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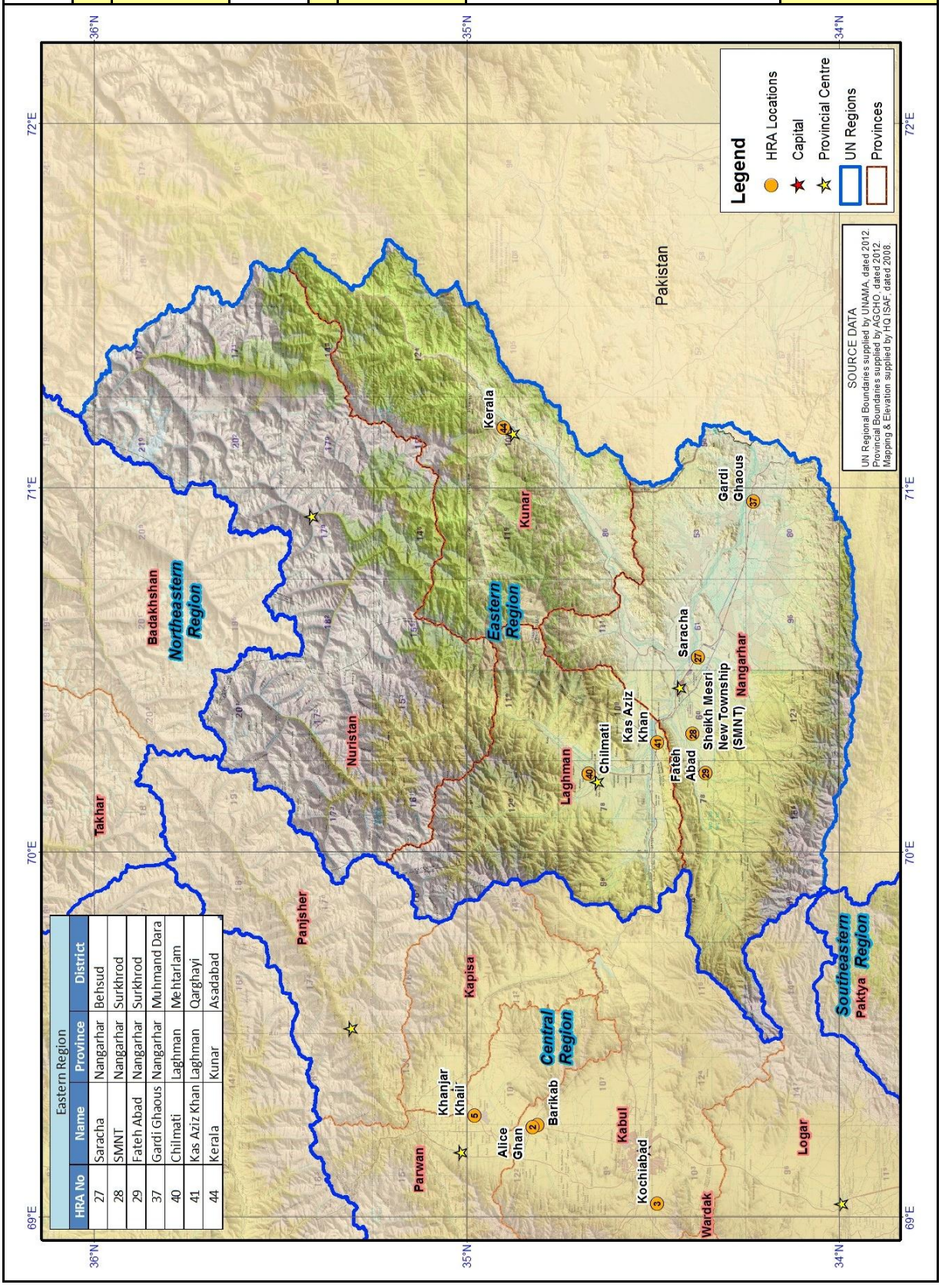

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29	Fateh Abad	Nangarhar	Surkhrod
37	Gardi Ghaous	Nangarhar	Muhmand Dara
40	Chilmati	Laghman	Mehtarlam
41	Kas Aziz Khan	Laghman	Qarghayi
44	Kerala	Kunar	Asadabad

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1. DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIAL PROFILE

NB: Figures and values in the profile only represent the population surveyed in household survey, not the total Afghanistan population, unless stated otherwise.

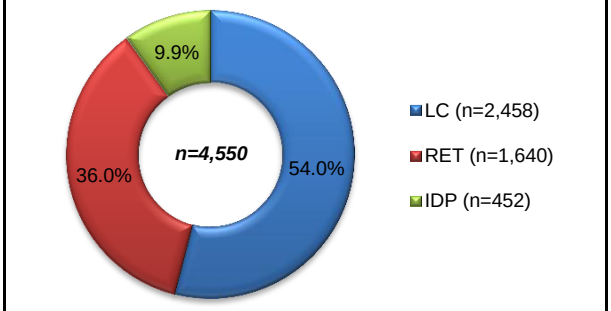
Summary

Of the 4,550 households surveyed in Eastern Region, 2,458 (54.0%) were local community households, 1,640 (36.0%) were returnee households and 452 (9.9%) were IDP households. The households encompass a combined total of 43,444 individuals with a gender ratio of 1.1 male for each female.

The average household size was revealed by the survey to be 9.8 of the local community, 9.3 persons among returnees and 8.9 persons among IDPs. Children (0-17 years) account for over half the average household size across all three groups with a gender ratio of 1.1 boys for each girl.

The elderly (aged 60+) were found to constitute approximately 3% of the population across all three household types. Approximately 2% of the population reported to be widowed, with seven times as many widows as widowers.

1.1 Type of household (HH)



1.2 Household size and composition

Size of Household	Number of Households			Number of Individuals		
	LC	RET	IDP	LC	RET	IDP
1 - 3 persons	91	64	27	244	175	71
4 - 6 persons	435	365	90	2,272	1,930	456
7 - 9 persons	797	508	158	6,386	4,059	1,283
10 - 12 pers	612	425	113	6,612	4,565	1,226
13 - 15 pers	323	171	47	4,559	2,435	675
16+ persons	200	107	17	4,022	2,149	325
Total	**2,458**	**1,640**	**452**	**24095**	**15313**	**4036**
Average household size				**9.8**	**9.3**	**8.9**
Average number of children (0-17)/HH				**5.7**	**5.5**	**5.3**
Average number of elderly (60+) / HH				**0.4**	**0.3**	**0.3**
% children (0-17)				**58.2%**	**59.2%**	**59.0%**
% elderly (60+)				**3.8%**	**3.6%**	**3.6%**

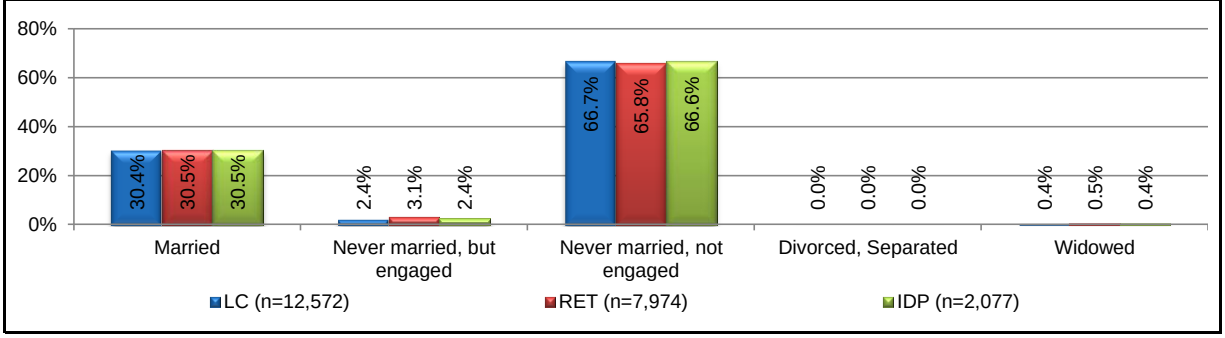
1.3 Age distribution by HH type: Male

Male	Age Group					Total
	0-4	5-11	12-17	18-59	60+	
LC	2,233	3,051	2,051	4,690	547	**12,572**
	17.8%	24.3%	16.3%	37.3%	4.4%	**100%**
RET	1,385	2,005	1,327	2,927	330	**7,974**
	17.4%	25.1%	16.6%	36.7%	4.1%	**100%**
IDP	372	547	308	766	84	**2,077**
	17.9%	26.3%	14.8%	36.9%	4.0%	**100%**
Total	3,990	5,603	3,686	8,383	961	**22,623**
	17.6%	24.8%	16.3%	37.1%	4.2%	**100%**

1.4 Age distribution by HH type: Female

Female	Age Group					Total
	0-4	5-11	12-17	18-59	60+	
LC	2,045	2,779	1,874	4,451	374	**11,523**
	17.7%	24.1%	16.3%	38.6%	3.2%	**100%**
RET	1,330	1,818	1,193	2,773	225	**7,339**
	18.1%	24.8%	16.3%	37.8%	3.1%	**100%**
IDP	358	475	320	746	60	**1,959**
	18.3%	24.2%	16.3%	38.1%	3.1%	**100%**
Total	3,733	5,072	3,387	7,970	659	**20,821**
	17.9%	24.4%	16.3%	38.3%	3.2%	**100%**

1.5 Marital status of males by HH type (percentage)



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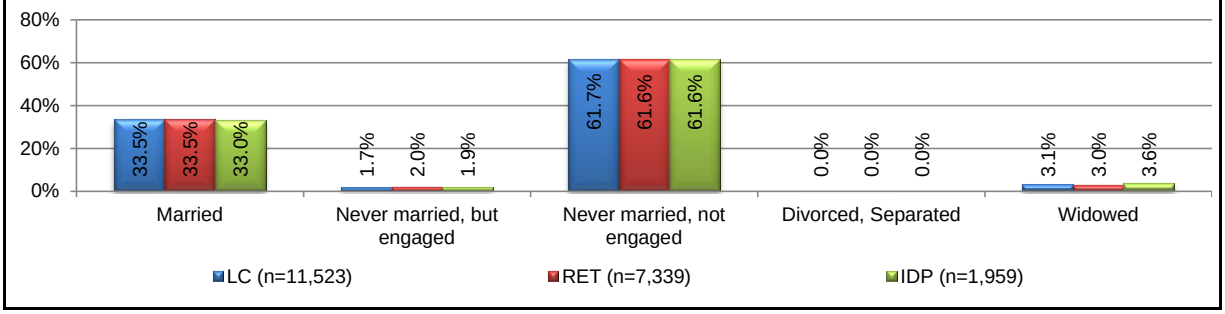

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2. MIGRATION PROFILE

Summary

Among the households surveyed, the year 1385 (2006/07) witnessed the largest number of returnee arrivals in eastern regions with 278 returnee households choosing to settle in seven different HRAs. Also, the year 1391 (2012/13) witnessed the largest number of IDP arrivals with 84 IDP households choosing to settle in different HRAs. After 1385 (2006/07), on average, approximately 163 returnee households per year have chosen to settle in the area. Prior to 1391 (2012/13), an average 41 IDP households per year have chosen to settle in eastern region.

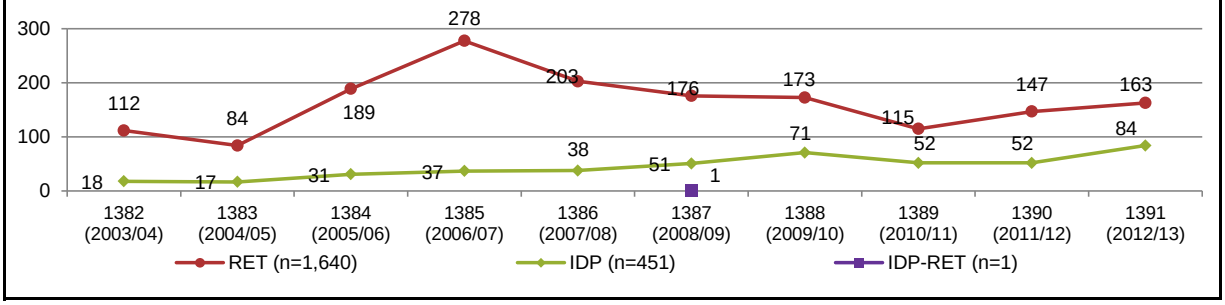
Of returnee and IDP households that have settled in Afghanistan in the last two years, 93.5% of returnee and 89.0% of IDP households stated that they did so voluntarily. Of these, 99.4% of returnee and 94.9% IDP households stated that they intend to remain in the area.

All returnee households had sought asylum in either Pakistan (99.8%) or Iran (0.2%) with 89.1% stating that they did so due to safety reasons due to conflict. Approximately three-quarters also cited economic reasons and over three-fifths cited family reasons. A further, over two-fifths of returnee households stated that they sought asylum due to harassment/discrimination reasons.

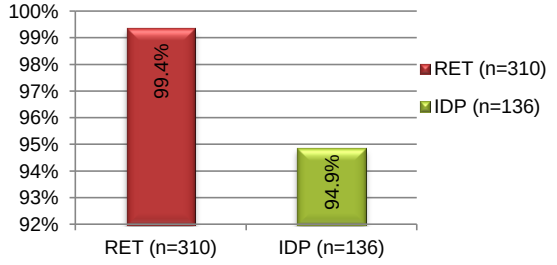
Among IDP households, three-quarters cited economic reasons and over two-quarters stated family reasons as the main reasons for having fled their districts of origin. Two-quarters also cited safety reasons due to conflict as having influenced their decision to move. A further, two-fifths stated that they have fled their districts of origin because of harassment/discrimination.

Over four-fifths of households stated that legal difficulties were the main reason of returning back to Afghanistan. Further, over two-fifths stated economic reasons and over one-third cited safety reasons as having influenced their decision to return. Over one-quarter also stated that they have returned back to Afghanistan because of family reasons.

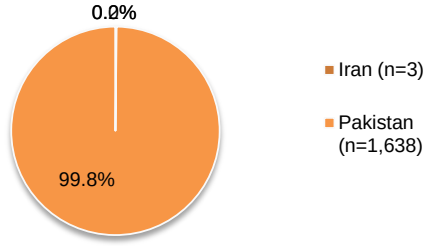
2.1 Year households settled in current location



2.2 Percentage of HHs that settled in last 2 years and intend to remain



2.3 Countries of asylum from which HHs have returned



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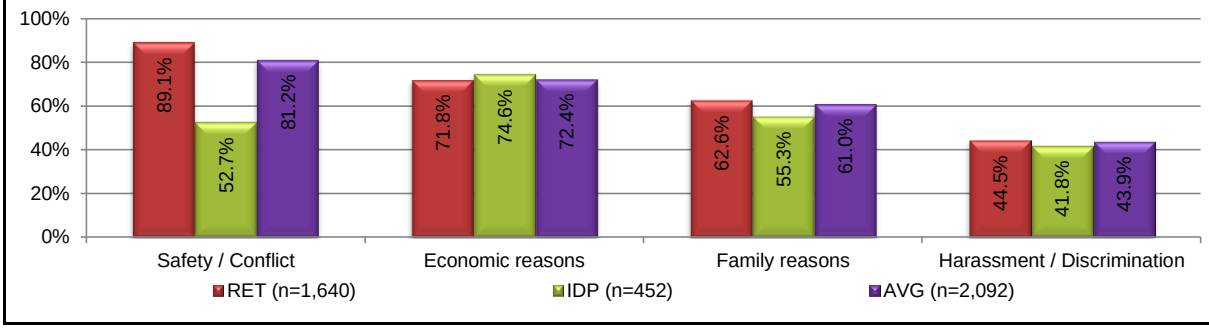
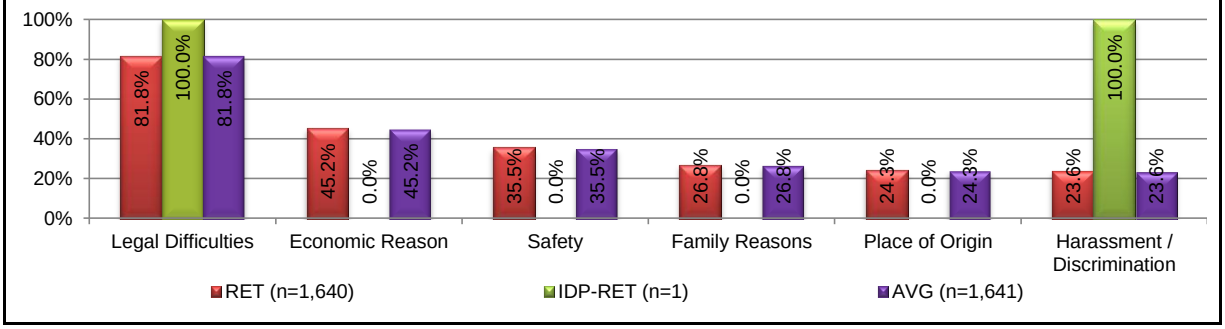
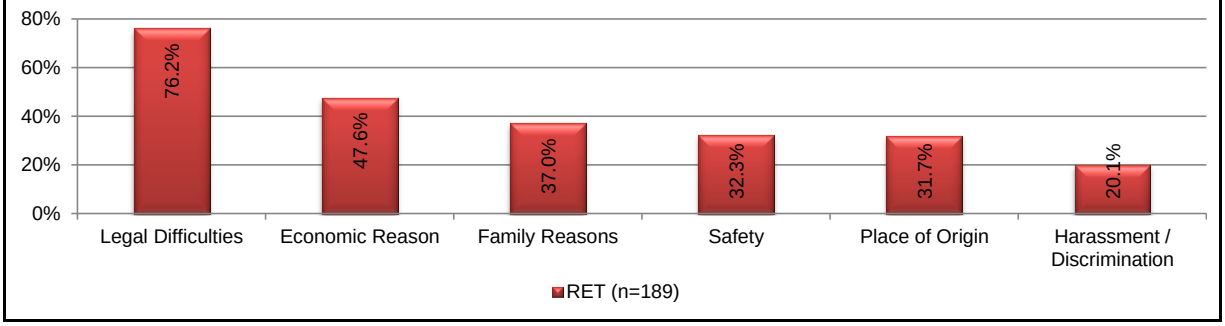
2.4 Reasons for leaving Afghanistan or district of origin



2.5 Reasons for returning to Afghanistan



2.6 Main reasons for high rates of return to Afghanistan in 1384 (2005/06)



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3. HOUSING STATUS PROFILE

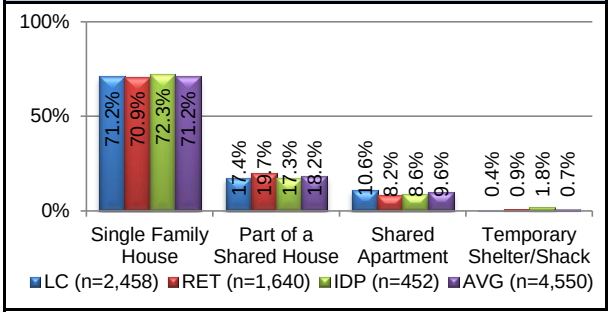
Summary

Survey findings reveal that approximately 70% of all three household types occupy single family houses with the vast majority of remaining households occupying a shared apartment or part of a shared house. A further 1.8% of IDP households, 0.4% of local community households and 0.9% of returnee households were found to be residing in temporary shelters or shacks. The vast majority of all dwellings were reported to be mud-brick or mud constructions with wooden roofs.

