot of difficulty" or "cannons DIF 1-6  01 Yes 02 No	ot do at all /
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or all ag	[Read response categories]  SOCIAL PROTECTION  Led 15 and over who are not in the do" to at least one of question  Have the difficulties  (you/NAME) have been officially recognized (certified) as a disability?  (Certificate/Subarna Card)  (Do/Does) (you/NAME) receive any cash benefits	employment and have responded "A lot of difficulty" or "cannons DIF 1-6  01 Yes 02 No	ot do at all /
or all ag nable to SP_01	[Read response categories]  SOCIAL PROTECTION  Led 15 and over who are not in the do" to at least one of question  Have the difficulties  (you/NAME) have been officially recognized (certified) as a disability?  (Certificate/Subarna Card)  (Do/Does) (you/NAME) receive any cash benefits from the government linked	employment and have responded "A lot of difficulty" or "cannons DIF 1-6  01 Yes  02 No	not do at all /
or all ag nable to SP_01 SP_02	[Read response categories]  SOCIAL PROTECTION  Led 15 and over who are not in the do" to at least one of question  Have the difficulties  (you/NAME) have been officially recognized (certified) as a disability?  (Certificate/Subarna Card)  (Do/Does) (you/NAME) receive any cash benefits from the government linked to [your/his/her] disability?	employment and have responded "A lot of difficulty" or "cannons DIF 1-6  01 Yes 02 No  01 Yes 02 No	oot do at all /
or all ag nable to SP_01	[Read response categories]  SOCIAL PROTECTION  Led 15 and over who are not in the do" to at least one of question  Have the difficulties  (you/NAME) have been officially recognized (certified) as a disability?  (Certificate/Subarna Card)  (Do/Does) (you/NAME) receive any cash benefits from the government linked to [your/his/her] disability?  (Do/Does) (you/NAME)	employment and have responded "A lot of difficulty" or "cannons DIF 1-6  01 Yes 02 No  01 Yes 02 No	not do at all /
or all ag nable to SP_01 SP_02	[Read response categories]  SOCIAL PROTECTION  Led 15 and over who are not in the do" to at least one of question  Have the difficulties  (you/NAME) have been officially recognized (certified) as a disability?  (Certificate/Subarna Card)  (Do/Does) (you/NAME) receive any cash benefits from the government linked to [your/his/her] disability?	employment and have responded "A lot of difficulty" or "cannons DIF 1-6  01 Yes 02 No  01 Yes 02 No	ot do at all /

#### **SECTION 3: EDUCATION PART-A: GENERAL EDUCATION SYSTEM** FOR PERSONS AGED 5 YEARS AND ABOVE EDU\_01 Can you read and write in any 01 Yes languages? 02 No EDU\_02 Can you read and write in any 01 Yes, currently attending For option 02 languages? EDU\_04 02 Yes, attended in the past 03 No, never attended **EDU 03** What class are you currently 00 Pre-school attending? 01 Class 1 02 Class 2 03 Class 3 04 Class 4 05 Class 5 06 Class 6 07 Class 7 08 Class 8 09 Class 9 10 SSC/Equivalent 11 HSC/Equivalent 12 Diploma 13 Bachelor degree 14 Masters degree 15 PhD **EDU\_04** What is the highest grade 00 Pre-school that you have completed? 01 Class 1 02 Class 2 03 Class 3 04 Class 4 05 Class 5 06 Class 6 07 Class 7 08 Class 8 09 Class 9 10 SSC/Equivalent 11 HSC/Equivalent 12 Diploma 13 Bachelor degree 14 Masters degree 15 PhD

