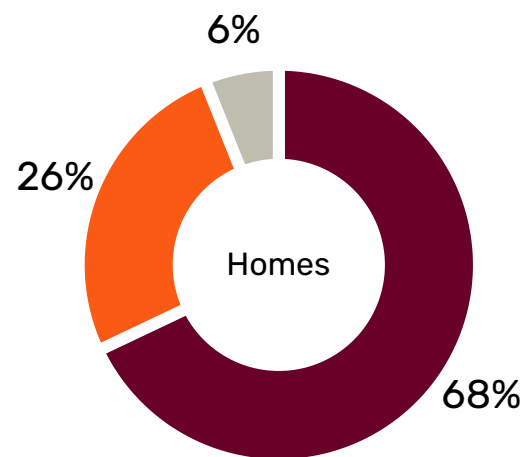
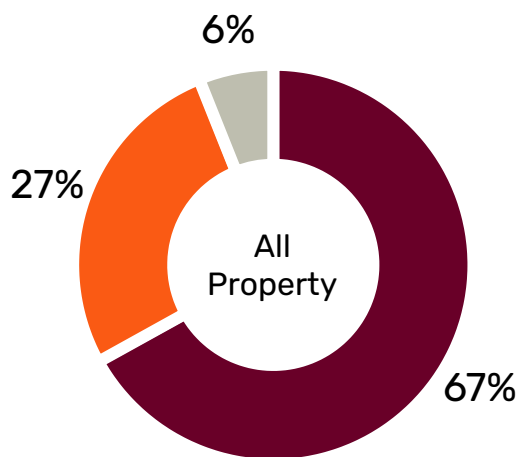




Property rights are a cornerstone of economic development and social justice. One fundamental way of understanding their strength is to ask people how secure they feel in these rights.

1 LEVELS OF INSECURITY

The percentage of the adult population that feels insecure in their property rights



Secure Insecure No Answer

2 WHO FEELS INSECURE

Insecurity by gender, population density, or tenure type


Renters




Owners




Rural




Urban




Men

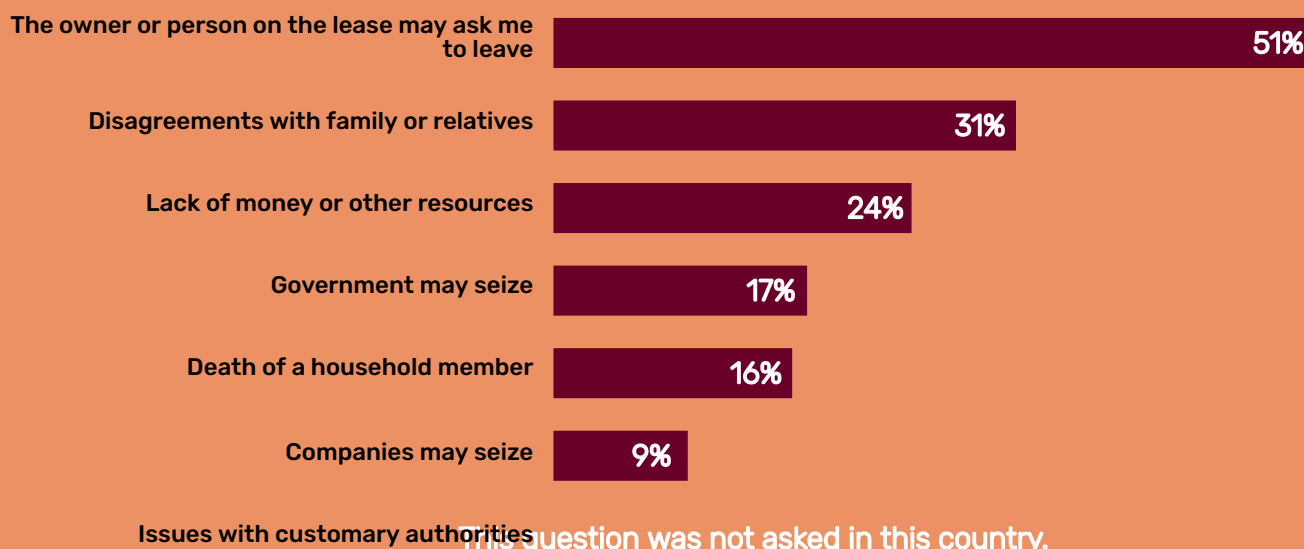



Women

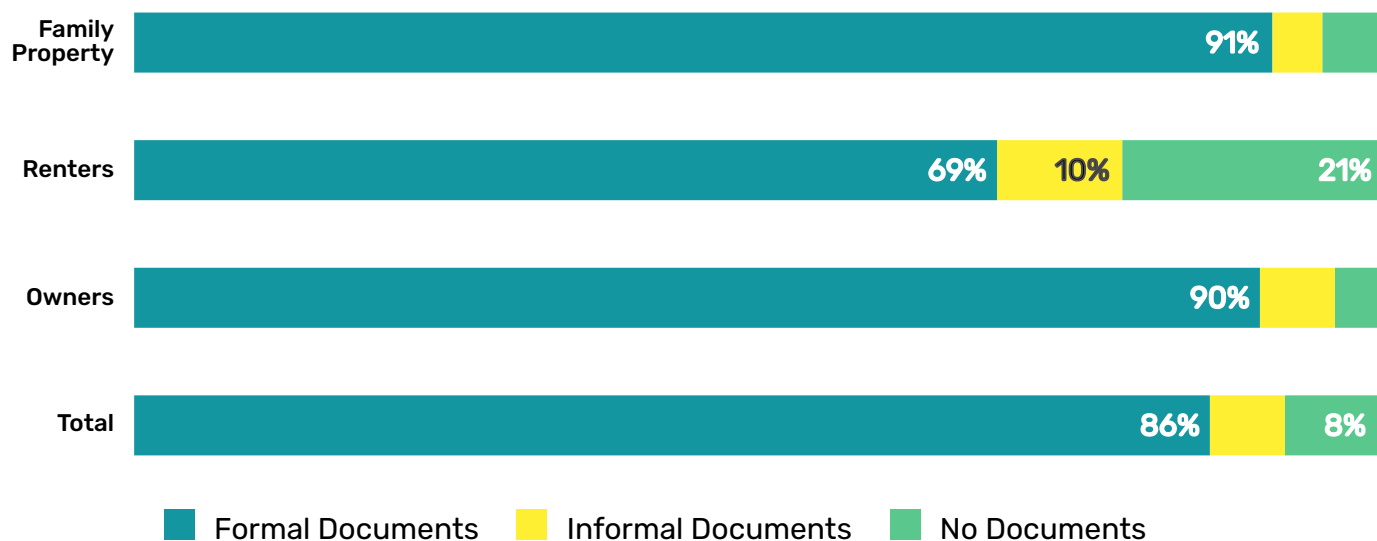


Insecure Secure No Answer

3 WHY PEOPLE FEEL INSECURE The reasons cited by those who feel insecure



4 DOCUMENTATION Types of property documentation held by people, broken down by tenure arrangements



Methodology A nationally representative sample of adults 18 years or older in Sri Lanka were asked about their perceptions and experiences with property rights and tenure security. For the full list of which documents are considered as Formal Documents and Informal Documents in Sri Lanka please visit www.prindex.net/documentation

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