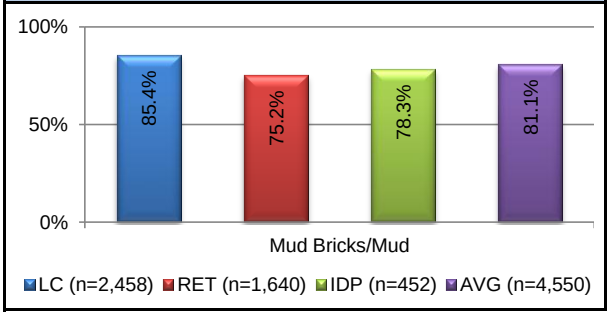
Two-room dwelling is the most common with 36.2% of local community households and 42.2% of both returnee households and IDP households living in this type of dwellings. Furthermore, with 21.2% of returnee households and 24.4% of both local community and IDP households, three-room dwellings are the second most common dwelling type.

In regard to cooking facilities, 51.4% of local community households, 55.5% of returnee households and 59.1% of IDP households do their cooking in the open area. Also, a vast majority of remaining households have a separate room for kitchen in their dwelling.

3.1 Type of dwelling occupied by HH type



3.2 Construction material of exterior walls by HH type



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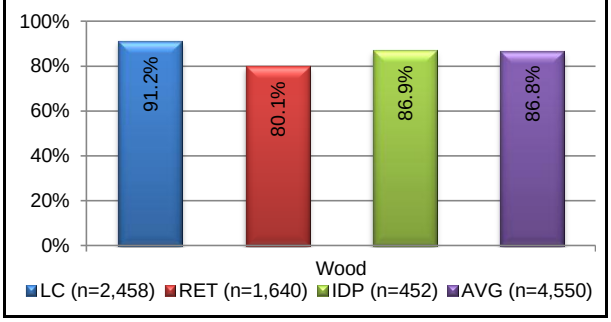
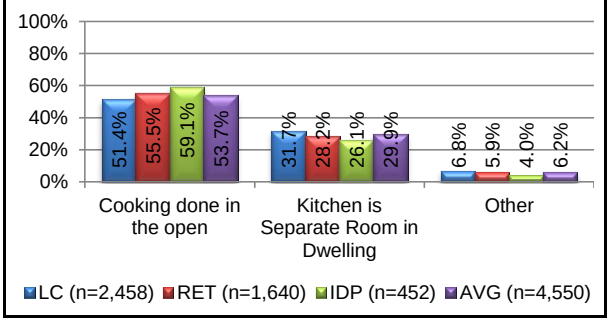
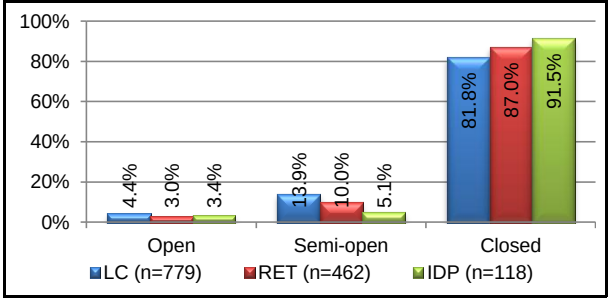


3.4 Kitchen/cooking facilities by HH type



3.5 Type of separate room for kitchen by HH type



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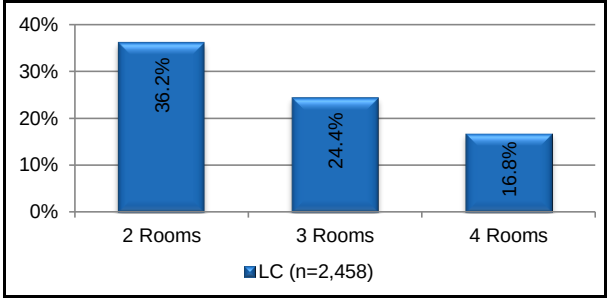

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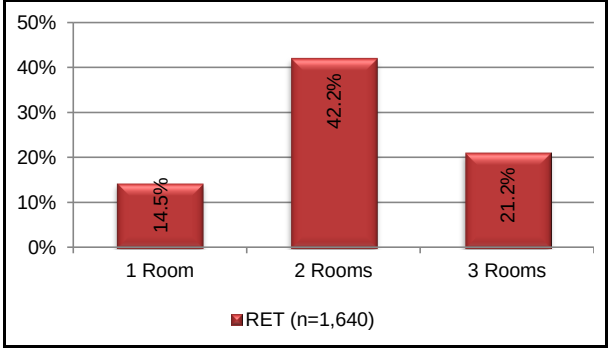
3.6.2 Number of rooms occupied by HH: RET



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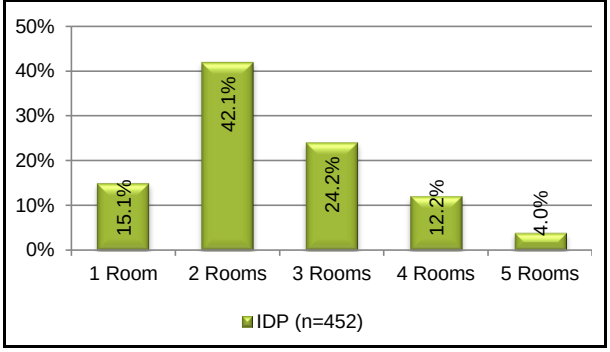

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4. WATER, ELECTRICITY, FUEL AND SANITATION

Summary

Water: Hand pump is the main source of water for 57.1% of local community households, 62.9% of returnee households and 65.6% of IDP households and it is located on average approximately 7 minutes on average away from all household types. Open well is the second most common source of drinking water among local community (37.2%), returnee households (28.5%) and IDP households (26.6%). On average, it is located 3 minutes away from both local community and IDP households and 4 minutes away from returnee households. Proportionally less local community households (2.6%) have access to open body of water compared to returnee households (4.6%) and IDP households (4.9%). Also less than 2% of both local community households and returnee have access to piped water source.

Electricity: Of the 4,550 households surveyed, a total of 3,114 (68.4%) reported to have had access to an electricity supply in the 30 days prior to being surveyed. Solar power was the most important source of electricity among 63.4% of local community households, 67.6% of returnee and 77.0% of IDP households. Proportionally, more local community households (14.7%) have access to electric grid than IDP households (4.7%) and returnee households (7.2%). Additionally, small numbers of households have access to battery and community generators (engine) among all household types.

Fuel: During the winter months, firewood is the main source of heating among 46.2% of local community households, 38.0% of returnee households and 30.8% of IDP households. Bushes, twigs/branches and straw heats the homes of 23.9% of local community households, 19.9% of returnee and 25.9% of IDP households. Proportionally more local community households (5.3%) use animal dung for heating compared to approximately 2.7% of returnee households and 3.1% of IDP households. Approximately one-fifths of local community households and two-fifths of both returnee and IDP households don't have any heating in the house during winter.

The main source of cooking fuel in past 30 days for local community (40.8%) and IDP households (39.6%) is bushes, twigs/branches and straws. It also gives cooking fuel to (38.7%) of returnee households. Firewood is the main source of cooking among returnee households (41.1%) while it is second common cooking source among local community households (34.5%) and IDP households (37.8%). Approximately 15% of all three household types have access to Gas for cooking. Animal dung is more used by local community households (9.8%) compared to returnee households (5.1%) and IDP households (4.9%).

Sanitation: 71.2% of local community, 72.4% of returnee households and 63.1% of IDP households have access to a traditional covered latrine. A further, 14.9% of local community, 16.7% of returnee and 21.2% of IDP households use open field, bushes or sahrahi as their toilet. Small percentages of families are using flush latrine and dearan also.

Surveyors took note of whether any garbage or pools of stagnant water were observed in close proximity to the households they interviewed. 40.5% of local community households, 53.1% of returnee households and 52.2% of IDP households didn't have any garbage near their dwellings. A further, 57.1% of local community households, 45.6% of returnee households and 44.9% of IDP households had little garbage near their dwellings. Approximately less than 3% of all three households had a lot of garbage near to their dwellings. Also, 78.8% of local community households, 88.7% of returnee households and 87.2% of IDP households didn't have any stagnant water near their dwellings. In addition, 19.9% of local community households, 10.7% of returnee households and 11.9% of IDP households had little stagnant water near their dwellings. Only less than 2% of all three household types had a lot of stagnant water near their dwellings.

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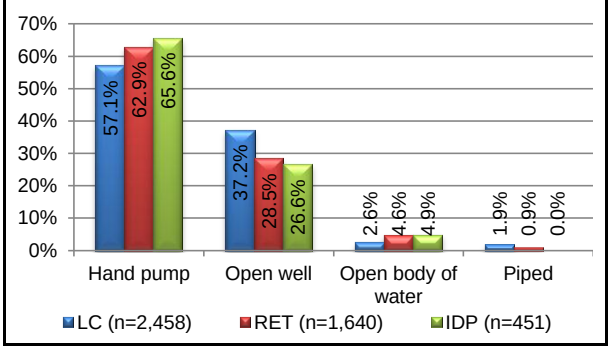
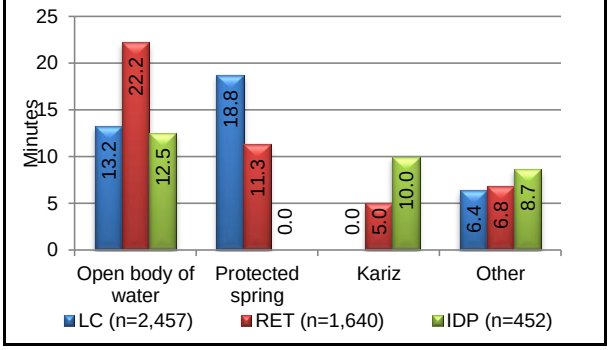
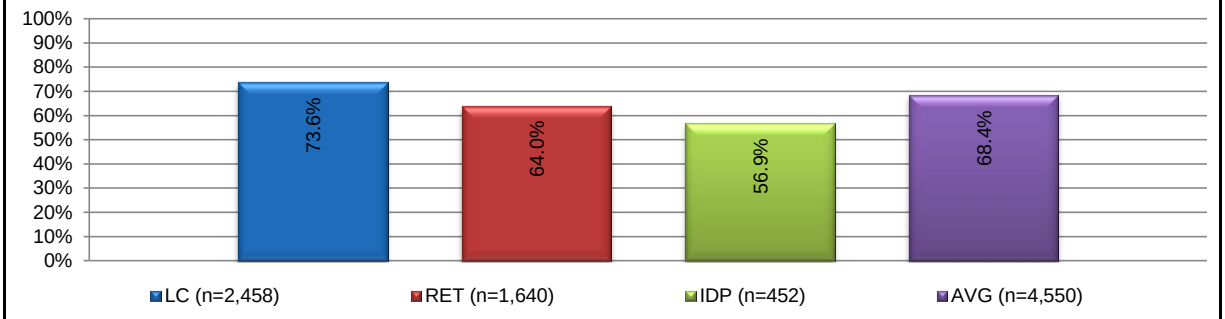
4.1 Main sources of drinking water



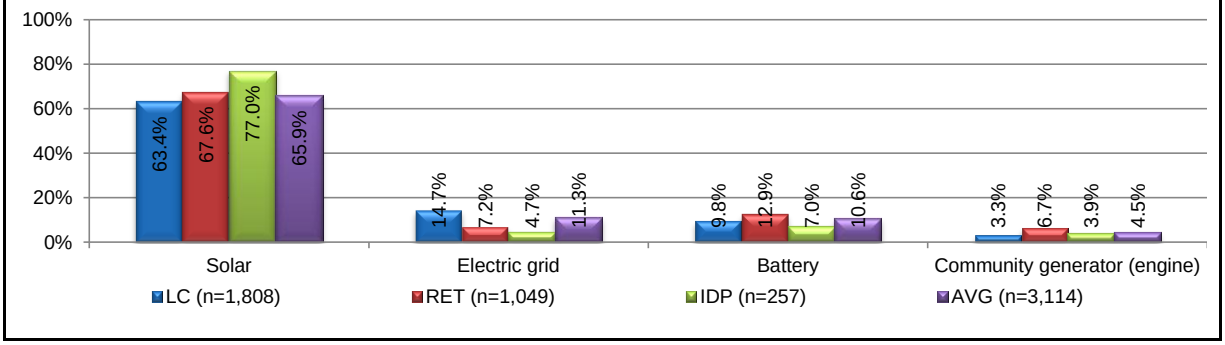
4.2 Average walking time (mins) to water source



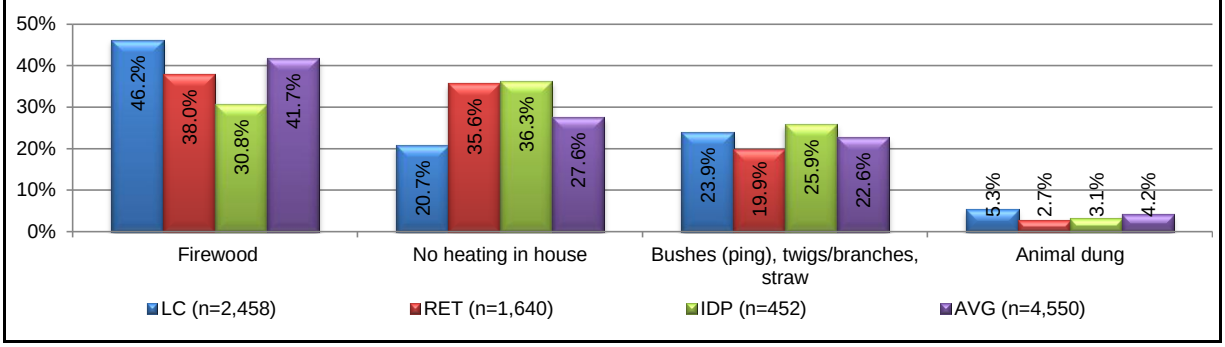
4.3 Percentage of HHs with access to electricity in last 30 days



4.4 Main source of electricity accessed in last 30 days



4.5 Main source of winter heating by HH type



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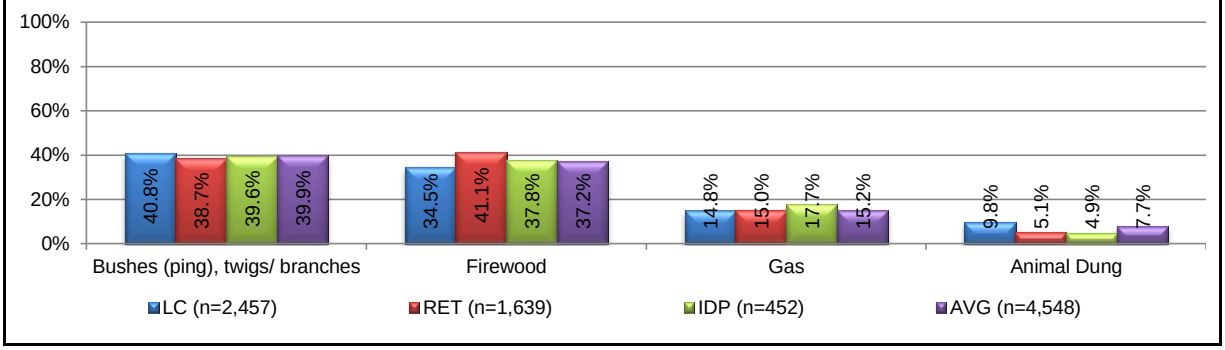
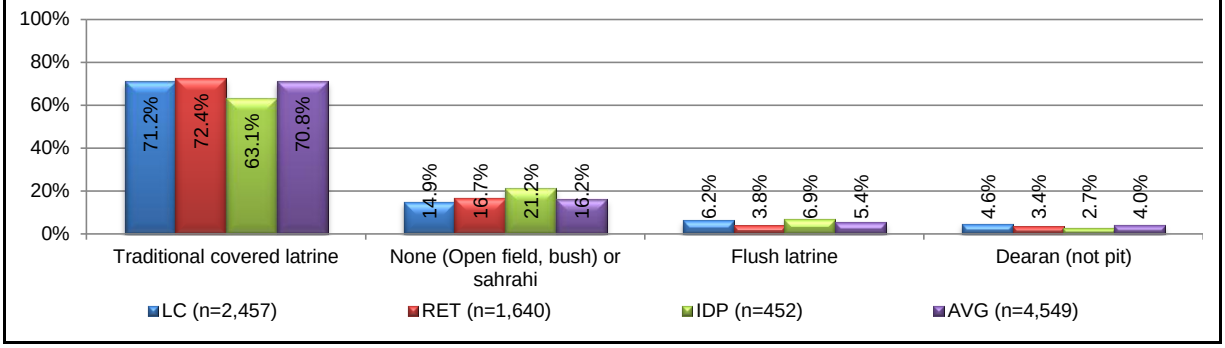
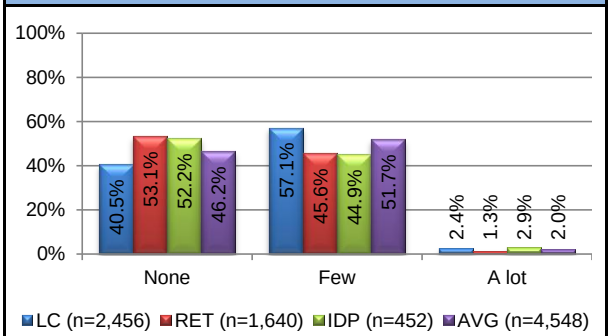
4.6 Main source of cooking fuel in past 30 days



