## How many women do you see on your streets / timelines?



How Many Women? 2008

"Imagine a [South Asian] city with street corners full of women: chatting, laughing, breast-feeding, exchanging corporate notes or planning protest meetings. Imagine footpaths spilling over with old and young women watching the world go by as they sip tea, and discuss love, cricket and the latest blockbuster. Imagine women in saris, jeans, salwars and skirts sitting at the nukkad reflecting on world politics and dissecting the rising sensex. If you can imagine this, you're imagining a radically different city."

~ Shilpa Phadke, Sameera Khan, Shilpa Ranade,

Why Loiter?





## #GirlsatDhabas





## **Internet as public space**

#### ROAD ACCIDENT MAIN 2 LOGON KEE KABHEE GHALTI Nahe hotee.

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#### 2. DRIVER AUNTY HO

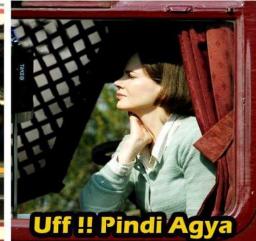
~TNT



## Apna Number Do Phir Bataon Ga

### Exuse Mell Yeh Konsa Station Hai?

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TIRED OF UNCOMFORTABLE STARES WHILE WAITING FOR A RICKSHAW/BUS? BOOK A CAREEM INSTEAD FOR ONLY RS 220



grab her waist pull her close pick her up batista bomb her pin her you are now the WWE champion



TharKii Banda sadkay 😂 😂 😂 1 hour ago · Like · 🖒 1 · Reply



Shahid Ali Khan Kiss you 1 hour ago · Like · 🖒 1 · Reply

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Mahgul Awan

Guys plz ignore her ap log plz ek bar is k talk shows dekh lo tv pa

The way she was talking she is sick N she is not mentally fit plz leave her alone yhe is ka ilajjjjj ha

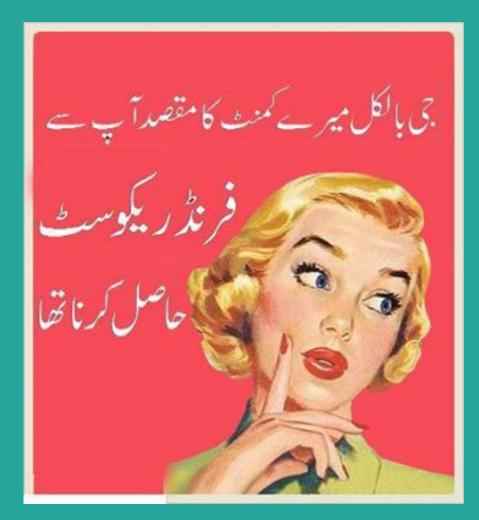
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#### Nadia Syed

Here's an advice from me too :) "Put on some clothes and be classy a little" :)



# **Frandshappers and respectability**



## **Offline to online ghariat**



#### Nazan Habib

Auraton ka kaam ghar may baithna hota hai..Parks may ghoomna nahi..no protest for them..!!

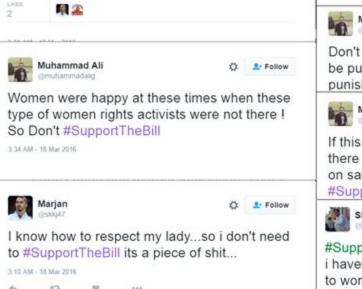
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Zain Doctor

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@fatimatassadig @ssnagi @skkj47 sometimes women like to be attacked by man.wt abt tht! Even then male II be jailed!



