

Arab Barometer Wave III

Technical Report



2012-2014

Algeria

Field period: 13 March 2013 to 6 April 2013

Language: Arabic

Target population: Citizens aged 18 and above

Excluded populations: Institutionalized populations;

Wilayas Adrar, Chlef, Bouirra, Bilda, Tamanghasset, Illizi, Tin-

douf, Naama

Sample design: Stratified area probability sample Sampling frame: General census of housing and

population 2008

Strata: Wilhavas and areas

Number of strata: 52 (Wilayas El Taref, Khenchela,

Mila rural only: wilhayas Laghouat, Oum el-Bouaghi, Bejaia, Biskra, Blida, Tebessa, Algiers, Dielfa, Jiiel. Saida. Skikda. Annaba. Guelma, Constantine, Medea, Mostaganem, M'Sila, El Bayadh, Boumerdes. Tissemsilt. Ahras, Mila, Aïn Defla, Ain Tecmouchent, Relizane urban only)

Number of wilhavas: 48-8 (Wilavas Adrar. Chlef. Bouirra, Bilda, Tamanghasset,

Illizi. Tindouf. Naama excluded)

urban and rural

Areas:

Number of PSUs 122 Number of interviews at PSU 10

Primary sampling unit selection:

Household selection:

Probability proportional to size Systematic skip interval of households with random starting point

Respondent selection: Kish arid

Mode of data collection: Interviewer Administered Paper

and Pencil Interviewing (PAPI)

Number of observations: 1.220

Local Partner: Okba Com Institut

Egypt

Field period: 31 March 2013 to 7 April 2013

Language: Arabic

Target population: Citizens aged 18 and above

Excluded populations: Institutionalized populations;

Governorates Gharbia, Matruh, New Valley, North Sinai, Port Said,

South Sinai

Sample design: Stratified area probability sample **Sampling frame:** Census 2006; updated in 2010

by the Central Agency for Public

Mobilization and Statistics

Strata: Governorate and areas

Number of strata: 40 (Cairo, Alexandria, Suez urban

only; Luxor rural only)

Number of governorate: 22 (27 - 6 +1 (Governorates Ghar-

bia, Matruh, New Valley, North Sinai, Port Said, South Sinai excluded, Luxur Valley included)

Areas: urban and rural

Number of PSUs 120 Number of interviews at PSU 10

Primary sampling unit selection: Probability proportional to size **Household selection:** Systematic skip interval of house

Systematic skip interval of households with random starting point

Respondent selection: Kish grid

Mode of data collection: Interviewer Administered Paper

and Pencil Interviewing (PAPI)

Number of observations: 1,196

Local Partner: MADA Center for Media and Com-

munication Strategies

Iraq

Field period: 6 June 2013 to 29 June 2013

Language: Arabic

Target population:Citizens aged 18 and above **Excluded populations:**Institutionalized populations; in-

ternally displaced persons

Sample design:Stratified area probability sampleSampling frame:Central Bureau of Statistics in Iraq

in 2010

Strata: Governorate and areas

Number of strata: 17 (Governorate Sulaymaniyah

urban only)

Number of governorate:

Areas: urban and rural

Number of PSUs 81 Number of interviews at PSU 15

Primary sampling unit selection: Probability proportional to size in

urban areas; simple random sam-

ple in rural areas

Household selection: Systematic skip interval of house-

holds with random starting point

Respondent selection: Last birthday

Mode of data collection: Interviewer Administered Paper

and Pencil Interviewing (PAPI)

Number of observations: 1,215

Local Partner: Independent Institute for Admin-

istration and Civil Society Studies

Jordan

Field period: 27 December 2012 to 6 January

2013

Language: Arabic

Target population:Citizens aged 18 and aboveExcluded populations:Institutionalized populationsSample design:Stratified area probability sampleSampling frame:General Census of housing and

population 2004

Strata: Governorates and areas

Number of strata: 24 Number of governorates: 12

Areas: urban and rural

Number of PSUs 120 Number of interviews at PSU 10

Primary sampling unit selection: Probability proportional to size **Household selection:** Systematic skip interval of house-

holds with random starting point

Respondent selection: Kish grid

Mode of data collection: Interviewer Administered Paper

and Pencil Interviewing (PAPI)

Number of observations: 1,795

Local Partner: Center for Strategic Studies

Kuwait

Field period: 10 February 2014 to 14 March

2014

Arabic Language:

Target population: Citizens aged 18 and above **Excluded populations:** Institutionalized populations Stratified area probability sample Sample design: Sampling frame: Public Housing and Population Census was implemented in

2011

Strata: Governorates and area

Number of strata: 12 **Number of governorates:** 6

urban and rural Sect:

Number of PSUs 200 **Number of interviews at PSU** 6

Primary sampling unit selection: Probability proportional to size

Household selection: Systematic skip interval of house-

holds with random starting point

Respondent selection: Kish grid

Mode of data collection: Interviewer Administered Paper and Pencil Interviewing (PAPI)

1.021

Number of observations:

Local Partner: Gulf Opinions

Lebanon

Field period: 3 July 2013 to 26 July 2013

Language: Arabic

Target population:Citizens aged 18 and aboveExcluded populations:Institutionalized populationsSample design:Stratified area probability sampleSampling frame:Public Housing and PopulationCensus was implemented in

2011

Strata: Governorates and sect

Number of strata: 17 (No sunni population in El

Nabatieh; no Shia population in North; no Christian population in El Nabatieh; no Druze population in Beirut, North, South, and El

Nabatieh)

Number of governorates: 7-1

Sect: Sunni, Shia, Christian, Druze

Number of PSUs 120 Number of interviews at PSU 10

Primary sampling unit selection: Probability proportional to size

Household selection: Systematic skip interval of house-

holds with random starting point

Respondent selection: Kish grid

Mode of data collection: Interviewer Administered Paper

and Pencil Interviewing (PAPI)

Number of observations: 1,200

Local Partner: Statistics Lebanon Ltd.