4.7 Main toilet facility used by HHs



4.8 Observable garbage near dwelling by HH type



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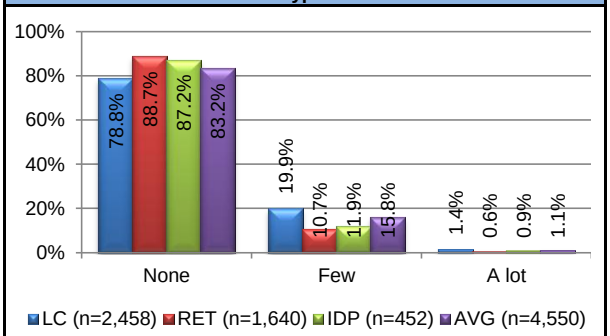

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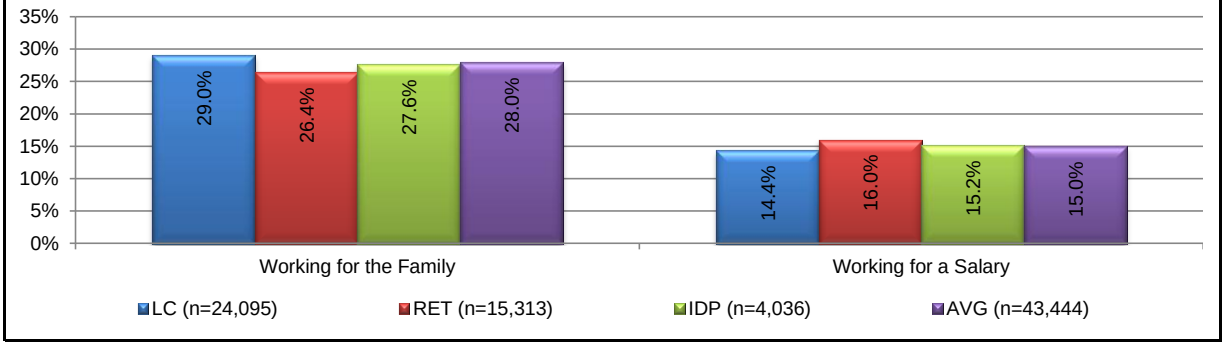
5. LABOUR & LIVELIHOODS

Summary

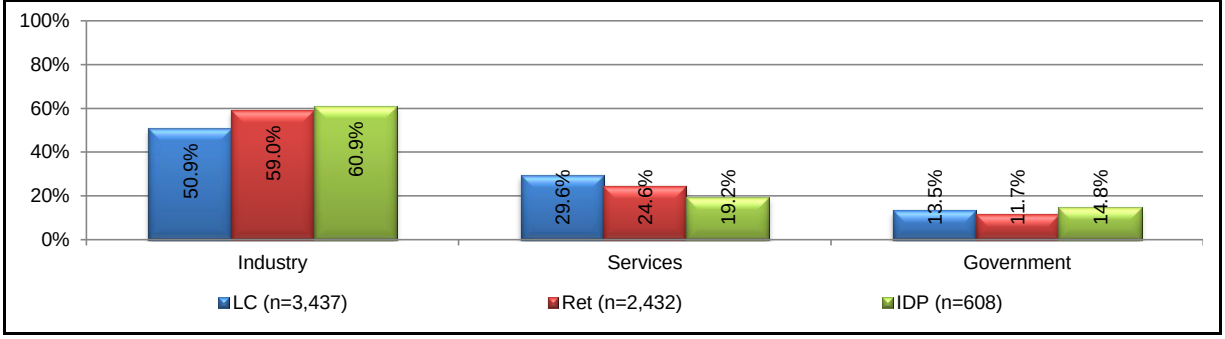
According to survey findings, 29.0% of local community members, 26.4% of returnee and 27.6% of IDP members are engaged in working for the family of which 77.2% of local community, 83.1% of returnee and 81.4% of IDP members are female. A further 14.4% of local community members, 16.0% of returnee and 15.2% of IDP members are working for a salary of which over 96% in all three groups are male. Industry represents the main employment sector for 50.9% of local community, 59.0% of returnees and 60.9% of IDP members. Less IDP members (19.2%) are engaged in services sector compared to 24.6% of returnee and 29.6% of local community members. A further 13.5% of local community members, 11.7% of returnee and 14.8% of IDP members are engaged with government sector.

Among those aged 12-17 years, 178 local community, 172 returnee members and 39 IDPs were reported to be working. A further, 4 local community, 3 returnee members and 2 IDP members aged 5-11 years were also reported to be in work.

5.1 Percentage of household members working



5.2 Main sectors of employment for salaried workers



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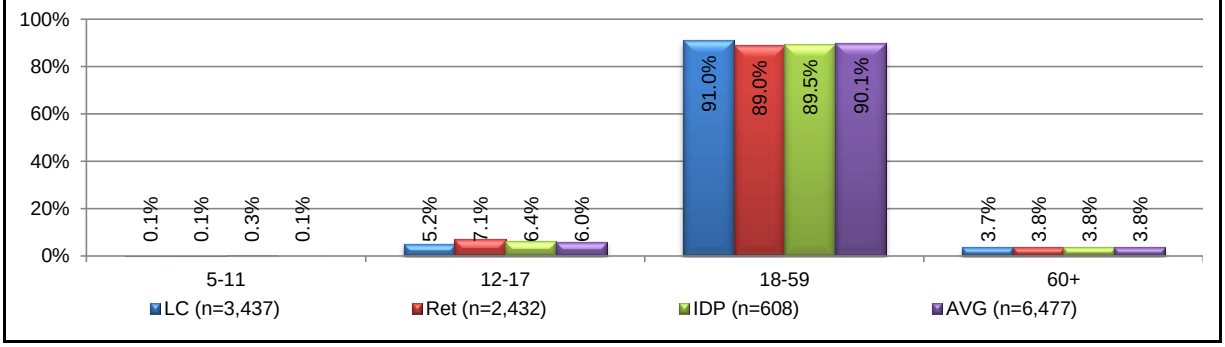

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6. HOUSEHOLD INCOME, DEBT, ASSETS AND EXPENDITURES

Summary

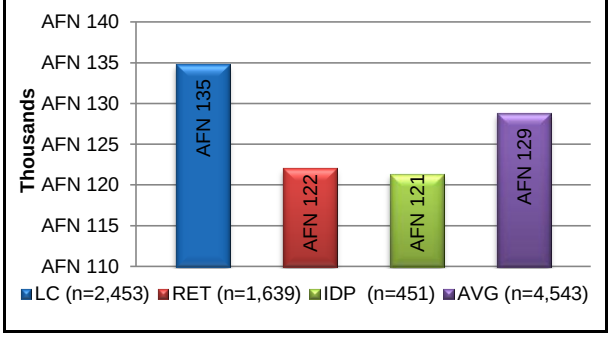
Income: Average household income in 1390 was USD 2,696 among local community households, USD 2,441 among returnee households and USD 2,427 among IDP households. Wage labour was the primary source of income for 51.5% of IDP households, 54.5% of returnee households and 45.5% of local community households. Day labour was also a significant income source for 14.4% of returnee households, 13.3% of local community households and 11.5% of IDP households. Remaining households all relied upon trade, agriculture and government services in varying proportions.

Average household debt was revealed to be USD 1,660 among IDP households, USD 1,698 among local community households and USD 1,952 among returnee households.

Expenditure: Average household expenditure in the month prior to being surveyed was USD 211 among local community households, USD 180 among returnee households and USD 173 among IDP households. A marginally larger proportion of monthly expenditure was spent on food supplies among local community households (66.2), returnee households (68.8%) and IDP households (69.3%).

Assets: With regard to ownership of key household assets, 77.9% of local community households, 74.6% of returnee households and 71.8% of IDP households own a stove/gas balloon. A mobile telephone is owned by 93.1% of local community households, 92.1% of returnee households and 90.2% of IDP households. A radio was owned by proportionally more local community households (50.0%) than returnee (44.5%) and IDP (43.7%) households. In the range of (18%-23%) of all three household types own bicycle and (5%-8%) of them own motorcycle. Proportionally 10.3% of local community households own a car which is significantly high percentage than returnee households (6.0%) and IDP households (5.5%).

6.1 Average HH income for 1390 (1,000 AFN)



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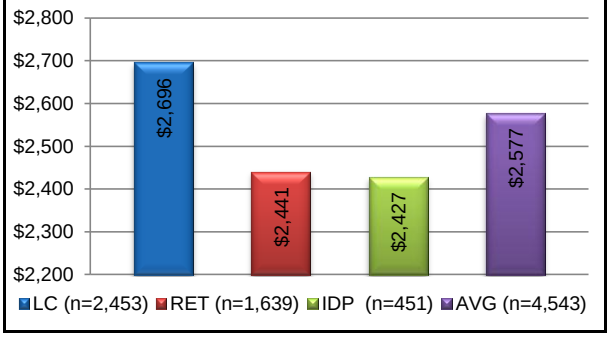
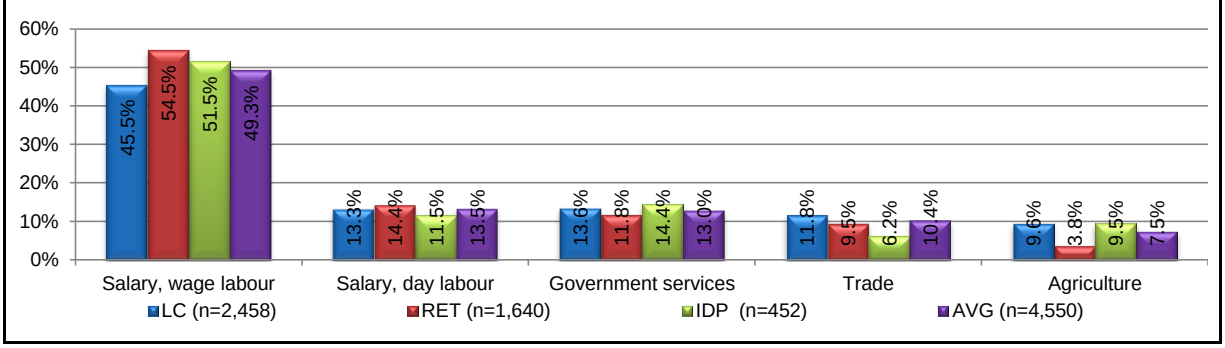


6.2 Main sources of income for 1390



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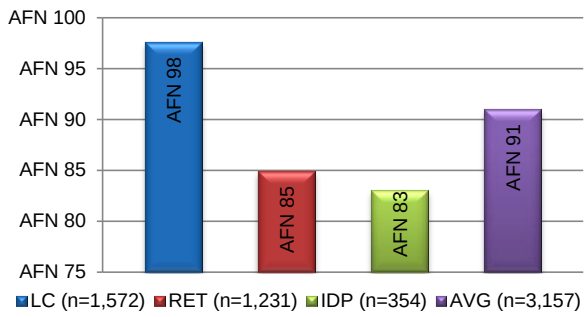
6.3.1 Average household debt (1,000 AFN)



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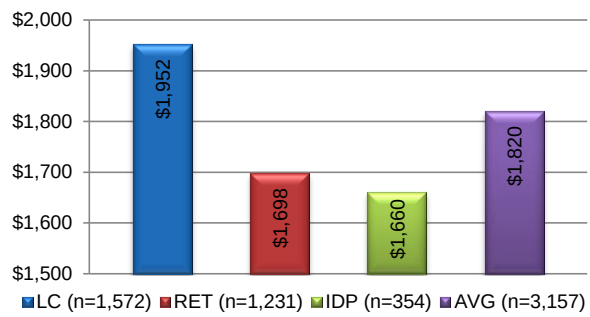
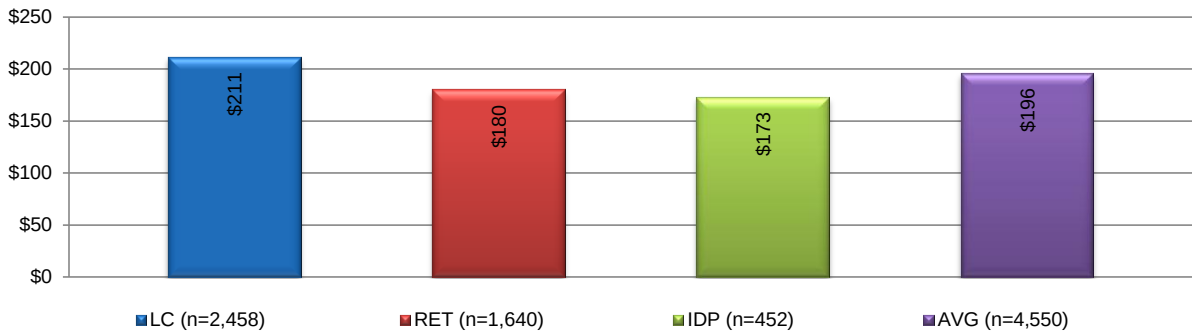
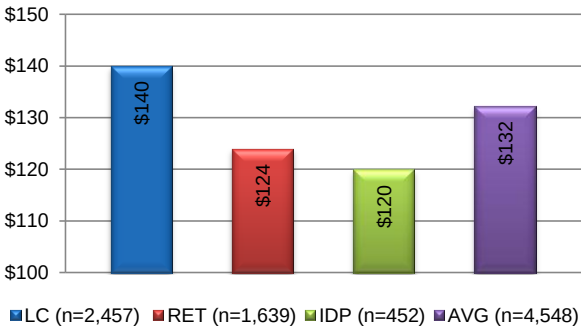


6.4.1 Average expenditure on household goods and services in previous month (USD)



6.4.2 Average expenditure on food (USD)



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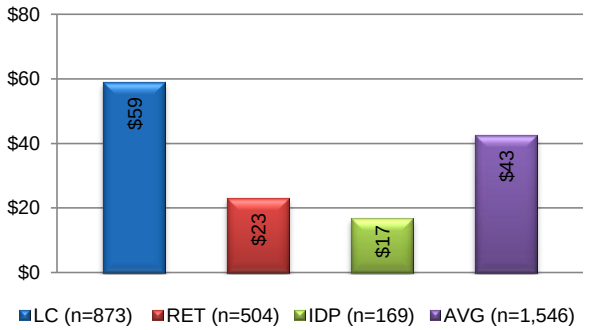
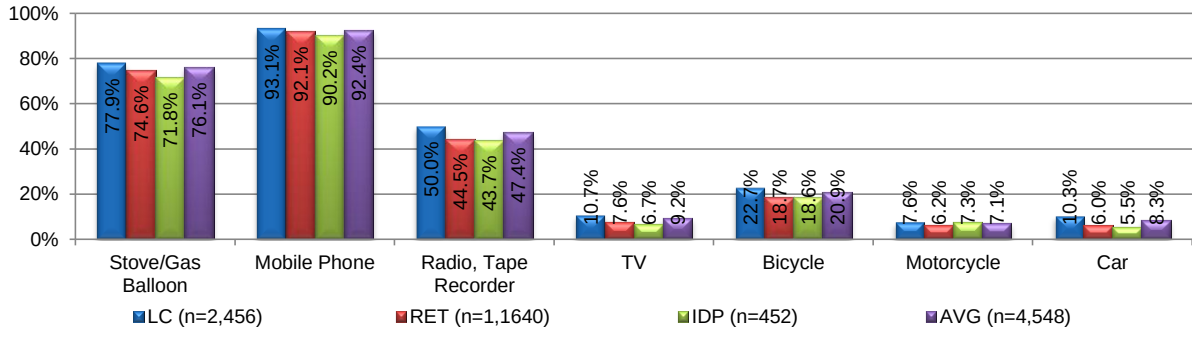


6.5 Percentage ownership of key assets



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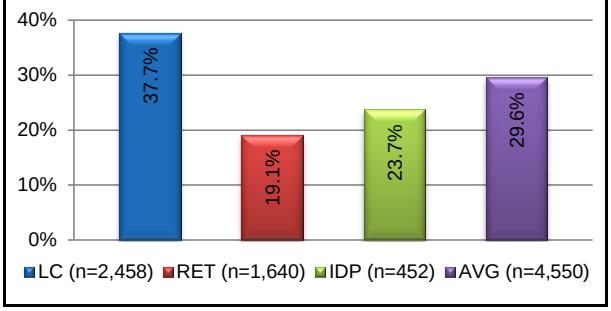
7. AGRICULTURE & LIVESTOCK

Summary

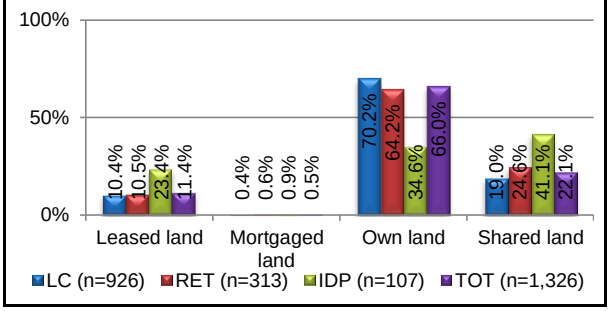
Agriculture: Of surveyed households, 23.7% of IDP households, 37.7% of local community households and 19.1% of returnee households have access to agricultural land. In 1391, on average, 4.8 jeribs of land were cultivated by IDP households and 3.2 jeribs were cultivated by local community and 2.6 jeribs of land were cultivated by returnee households, respectively. Wheat was the most important crop for 75.9% of local community households, 70.7% of returnee households and 74.8% of IDP households, while maize/sorghum was also important among all three household types. Proportionally more local community households (4.0%) households have access to garden plot compared to returnee (2.1%) and IDP households (3.3%).

Livestock: Some form of livestock is owned by 44.0% of IDP households, 55.8% of local community households and 39.2% of returnee households. Among households that do, 67.3% of IDP households, 81.4% of local community households and 61.9% of returnee households own cows. A further 57.1% of returnee households, 54.7% of local community and 56.8% of IDP households own chickens. Approximately two-fifths of both IDP and returnee households and two-quarters of local community own cattle. Proportionally, more IDP households (31.2%) own sheep compared to 13.6% of local community and 14.2% of returnee households.