Γ_01	In the last 12 (twelve) months	01	Ves .		
	have you attended any vocational training?	02 1		For option 02 VT_05	12 Month
VT_02	For how long did you attend	01	< 1 week		
	this training? (In case of	02	1 - 2 weeks		
	multiple trainings, the most	03 3	3 - 4 weeks		
	important one should be	04	1 - 3 months		
	identified and the duration	05 2	4 - 6 months		
	for that needs to be mentioned)	06 :	> 6 months		
/T_03	What type of training did you	01 1	Mechanical / civil engineering		
	receive?	02 E	Electrical and electronic engineering		
		03 0	Computer		
		04 <u> </u>	Leather and Textile		
		05 0	Catering, hotel and restaurant		
		06 0	Craftsman/handicraft and cottage work		
		07 0	Creative arts/artists/photography		
		OBI	Agriculture crop production and preservation		
		1 [] 00	Non-crop agricultural activities		
		10   I	Health and paramedical services		
		11 0	Office management		
		12 [	Driving and motor mechanic		
		13 E	Beautician & hairdressing		
		14	Tourism		
		15 J	Journalism, mass communication		
		16 I	Printing		
		17 📗 F	Foreign language		
		18 0	Construction related works		
		19 I	Furniture		
		20 \	Welding		
		21 F	Poultry		
		22 <u> </u>	Plumbing / Pipe Fitting		
		23 I	RMG		
		99 🔲 (	Other		
VT_04	From what source did you	01 0	Government institute		
	receive this training	02 1	Non-government institute		
	(diploma/certificate)?	03 🔲 1	NGO		
		04 I	Foreign institute		
		05 <u> </u>	Joint venture institute		
		99 (	Other		

VT_05	What type of training would	01	Mechanical / civil engineering		
	you like to receive?	02	Electrical and electronic engineering		
		03	Computer		
		04	Leather and Textile		
		05	Catering, hotel and restaurant		
	Λ .	06	Craftsman/handicraft and cottage work		
		07	Creative arts/artists/photography		
		08	Agriculture crop production and preservation		
		09	Non-crop agricultural activities		
		10	Health and paramedical services		
		11	Office management		
		12	Driving and motor mechanic		
		13	Beautician & hairdressing		
		14	Tourism		
	- Ulay	15	Journalism, mass communication		
		16	Printing		
		17	Foreign language		
		18	Construction related works		
		19	Furniture		
		20	Welding		
		21	Poultry		
		22	Plumbing / Pipe Fitting		
		23	RMG		
	857	99	Other		
SECTIO	N 4: IDENTIFICATION OF	PERS	SONS IN EMPLOYMENT		
FOR PERS	SONS AGED 15 YEARS AND AB	OVE			
EMP_01	During the LAST WEEK, did	01	Yes		
	you do any work for a wage,	02			
	salary, commission, tips or	Phoe	1	→ Sec. 5	Work for pay
	any other pay, even if only				
	for one hour?				
EMP_02	During the LAST WEEK, did	01	Yes		
	you run or do any kind of	02	No		
	business, farming or other			→ Sec. 5	Work for profit
	activity to generate income/			3000.0	Tronk for prome
	profit, even if only for one				
FNAD OC	hour?	0.4	L PAP		
EMP_03	During the LAST WEEK, did	01			
	you help unpaid in a business owned by a household	02	NO	→ EMP_05	Work as contributing
	member, even if only for one			LIVII _03	family worker
	hour?				

