



Azim Premji University COVID-19 and Livelihoods Survey

Stories behind the numbers

Webinar series

Voices from Karnataka



About the survey

Data was collected between 15th April, 2020 and 15th May, 2020

Conducted in collaboration with the Center for Advocacy and Research (CFAR) and Gauri Media Trust.



Who did we speak to?

861 respondents

*67% of our respondents were **males***

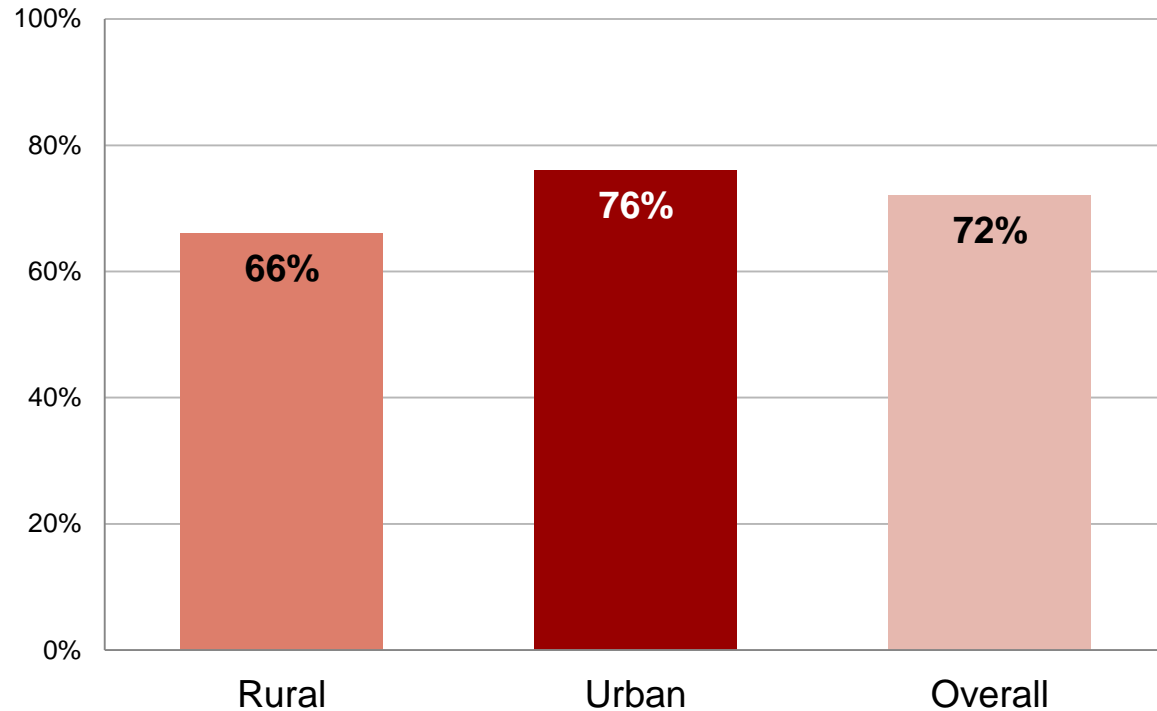
*Around **68%** respondents worked in **urban areas***