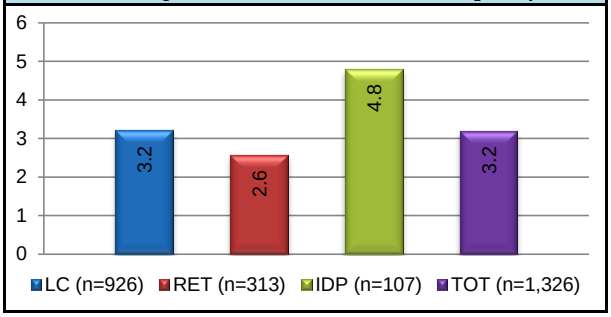
7.1 Percentage of HHs with access to agricultural land



7.2 Status of land ownership



7.3 Average area of land cultivated in 1391 (jeribs)



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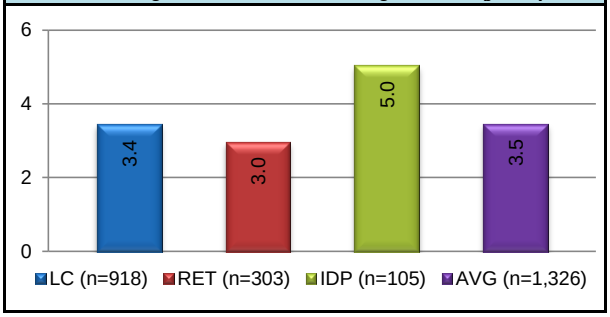

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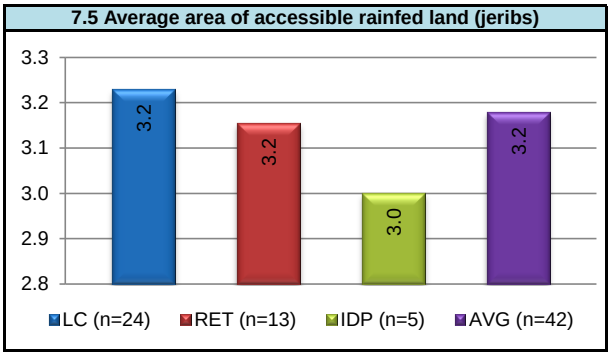
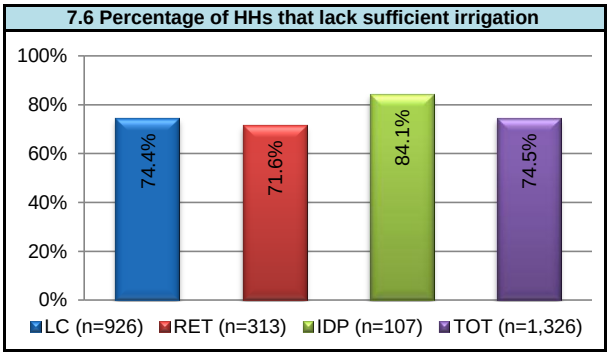


7.6 Percentage of HHs that lack sufficient irrigation



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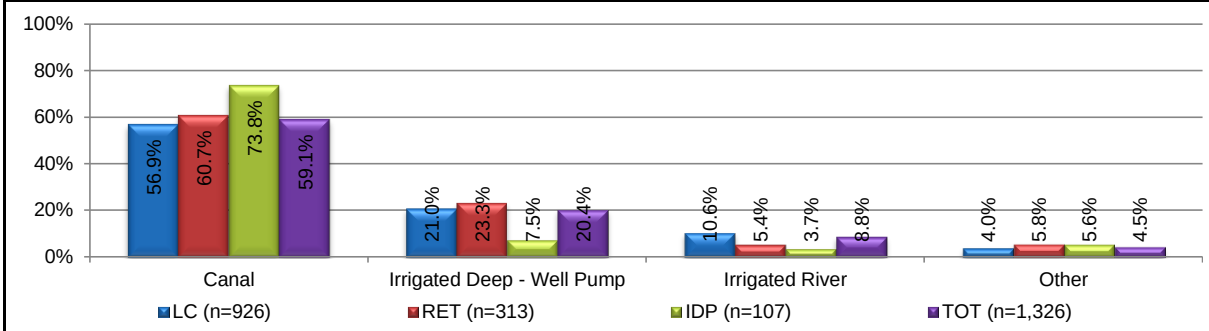
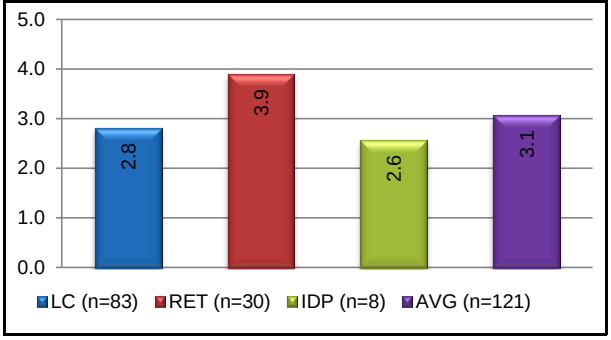
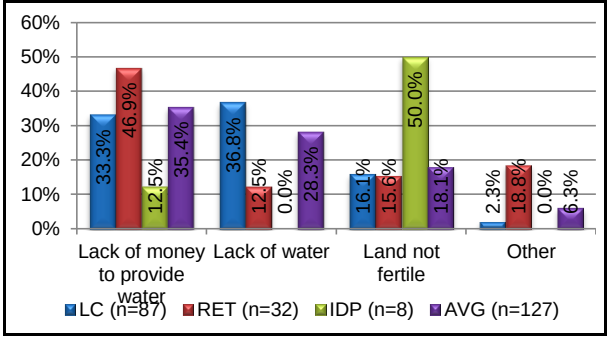
7.7 Main source of irrigation water



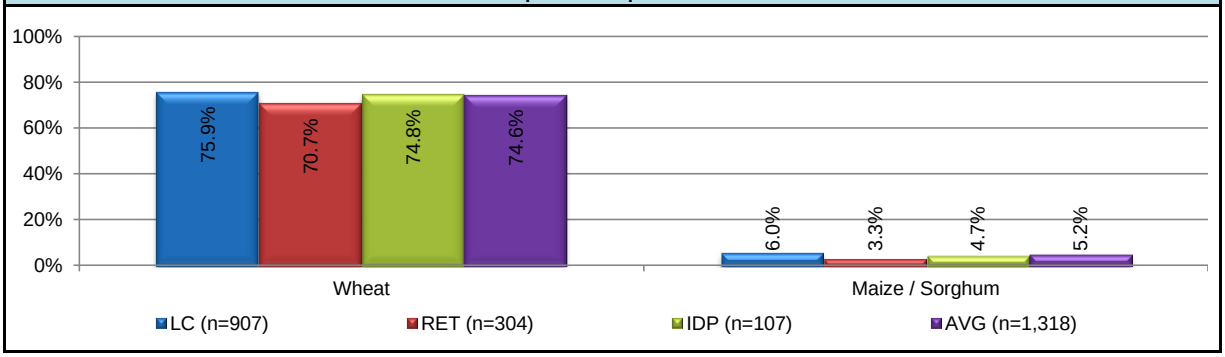
7.8 Average area of irrigated land left fallow in most recent summer



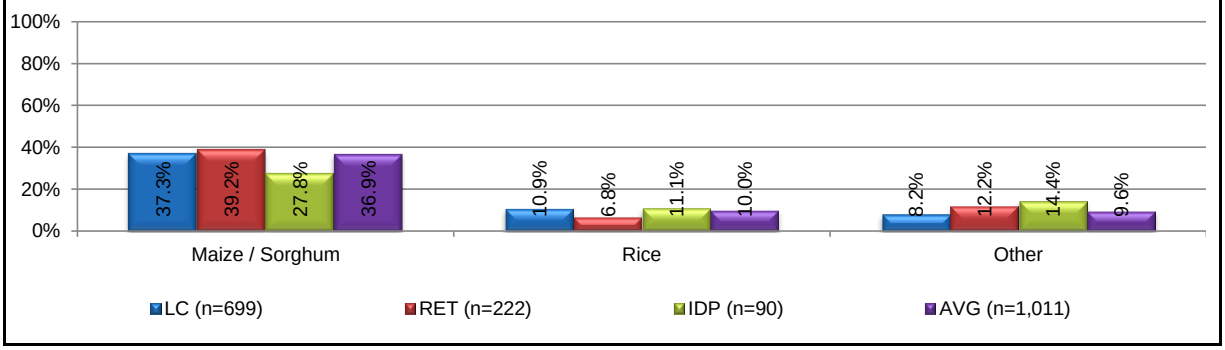
7.9 Main reasons for not cultivating irrigated land



7.10 Most important crop harvested in 1391



7.11 Second most important crop harvested in 1391



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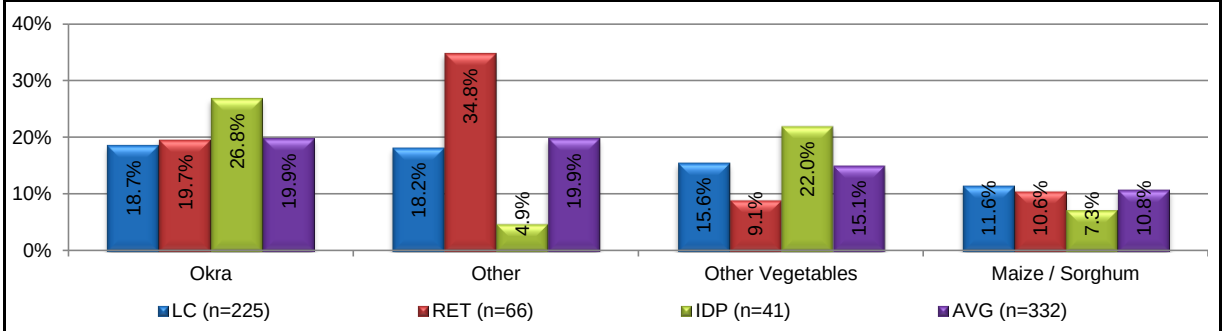
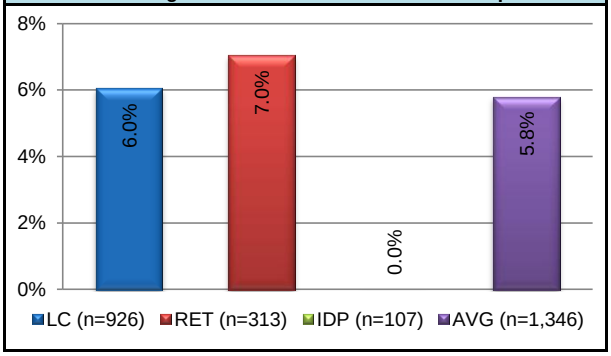
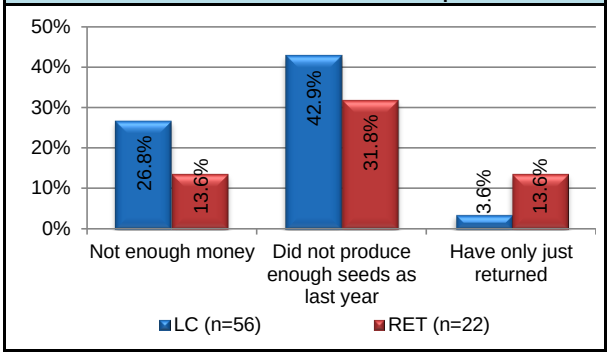


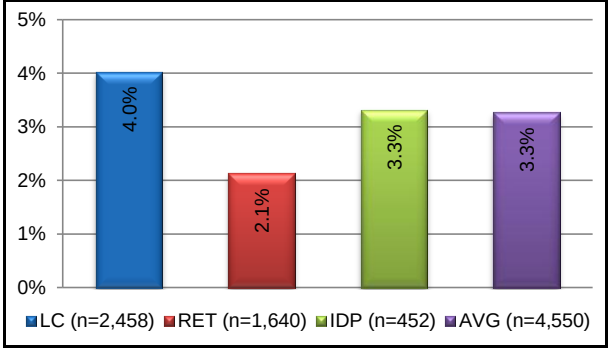
7.13 Percentage of HHs with insufficient main crop seeds



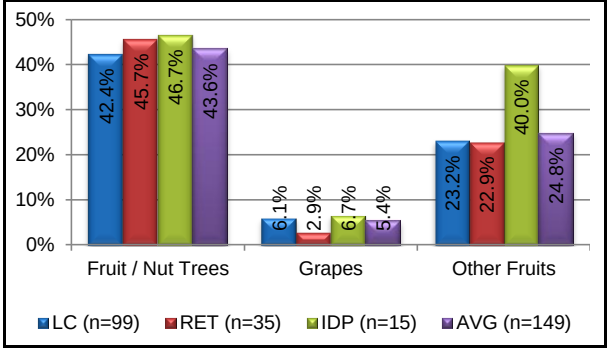
7.14 Reasons for insufficient main crop seeds



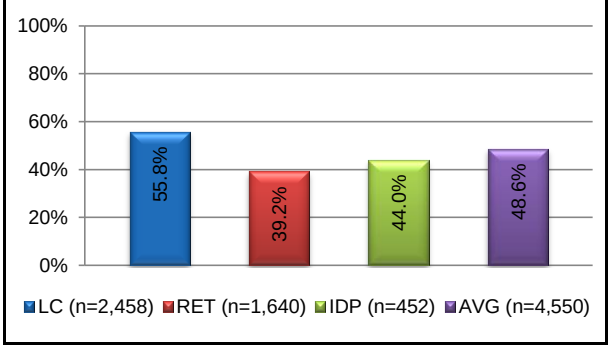
7.15 Percentage of HHs with access to a garden plot



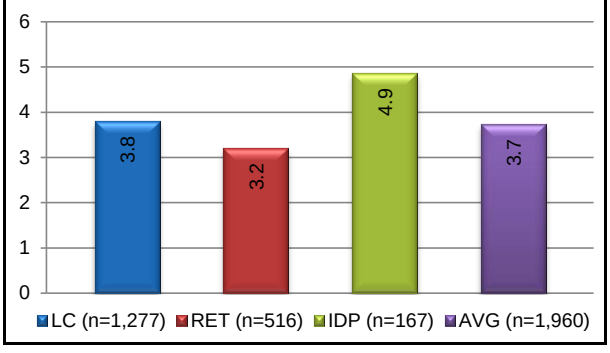
7.16 Main crops grown in garden plot



7.17 Percentage of HHs with livestock



7.18 Average major livestock owned by HH type



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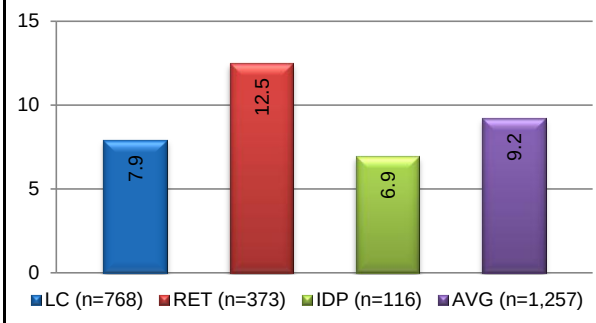
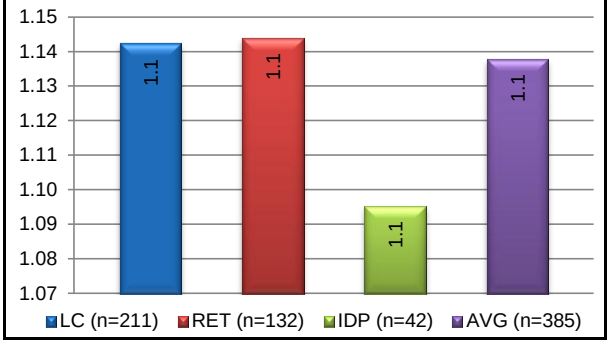
7.19 Average poultry and other birds owned by HH type



7.20 Average dogs owned by HH type



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8. ACCESS TO SERVICES PROFILE

Summary

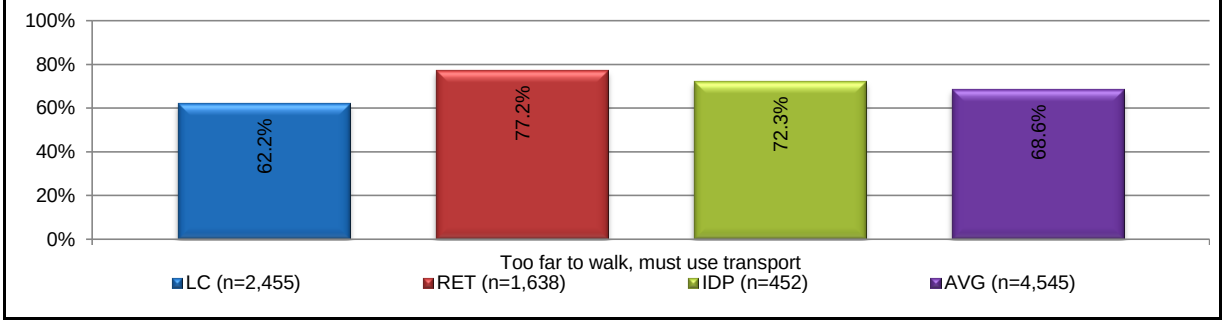
Over three-fifths (62.2%) of all three household types stated that the Provincial Centre is too far to walk to. In the last three months, the main reasons for travelling to the Provincial Centre for all three household types were to purchase goods or services or to work. Moreover, approximately two-quarters of all three household types stated that the nearest police station is less than 15 minutes.

Over three-fifths of all three household types stated that public health Centre is 15-60 minutes away. For the vast majority in all three community groups, the nearest private health clinic is either too far to walk to or 15-60 minutes away. The nearest hospital is too far to walk to for all three household types.

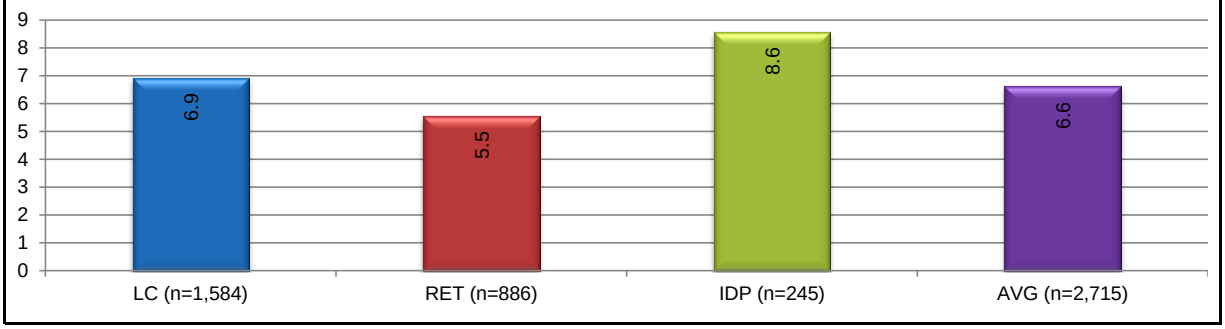
Approximately two-fifths of all three household types stated that their place of employment is less than 15 minutes away. Two-thirds of local community and returnee households and two-thirds (61.7%) of IDP households stated that their access to transport is less than 15 minutes, must use transport.

For all three household types, the nearest primary, secondary and high schools for both boys and girls are located 15-60 minutes away on foot.