EMP_04	In the LAST WEEK, did you	01	Yes		
	work for at least 1 (one) hour	02	No	→ EMP_05	
	to produce goods and				Check for marke
	services in agriculture or			→ EMP_06	activity
	fishing for your own				
	household?				
EMP_05		01	Only for sale/barter	→Sec. 5	
	obtained from this activity	02	Mainly for sale/barter	→Sec. 5	Check for marke
	for sale/barter or for family	03	Mainly for family use	MJ_02a-MJ-04c	activity
	use?	04	Only for family use	& then Sec 9	
EMP_06	During LAST WEEK, did you	01	Yes		
	have a paid job or a business	02	No		Temporary
	from which you were on			→Sec. 9	absence from work for pay /
	temporary absence and to			→Sec. 9 work	profit
	which you expect to return?				
EMP_07	Why were you absent from	01	Shift work, flexi time,		
	work during the LAST WEEK?	02	Vacation, holidays		
		03	Sickness, illness, accident		
		04	Maternity, paternity leave		
		05	Education leave		
		0.6	Other personal leave (care for family, civic		
		06	duties,)	→Sec. 5	Reason for
		07	Temporary reduction in clients, work break	For option 01,02,03,04,05.	absence
		08	Laid off		
		09	Bad weather conditions		
		10	Strike or labour dispute		
		11	Long-term disability		
		12	Seasonal work		
		99	Other (specify):		
EMP_08	Including the time that you		Within 3 months or less*		
	have been absent, will you	-	After 3 months	→Sec. 5	Total duration o
	return to that same job / business	03	Not sure to return	For option 01	absence
EMP_09	Do you continue receiving an	01	Yes		
	income from your job during this absence?	02	No	→Sec. 5 →Sec. 9	Remuneration during absence

Applicable to household members who are 15 years and above (In the last 7 (seven) days those who did not work but were employed, they should also be asked these questions).

INTERVIEWER: The main job/business is that with the highest hours usually worked. If the hours of work are the same in each job, the main job/business is the one that generates the highest income.

MJ_01	During the last week did you	01 One job/business	F	NA DOLLAR STATE
	have more than one job income generating activity?	02 More than one job/business	For option 02 both Sec 5 & 6	Multiple job holding

MJ_01a	Is the work you did last week	01	Full-time		
	full-time or part-time?	02	Part-time		
MJ_02a	In your main job/business what kind of work do you usually do?		OCCUPATIONAL TITLE		Occupation
MJ_02b	What are your main tasks and duties?  Examples: policeman - patrol the streets, protect people and property, investigate crimes; primary school				
	teacher- teach children how to read and write; cattle farmer -breed, raise and sell cattle; registered nurse - look after sick persons; domestic				
	worker- clean rooms; truck driver- drive a truck, etc.		MAIN TASKS AND DUTIES		
MJ_02c	Write the Code		BSCO CODE: Coded after interview		
MJ_03	What is the name of your working place or business?		NAME OF ESTABLISHMENT	If there is no name of the establishment then put 00 and skip	Name of business or place of work
MJ_04a	What is the main activity of the place or business where work?		MAIN ACTIVITY		Industry
MJ_04b	What goods/services are produced there?				
	(E.g.: Police Department - public safety; Restaurant - preparing and serving meals; Transport Company - long distance transport of goods)		GOODS OR SERVICES		
MJ_04c	Write the Code		BSCO CODE:		
			Coded after interview		

MJ_05	In this job do you work as?		Working for someone else for pay		
		01	Employee		
	READ	02	Paid apprentice/intern		
		03	Day Laborer	For option 03 & 07→MJ_13	
		04	Domestic Worker	0, 11,5	
		05	Working as an		<b>6</b> 1.1
		06	Employer (with regular employees) Own- account worker (without regular employees in own business activity, in own agriculture activity)	For option 05,06 & 08-MJ_09	Status in employment
		07	Helping without pay in a family or household business		
		08	Member of producers' cooperatives		
MJ_06	Are you employed on the	01	Written contract (time not specified)		
	basis of written contract or	02	Written contract (time limited)	For option 01,03	Contract time
	oral agreement?	03	Verbal contract	& 97→ MJ_08	Contract type
		04	Don't know		
MJ_07	Why is your contract /	01	Chain contract (renewable)		
	agreement temporary?	02	Probation period		
		03	Apprenticeship, internship		
		04	Specific service or task		
		05	Seasonal work		Reason for limited duratio
		06	Occasional/daily work		minted darage
		07	Work as a replacement/substitute		
		08	Public employment programme		
		99	Other (specify):		
MJ_08	Benefit from employer	01	Pension or retirement fund		
		02	Annual Leave		
		03	Maternity leave		
		04	Paid sick leave		De facto job-
		05	Day care facilities		related benefit
		06	Protection equipment's or cloth		
		07	Transport /subsidized food facilities		
		08	Insurance		
MJ_09	What is the type of		READ		
	ownership of the business /	01	Government		
	farm / firm where you work?	02	Autonomous		
		03	Local Government	For option 01,02,03,06,08 &	Institutional
		04	Private	01,02,03,06,06 & 09→MJ_12	sector
		05	Private/Joint enterprise or business		
		06	Household(s)		
		07	Agricultural farm		

