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INCOME AND EXPENDITURE IN MPUMALANGA

A comprehensive survey was conducted in October 2000 on the income and expenditure of households in South Africa in order to determine the weights for the CPI. Not only does this survey show the earning and spending capacity of South African households, but also the pattern of household consumption. This survey is conducted every five years.

The survey in Mpumalanga includes households throughout the province, including Nelspruit/Witbank, as well as other urban areas and rural areas.

These tables should be used together with the separate summary report "Earnings and Spending in South Africa", which gives a written and graphic description of the main findings. This report is available from Statistics South Africa.

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Purpose of the survey

The main purpose of the survey was to determine the average expenditure patterns of households in different areas of the country. This survey forms the basis for the determination of the "basket" of consumer goods and services used for the calculation of the Consumer Price Index. The survey was conducted in October 2000 and is repeated every five years.

Background

The IES is a five-yearly household survey based on the sample for the rotating panel of the twice yearly Labour force Survey (LFS). It measures the detailed income and expenditure of households. The survey was done by means of an interview with the household head or a responsible adult and the questionnaire was completed by the enumerator during this interview. In cases where the household requested to complete the questionnaire themselves, it was dropped off by the enumerator, and the completed questionnaire was collected at a second visit.

Income

The average, regular and other income in the release are based on the data as recorded. However the income categories in the release are based on an estimated income, which was estimated as follows: If the total recorded expenditure exceeded the total recorded income, or where no income was recorded, the total income was estimated as being equal to the total expenditure.

Period of the survey

The income and expenditure information requested in the questionnaire were for the period 1 November 1999 to 31 October 2000.

Table 1 Summary of average annual household expenditure according to income group

 	 	Weighted av	erage spent on e	each item for e	ach income cate	gory
Expenditure	R 0 - R 6 480	R 6 481 - R 11 090	R 11 091 - R 19 440	R 19 441 - R 41 484	R41 485 and above	TOTAL
A. Number of households	204	523	642	534	379	2282
B. Items	R	 R	 R	 R	R	R
1. Food 2. Drinks	 1873 77	3550 50 150	5428 300	7583 685	13349 973	6775 471
3. Tobacco 4. Clothing	249 145	352 339	571 647	961 1305	1718 2336	835 1023
5. Footwear 6. Housing	73 370	176 535	342 971	580 2229	933 15993	455 4046
7. Fuel and power 8. Furniture and equipment	283	476 147	564 386	613 1190	426 2973	506 999
9. Household operation	171 186	280 433	399 827	535 1668	927 2986	489 1307
11. Medical services & requirements 12. Transport	52 121	101	191 612	657	5384 12874	1280 3091
13. Communications 14. Recreation, sport, etc	38	90 17	208	517	3261	835 233
15. Reading matter 16. Education	, 1 54	14 14 125	39 216	145	651	175 836
17. Personal care	292	518	817	1300	2641	1178
18. Restaurants, bars, etc 19. Holidays (accommodation, transport)		6 6	15	24	49 2436	21 1021
20. Income tax 21. Other TOTAL	0 144 4204	3 389 7992	88 980 13675	962 3729 27018	10323 17692 102007	2260 4684 32531
C. Average income		 		 		
1. Regular income 2. Other income	2798 1110	5937 1344	10619 2070	22720 3187	88832 12832	26960 4191
TOTAL	3908	7282	12689	25908	101137	31121

Table 2 Summary of average annual household expenditure according to size (number of persons)