Libya

Field period: 29 March 2014 to 18 April 2014

Language: Arabic

Target population:Citizens aged 18 and aboveExcluded populations:Institutionalized populationsSample design:Stratified area probability sample

Sampling frame: Census 2006

Strata: Governorates and area

Number of strata: 37 (Governorates Tripoli, Sabha, Murzuk, Jufra, Kufra, Ghat urban only: Wadi al Shatii rural only)

Number of governorates: 22

Area: urban and rural

Number of PSUs 123 Number of interviews at PSU 10

Primary sampling unit selection: Probability proportional to size

Household selection: Systematic skip interval of households with random starting point

Respondent selection: Kish grid

Mode of data collection: Interviewer Administered Paper

and Pencil Interviewing (PAPI)

Number of observations: 1,247

Local Partner: Research and Consulting Center,

University of Benghazi

Morocco

Field period: 27 April 2013 to 17 june 2013;

recontact 3 March 2014 to 8 March 2014 (supplementary in-

terviews)

Language: Arabic

Target population:Citizens aged 18 and aboveExcluded populations:Institutionalized populationsSample design:Stratified area probability sampleSampling frame:Census 2004 provided by the National Statistics Directorate of the

High Commission for Planning

Strata: Governorates and area

Number of strata: 29 (Governorates Guelmim-Es Se-

mara, Laayoune-Boujdour-Sak urban only; Oued Ed Dahab rural

only)

Number of governorates: 16

Area: Urban and rural

Number of PSUs 120 Number of interviews at PSU 10

Primary sampling unit selection: Probability proportional to size

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Systematic skip interval of households with random starting point

Spandont selection:

Kish grid

Respondent selection: Kish grid

Mode of data collection: Interviewer Administered Paper

and Pencil Interviewing (PAPI)

Number of observations: 1,166

Local Partner: Hassan II-Mohammaedia Univer-

sity

Palestine

Field period: 20 December 2012 to 29 De-

cember 2012

Language: Arabic

Target population:Citizens aged 18 and aboveExcluded populations:Institutionalized populationsSample design:Stratified area probability sampleSampling frame:General Census of housing and

population 2007

Strata: Governorates and areas

Number of strata:44 (No refugee camps in Salfit and Qalqilya; no rural area in Ja-

balia, and Deir al-Balah)

Number of governorates: 16

Areas: urban, rural, refugee camp

Number of PSUs 120 Number of interviews at PSU 10

Primary sampling unit selection: Probability proportional to size

Household selection: Systematic skip interval of households with random starting point

Respondent selection: Kish grid

Mode of data collection: Interviewer Administered Paper

and Pencil Interviewing (PAPI)

Number of observations: 1,200

Local Partner: Palestine Center for Policy and

Survey Research

Sudan

Field period: 29 April 2013 to 29 May 2013

Language: Arabic

Target population: Citizens aged 18 and above

Excluded populations: Institutionalized populations;

West Kordofan and North, which were included to Greater Kordofan provinces after the census

Sample design: Stratified area probability sample General Census of housing and

population 2008

Strata: States and areas

Number of strata: 29 (South Kordofan rural only)

Number of states: 15

Areas: urban, rural

Number of PSUs 200 Number of interviews at PSU 6

Primary sampling unit selection: Probability proportional to size **Household selection:** Systematic skip interval of house-

holds with random starting point

Respondent selection: Kish grid

Mode of data collection: Interviewer Administered Paper

and Pencil Interviewing (PAPI)

Number of observations: 1,200

Local Partner: Sudan Polling and Survey Center

Tunisia

Field period: 3 February 2013 to 25 February

2013

Language: Arabic

Target population:Citizens aged 18 and aboveExcluded populations:Institutionalized populationsSample design:Stratified area probability sampleSampling frame:Population and Housing Census

2004

Strata: Governorate and areas

Number of strata: 44 (Governorates Tunis , Ariana,

Monastir, Tozeur urban only)

Number of governorate: 24

Areas: urban, rural

Number of PSUs 120 Number of interviews at PSU 10

Primary sampling unit selection: Probability proportional to size

Household selection: Systematic skip interval of household selection:

Systematic skip interval of households with random starting point

Respondent selection: Kish grid

Mode of data collection: Interviewer Administered Paper

and Pencil Interviewing (PAPI)

Number of observations: 1,199

Local Partner: Sigma Conseil

Yemen

Field period: 2 November 2013 to 4 December

2013

Language: Arabic

Target population:Citizens aged 18 and aboveExcluded populations:Institutionalized populationsSample design:Stratified area probability sampleSampling frame:General Census of Housing and

Population 2004

Strata: Governorates and areas

Number of strata: 44 (Governorate Aden urban only)

Number of governorates: 23

Areas: urban and rural

Number of PSUs 120 Number of interviews at PSU 10

Primary sampling unit selection: Probability proportional to size **Household selection:** Systematic skip interval of household.

Systematic skip interval of households with random starting point

Respondent selection: Kish grid

Mode of data collection: Interviewer Administered Paper

and Pencil Interviewing (PAPI)

Number of observations: 1,200

Local Partner: Yemeni Central Statistical Organi-

zation



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