MJ_09	What is the type of	08 An NGO, non-profit institution, church	For option	
	ownership of the business /	09 International organization or a foreign	01,02,03,06,08 &	Institutional
	farm / firm where you work?	embassy	09→MJ_12	sector
		99 Other		
MJ_10	Does the business has	01 Yes (name of the Authority)		
	registration or not?	02 In the process of being registered		Business
		03 No		registration
	AL H M	97 Don't Know		
MJ_11	Does the business / farm /	01 Written accounts		
	firm/ office where you work	02 Verbal accounts		Record of
	maintain accounts?	03 No accounts		accounts kept
		97 Don't know		
MJ_12	How many persons including	01 Only me		
	yourself work at the business	02 2-4 persons		
	/ farm / firm where you work?	03 5-9 persons		
	- Ual	04 10-24 persons		Establishment size
		05 25-99 persons		3120
	1 3	06 100-249 persons		
	THE I	07 250+ persons		
MJ_13	In what type of place do you	01 Inside house		
	usually work?	02 In front of the house		
		03 Factory, office, workshop, shop		
		04 Farm, agricultural plot, river etc		
		05 Workplace of employer/client		Type of place o
		06 Construction site		work
	A CONTRACTOR OF THE CONTRACTOR	07 Road side stall		
	(1)	08 Mobile/ Without fixed location		
	1154 1	99 Other (specify):		
MJ_14	What is the periodicity of	01 Daily		
	payments in your main job?	02 Weekly	(Only for option	Periodicity of
	(Only for option 01, 03 & 04	03 Monthly	01, 03 & 04 0f	payment
	Of MJ_05)	97 Other	MJ_05)	
MJ_15	How much money did you	01 In cash (TK)		
1115_15	earn in the last 1 (one) month	02 In kind (equivalent in TK)		Amount of
	for this job?	oz in kind (equivalent in 1k)	(Only for option 01, 03 & 04 0f	remuneration/in
	(Only for option 01, 03 & 04	03 Total (01+02) =	MJ_05)	ome
	0f MJ 05)	03   Total (01+02) =		received
ECTIO	1 1	OF SECONDARY PAID JOB/BUSINESS	ACTIVITY	
		o are 15 years and above (In the last 7 (seven) do		id not work
		e asked these questions). For option 02 0f MJ_01		
ID	QUESTIONS & INSTRUCTIONS	CODING CATEGORIES	SKIPS	LABEL
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SJ_01a	READ: You indicated that you		
35_0 la	have more than one job, I		
	would now like to ask you a		
	few questions about your		
	second job.		
	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		
	In the second job/ business		Occupation in
	that you had last week, what		second job
	kind of work do you usually		
	do?		
	Examples: policeman,		
	primary school teacher,		
	registered nurse, domestic		
	worker, truck driver	OCCUPATIONAL TITLE, if any	
SJ_01b	What are your main tasks or		
	duties?		
	Description	MAIN TASKS AND DUTIES	
SJ_01c	Write the Code		
		BSCO CODE:	
		Coded after interview	
SJ_02a	What is the second job/		Occupation in
	business activity of the place	- MANNA GENVIEW	second job
61.001	or business where work?	MAIN ACTIVITY	
SJ_02b	What goods/services are		
	produced there? (second job/business)		
	Examples: selling fish,		
	teaching children to read		
	and write, caring for the sick,		
	livestock farming	GOODS OR SERVICES	
SJ_02c	Write the Code		
		BSCO CODE:	
		Coded after interview	
SJ_03	In your second job are you?	Working for someone else for pay	
		01 Employee	
		02 Paid apprentice / intern	
		Working as an Employer (with regular	G
		employees)	Status in employment in
		Own-account worker (without regular	second job
		employees)	
		Helping without pay in a household / family	
		business	
		06 Other (specify):	