 	Weighted average spent on each item for each household consisting of								
 Expenditure 	1 Person	2 Persons	3 Persons	4 Persons	5 Persons	6 Persons	7 Persons	8 Persons or more	TOTAL
A. Number of households	473	314	301	308	282	192	124	286	2282
B. Items	R	R R	R	 R 	R R	R R	R R	R	R
1. Food	4012	5848	6952	8112	7792	8452	7541	8566	6775
2. Drinks	527	503	477	539	437	398	372	384	471
3. Tobacco	795	821	904	885	799	806	1174	724	835
4. Clothing	658	827	983	1074	1221	1274	1160	1463	1023
5. Footwear	334	333	387	451	542	570	468	1463	1023
6. Housing	1815	3477	6739	9236	4182	2391	2537	1525	4046
7. Fuel and power	253	413	496	477	689	584	705	795	506
8. Furniture and equipment	820	973	1142	1065	1179	1176	607	1001	999
9. Household operation	308	464	503	560	557	558	627	572	489
10. Servants	841	1056	1256	1372	1561	1629	1482	1870	1307
11. Medical services & requirements	637	958	1887	2148	1651	1468	1273	671	1280
12. Transport	941	2340	5890	4791	3047	3349	3270	2602	3091
13. Communications	322	561	1106	1809	1055	914	644	488	835
14. Recreation, sport, etc	34	134	323	692	315	168	96	113	233
15. Reading matter	112	262	186	226	141	123	175	190	175
16. Education	312	341	968	1679	1251	1103	627	754	836
17. Personal care	701	1091	1271	1475	1266	1362	1149	1489	1178
18. Restaurants, bars, etc	18	24	18	20	26	19	14	24	21
19. Holidays (accommodation, transport)	204	487	1796	1280	1874	3576	1047	34	1021
20. Income tax	955	1598	4625	3255	2495	1775	4522	707	2260
21. Other	4161	4348	7505	5587	4141	3001	7474	2345	4684
TOTAL	18769	26867	45424	46742	36231	34705	36974	27042	32531
C. Average income									
1. Regular income	15160	21507	37903	40576	29823	23050	27746	26633	26960
2. Other income	3103	2620	5857	4640	5265	7089	3225	2987	4191
TOTAL	18263	24127	43760	44870	35089	30140	30971	29620	31121

Table 3 Summary of average annual household expenditure according to occupational group of the head of the household

	Sal	ary and wage ea	rners		 Workers for	 Pensioners	Other	 TOTAL
Expenditure		Occupational group their own account					Other	TOTALL
	A	В	C	TOTAL	account 	 		
A. Number of households	122	173	903	1198	417	205	164	1984
B. Items	R	R	R	 R	 R	R	R	R
l 1. Food	12263	8129	6319	 7288	 6512	 7677	5188	 7003
2. Drinks	631	599	583	591	332	486	252	501
3. Tobacco	493	246	371	369	158	170	87	284
4. Clothing	2351	1159	1029	1208	773	1246	680	1082
5. Footwear	803	611	461	522	388	525	311	1082
6. Housing	19284	6586	3121	5559	1471	6241	805	4429
7. Fuel and power	256	325	462	418	754	573	546	511
8. Furniture and equipment	2965	1124	1125	1349	556	1036	305	1075
9. Household operation	822	551	456	513	466	605	390	503
10. Servants	3005	1482	1315	1544	987	1593	869	1383
11. Medical services & requirements	6602	1432	1119	1831	523	1228	287	1383
12. Transport	13682	4575	2569	4195	1097	4925	384	3344
13. Communications	3847	1390	576	1084	329	1304	188	884
14. Recreation, sport, etc	1286	547	113	314	100	315	51	250
15. Reading matter	834	247	133	234	99	239	57	193
16. Education	3506	787	719	1068	472	1045	398	893
17. Personal care	2656	1667	1107	1371	922	1257	800	1224
18. Restaurants, bars, etc	39	23	26	27	15	19	6	22
19. Holidays (accommodation, transport)	891	153	142	235	8	85	3	155
20. Income tax	13600	2470	2557	3893	331	737	53	2549
21. Other	16769	5577	5202	6665	1852	6270	416	5159
TOTAL	106595	39690	29513	40289	18156	37585	12085	33316
C. Average income	 				 			
1. Regular income	98034	36215	25834	36041	15671	30009	8114	29100
2. Other income	12488	3674	3054	4289	3116	8260	3003	4359
TOTAL	110523	39889	28888	40331	18788	38269	11118	33459

A - Professional, technical, administration and managerial

B - Clerical and sales

C - Production, transport, service, etc.

Table 4 Summary of average annual household expenditure according to area, type of dwelling and population group 4.6.1 All population groups: Witbank/Nelspruit and Urban Areas

Witbank/Nelspruit Urban areas Expenditure House Flat Townhouse/ Other Total House Townhouse/ Total cluster/semi- type of cluster/semidetached house dwelling detached house dwelling A. Number of households R B. Items R R 1. Food 2. Drinks 3. Tobacco 4. Clothing Footwear 6. Housing 7. Fuel and Power 8. Furniture and Equipment 9. Household operation 10. Servants 11. Medical Services & requirements 12. Transport 13. Communications 14. Recreation, sport, etc Ω 15. Reading matter 16. Education Λ 17. Personal care 18. Restaurants, bars, etc 19. Holidays (accommodation, transport) 20. Income tax 21. Other TOTAL C. Average Income 1. Regular Income 2. Other Income

