| Background characteristic | cost | Poor maintenance and unhygienic | Distance | total |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Balaka | 34.78 | 65.22 | 0.00 | 23 |
| Blantyre | 34.02 | 56.70 | 9.28 | 97 |
| Dedza | 25.71 | 62.86 | 11.43 | 70 |
| Lilongwe | 28.57 | 62.07 | 9.36 | 203 |
| Mangochi | 46.15 | 48.72 | 5.13 | 78 |
| Nkhatabay | 34.48 | 48.28 | 17.24 | 29 |
| Salima | 25.53 | 63.83 | 10.64 | 47 |
| Residence |  |  |  |  |
| In land | 29.46 | 60.81 | 9.73 | 370 |
| Lake shore | 37.29 | 54.80 | 7.91 | 177 |
| Total | 31.99 | 58.87 | 9.14 | 547 |