



7.1. Key socio-economic indicators with focus on Islamabad

The Islamabad Capital Territory (ICT) can be distinguished administratively from Islamabad city, Pakistan's capital, which is spatially integrated into the Capital Territory.^{[1979](#)} According to official data from 2023, the total population of the ICT was 2.36 million, of which 1.1 million lived in Islamabad city.^{[1980](#)}

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