Summary of average annual household expenditure according to area, type of dwelling and population group 4.6.2 All population groups: Non-Urban Areas and All Areas

	Non	-Urban A	reas			 	All Area	ıs		
Expenditure	House	Flat	Townhouse/ cluster/semi- detached house	Other type of dwelling	Total	 House 	Flat	Townhouse/ cluster/semi- detached house	Other type of dwelling	Total
A. Number of households	792	33	15	386	1228	1418	58	19	786	2281
B. Items	R	R	R	R	R	 R	R	R	R	R
1. Food	6412	387		4660	5750	 7609	5202	4528	5371	6778
2. Drinks	419	65		352	413	503	598	447	390	471
3. Tobacco	670	166		474	682	918	1511	589	573	836
4. Clothing	948	164		577	872	1175	1524	427	662	1023
5. Footwear	440	78		272	408	505	802	233	312	455
6. Housing	1439	235		649	1262	5025	3807	2899	2143	4048
7. Fuel and Power	564	13	138	468	510	511	130	99	556	506
8. Furniture and Equipment	836	202	552	439	778	1163	1789	395	576	999
9. Household operation	462	41	451	332	422	548	512	387	371	489
10. Servants	1211	210	755	737	1114	1502	1948	546	846	1308
11. Medical Services & requirements	636	65	134	445	577	1685	1081	135	521	1281
12. Transport	1970	161	976	712	1574	3873	3254	753	1552	3093
13. Communications	457	57	244	149	371	979	693	248	579	836
14. Recreation, sport, etc	84	1	79	19	61	288	81	62	148	233
15. Reading matter	109	12	79	57	94	214	163	61	101	175
16. Education	536	88	127	142	435	1071	898	120	372	836
17. Personal care	1042	83	868	705	931	1358	1058	840	841	1178
18. Restaurants, bars, etc	17	2	11	13	16	22	40	9	15	21
19. Holidays (accommodation, transport)	517	10		48	297	1524	435	0	275	1026
20. Income tax	592	277	2193	279	625	3185	2540	1568	383	2261
21. Other	2405	786	7048	2014	2607	5649	8415	5096	2239	4687
TOTAL	21776	3114	22585	13552 	19808	39316 	36489	19450	18836	32552
C. Average Income										
1. Regular Income	18473	2754	18810	11107	16777	 32522	30945	15990	15535	26974
2. Other Income	3106	426		1871	2800	32522 5067	5683	2535	2268	4193
Z. Other income Total	21579	3181		12979	19578	37531	36629	18526	17804	31137
TOTAL	215/9	3101	21008	149/9	195/6	3/531	30029	10020	1/004	31137

Table 5 Summary of average annual household expenditure according to area and expenditure groups 5.1 Witbank/Nelspruit

	Witbank/Nelspruit							
Expenditure	 R 0- R 8 070		R 12 264- R 24 365			TOTA		
A. Number of households	 28	37	63	59	50	237		
B. Items	 R	R	R	R	R	R		
1. Food	2242	3772	5713	9032	15580	863		
2. Drinks	118	315	522	549	936	56		
3. Tobacco	231	529	534	857	2904	116		
4. Clothing	246	432	711	1598	2488	133		
5. Footwear	86	197	334	669	774	49		
6. Housing	409	1504	1631	4103	35574	1168		
7. Fuel and power	321	403	292	275	187	27		
8. Furniture and equipment	78	219	416	918	3220	126		
9. Household operation	196	304	456	603	916	57		
10. Servants	315	552	909	2043	3180	171		
11. Medical services & requirements	56	111	108	1281	7790	256		
12. Transport	207	250	771	2546	23835	759		
13. Communications	104	392	272	953	6997	234		
14. Recreation, sport, etc	0	7	69	96	2422	72		
15. Reading matter	7	16	97	142	590	22		
16. Education	47	106	185	987	4900	168		
17. Personal care	335	635	1059	1619	2846	155		
18. Restaurants, bars, etc	0	5	18	45	38	2		
19. Holidays (accommodation, transport)	!	31	0	0	2210	109		
20. Income tax	0	41	391		23440	708		
21. Other	159		1837	5259				
TOTAL	5172 	10431	16335 	35086 	169335	6247		
C. Average income								
1. Regular income	3337	6867		33772	140587	5237		
2. Other income	1235	2183	1568	3865	14654	589		
TOTAL	4573	9050	15426	37638	155242	5826		

Table 5 Summary of average annual household expenditure according to area and expenditure groups 5.2 Urban areas

