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Valuation and Aspirations for Drip Irrigation in Punjab, Pakistan

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Table S1. Descriptive statistics of sample households, by district.

		Attock (Barani; n = 158)		Chakwal (Barani; n = 65)		Layyah (Sandy Desert B; n = 86)		Sahiwal (Northern Irrigated Plain; n = 131)	
		Mean	SD	Mean	SD	Mean	SD	Mean	SD
Household Information	Age	43.08	11.89	42.66	10.16	45.33	12.38	50.68	11.71
	Female Respondent	0.0063	0.0793	0.0125	0.112	0	0	0.0214	0.145
	Years Formal Education	8.78	5.05	8.062	6.719	8.979	5.687	9.9	4.886
	Literacy (0: No; 1: Somewhat; 2: Yes)	0.849	0.836	1.075	0.925	1.052	0.838	1.207	0.835
	Female HH Members	1.491	1.043	2.25	1.471	2.438	1.568	2.579	1.573
	Male HH Members	2.226	1.031	2.462	1.35	2.76	1.229	3.271	1.822
	Farm Holdings (Acres)	11.73	27.18	8.859	12.09	19.09	21.19	18.61	27.8
	Plant Cereals	0.601	0.491	0.605	0.492	0.649	0.48	0.899	0.303
Cropping Patterns	Plant Vegetables/Melons	0.0127	0.112	0.158	0.367	0	0	0.00725	0.0851
	Plant Fruit and Nuts	0.456	0.5	0.421	0.497	0.457	0.501	0.029	0.168
	Plant Oilseeds	0	0	0	0	0.0319	0.177	0.0725	0.26
	Plant Roots and Tubers	0.0063	0.0796	0	0	0	0	0.13	0.338
	Plant Beverage and Spice Crops	0.0063	0.0796	0	0	0.0106	0.103	0.0145	0.12
	Plant Legumes	0	0	0.0263	0.161	0.149	0.358	0.0217	0.146
	Plant Sugar Crops	0	0	0	0	0.0213	0.145	0.00725	0.0851
	Plant Fiber Crops	0	0	0	0	0.415	0.495	0.543	0.5
	Plant Other Crops	0.0127	0.112	0.0132	0.115	0.255	0.438	0.435	0.498
Constraints	Had to fallow fields due to lack of water	0.459	0.5	0.338	0.476	0.146	0.355	0.0643	0.246

	Avoided drip irrigation due to cost or electricity constraint	0.333	0.473	0.3	0.461	0.385	0.489	0.529	0.501
Water Characteristics	Use canal water	0	0	0	0	0.167	0.375	0.671	0.471
	Use rainwater	0.491	0.501	0.65	0.48	0.0521	0.223	0	0
	Use well	0.371	0.485	0	0	0.417	0.496	0.243	0.43
	Use borehole	0.264	0.442	0.325	0.471	0.406	0.494	0.0786	0.27
	Annual groundwater spending (Rs. 100,000)	1.497	2.739	0.613	1.123	2.316	2.203	2.097	3.877
Drip System Experience	Non-users	0.52	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.63	0.49	0.92	0.27
	New users	0.35	0.48	0.29	0.46	0.17	0.37	0.07	0.26
	Old users	0.14	0.35	0.21	0.41	0.21	0.41	0.01	0.08

Table S2. Experiences with and perceptions of drip irrigation systems

	Current drip Users		Current non-users			
System characteristic	Mean	Standard deviation	Mean	Standard deviation	t-test p-value	KS test p-value
Gross installation costs (per acre)	121,162.40	86,788.94	146,194.50	91,591.37	0.002	2.63e-10
Subsidy (per acre)	77,208.27	79,511.63	71,889.07	50,741.96	0.188	0.004
Technical/knowledge support offered (years)	1.38	0.58	1.10	0.67	3.87e-6	3.61e-4
Maintenance support offered (years)	1.29	0.65	1.07	0.68	0.001	8.86e-4

Table S3. Percentage of farmers currently growing various crops.

	Cereals	Vegetables and Melons	Fruits and Nuts	Oilseeds	Roots and Tubers	Beverage and Spice	Legume	Sugarcane	Fiber Crops	Other Crops
Attock (n=158)	0.601	0.013	0.456	0	0.006	0.006	0	0	0	0.013
Chakwal (n=65)	0.677	0.046	0.492	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.015
Layyah (n=86)	0.663	0	0.500	0	0	0	0.105	0.023	0.430	0.279
Sahiwal (n=131)	0.908	0	0.031	0.061	0.107	0.008	0.015	0.008	0.550	0.450
Total	0.716	0.011	0.343	0.018	0.034	0.005	0.025	0.007	0.248	0.195

Table S4 Percentage of farmers indicating aspirations to increase cultivation of various crops.