SJ_04	What is the periodicity of	01	Daily		
	payments in your main job?	02	Weekly	(Only for option 01, 03 & 04 0f	Periodicity of
	(Only for option 01, 03 & 04	03	Monthly	SJ_03)	payment
	Of SJ_03)	99	Other		
SJ_05	How much money did you	01	In cash (TK)		
	earn in the last 1 (one) month for this job?	02	In kind (equivalent in TK)	(Only for option 01, 03 & 04 0f	Amount of remuneration/inc
	(Only for option 01, 03 & 04 0f SJ_03)	03	Total (01+02) =	MJ_05)	ome received
SECTIO	N 7: OCCUPATIONAL SA	FETY.	AND HEALTH		
Applicabl	e for employed household me	mbers v	who are 15 years and above		
OSH_01	In the last 12 months have	01	Yes		
	you been hurt in any accident	02	No		
	while working that caused you injury or illness?			→OSH 06	
	(Include accidents that took				
	place while commuting to/from work)				
OSH_02	Did any of the injuries result	01	Yes		
	in your being absent from	02	No		
	work /school, or unable to			→OSH_04	
	work/ attend school, for at				
	least one day, apart from the				
	day of the accident?				
OSH_03	Did the injuries seriously	01			
	restrict your work or activities even though you were not	02	No	OSLLOF	
	absent from work or unable			→OSH_05	
	to work?				
OSH_04	How many of these injuries				
	did you have in the last 12		(Number of accidents)		
	months?		12 MONTHS		
OSH_05	In the last 12 (twelve) months		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		
	how many days were you				
	absent from work due to				
	injuries sustained from				
	accidents?				
	If no days away fro <mark>m work</mark>		Days		
	write 00				
	If it is impossible to return				
	to work due to accident then				
	write 99				

OSH_06	During the last 12 months	01	Dust, fumes, Loud noise or vibration		
	have you been exposed to	02	Fire, gas, flames	-	
	any of the following hazards	03	Extreme cold or heat		
	at work?	04	Dangerous tools knives, blades, etc)		
		05	Working too much below or above the		
	(Multiple Answer)	03	surface of the earth		
		06	Work in water / pond / river		
		07	Workplace too dark or confined / Insufficient ventilation		
		08	Chemicals (pesticides, glues, etc.), Explosives		
		09	Didn't work in a risky environment		
		99	Other (specify):		
OSH_07	During the last 12 months,	01	Constantly shouted at/ repeatedly insulted		
	have you been subjected to	02	Beaten /physically hurt		
	the following at work?	03	Sexually abused (touched)		
		04	None of the above		
		99	Other (specify):		
OSH_08	During the last 12 months,	01	Yes		
	Did you get any	02	No	Only for option	
	1 2			01 of OSH_01	
	compensation from your				
	compensation from your work place due to injuries?				
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WT_02	During the last 12 months	06	Ended a job without starting a new one		
	have you been exposed to	07	Variable working time/ nature of work (shift		
	any of the following hazards		work, flexible hours, .)		
	at work?	08	Family responsibilities		
		09	Personal/family reasons (illness, injury,	WT_04	
	(Multiple Answer)	03[	annual leave,)	(For any selection)	Reason for working less time
		10	Strike or labour dispute		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
		11	Start/End/Change of jobs		
		12	Low season		
	TTI FWIII I	13	Bad weather		
		99	Other (specify):		
WT_03	What is the main reason that	01	To have a higher income		
	you worked more than 40 hours during LAST WEEK?	02	Exceptionally high workload during last week		Reason for
		03	Seasonal work		working overtime time
		04	Variable timetable		
		99	Other (specify)		
WT_04	During the last month, did	01	Yes		
	you look for additional or other work?	02	No		Search for other, additional work
WT_05	Would you want to work	01	Yes		
	more hours per week than usually worked, provided the extra hours are paid?	02	No	→ WT_07	Desire to work more hours
WT_06	If an opportunity for	01	Yes		
	additional work became	02	No		
	available, could you start			→Sec 10	Availability to
	working more hours within the next two weeks?				work more hours
WT_07	Do you want to change your	01	Yes		
	current employment situation?	02	No	→Sec 10	Desire to change employment
WT_08	What is the main reason why	01	Present job(s) is/are temporary		
	want to change his/her	02	To have better paid job (higher pay/hr.)		
	current employment	03	To have more clients/business		
	situation?	04	To work more hours		
		05	To work fewer hours		Type of
		06	To better match skills		inadequate employment
		07	To improve working conditions		employment
		08	Work environment is not so good		
		09	Not satisfied with the current job		