	 		Urban area	 ìs		
Expenditure	1			R 24366- R 55159	R 55160 and more	TOTAL
A. Number of households						
	 119	182	321	237	193	1052
B. Items	 R	R	R	R	R	R
1. Food	2410	3969	6060	8828	15181	8256
2. Drinks	82	194	334	608	1166	555
3. Tobacco	249	444	686	1034	2037	1040
4. Clothing	219	408	742	1485	2502	1241
5. Footwear	92	194	366	709	911	523
6. Housing	588	1019	1477	4103	25987	8047
7. Fuel and power	432	510	645	564	312	501
Furniture and equipment	75	216	521	1363	3328	1317
9. Household operation	202	287	437	642	1043	587
10. Servants	280	522	949	1898	3198	1586
11. Medical services & requirements	77	136	339	1200	7593	2291
12. Transport	209	338	798	2569	17595	5273
13. Communications	70	164	310	924	4714	1503
14. Recreation, sport, etc	7	29	76	185	1646	480
15. Reading matter	8	36	77	331	759	290
16. Education	75	163	364	925	4293	1413
17. Personal care	370	651	1014	1631	3036	1534
18. Restaurants, bars, etc	5	6	19	31	52	27
<pre>19. Holidays (accommodation, transport)</pre>	4	12	11	183	2650	1480
20. Income tax	0	7	234	1442	16837	4611
21. Other	157	414	1303	5721	23834	7673
TOTAL	5623	9728	16773	36387	138685	50237
C. Average income						
1. Regular income	4057	8251	13917	32748	116294	41649
2. Other income	1163	1275	2118	4896	16840	6194
TOTAL	5220	9526	16036	37645	131832	47727

Table 5 Summary of average annual household expenditure according to area and expenditure groups 5.3 Non-Urban areas

	Non-urban areas					
Expenditure		R 8071-	R 12264-	R 24366- R 55159		TOTAL
A. Number of households						
	 276	304	392	195	61	1228
B. Items	 R	R	R	R	R	R
1. Food	2459	4116	5986	8443	14978	5746
2. Drinks	105	188	485	768	946	413
3. Tobacco	286	368	623	1152	1910	681
4. Clothing	206	420	856	1689	2711	872
5. Footwear	117	221	423	728	1162	407
6. Housing	331	544	967	2163	6637	1262
7. Fuel and power	360	484	568	598	576	510
8. Furniture and equipment	65	210	605	1868	3296	778
9. Household operation	208	316	453	596	931	421
10. Servants	263	537	1094	2159	3464	1114
11. Medical services & requirements	59	117	312	1029	4590	577
12. Transport	196	284	794	2220	14871	1573
13. Communications	j 37	131	213	634	2727	371
14. Recreation, sport, etc	j 7	20	50	80	446	61
15. Reading matter	3	27	40	192	724	94
16. Education	74	145	311	894	2251	435
17. Personal care	352	565	912	1519	2858	930
18. Restaurants, bars, etc	3	6	15	43	29	16
19. Holidays (accommodation, transport)	24	32	61	99	2804	294
20. Income tax	0	13	189	1703	4565	625
21. Other	197	591	1488	5715	16621	2607
TOTAL	5363	9345	16456	34301	89110	19797
C. Average income						
1. Regular income	3813	7250	13514	29229	84846	16768
2. Other income	1397	1615	3124	3897	7732	2799
TOTAL	5211	8866	16639	33126	92579	19568

Table 5 Summary of average annual household expenditure according to area and expenditure groups 5.4 All areas

All areas R 0- R 8071- R 12264- R 24366- R 55160 TOTAL Expenditure R 8070 R 12263 R 24365 R 55159 and more A. Number of households B. Items R R R R 1. Food 2. Drinks 3. Tobacco 4. Clothing Footwear 6. Housing 7. Fuel and Power 8. Furniture and Equipment 9. Household operation 10. Servants 11. Medical Services & requirements 12. Transport 13. Communications 14. Recreation, sport, etc 15. Reading matter 16. Education 17. Personal care 18. Restaurants, bars, etc 6 17 19. Holidays (accommodation, transport) 20. Income tax 11 206 21. Other TOTAL C. Average income 1. Regular income 2. Other income TOTAL

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year
6.1 Average household expenditure on food