Hindus** comprised **88%** of our respondents, followed by **Muslims** at **9%

***Migrants** constituted **25%** of our sample*

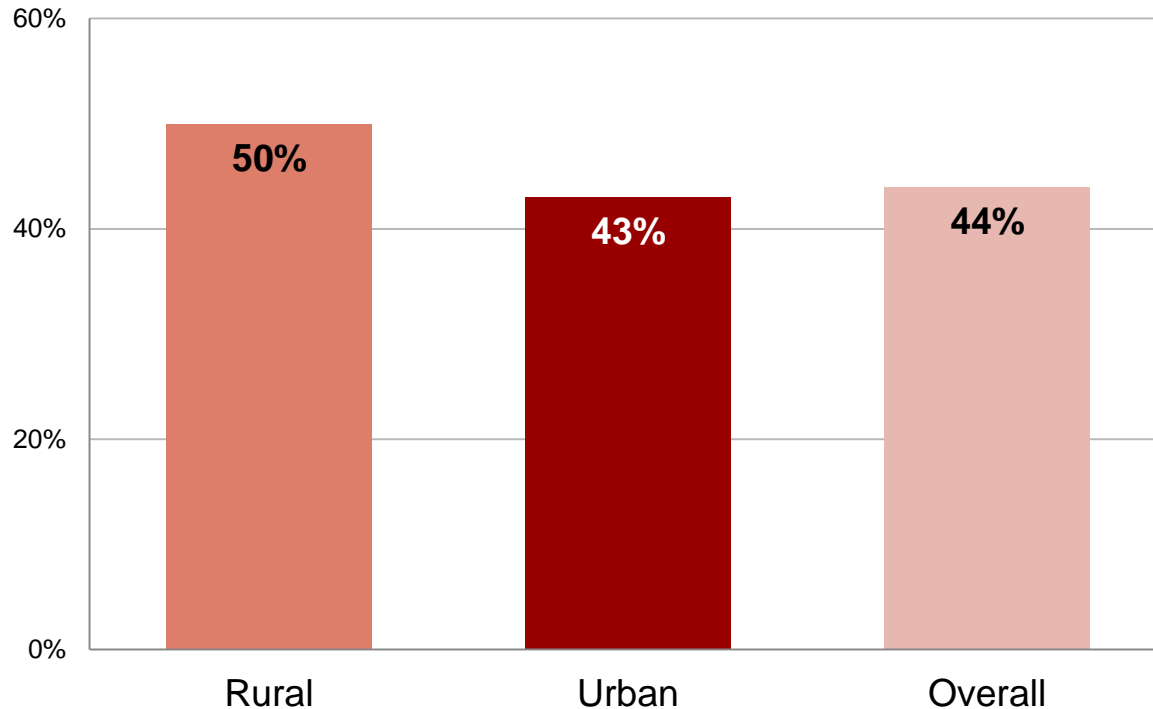


72% reported loss in employment



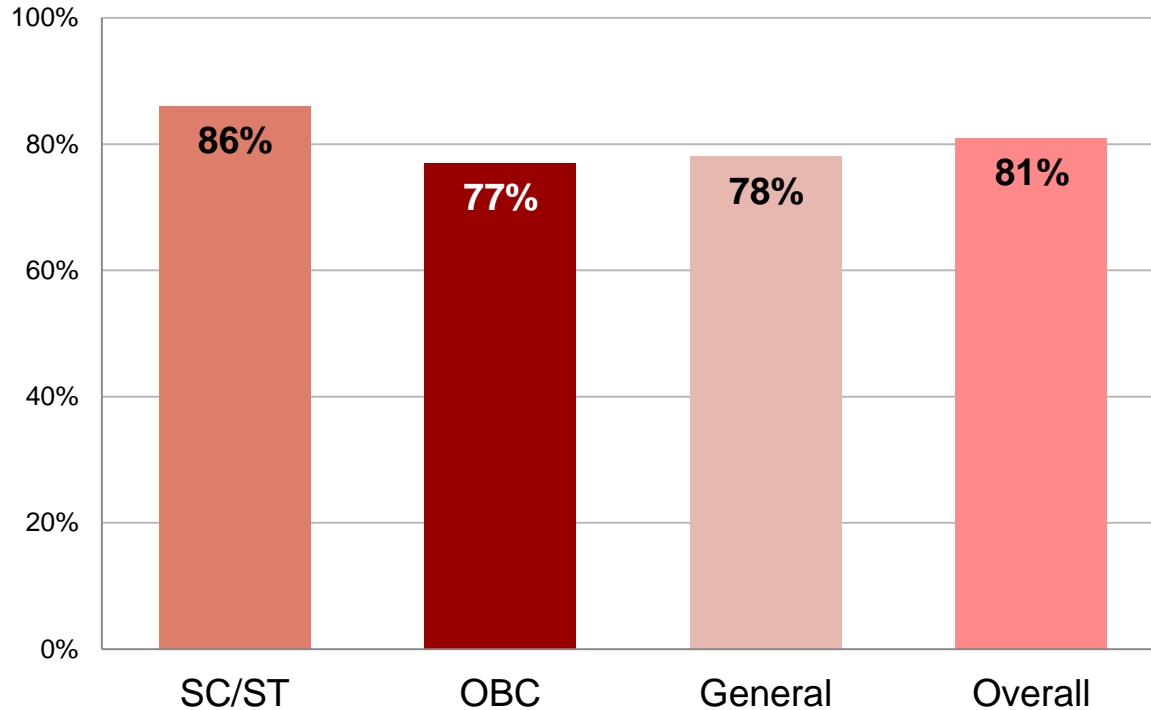
N = 791

67% fall in weekly earnings of casual workers and self-employed non-agricultural workers



N = 95

8 in 10 households reported consuming less food than before



N = 740



6 in 10 households were without enough money to buy even a week's worth of essentials

Situation worse off in urban households

Half of all households had to take a loan to meet consumption needs during the lockdown

In urban areas, 9 in 10 households said that they cannot pay next month's rent.



Access to relief measures

78% vulnerable households were able to get ration

44% of migrant households were unable to get ration

3 out of 4 vulnerable households did not have a Jan Dhan account.

68% of our respondents did not receive any cash transfer

81% of migrants did not receive any cash transfer.



Data Dashboard

Follow up with same respondents being planned

Data is presented for further exploration on our website:

<https://cse.azimpremjiuniversity.edu.in/>