OR PERS	SONS NOT IN EMPLOYMENT, A	AGED 15	5+ YEARS		
JSA_01	During the last month, did	01	Yes		A . C
	you do anything to find a paid job?	02	No	→JSA_03	Active search to find a paid job
JSA_02	Or did you try/arranged to	01	Yes		Active search to
	start a businessduring the last month?	02	No	→JSA_04	start a business
JSA_03	What did you mainly do in	01	Apply to prospective employers		
	the last four weeks to find a	02	Place or answer job advertisements		
	paid job/start a business?	03	Study or read job advertisements		
	Only <u>record the main job</u>	04	Post/update resume on professional/social networking sites		
	search activity used in case	05	Register with state employment center		
	the respondent reports	06	Register with private employment center		
	multiple job search methods.	07	Take test or interview		
		08	Seek help from relatives, friends, others		Active method
		09	Check at factories, work sites		job search
		10	Wait on the street to be recruited		
		11	Seek financial help to start a business		
		12	Look for land, building, equipment, materials to start a business		
		13	Apply for a permit or license to start a business		
		99	Other (specify):		
JSA_04	For how long have you been	01	Less than 1 month		
	trying to find a paid job or	02	1 month to less than 3 months		
	start a business and were	03	3 months to less than 6 months		
	available to do the work?	04	6 months to less than 12 months		Duration of job search
		05	1 year to less than 2 years		Scareii
		06	2 years or more		
		07	Didn't find a job or wasn't ready to work		
JSA_05	What is the main reason why	01	Waiting for joining workplace		
	you did not try to find a paid	02	In school/training/Studies		
	job or start a business in the	03	No jobs available/ Tired of looking for jobs		
	last month?	04	Housework/family work	Only applicable	
		05	Off-season	for option 2 of	Main reason for
		06	Waiting for setting self-business	JSA_01 & option	not seeking wo for pay/profit
		07	Inadequate work	7 of JSA_04	2.1
		08	No desire to work		
		09	Illness, injury, disability		