Expenditure | Weighted average -----|-----| A. Number of households B. Items 1. Cereal products -Cake flour, including self-raising flour 114.25 -Bread flour 4.80 -Mealie-meal or maize-flour 605.59 -Sorgum-meal or powder 7.32 -Other meal and flour(corn flour etc) 2.95 Oats.corn flakes and other prepared breakfast cereals 32.76 Rice 174.79 Mealie rice and samp 13.17 Spaghetti, macaroni and other pasta 36.72 Bread - White bread 220.56 - Brown and wholewheat bread 577.98 - Other bread and bread rolls 13.99 Other baked products(biscuits, rusks, cakes, etc) 29.01 35.33 Baby food Other cereal products 2.69 1871.96 TOTAL 2. Meat Fresh or frozen meat The estimated value of fresh meat purchased in bulk and consumed during the survey month 525.45 - Beef and veal - Mutton, lamb and goat 97.69 56.14 - Pork - Poultry 546.93 - Other meat 16.66 168.44 - Sausages- Boerewors - Other sausages (beef, pork, game, etc.) 19.68 Cold meat(Viennas, polony, etc.) 70.06 Other meat and meat products - Biltong and dried sausages 8.46 12.74 - Meat pastes, canned and frozen meat dishes 6.89 - Baby food containing meat 2.38 - Other meat 1.29 1532.89

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Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.1 Average household expenditure on food (continued)

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
3. Fish and other seafood	
Seafood	
Fish	
- Fresh or chilled fish	62.24
- Frozen fish and fish products	49.38
- Smoked, dried and canned fish and fish paste	101.85 5.42
Other seafood, excluding fish	3.30
Other Searood, excitating rish] 3.30
TOTAL	222.21
4. Butter, fats, oils and margarine	
Butter and butter oil (ghee)	16.72
Margarine and medium and low fat spreads	83.53
Cooking and salad oils, excluding salad dressings	125.47
Peanut butter	24.70
Other fats and oils (lard etc.)	8.18
TOTAL	258.63
5. Milk, milk substitutes, cheese and eggs	
 Fresh milk	241.29
Sour milk, maas and butter milk	28.83
Cream and yoghurt	26.00
Ice cream (sorbet, full cream, frozen yoghurt, etc.)	26.45
Milk powders and whiteners	76.20
Condensed or evaporated milk	9.12
Sterilised, UHT and longlife milk	6.64
Cheese and cottage cheese	38.53
Other milk and cheese products	5.23
Eggs, including egg powder	145.35
 TOTAL	603.68

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.1 Average household expenditure on food (continued)

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
6. Vegetables	
Fresh vegetables	
- Potatoes	128.03
- Sweet potatoes	21.10
- Green mealies	2.77
- Onion	90.47
- Tomatoes	121.64
- Green beans	18.50
- Cabbage	75.94
- Carrots	28.10
- Pumpkin, marrows and gem squashes	33.96
- Beetroot	39.46
- Lettuce	10.71
- Morogo, spinach	46.84
- Other fresh vegetables	5.22
Frozen vegetables	
- Beans	11.65
- Peas	7.04
- Carrot	4.98
- Cauliflower	3.51
- Pumpkin	1.33
- Potatoes	1.76
- Other frozen vegetables	9.52
Canned vegetables	20.28
Dried peas, beans and lentils	10.80
Prepared salads	4.20
Other vegetable products(dehydrated vegetables etc.)	1
TOTAL	699.45

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.1 Average household expenditure on food (continued)

Expenditure Weighted average A. Number of households 2282 ----7, Fruit and nuts Decidouus fruit - Apple 72.13 - Other deciduous fruit 10.48 Subtropical fruit - Banana 69.95 - Other subtropical fruit 8.78 Citrus fruit - Oranges 46.09 - Other citrus fruit 3.82 Other fresh fruit 3.10 Canned fruit 10.15 Dried and crystallised fruit 3.46 Fruit juices, nectars, fruit drinks, concerntrates and dairy mixtures (fruit juice mixtures) 44.68 Nuts, including dessicated coconut 11.98 Other fruit and nut products 1.24 285.92 8. Sugar, sugar products and sweeteners 209.07 White sugar 70.44 Brown sugar Sweeteners 4.90 Other sugar products(icing sugar etc.) 2.79 287.21 9. Syrup, jam and related products Syrup and honey 8.64. Jam 29.64 11.93 Jelly powder Sweets - Chocolates 28.10 - Other sweets(including health bars) 12.39 Other related products 0.60 91.32. TOTAL

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.1 Average household expenditure on food (continued)