8.1 Average time taken to walk one-way to Provincial Centre



8.2 Average number of times a HH member has travelled to Provincial Centre in last three months



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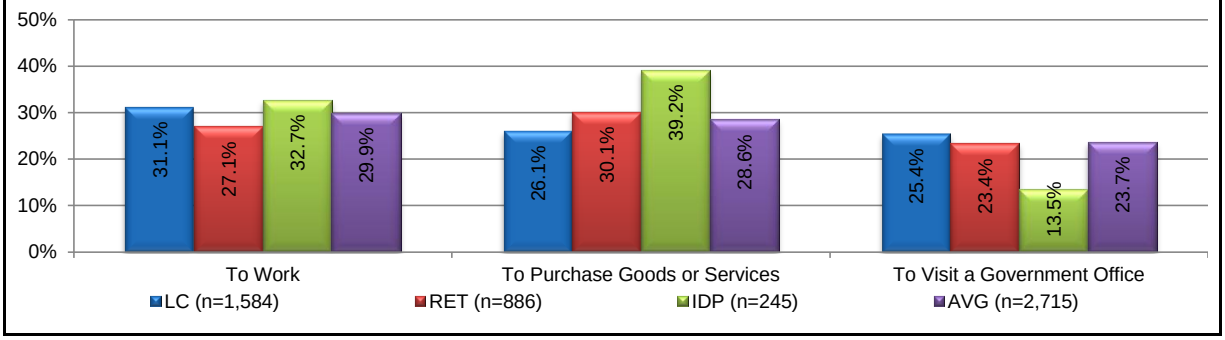
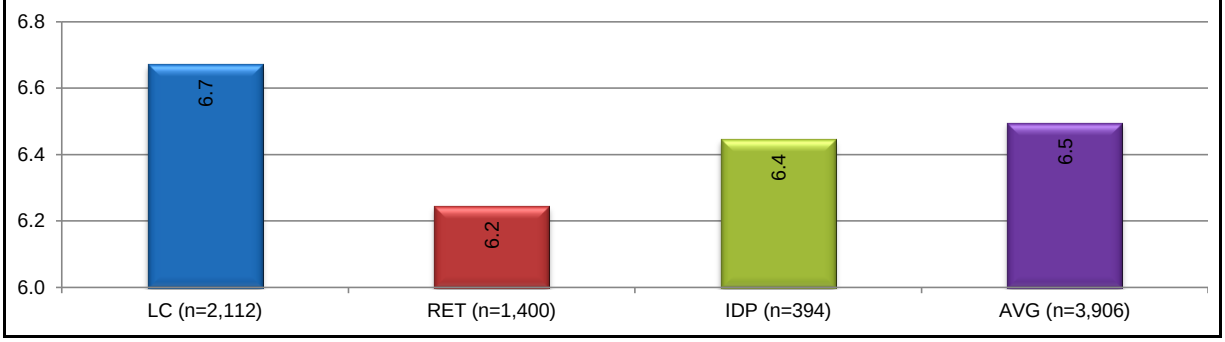
8.3 Main reasons for travelling to Provincial Centre in last three months



8.4 Average number of times a HH member has travelled outside Provincial Centre in last three months



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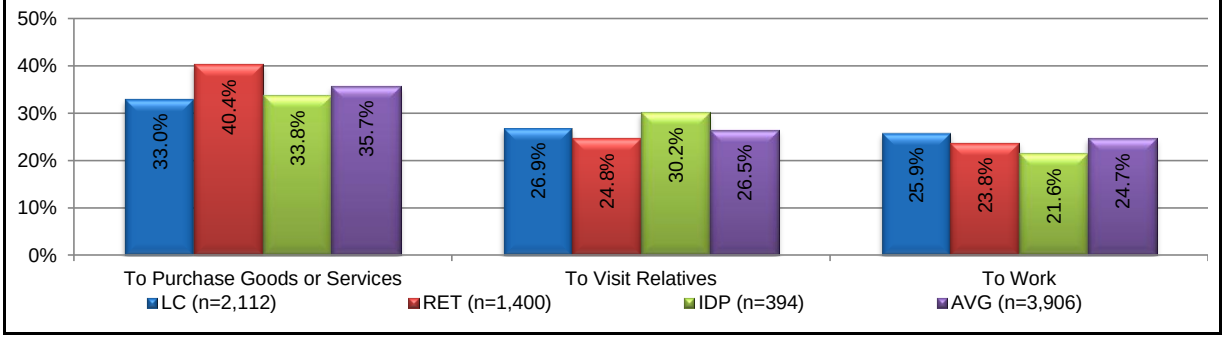

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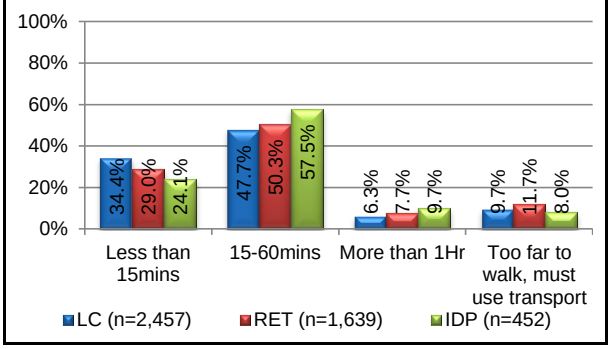

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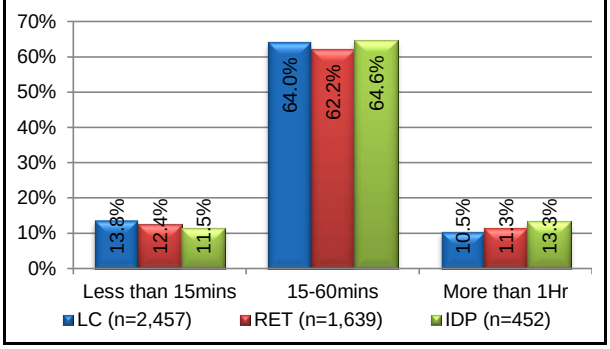

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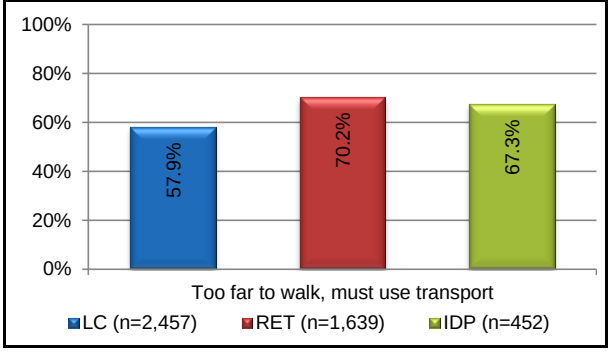
8.8 Hospital



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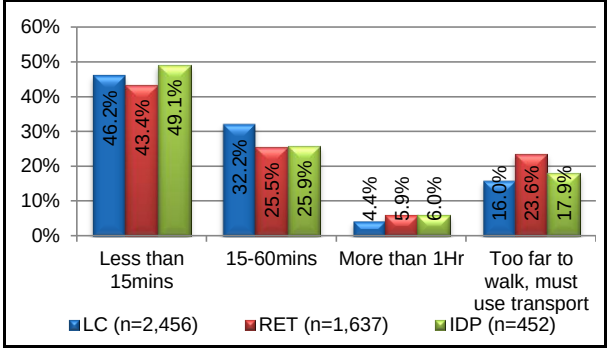

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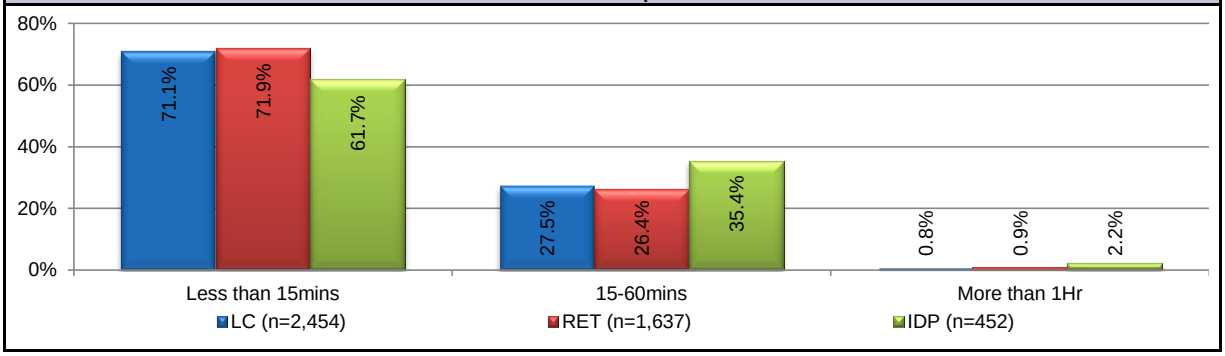
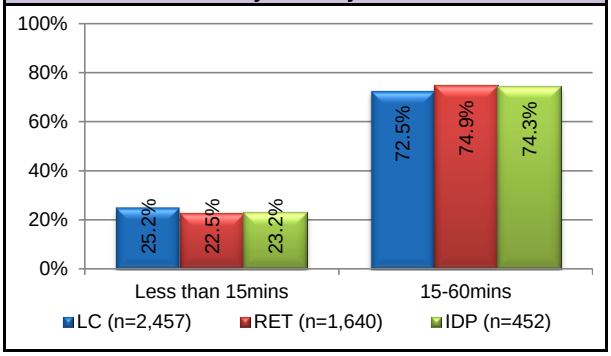


8.11 Boys' Primary School



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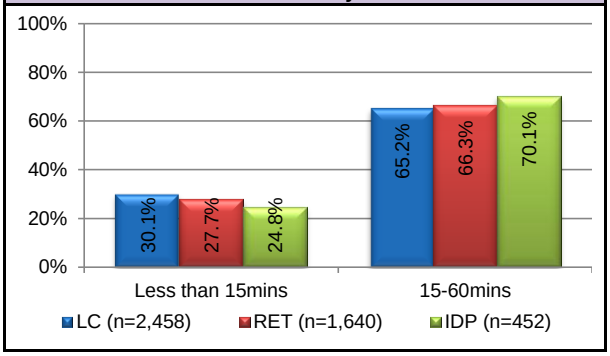

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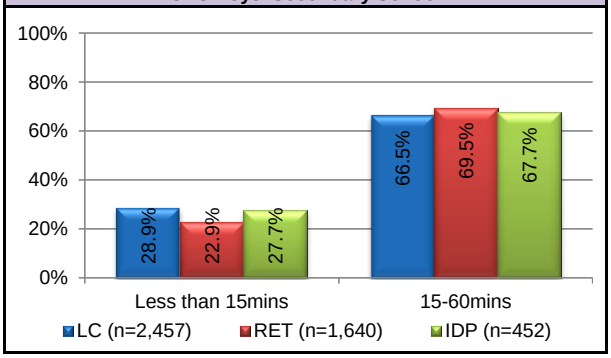

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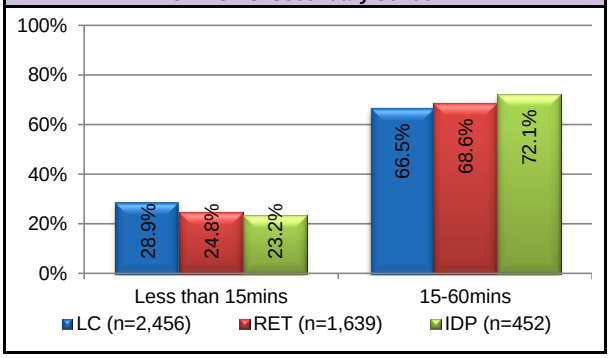

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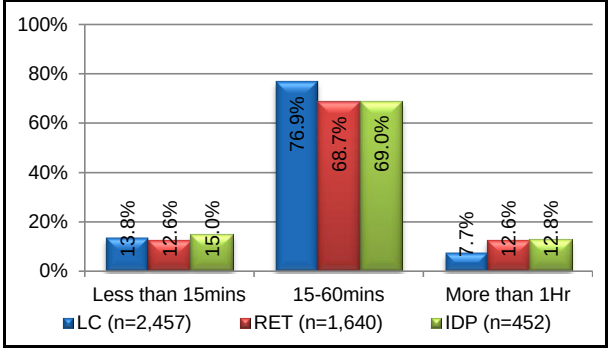

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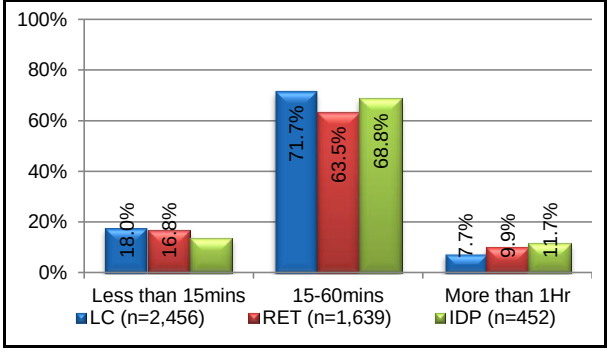

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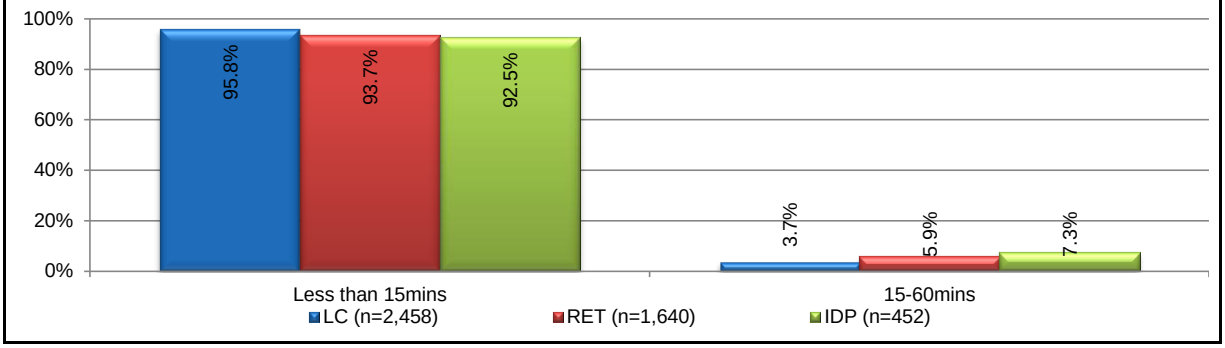

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9. EDUCATION PROFILE

Summary

Among those aged five years and over, 42.2% of the local community, 41.2% of returnees and 36.8% of IDPs reported to be literate. Of these, 58.9% of local community males, 57.1% of returnee males and 52.7% of IDP males reported to be literate. Similarly, 23.9% of local community females, 23.8% of returnee females and 20.0% of IDP females reported to be literate.

Among adults aged eighteen years and over, 79.6% of local community males, 83.1% of returnee males and 80.2% of IDP males did not achieve any school grade. Similarly, 97.9% of local community females, 97.8% of returnee females and 97.1% of IDP females had not achieved any school grade.

Among males aged 6 to 24 years, 59.5% of local community males, 55.0% of returnee males and 51.8% of IDPs males reported to be currently attending school. Among females aged 6 to 24 years, 31.0% of local community females, 28.5% of returnees and 23.2% of IDP females reported to be currently attending school. The main reason for not attending school given by those aged 6 to 24 years across all three groups was because the family did not permit them to. Furthermore, one-fifth (20.3%) of those aged 6 to 24 years across all three groups didn't attend school because they didn't like school/not learned enough. Also 9.4% of local community, 8.7% of returnee and 9.2% of IDP members aged 6 to 24 years didn't attend school because child was too young.

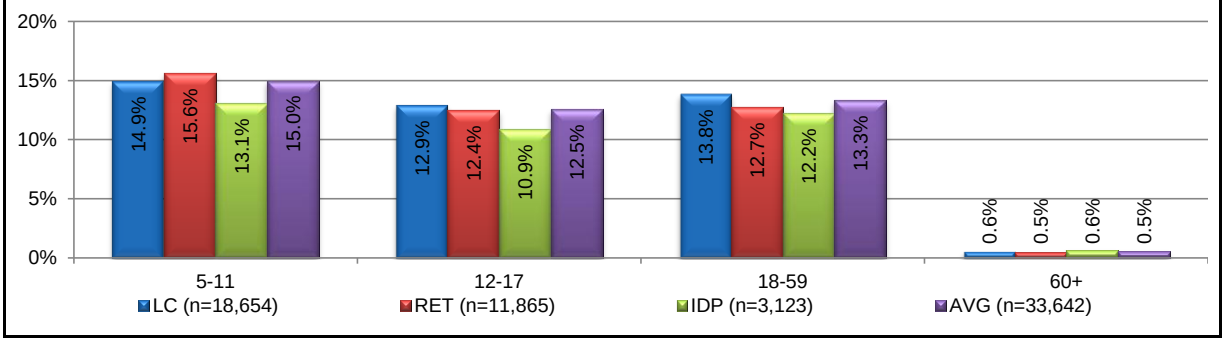
9.1 Male literacy rate within each age group by household type

Male		Age Group 5-11	12-17	18-59	60+	Total
LC	Total	2,483	2,047	4,685	546	9,761
	Yes	1,689	1,652	2,299	106	5,746
	%	68.0%	80.7%	49.1%	19.4%	58.9%
RET	Total	1,633	1,325	2,922	329	6,209
	Yes	1,103	1,049	1,340	51	3,543
	%	67.5%	79.2%	45.9%	15.5%	57.1%
IDP	Total	453	307	764	84	1,608
	Yes	262	226	340	19	847
	%	57.8%	73.6%	44.5%	22.6%	52.7%
ALL	Total	4,569	3,679	8,371	959	17,578
	Yes	3,054	2,927	3,979	176	10,136
	%	66.8%	79.6%	47.5%	18.4%	57.7%

9.2 Female literacy rate within each age group by household type

Female		Age Group 5-11	12-17	18-59	60+	Total
LC	Total	2,221	1,866	4,433	373	8,893
	Yes	1,089	750	280	5	2,124
	%	49.0%	40.2%	6.3%	1.3%	23.9%
RET	Total	1,490	1,186	2,757	223	5,656
	Yes	745	428	172	3	1,348
	%	50.0%	36.1%	6.2%	1.3%	23.8%
IDP	Total	392	318	745	60	1,515
	Yes	146	114	42	1	303
	%	37.2%	35.8%	5.6%	1.7%	20.0%
ALL	Total	4,103	3,370	7,935	656	16,064
	Yes	1,980	1,292	494	9	3,775
	%	48.3%	38.3%	6.2%	1.4%	23.5%