	Cereals	Vegetables and Melons	Fruits and Nuts	Oilseeds	Roots and Tubers	Beverage and Spice	Legume	Sugarcane	Fiber Crops	Other Crops
Attock (n=158)	0.032	0.013	0.620	0.006	0	0.063	0	0	0	0
Chakwal (n=65)	0.046	0.185	0.508	0.015	0	0	0	0	0	0
Layyah (n=86)	0.012	0.105	0.407	0.093	0	0.128	0.012	0	0.023	0
Sahiwal (n=131)	0.366	0.321	0.038	0.153	0.137	0.458	0.160	0	0.008	0
Total	0.130	0.148	0.389	0.068	0.041	0.184	0.050	0	0.007	0

Table S5. Percentage of farmers indicating an aspiration to reduce cultivation of various crops.

	Cereals	Vegetables and Melons	Fruits and Nuts	Oilseeds	Roots and Tubers	Beverage and Spice	Legume	Sugarcane	Fiber Crops	Other Crops
Attock (n=158)	0.089	0	0.006	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chakwal (n=65)	0.031	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Layyah (n=86)	0.023	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sahiwal (n=131)	0.275	0	0	0	0.008	0	0	0	0.038	0
Total	0.123	0	0.002	0	0.002	0	0	0	0.011	0

Table S6. Proportion of sample farmers reporting different agricultural aspirations across any two choice scenarios

	Choice 1	Choice 2	Choice 3	Choice 4	Choice 5
Choice 1					
Choice 2	0.198				
Choice 3	0.222	0.195			
Choice 4	0.235	0.200	0.214		
Choice 5	0.248	0.212	0.197	0.202	
Choice 6	0.206	0.203	0.193	0.187	0.159

Table S7. Correlates with estimated conditional marginal utilities

	(1A)	(1B)	(2A)	(2B)	(3A)	(3B)	(4A)	(4B)	(5A)	(5B)
VARIABLES	MU cover age area	MU covera ge area	MU Cost (negati ve)	MU Cost (negati ve)	MU subsid y	MU subsid y	MU mainten ance support	MU mainten ance support	MU knowle dge support	MU knowle dge support
Constant	-0.132	-0.214	- 3.662* **	- 3.952* **	3.377* **	3.447* **	0.150	0.140	0.506* **	0.588* **
Non-user x Attock	- 0.029 5	- 0.0574	- 0.0079 1	- 0.0107	0.0022 2	- 0.0318	0.180**	0.192**	-0.0283	-0.0780
New user x Attock	0.155	0.0516	- 0.0650	- 0.0947	0.0619	- 0.0127	0.117	0.0888	-0.0728	-0.119
Old user x Attock	0.349 ***	0.229* *	1.403* **	1.329* **	-0.249	-0.323	0.139	0.115	- 0.198* *	- 0.256* **
Non user x Chakwal	0.032	0.015	0.276	0.312	0.315*	0.293	-0.0613	-0.0655	-0.110	-0.154
New user x Chakwal	0.550 ***	0.456* **	1.747* **	1.892* **	0.818* **	0.640* **	0.0889	0.0329	-0.112	-0.117
Old user x Chakwal	0.483 ***	0.297* **	1.382* **	1.297* **	0.415	0.210	0.151	0.103	-0.0887	-0.106
Non user x Layyah	- 0.171 **	- 0.188* *	- 0.709* *	- 0.659* *	0.161	0.146	0.0105	-0.0334	0.154* *	0.118*
New user x Layyah	0.438 ***	0.347* **	0.997* *	0.926* *	0.742* **	0.706* **	0.0834	0.0272	-0.0667	-0.0946
Old user x Layyah	0.231 **	0.107	0.561	0.458	-0.151	- 0.0740	0.153*	0.0744	0.111	0.0967