Expenditure Weighted average A. Number of households _____ 10. Coffee, tea and cocoa Coffee - Instant coffee 55.16 - Ground coffee and coffee beans 7.48 - Tea (loose and tea bags) 89.05 - Rooibos and herbal tea(loose and tea bags) 34.87 Cocoa and other warm drinks 4.64 TOTAL 191.22 11. Processed baby food - Grain 17.01 - Meat 4.13 - Vegetables 7.30 - Fruits 0.95 - Milk 37.65 TOTAL 77.61 12. Other food products Oven-ready dishes or meals 14.33 Custard powder, instant and other puddings 13.61 Yeast, baking powder and bicarbonate of soda 24.70 Salt and pepper 43.11 Vinegar 21.31 Herbs and spices 42.39 Chutney, pickles, sauces, mustard, tomato sauce 72.73 and mayonnaise Canned soup, soup powders and meat extract cubes 60.77 Potato crisps, cheese curls, etc. 20.34 4.95 Pop corn Other food products 0.47 318.76

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Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.1 Average household expenditure on food (concluded)

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
13. Meal and snacks consumed away from home	
Exclude - Refreshments (such as sweets) which were included elsewhere - Entertainment of guest as part of your work - Alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages	
Meals and snacks consumed in hotels,restuarants,etc. Take-away meals purchased for home or elsewhere Meals and delicacies enjoyed in staff cafeteria	71.89 104.40 158.46
TOTAL 	334.75
TOTAL FOOD	6775.67

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.2 Average household expenditure on drinks

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
B. Item 1. Non-alcoholic beverages	
Aerated cool drinks (soft drinks)	 241.49
Mineral water or spring water	4.41
Fruit squashes, including those in powder form	27.51
Other cool drinks(including flavoured syrups	12.65
TOTAL	286.08
2. Alcoholics beverages	
Spirits	
- Spirits such as brandy, whisky and gin	66.60
- Other spirits including liqueur Beer	13.54
- Beer, dark (English) beer and cider	304.43
- Sorghum beer Wine	46.24
- Table wine, sparkling wine and juice/wine mixtures	13.25
- Fortified wine (sherry, port, etc.)	3.17
Other alcoholic beverages	0.45
TOTAL	 438.85
TOTAL DRINKS	 724.93

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.3 Average household expenditure on tobacco

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
B. Item	
Cigarettes	707.05
Cigars and cigarillos	6.89
Pipe and cigarette tobacco, snuff, etc.	96.00
Other items smoked (e.g. dagga)	20.91
Smokers` requisites, e.g. pipes, cigarette lighters	
and flints (excluding matches)	5.03
TOTAL TOBACCO	835.90

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.4 Average household expenditure on clothing

A. Number of households B. Item 1. Clothing Men's clothing 323.25 323.37 Women's clothing Boys` clothing 165.85 Girls` clothing 128.82 Infants` clothing 41.36 TOTAL 982.68 2. Home-made and especially made-up clothes(not for resale) and clothing repairs Material for clothing 22.99 Knitting wool and yarns 2.34 Patterns, lace, sewing, cotton, etc. 4.25 Amount paid for the making or knitting of clothing and repairs to clothing 8.87

TOTAL CLOTHING 958.11

0.88

1.25

Cost of the hire of clothing

Scissors, needles, pins

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.5 Average household expenditure on footwear

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
B. Item 1. Footwear	
Men`s footwear Women`s footwear Boys` footwear Girls` footwear Infants` footwear	159.24 138.75 86.98 60.81 9.56
TOTAL FOOTWEAR	455.36

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year

6.6.1 Average annual housing expenditure on monthly housing costs

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
B. Expenditure	
 Rent paid	666.39
- Amount paid (if rented free)	262.22
- Cash subsidy	148.89
Additional rent for garage, etc.	3.11
Monthly levy	1.40
Boarding excluding meals	2.39
2. Property	
 Monthly instalment	1288.90
- Capital	453.03
- Interest	452.02
Subsidy	230.66
Levy	45.27
3. Services	
Assessment rates	193.80
Water	185.50
Electricity (flat rate)	435.14
Electricity (prepaid cards)	342.39
Gas supplied by public networks	2.94
Sanitary service	45.18
Refuse removal	51.11
Value Added Tax (VAT) 	62.31
TOTAL ANNUAL EXPENDITURE ON MONTHLY HOUSING	4872.74