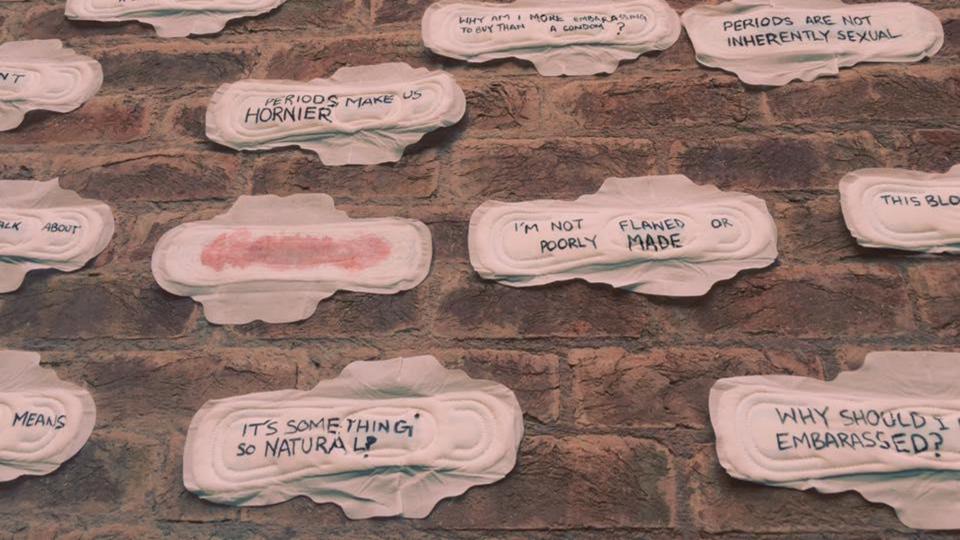




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#### #RejectWomenBill

Women Ghar mai safe hoti hai agar wo osoloon par chalen aurat baazar k lei nahi ghar



"We need to redefine our understanding of violence in relation to public space – to see not sexual assault, but the denial of access to public space as the worst possible outcome for women. What we might demand then is that women's right to be in public space be unquestioned."

# SO WHAT 2 DO?

Hey @SAfridiOfficial, kitchen uss taraf hai.



10:01 PM · 24 Mar 16





Yeah yeah it is a backless dress! Yeah yeah turn the pages of your civilization books and try to find a reason to criticize me! yes go on, m apko rok nahi sakti, m rokna chahti bhi nahi hoon Come tell me how this is a disgrace, how i have lowered down my standards or hurt my Country's image by posting this image? Ho Gaya?? Bhar lia mann galiya likh kar?! Acha chaliye ab kuch yu k... See more





# 'Claiming' online space /Owning the narrative

# It's about the how

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## **Building and re-imagining spaces**



# Diversity!

woman also participated. It gave me hope to see diversity in this event. Like · Reply · 12 5 · 28 March at 19:49 · Edited



#### Girls at Dhabas organises bicycle rally in Lahore

"These bike rallies aim at give women a platform to reclaim the streets and cycle in public spaces without fear of harassment" - Sanayah Malik

#### dawn.com

28 March at 12:02

It's heartening to see the response to this event where male cyclists are lending their bicycles to women to encourage them, says Sanayah,one of the organisers of the rally.

Read: dawn.com/news/1248387/

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4:05 PM · 19 Jan 16



Your creepy comments on her photo will get

you a long date with us. #CyberSafetyWeek

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girlsatdhabas The CP of the Mumbai Police is doing it right! #everydayfeminists

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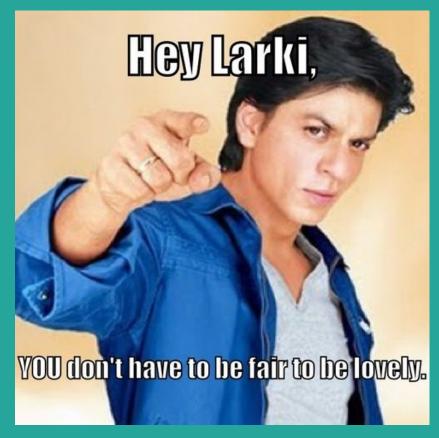
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Violence against women: changing the narrative from safety to access

Imagine an internet filled with women: writing, sharing stories, stupid selfies, photos with their partners, banners from protest meets. Imagine Facebook groups and twitter conversations spilling over with old and young women discussing the world go by, browsing articles on world politics and the rising sensex, discussing love, cricket and the latest blockbuster.

Imagine an internet where newsfeeds show women in saris, jeans, salwars and skirts, and none of them are sexualised or reprimanded. Where women do not police what they consume or share, and profiles are not 'filtered' to maintain respectability.

If you can imagine all this, you can imagine an internet you own.



feministsrk.tumblr.com

Look anywhere and everywhere, there are blatant and subtle reinforcements that only fair is lovely.

The men have also joined the race with equal number of fairness products for them.

Such pressure and so little public debate around it!

Seauti

-Nandita Das