

# Pakistan Overview

Name of the Country	:	Islamic Republic of Pakistan
Geographical Location	:	Between 23' and 37' North latitude and 61' and 76' East longitude
North	:	China (Sinkiang) and Central Asian Republics
Northwest	:	Afghanistan and Iran
East/South East	:	India
South	:	Arabian Sea
Area	:	796,095 Square Kilometres
Cultivated hectares	:	21.85 million
Forest hectares	:	4.23 million
Population	:	148.72 million
Population growth rate	:	1.9 %
National Language	:	Urdu

Official Language	:	English / Urdu
Currency	:	Rupee
Capital City	:	Islamabad
Sea Ports	:	Karachi, Mohammad Bin Qasim and Gwadar
Dry Ports	:	Lahore, Rawalpindi, Sialkot-Sambrial, Hyderabad, Multan, Faisalabad, Peshawar and Quetta
Fish Harbours	:	Karachi and Gwadar
International Airports	:	Karachi, Islamabad, Lahore, Peshawar and Quetta
Literacy Rate	:	54% (Male 66.25%, Female 41.75%)
Per Capita Income	:	\$652 per annum
Exports	:	US\$ 12.1 billion
Imports	:	US\$ 14.5 billion
Major Crops	:	Cotton, Wheat, Rice and Sugarcane
Major Industries	:	Textile, Cement, Fertilizer, Sugar, Leather Garments, Chemicals, Agro- based, Engineering and Electrical / Electronics Industries

## 2 Investment in Pakistan