

NATIONAL FOOD & NUTRITION SECURITY POLICY



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FOOD SECURITY

Exists “when all people, at all times have physical, social and economic access to sufficient, safe and nutritious food which meets their dietary needs and food preferences for an active and healthy life.”

(World Food Summit,1996)

Food security covers:

- **Availability:** Domestic production and imports
- **Access:** Purchasing power
- **Utilization:** Ability of the human body to digest and metabolize food

ACHIEVEMENTS IN FOOD PRODUCTION

- **Agriculture sector growth rate**
 - 1980s 5.4%
 - 1990s 4.4%
 - 2000s 3.0%
 - 2011 2.4
 - 2012 3.1
- **Record production:**
 - Wheat (2008-09) 24.03 million tons, 2010: 23.3 million tons, 2011: 25.2 million tons, 2012: 23.5 million tons
 - Rice (2008-09) 7 million tons, 2010: 6.88 million tons, 2011: 4.8 million tons, 2012: 6.1 million tons
- **Freedom from wheat imports**

PER CAPITA AVAILABILITY OF SELECTED FOODS (KG/ANNUM)

	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10
Wheat	122.9	117.7	125.4	132.8	126.8	125
Rice	13.0	15.1	12.7	15.0	21.2	17.9
Pulses	6.8	8.2	6.9	7.2	7.7	7.7
Edible Oils	12.4	12.8	12.8	13.3	13.5	12.5

Source: Agricultural Statistics of Pakistan, 2009-10.

FACTOR AFFECTING FOOD SECURITY

- **Stagnancy in productivity (land degradation)**
- **Energy crisis/high input costs**
- **Decline in incomes**
- **Global food prices surge**
- **High dependence on imported food**
- **Growing incidences of food related diseases**
- **Increase in poverty**

CONSEQUENCES OF FOOD INSECURITY

■ Malnutrition

- Minor Protein-energy malnutrition
- Major micro-nutrients deficiencies
- Underweight and stunted children

■ Impact on Social Indicators

- Health
- Education
- Low productivity of labour force

CHALLENGES FOR FOOD SECURITY

- High Population growth rate
- Low investments to boost agriculture and food production
- Declining Water availability
- Climate change and disasters
- Vast productivity gap between progressive and resource poor farmers
- Rising prices of essential food items

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