9.3 Percentage of literate household members by age group



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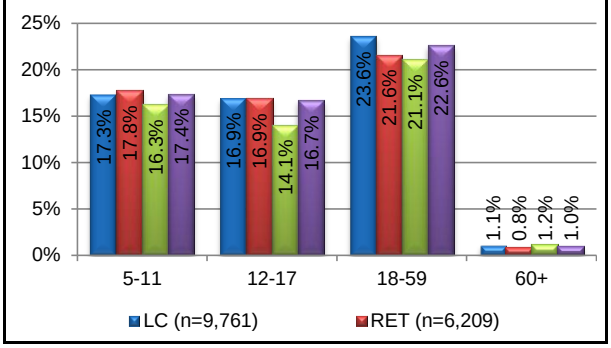
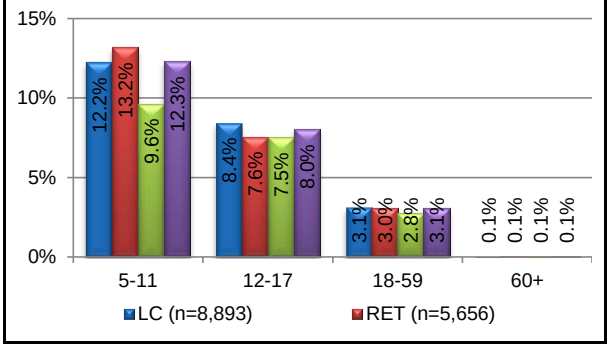
9.4 Percentage of literate males by age group



9.5 Percentage of literate females by age group



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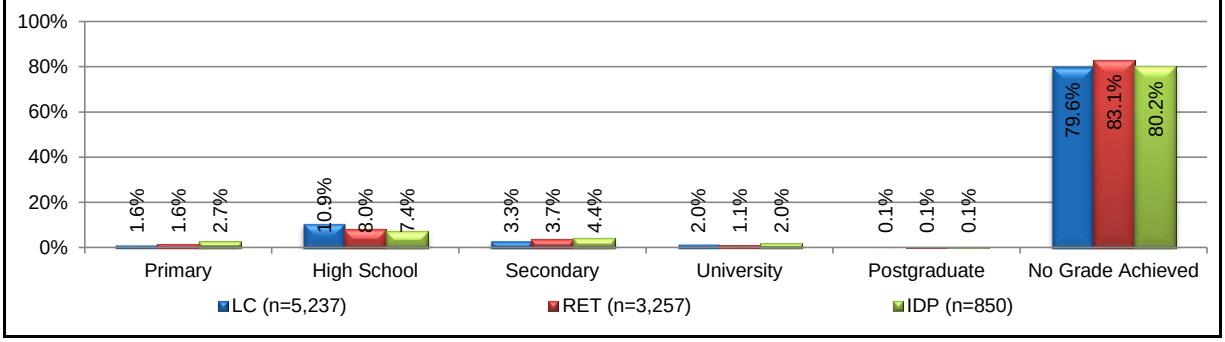

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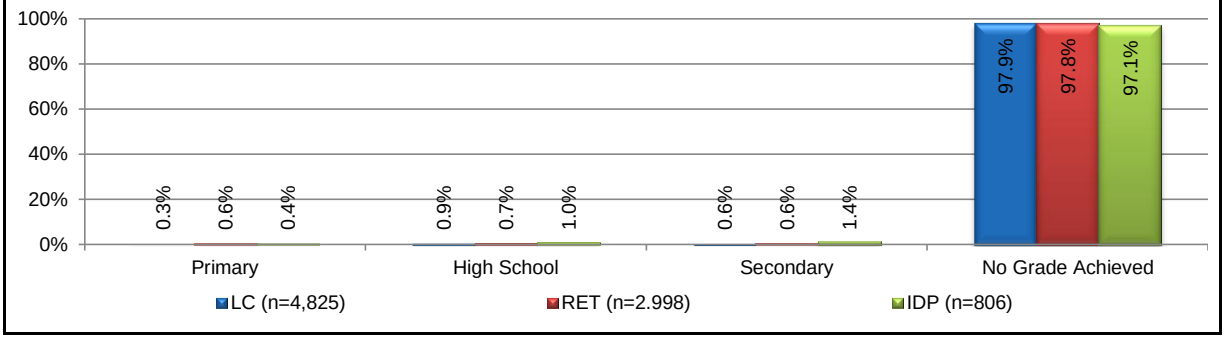
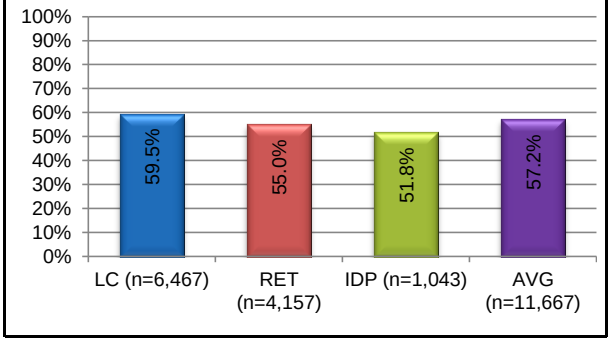
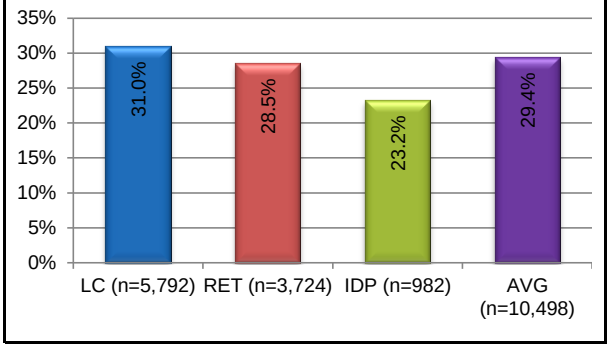


9.8 Percentage of males aged 6 to 24 years currently attending school



9.9 Percentage of females aged 6 to 24 years currently attending school



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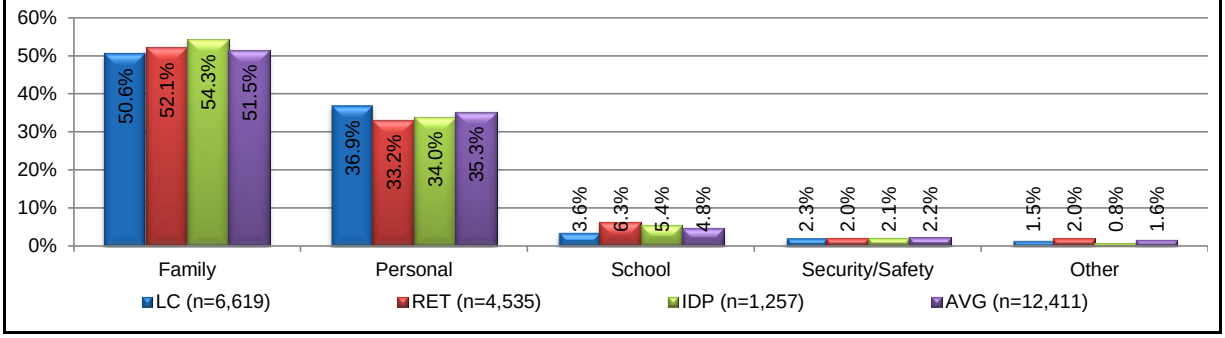
9.10.1 General reasons for not attending school



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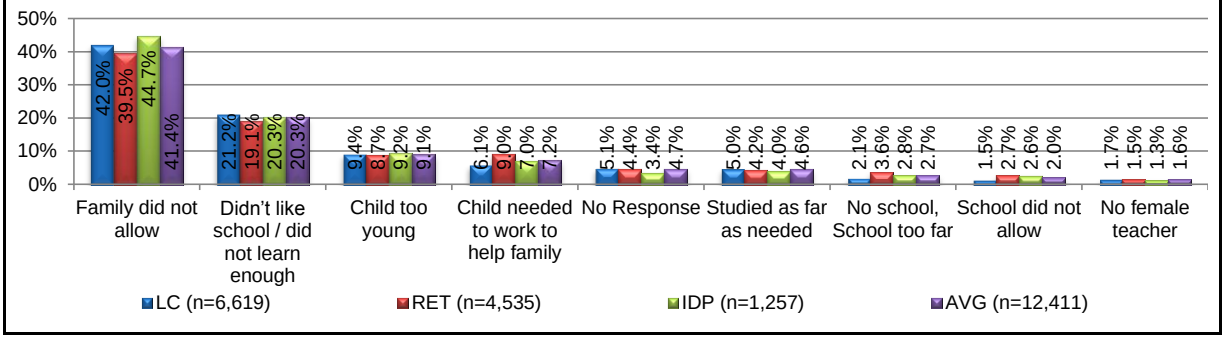
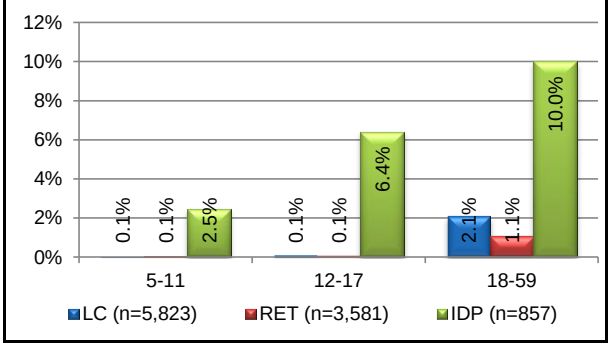


9.11 Age distribution of males who received education in another province



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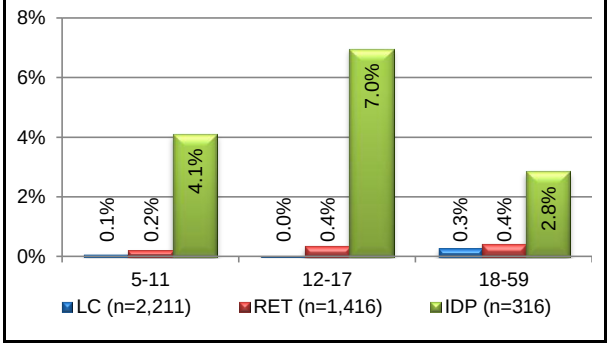
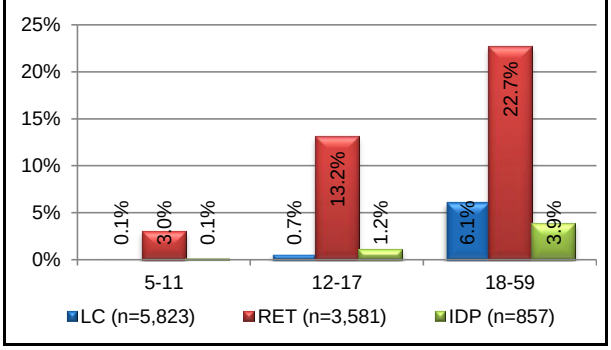
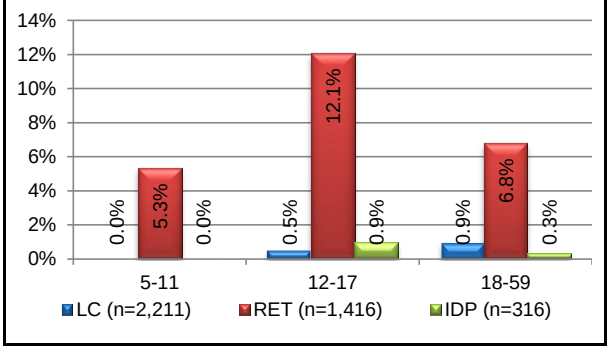


9.13 Age distribution of males who received education in another country



9.14 Age distribution of females who received education in another country



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10. HEALTH PROFILE

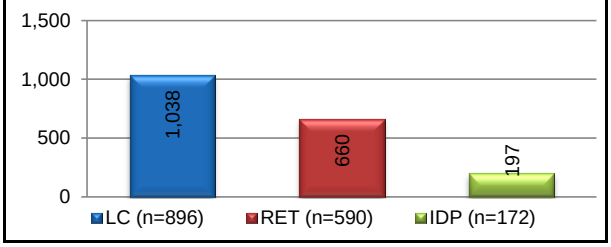
Summary

Over one-third (36.5%) of local community households, 36.0% of returnee households and 38.1% of IDP households had between one and two household members admitted to a health facility as an inpatient over the course of the previous month. Two-thirds (66.4%) of local community, three-quarters (73.0%) of returnee and 74.3% of IDP households also had at least one member receive care from a health provider, a pharmacy or traditional healer without having to stay overnight. The private health facility was visited most by all three household groups, followed by the Regional Hospital and comprehensive health facility. The most common reasons for seeking medical treatment by local community households were infectious diseases (24.5%), respiratory problems (18.4%), digestive problems (17.8%) and cardiovascular diseases (4.7%). Similarly, for returnee households the most common reasons were infectious diseases (28.0%), respiratory problems (16.8%) and treatment of digestive problems (17.6%). Among IDP households, the main reasons for seeking medical treatment were infectious diseases (33.3%), respiratory problems (14.6%) and digestive problems (15.8%).

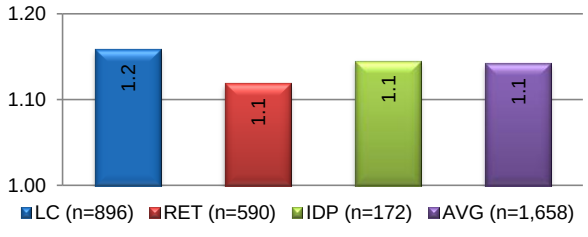
Of the 9,591 females aged 13-49 years that were included in the survey, a total of 1,227 were reported to be married among local community households (n=745), returnee households (n=355) and IDP households (n=127). Based on this data, the average number of births stands at 5.1 for local community females, 5.1 for returnee females and 4.4 for IDP females. Correspondingly, the average number of infant/child deaths is 0.5 for local community females, 0.5 for returnee females and 0.3 for IDP females. Of the 1,160 females aged 13-49 years that have given birth, 83.1% of local community females, 84.8% of returnee and 78.0% of IDP females received antenatal care during their last pregnancy with an average of 3.2 antenatal care visits per mother, and over one-third (37.4%) had the assistance of a midwife during delivery.

With regard to children under the age of five, 81.3% of local community children, 80.8% of returnee children and 68.3% of IDP children have been registered with the civil authorities. Over the course of the previous month, 96.5% of local community under-fives, 93.7% of returnee under-fives and 96.7% of IDP under-fives have received a Vitamin A capsule, and in the region of one quarter across all three household types have suffered from diarrhea. Furthermore, one-fifth of returnee and IDP under-fives and 12.8% of local community have a persistent cough.

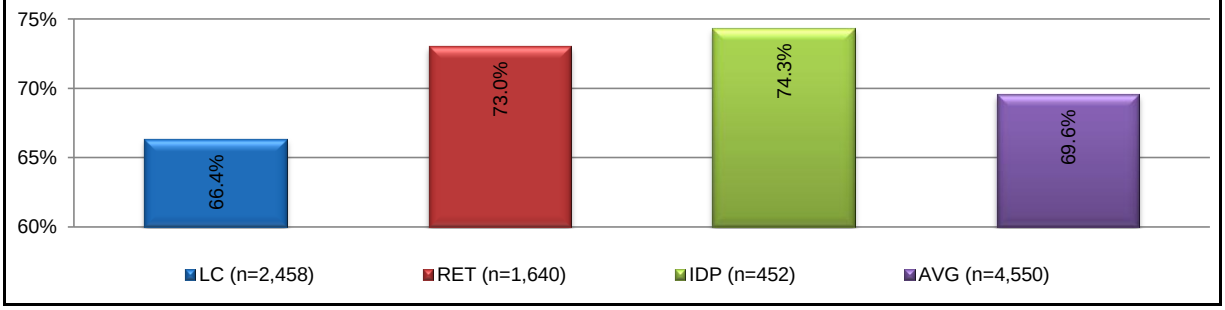
10.1.1 Number of HH members admitted to stay at a health facility overnight in previous month



10.1.2 Average number of HH members admitted to stay at a health facility overnight in previous month



10.1.3 Percentage of HHs with at least one member who sought treatment from a health provider, a pharmacy or traditional healer without staying overnight



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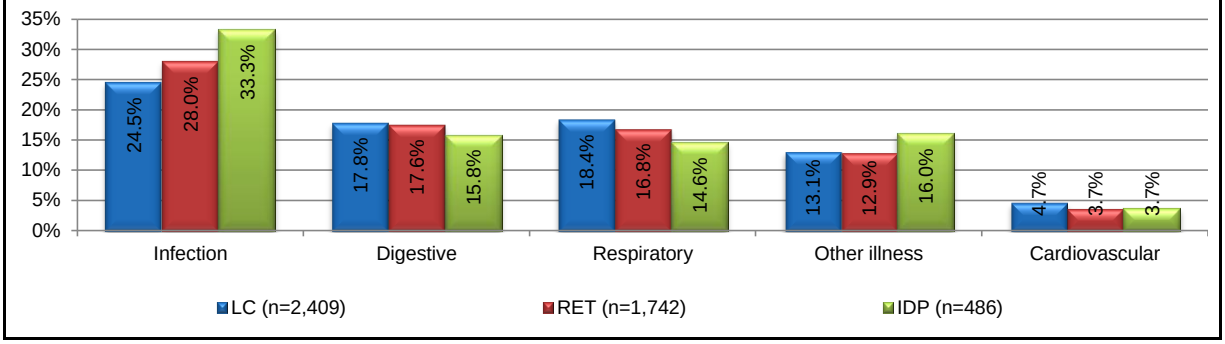
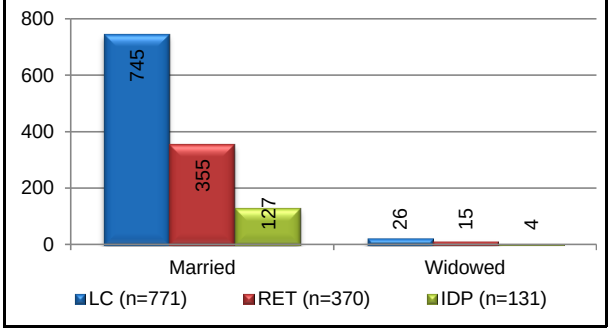
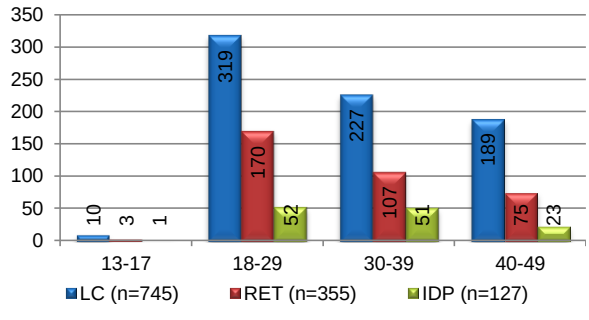
10.1.4 Reasons for seeking treatment