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.6.2 Average annual household expenditure on annual housing cost

| Weighted average | A. Number of households B. Expenditure 1. Bond Capital payments (including deposit) 306.22 Transfer costs and registration of mortgage bonds 79.06 Contributions made towards communal provision of housing services 24.76 Payment for a stand(tribal/shacks) 0.11 Repair and maintenance of existing buildings, swimming pools, etc. 24.88 Additions and alterations 42.06 Security structures 22.90 Security systems 14.33 Security services 6.86 Building materials not included elsewhere 83.88 TOATL ANNUAL EXPENDITURE ON ANNUAL HOUSING COSTS 605.11

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.7 Average household expenditure on household fuel

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
B. Item	
 Firewood	140.38
Charcoal	8.53
Paraffin	124.41
Gas in cylinders	13.00
Candles	43.82
Coal, including anthracite	139.64
Methylated spirits, fuel for lawn-mowers and	
generators and for heating	4.42
Petrol for household use (not transport)	3.59
Diesel for household use (not transport)	1.08
Re-charging of wet-cell	3.45
Dry-cells (batteries)	21.84
Dung	1.52
Crop waste	0.81
Other household fuel	0.00
TOTAL HOUSEHOLD FUEL	506.56

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.8 Average household expenditure on furniture and equipment

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
B. Item	
1. Furniture, fixtures and floor coverings	
 Furniture	
- Bed bases and matresses	100.56
- Other bedroom furniture	135.06
- Dining-room furnitutre	78.79
- Lounge furniture	63.14
- Kitchen furniture and units(excluding electrical	
appliances)	40.02
- Garden and patio(stoep) furniture	1.91
- Other loose items of furniture(e.g. beanbags,	
mirrors)	1.50
Floor coverings	
- Loose carpets and rugs	20.46
- Other loose floor coverings	5.77
Other(e.g. ornaments, paintings and other works of]
art)	1.89
Upholstering and other repair costs	0.96
TOTAL	450.12
2. Household textiles	
Blankets and travelling rugs	 88.74
Sheets and pillow cases	14.08
Duvets and duvet covers	62.22
Table-cloths and serviettes	5.17
Curtains(including making and hanging charges) and] J.±,
materials for curtains	31.28
Pillows and cushions	4.38
Sleeping bags	1.14
Other(e.g. blinds) and repairs	3.66
Other(e.g. Dirings) and repairs] 3.00
TOTAL	210.71

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year
6.8 Average household expenditure on furniture and equipment (concluded)

Weighted average A. Number of households 2282 3. Appliances Electrical appliances - Refrigerator, deepfreezers and refrigerator/ 107.96 deepfreeze combinations - Stoves and ovens , including microwave ovens 50.15 - Hotplates 10.35 - Washing machines, dishwashers and tumble dryers 48.26 - Vacuum cleaners, polishers and carpet cleaners 2.96 - Irons 11.27 - Kettle and percolators 8.25 - Sewing machines, overlockers and knitting machine 6.84 - Food mixers, processors and similar accessories 1.61 - Frying pans and woks 2.86 - Toasters, waffle pans and sandwich toasters 2.96 - Other loose floor coverings 2.86 - Electrically operated lawn-mowers and edge-trimmer 5.42 - Other electrical appliances 15.77 Non-electrical appliances - Gas stoves and heaters 6.80 - Paraffin stoves and heaters 4.39 - Sewing and knitting machines 0.35 - Lawn-mowers and edge-trimmers-petrol driven 0.97 - Other non-electrical appliances 2.38 Repairs of electrical and non-electrical appliances 3.38 295.90 4. Other household equipments - Kitchen and table ware(metal, glass and plastic) 19.17 - Tableware(cutlery, crockery, incuding plastics) 6.30 - Light bulbs and tubes, power plugs, fuses, electric wires, etc. 11.91 2.55 - Ironing boards, laundry baskets, etc. - Gardening equipment(water cans, hose-pipes, spades 1.87 - Other(ladders, bathroom scales, etc.) 0.46 TOTAL. 42.27 TOTAL FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT 999.01

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Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.9 Average household expenditure on household services

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
B. Item	-
Laundry and nappy services (including launderettes) Fumigation and cleaning services (including those	31.91
for carpets, upholstery, etc.) Grinding/gristing of maize/wheat	5.73 5.73
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TOTAL HOUSEHOLD SERVICES	38.41

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.10 Average household expenditure on servants

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
B. Item 1. Domestic workers	
Cash wage including transport allowance Contribution to personal funds(pension, etc.) Food Accommodation Clothing, health care, etc.	370.79 1.82 134.25 25.28 68.99
TOTOL COST OF DOMESTIC WORKERS` SERVICES	601.16

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.11 Average household expenditure on health services