JSA_05	What is the main reason why	11	No jobs matching skills, lack experience		
	you did not try to find a paid	12	Considered too young/old by employers	Only applicable	Main reason for
	job or start a business in the	12	Waiting for results of a previous	for option 2 of JSA_01 & option	not seeking wor
	last month?	13	search/recall from a previous job	7 of JSA_04	for pay/profit
		99	Others (SPECIFY)		
JSA_06	If you got a job / business	01	Could you have started working last week	→Sec. 10	
	opportunity, how long were	02	Within the next two weeks	→Sec.10	Availability to start working
	you ready to join that job?	03	Not available		Start Working
JSA_07	What is the main reason why	01	In school/training		
	you are not available to start	02	Housework/family work		
	working in the next two	03	Illness, injury, disability		Main reason for
	weeks?	04	Retired, too old for work, Pensioner	For all option	unavailability to
		05	Too young/should stay at home	→Sec.10	start working in the next two
		06	Off-season		weeks
		07	Not interested to work/Voluntary inactive		
		99	Others (SPECIFY)		
Barriers f	or functional disabled persons				
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OPG_01b	In the Last week, did you		Yes		
	catch any fish, prawns, shells, wild animals or other food for the household's own consumption?	02	No	HOURS LAST WEEK	Hunting &Gathering foodstuff
OPG_01c	In the Last week, did you conduct construction in own land, plot, etc for the household's own consumption?	01 02	Yes No	HOURS LAST WEEK	Construction of own household/ buildings
OPG_01d	In the Last week, did you collect water or firewood for own consumption		Yes No	HOURS LAST WEEK	Fetching water
OPG_01e	In the Last week, did you produce clothing, furniture or other goods for household use?	0102		HOURS LAST WEEK	Manufacturing of goods for household or family use
OPG_01f	In the Last week, did you prepared preserved food or drinks for storage such as	01 <u> </u>	Yes No	HOURS LAST	Preservation of foodstuff
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UTW_02	Did you or will you receive	01	Yes, in cash	→ Sec 13
	any payment for this specific	02	No	
	activity (in cash or in kind)?	03	Yes, in kind	→ Sec 13
	(Snacks, lunch or travel allowance cannot be included)	04	No	
UTW_03a	What are your main tasks			
	and duties as unpaid trainee worker?		MAIN TASKS AND DUTIES	
UTW_03b	Write the Code		BSCO CODE:	
			Coded after interview	
UTW_04a	What goods/services are			
	produced there?		GOODS/SERVICES	
UTW_04b	Write the Code		BSCO CODE: Coded after interview	
UTW_05	For how many hours did you perform this activity during the last week?		HOURS LAST WEEK	
UTW_06	What is the total duration of this traineeship, apprenticeship, internship or skills training?		Days	
SECTIO	N 13: VOLUNTARY WOF	RK		
FOR ALL I	PERSONS, AGED 15+ YEARS			
VW_01	In the last 30 days did you	01	Personal assistance	
	do any of the following	14/	Activities related to healthcare	
	activities for at least one hour		Activities related to education	
	voluntarily and without pay	04	Activities related to youths and children	
	(in cash or in kind) for	05	Cultural and recreational activities	
	persons outside your	06	Social Welfare	For Option 12
	household and outside your	07	Emergency and Relief	Skip & go to
	family?	08	Financial help	→Sec 14
		09	Activities related to religion	
		10	Human rights and politics	
		11	Environment protection	
		12	No Voluntary Work Performed	
		99	Others (SPECIFY)	