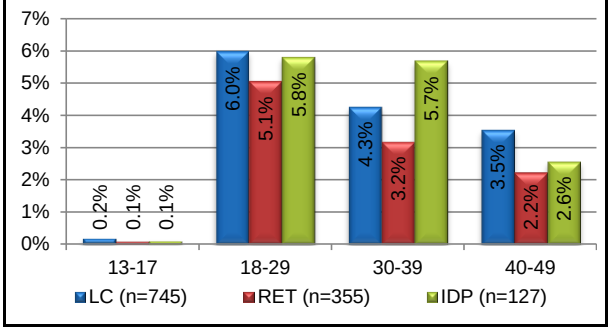
10.2.1 Number of married women who completed survey



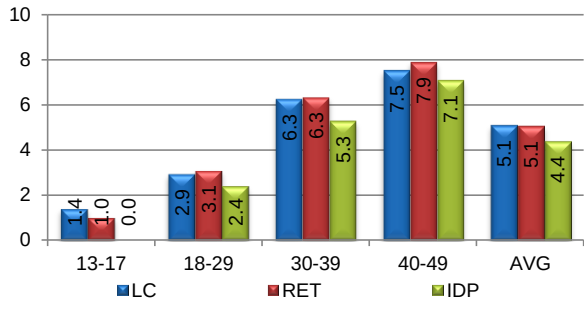
10.2.2 Age distribution of married women who completed survey



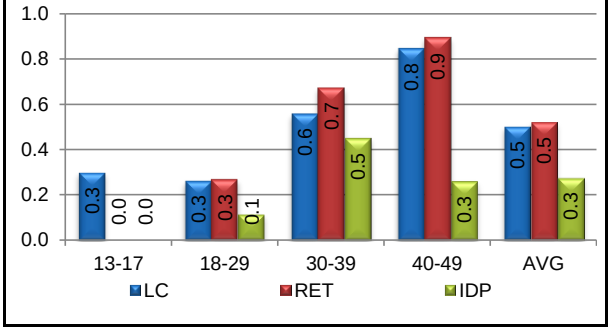
10.2.3 Percentage of overall number of married women aged 18-49 years who completed survey



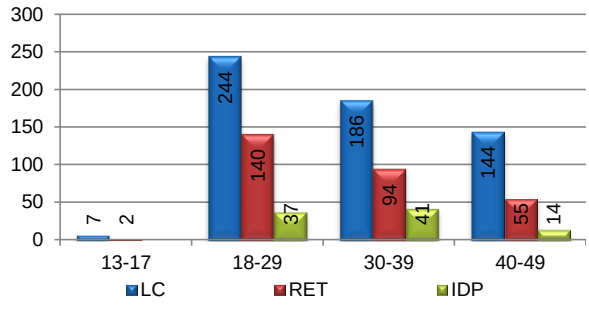
10.2.4 Average number of births per woman by age group



10.2.5 Average number of infant/child deaths per woman by age group



10.2.6 Age distribution of women who received antenatal care



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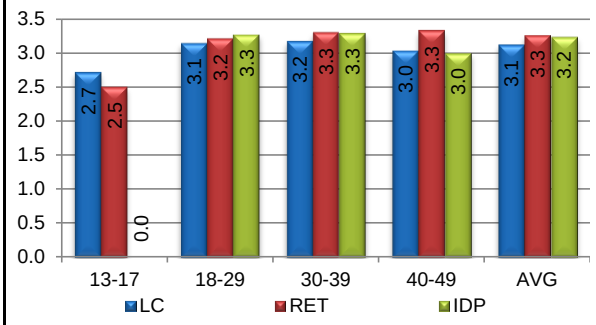
10.2.7 Average number of antenatal visits during last pregnancy by age group



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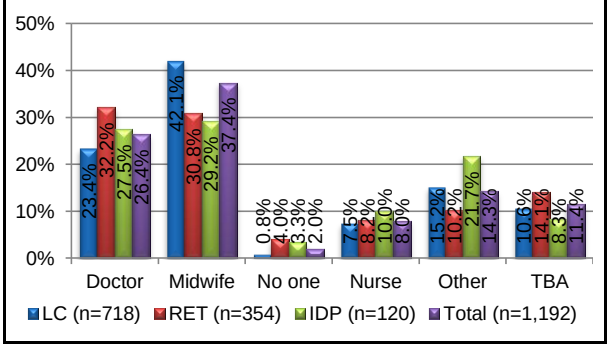
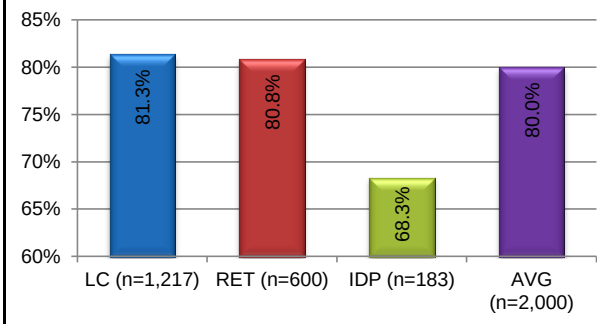
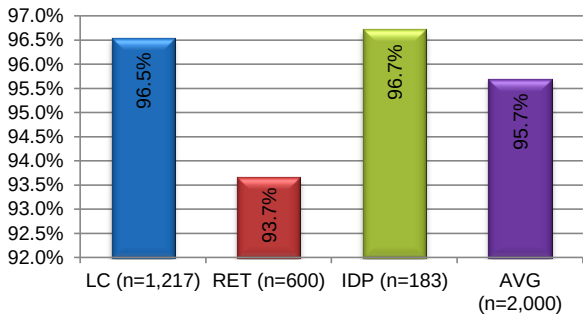


10.2.9 Percentage of children under the age of five registered with civil authorities



10.2.10 Percentage of children under the age of five who received Vitamin A capsule in the last month



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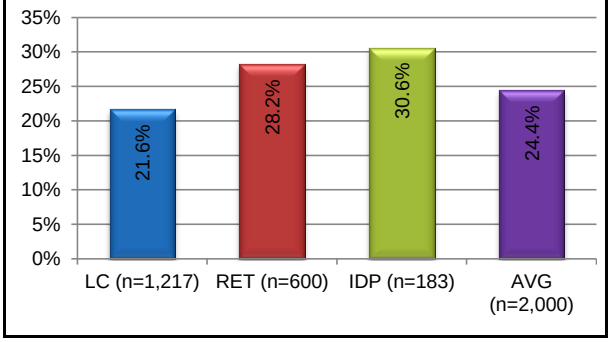

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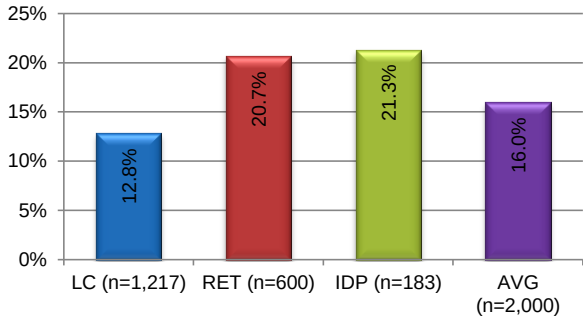
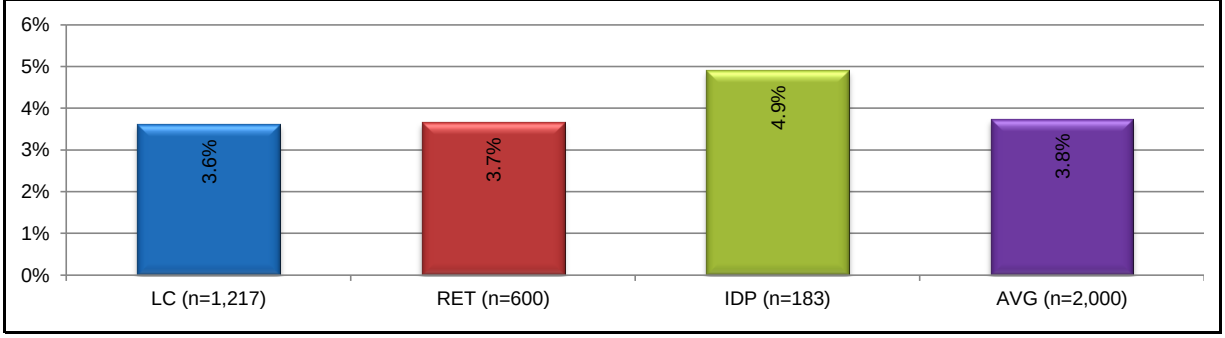


10.2.13 Percentage of children under the age of five who had Rapid Breaths in the last month



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11. HOUSEHOLD SHOCKS AND COPING STRATEGIES

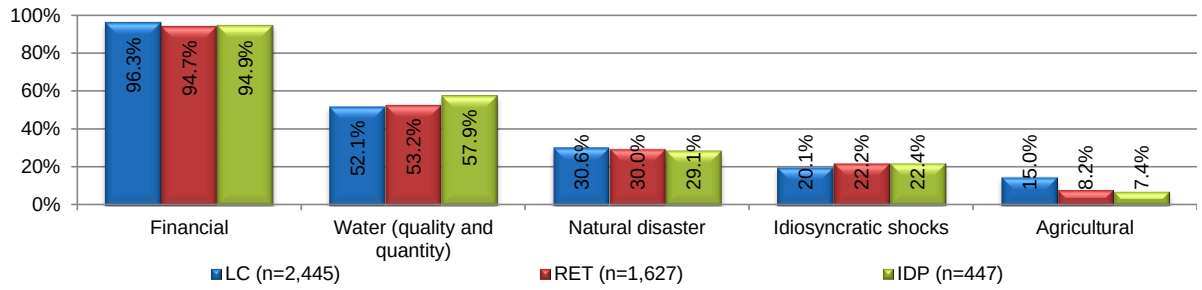
Summary

94.2% of local community households were affected by unusually high increase in food prices. A further, over two-fifths (43.5%) of local community households were affected by reduced drinking water quantity, 36.3% by reduced drinking water quality, 14.1% by death or serious illness of other household member and 11.1% by severe winter conditions. 91.8% of local community households responded to these shocks by decreasing expenditures. A further, 45.9% of local community coped with these shock by reducing quality of diet, 46.6% by reducing quantity of diet, 35.3% by taking loans and 16.5% received help from others in the community.

92.0% of returnee households were affected by unusually high increase in food prices. A further, over two-fifths (43.7%) of returnee households were affected by reduced drinking water quantity, 52.2% by reduced drinking water quality, 32.7% by death or serious illness of other household member and 17.1% by severe winter conditions. 91.8% of returnee households responded to these shocks by decreasing expenditures. A further, 40.7% of returnee coped with these shock by reducing quality of diet, 37.8% by reducing quantity of diet, 41.6% by taking loans and 21.8% received help from others in the community.

92.5% of IDP households were affected by unusually high increase in food prices. A further, over two-quarters (52.2%) of IDP households were affected by reduced drinking water quantity, 33.8% by reduced drinking water quality, 13.7% by death or serious illness of other household member and 15.0% by severe winter conditions. 91.2% of IDP households responded to these shocks by decreasing expenditures. A further, over two-fifths (40.9%) of IDP coped with these shock by reducing quality of diet, 38.9% by reducing quantity of diet, 42.9% by taking loans and 21.7% received help from others in the community.

11.1 General household shocks in 1390



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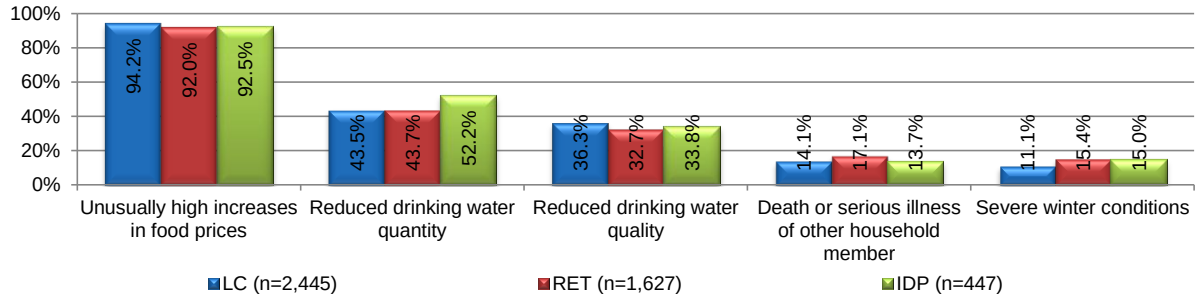

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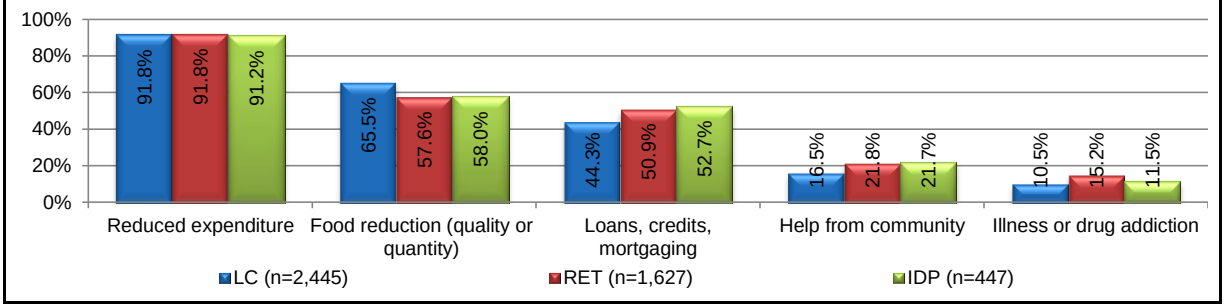
11.3 General coping strategies employed in response to household shocks in 1390



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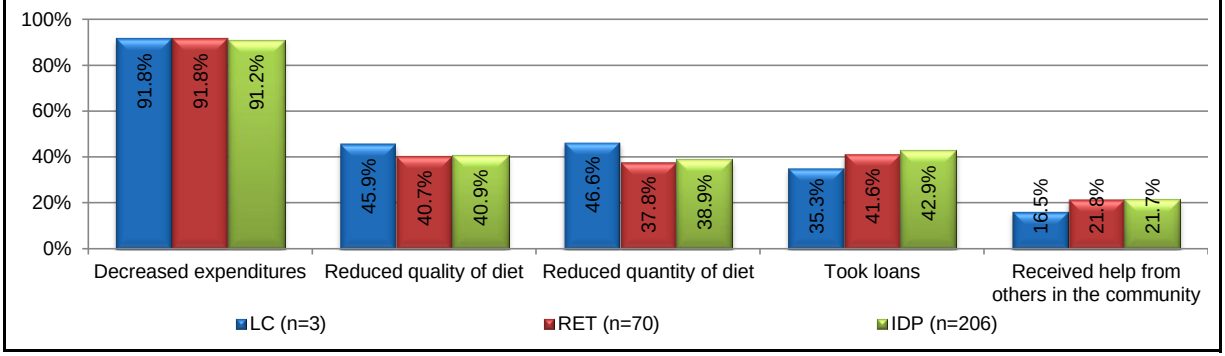

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12. PROTECTION PROFILE

Summary

Of the 4,550 households surveyed, 81.4% had an adult male aged 18-59 years as head of household. The head of household of 19 local community households, 12 returnee households and three IDP households were a male aged 12-17 years. Moreover, 31 local community, 20 returnee and 15 IDP households have an adult female aged 18-59 years as head of household. A total of 808 households had an elderly (aged 60+) head of household of whom 1.1% were female. 54 local community households, 45 returnee households and 20 IDP households were headed by a widow or widower.

23 local community males, 99 local community females, 10 returnee males, 82 returnee females, 2 IDP males and 12 IDP females aged 13-17 years were reported to be married. Among married adults, a total of 416 local community females, 175 returnee and 62 IDP females reported to have been under-18 years of age at the time of marriage.

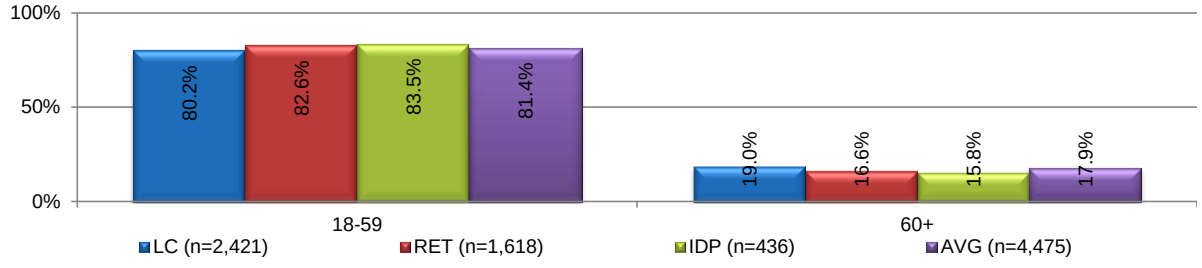
Approximately 9% of both local community and returnee households and 14.2% of IDP households contained more than one wife.

The survey found 1,285 people living with a disability of which 60.5% were male. The most common disabilities were reported to be either physical (43.3%) or mental (14.4%) in nature. 49.7% of disabled local community, 53.2% of disabled returnees and 49.4% of disabled IDPs were adults aged 18-59 years. (12%-16%) of disabled people in all three groups were aged 60 years and over.

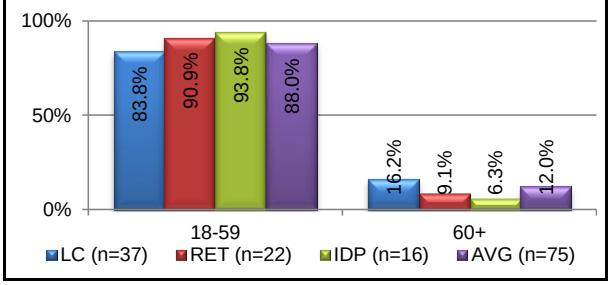
Of the 7,469 females aged 6-17 years, 33.2% of IDP females, 29.4% of local community females and 32.6% of returnee females are currently not attending school.