Cereals	0.007 26		- 0.0555		0.231* *		0.0240		0.130* **	
Vegetables and melons	- 0.090 5		0.335		- 0.470* *		-0.0994		0.111	
Fruits and nuts	-0.121		-0.101		0.0205		-0.0130		0.0474	
Oilseeds	0.107		0.537		0.258		0.104		-0.0246	
Fiber crops	- 0.134 **		-0.321		- 0.240* *		-0.0419		-0.0430	
Would grow more cereals		0.237* **		0.798* **		0.138		- 0.162** *		0.108*
Would grow more vegetables and melons		0.0979 *		0.0585		0.159		0.0379		-0.0663
Would grow more fruits and nuts		0.261* **		0.514* **		0.160* *		-0.00634		0.0251
Would grow more oilseeds		0.0230		0.226		- 0.454* *		0.131*		-0.0549
Would substitute vegetables and melons for cereals		- 0.0305		-0.406		0.279		- 0.272** *		0.0475
Would substitute fruits and nuts for cereals		- 0.0378		-0.106		0.339* *		-0.0801		0.0261
Would substitute oilseeds for cereals		0.0138		-0.739		0.955* **		-0.126		0.0637

Would substitute beverages and spices for cereals		0.112		0.333		0.442* **		0.00479		-0.234* **
Land fallowed because of dry conditions	0.092 8*	0.0884 *	0.309*	0.334*	0.222* *	0.170*	-0.00730	-0.0194	0.0343	0.0252
Irrigation limited because of cost or unreliable electricity	0.208 ***	0.133* **	0.630* **	0.457* **	0.273* **	0.221* **	0.0836* *	0.0936* *	0.0081 9	0.0039 5
Water source: canal	0.115	0.104	0.653*	0.578*	0.248	0.281*	0.0714	0.115*	-0.154* *	-0.155*
Water source: rainfed	-0.168 **	-0.148* *	-0.301	-0.303	-0.120	0.0355	-0.0204	-0.00261	-0.154* *	-0.0867
Water source: tubewell	0.068 1	0.0677	0.654* *	0.660* *	0.0314	0.0744	0.125*	0.135*	-0.197* **	-0.153* *
Water source: borehole	0.108	0.128*	0.545*	0.581*	0.245	0.310*	-0.0207	-0.0107	-0.140* *	-0.0905
Groundwater cost	-0.000 6	-0.0063 1	-0.0033 5	-0.0108	0.0301	0.0226	-0.00332 4	-0.00033 8	0.0059 8	0.0045 8
Demographic controls	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes						
Observations	465	465	465	465	465	465	465	465	465	465
R-squared	0.220	0.292	0.179	0.220	0.248	0.271	0.112	0.141	0.106	0.107
AIC	440.4	401	1673	1655	1018	1009	308.5	299.3	379.8	385.5
BIC	564.7	537.7	1797	1792	1142	1146	432.8	436	504.1	522.2

Notes: *** significant with 1 percent probability of Type I error; ** significant with 5 percent probability of Type I error; * significant with 10 percent probability of Type I error. Standard errors adjusted for clustering at the district level.

Table S8: P-values for Wald tests of differences in regression coefficients for drip experience, by district.

		Coverage	Cost	Subsidy	Maintenance Support	Knowledge Support
Attock	<i>Non- and New</i>	Same (p = 0.1822)	Same (p = 0.7724)	Same (p = 0.8939)	Same (p = 0.184)	Same (p = 0.6256)
	<i>Non- and Old</i>	Increasing (p = 0.0058)	Increasing (p = 0.0036)	Same (p = 0.2194)	Same (p = 0.4607)	Decreasing (p = 0.0146)
	<i>New and Old</i>	Same (p = 0.0577)	Increasing (p = 0.0012)	Same (p = 0.2094)	Same (p = 0.7946)	Same (p = 0.1204)
Chakwal	<i>Non- and New</i>	Increasing (p = 0)	Increasing (p = 0)	Increasing (p = 0.0442)	Same (p = 0.4371)	Same (p = 0.7163)
	<i>Non- and Old</i>	Increasing (p = 0.0101)	Increasing (p = 0.0095)	Same (p = 0.7988)	Same (p = 0.1091)	Same (p = 0.6836)
	<i>New and Old</i>	Same (p = 0.0784)	Same (p = 0.0559)	Same (p = 0.117)	Same (p = 0.5191)	Same (p = 0.9096)
Layyah	<i>Non- and New</i>	Increasing (p = 0)	Increasing (p = 0.0003)	Increasing (p = 0.0106)	Same (p = 0.5344)	Decreasing (p = 0.0185)
	<i>Non- and Old</i>	Increasing (p = 0.0061)	Increasing (p = 0.014)	Same (p = 0.2149)	Same (p = 0.1267)	Same (p = 0.8826)
	<i>New and Old</i>	Decreasing (p = 0.0334)	Same (p = 0.3069)	Decreasing (p = 0.0016)	Same (p = 0.6289)	Same (p = 0.1163)