How many times have you	01	Daily					
done such work?		-	es/week				
Ask for the most important voluntary work if multiple cases of such work are							
	05	Only on	ce in last 30 days				
F 1 2 200 - 200 - 200							
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of doing this kind of work?		_					
	03	Through	an organization				
,					EEK		
N 14: RECRUITMENT CO	DST AN	ID IMC	OME OF MIGRAN	IT			
PERSONS, AGED 15+ YEARS							
MGT_01a	MGT_0	1b	MGT_01c	MGT	Γ_01d	MGT	_01e
Full Name	Gender	i	Age	Relig	gion	Mari	tal Status
			(Complete Years)				
	01 N	√ale		01	Islam	01	Unmarried
	02 -	om alo		02	Sanatan		
	U2[ F	emale		(Hind	du)	02	Married
				03	Buddhism	_	Widow/ wer
						04	Separated
							Divorced
Which country did you go as a migrant worker in the last			CO	UNTRY NA	ME		
		COUNTRY CODE:					
(Jan, 2017-Dec, 2020)		COUNTR	RY CODE:		J		
	01		RY CODE:  / Recruiter's fee		J		
(Jan, 2017-Dec, 2020)		Brokers/					
(Jan, 2017-Dec, 2020)  How much money has been		Brokers/ Visa fee	Recruiter's fee		J		
(Jan, 2017-Dec, 2020)  How much money has been spent in migrating abroad as	02	Brokers/ Visa fee Domest	/ Recruiter's fee ic travel expenses	L/			
(Jan, 2017-Dec, 2020)  How much money has been spent in migrating abroad as	02	Brokers/ Visa fee Domest Internati	Recruiter's fee	L/			
	Ask for the most important voluntary work if multiple cases of such work are present  What was your main mode of doing this kind of work?  In the last 30 (thirty) days how many hours did your work voluntarily?  N 14: RECRUITMENT COPERSONS, AGED 15+ YEARS  MGT_01a  Full Name	Ask for the most important voluntary work if multiple cases of such work are present  What was your main mode of doing this kind of work?  In the last 30 (thirty) days how many hours did your work voluntarily?  N 14: RECRUITMENT COST AND PRISONS, AGED 15+ YEARS  MGT_01a MGT_0:  Full Name Gender  O1 N  O2 F  Which country did you go as a migrant worker in the last	done such work?  Ask for the most important voluntary work if multiple cases of such work are present  What was your main mode of doing this kind of work?  In the last 30 (thirty) days how many hours did your work voluntarily?  N 14: RECRUITMENT COST AND IMCERSONS, AGED 15+ YEARS  MGT_01a  Full Name  MGT_01b  Gender  O1 Male  O2 Female  Which country did you go as a migrant worker in the last	done such work?  O2	done such work?  O2 3-6 times/week  O3 1-2 times/week  O3 1-2 times/week  O4 Once in two weeks  Once in two weeks  Only once in last 30 days  Only once in two weeks  Only once in two weeks  Only once in last 30 days  Only once in last 30 days  Only once in two weeks  Only once i	done such work?  O2 3-6 times/week  O3 1-2 times/week  O3 1-2 times/week  O4 Once in two weeks  Only once in last 30 days  O7 Only once in last 30 days  O8	done such work?  02

MGT_03	How much money has been	07	Insurance fee		
	spent in migrating abroad as	08	Security clearance fee		
	a migrant worker?	09	Pre-emigration briefing		
	KAH I	10	Language training		
		11	Skill assessment fee		
	N &	12	Contract approval fee		
	Wh	13	Welfare fund related fee		
		14	Interest on loan taken for job/ work	_	
		99	Other costs		
			Total amount of money		
MGT_04	What was your monthly				
	earnings from your first job? (Including Overtime, Tips, Commission, Transportation Allowance, Medical Allowance, Family		Total amount of money		
	Allowance, Social Allowance, Risk Allowance etc.)	7			
MGT_05	What were the other income received other than salary	01	Bonus		
		02	Profit Sharing		
	/wages or benefits ?	03	Leave with salary/ wages		
	(Monthly average)	99	Other costs		
			Total amount of money		
MGT_06	How much salary/wages have you received in the first 3 (three) months from your first job/work?		Total amount of money		
MGT 07	How much salary/wages have	M			
	you received in the last month of the first 12 months of your first job/work?		Total amount of money		
MGT_08	Was the housing cost	01	Yes		
	deducted from your salary /	02	No		
	wages?	99	Don't know		
MGT_09	What were the deductions & how much was deducted	01	Income tax		
			Social security or other provident fund	_	
	from the monthly		Foreign worker levy		
	salary/wages ?		Housing		
	(There can be multiple		Food		
	answers)		Air fare		
			Other		
		( F	Total amount of money		





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