12.1 Vulnerable Groups

12.1.1 Age distribution of male heads of household



12.1.2 Age distribution of female heads of household



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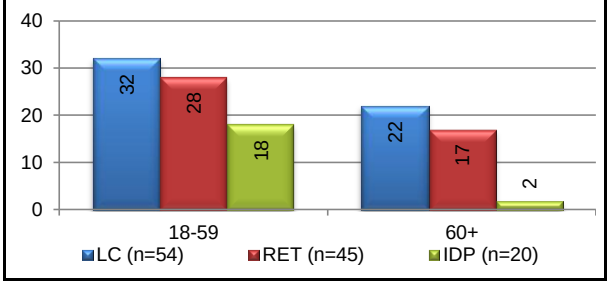

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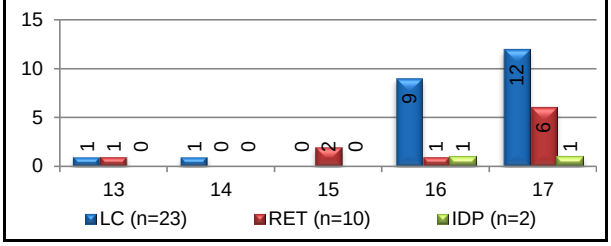
12.2 Marital Status

12.2.1 Age distribution of under-age married males



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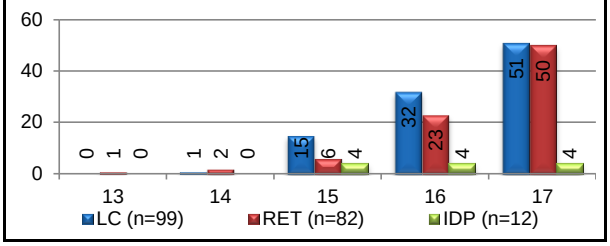
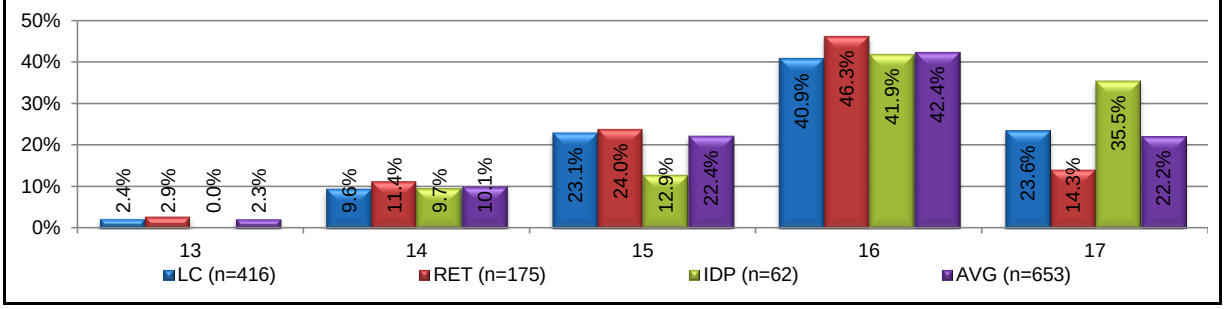
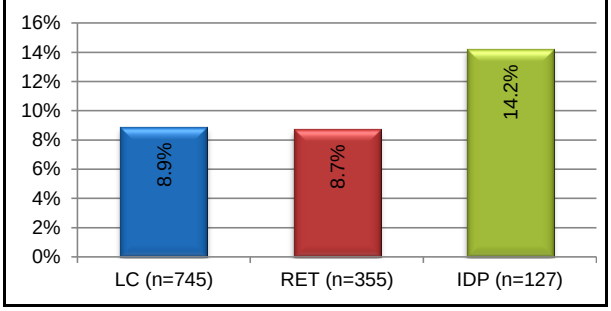


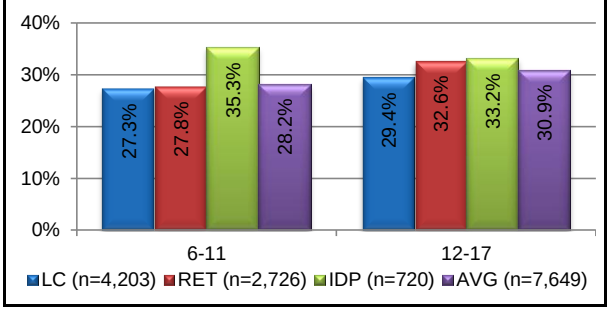
12.2.3 Marrying age of adult women who were under-age at time of marriage



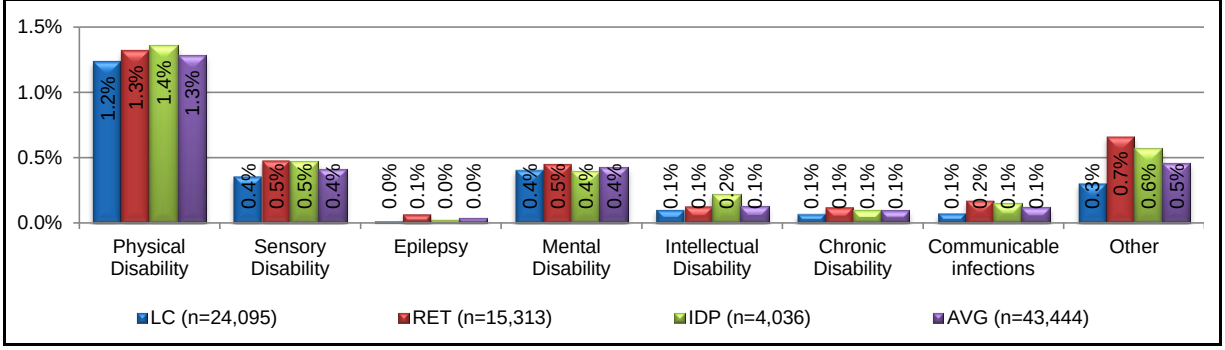
12.2.4 Households with more than one wife



12.3 Age distribution of girls currently not attending school



12.4 Households with at least one member with a disability by nature of disability



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13. CHILD LABOUR

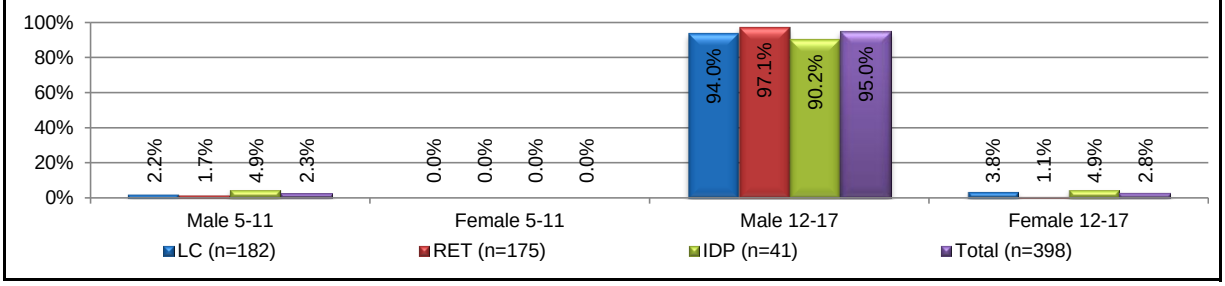
Summary

Among households surveyed, a total of 398 children were reported to be working and include 4 children aged 5-11 years and 178 children aged 12-17 years among local community households, 3 children aged 5-11 years and 172 children aged 12-17 years among returnee families, and 2 children aged 5-11 year and 39 children aged 12-17 years among IDP families.

Child workers belonging to local community households were reported to be working on average of 8.6 hours per day with 52.2% of them were reported to be day labourers and 36.8% were self-employed. Child workers belonging to returnee households were reported to be working an average of 8.7 hours per day with 54.9% of returnee child workers reported to be day labourers and 30.9% were self-employed. Child workers of IDP families work an average of 8.3 hours per day and 78.0% were reported to be day labourers and 14.6% were self-employed.

Vast majority of children of each type of household were engaged in industry sector. The second most common sector for child workers all three household types is services sector.

13.1 Distribution of child workers by age and gender



13.2 Distribution of male child workers by age and sector

Male Children	Age Group	Day Labourer		Salaried Worker		Self-Employed		Own Business		Unpaid Family		Total	
		Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
LC (n=182)	5-11	2	50.0%	0	0.0%	2	50.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	100.0%
	12-17	91	51.1%	16	9.0%	62	34.8%	2	1.1%	0	0.0%	171	96.1%
	Total Children	**93**	51.1%	**16**	8.8%	**64**	35.2%	**2**	1.1%	**0**	0.0%	175	96.2%
RET (n=175)	5-11	1	33.3%	0	0.0%	2	66.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	100.0%
	12-17	94	54.7%	19	11.0%	52	30.2%	4	2.3%	1	0.6%	170	98.8%
	Total Children	**95**	54.3%	**19**	10.9%	**54**	30.9%	**4**	2.3%	**1**	0.6%	173	98.9%
IDP (n=41)	5-11	2	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%
	12-17	29	74.4%	2	5.1%	6	15.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	37	94.9%
	Total Children	**31**	75.6%	**2**	4.9%	**6**	14.6%	**0**	0.0%	**0**	0.0%	39	95.1%
Total (n=398)	5-11	5	55.6%	0	0.0%	4	44.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	9	100.0%
	12-17	214	55.0%	37	9.5%	120	30.8%	6	1.5%	1	0.3%	378	97.2%
	Total Children	219	55.0%	37	9.3%	124	31.2%	6	1.5%	1	0.3%	387	97.2%

13.3 Distribution of female child workers by age and sector

Female Children	Age Group	Day Labourer		Salaried Worker		Self-Employed		Own Business		Unpaid Family		Total	
		Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
LC (n=182)	5-11	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	12-17	2	1.1%	1	0.6%	3	1.7%	1	0.6%	0	0.0%	7	3.9%
	Total Children	**2**	1.1%	**1**	0.5%	**3**	1.6%	**1**	0.5%	**0**	0.0%	7	3.8%
RET (n=175)	5-11	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	12-17	1	0.6%	1	0.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	1.2%
	Total Children	**1**	0.6%	**1**	0.6%	**0**	0.0%	**0**	0.0%	**0**	0.0%	2	1.1%
IDP (n=41)	5-11	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	12-17	1	2.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	2.6%	0	0.0%	2	5.1%
	Total Children	**1**	2.4%	**0**	0.0%	**0**	0.0%	**1**	2.4%	**0**	0.0%	2	4.9%
Total (n=398)	5-11	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	12-17	4	1.0%	2	0.5%	3	0.8%	2	0.5%	0	0.0%	11	2.8%
	Total Children	4	1.0%	2	0.5%	3	0.8%	2	0.5%	0	0.0%	11	2.8%

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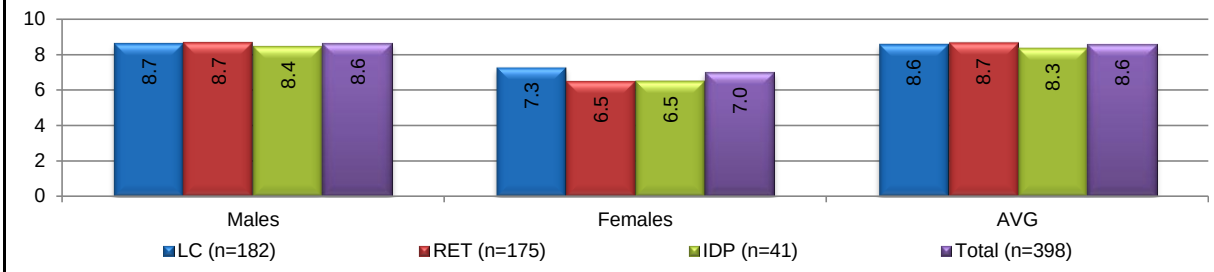
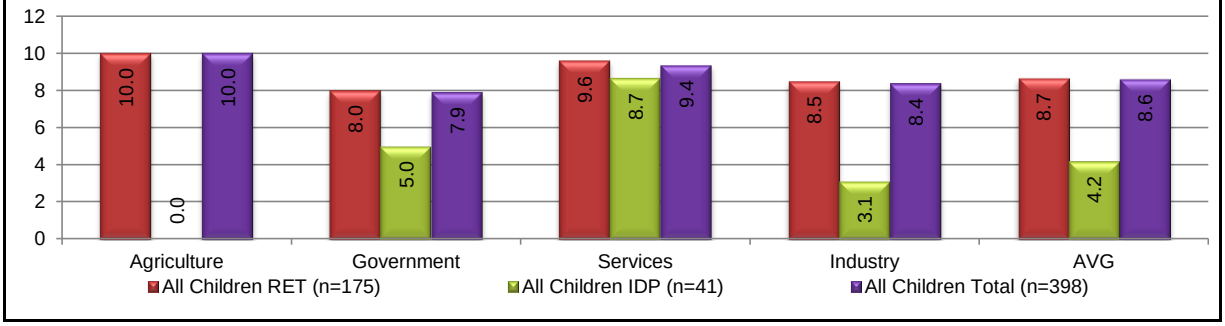
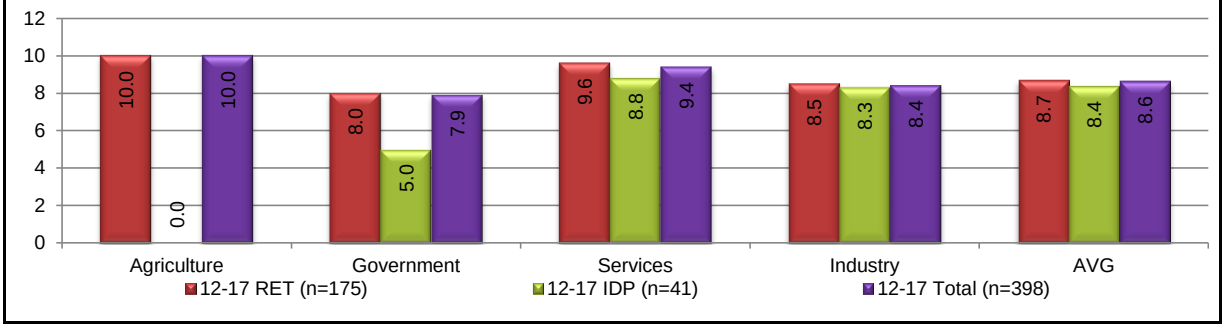
13.4 Average number of hours worked daily by male and female child workers



13.5 Average number of hours worked daily by child workers by economic sector



13.6 Average number of hours worked daily by child workers aged 12-17 years by economic sector



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14. SAFETY AND SECURITY

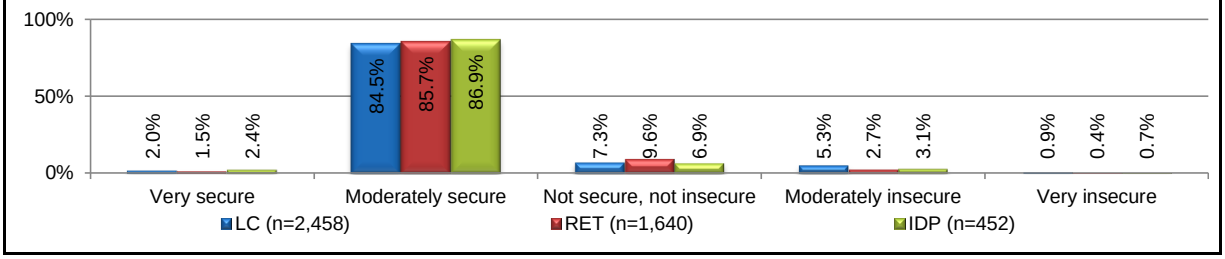
Summary

The security Situation in the district was described as “moderately secure”” by 84.5% of local community households, 85.7% of returnee households and 86.9% of IDP households. Approximately 2% of all three households type responded “very secure”. Around 13% of both local community and returnee households and 10.0% of IDP households reported the security situation in the district as “not secure, not insecure” or “moderately insecure”.

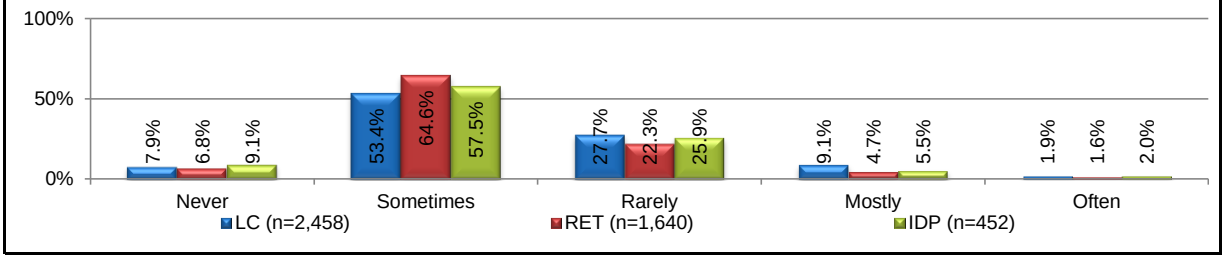
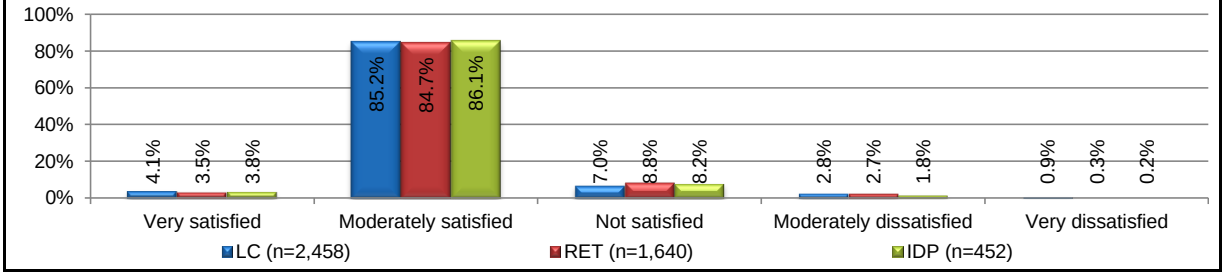
With regard to safety, 53.4% of local community households, 64.6% of returnee households and 57.5% of IDP households “sometimes” fear for their personal safety and security or that of family. 27.7% of local community households, 22.3% of returnee households and 25.9% of IDP households “rarely” fear for their personal safety and security or that of family. Proportionally more local community households (9.1%) “mostly” fear for their personal safety and security or that of family compared to 4.7% of returnee and 5.5% of IDP households.
On the subject of policing, approximately 85% of all three household types are “moderately satisfied” with the police. Also approximately 4% of all household types are “very satisfied” with the police. Almost 10% of both local community and IDP households and 11.5% of returnee households are “not satisfied/not dissatisfied” or “moderately dissatisfied” with the police.

Of the 4,550 households surveyed in eastern region, 75 local community households, 16 IDP households and 31 returnee households had experienced some form of violence in the three months prior to being surveyed.

14.1 Views on security situation in the district



14.2 Frequency of fear for personal safety and security or that of family



14.3 Satisfaction with police in the district