Expenditure Weighted average A. Number of households 2282 B. Item Members of medical aid/insurance schemes or medical provident schemes 1. Subscriptions and premiums in connection with medical aid schemes and medical provident schemes - Paid by yourself 540.17 - Contribution by employer 371.89 2. Actual cost paid by yourself (not paid by schemes) - Medical services, including traditional healers 38.70 - Medicine with prescription 31.84 - Health services and medicine not covered by medical schemes 17.57 - Therapeutic appliances and equipment like spectacles, contact lenses, dentures and crutches 18.47 3. Medicines purchased without a prescription 6.09 1024.77 TOTAL Non-members 1. Services - Flat rate in respect of services and medicine obtained at hospital/clinic 16.20 Doctors, Dentists, Psychiatrists, specialists, opticians, nurses, homeopaths, paediatricians, etc. - Private sector 137.60 23.52 - Public sector - Traditional healers (sangoma, inyanga) 17.31 Hospitals, nursing-homes, clinics, etc., including ambulances services - Private sector 9.48 - Public sector 12.74 Therapists 0.51 Medicines, ointments, disinfectants, bandages, etc. 11.07 - Purchased on prescription - Purchased without a prescription 19.67 Therapeutic appliances and equipment like spectacles, contact lenses, dentures and crutches 7.72 255.86 TOTAL MEDICAL COSTS 1280.63

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.12 Average household expenditure on transport

| Weighted average Expenditure A. Number of households B. Item Private transport - for own use 1. Private vehicle, purchased 1.1 New Motor cars, station wagons and mini-buses 257.56 Bakkies and four-wheel drive vehicles 184.46 Motor cycles and scooters 1.67 4.44 Caravans and trailers including motorised caravans 0.00 448.14 1.2 Used Motor cars, station wagons and mini-buses 333.07 Bakkies and four-wheel drive vehicles 34.27 Motor cycles and scooters 66.58 1.65 Bicycles Caravans and trailers including motorised caravans 20.47 456.06 TOTAL PRIVATE VEHICLE PURCHASED 904.21

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.12 Average household expenditure on transport (continued)

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
2. Running costs	
Estimated value of private use of company or similar	
vehicle	94.04
Motor car fuel	879.68
Parking fees	11.95
Traffic fines	14.88
Toll fees	27.32
Oil and grease	42.89
Tyres and tubes	
- New	80.56
- Retreaded	17.31
Battery	11.13
Spare parts and accessories purchased for private	
repair and installation	50.02
Lubrication and maintanance services	78.56
Installation of air conditioning and security	
systems	5.11
Panel-beating repairs, including repairs to vehicles belonging to others	
- Self-paid	44.70
- Paid for by your insurance company or other party Other repair work, including repairs to vehicles	29.83
belonging to others	
- Self-paid	11.42
- Paid for by your insurance company or other party	
Licence and registration fees	17.34
Driving lessons	0.35
Car wash and valet services	9.56
Other running costs	12.03
TOTAL	1438.82
TOTAL PRIVATE TRANSPORT - FOR OWN USE	 2343.04

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.12 Average household expenditure on transport (concluded)

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Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
Public and hired transport 1. To work, to school and for other private purposes, excluding holiday journeys	
Bus(including school bus) Train Rented vehicle	214.89 1.82
Taxi - Metred cab	4.50 0.00
- Other(including minibus taxi) Reduced transport tariffs	356.75
Furniture removal and transport of goods Other(lift clubs, occasional air-transport,etc.)	0.00
TOTAL	 577.98
2. For travelling expenses while on holidays away from home	
Bus Train	154.50 32.52
Boat.	0.00
Aircraft	423.66
Taxi	107.13
Rented vehicle, excluding fuel	4.49
Supporting services(parking services,port operators) Other(e.g. cable car)	0.00
TOTAL	 722.32
TOTAL PUBLIC AND HIRED TRANSPORT	1300.30
TOTAL TRANSPORT	3643.34

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Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.13.1 Average household expenditure on communication

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
 B. Item	
Telephone fees	
- Telephone rental and installation - Telephone calls	46.86
- Private	178.86
- From public phones	100.11
- From cell phones	224.22
- Value Added Tax (VAT)	4.91
- Link to cellular telephone network	35.55
- Rent for cellular telephone network	27.31
- Subscription to Internet or Beltel	4.67
Postage	6.24
Other(telegrams, courier services, renting of post	
boxes, etc.)	1.51
TOTAL COMMUNICATION	630.30

Table 6 Households: of expenditure for the survey year 6.13.2 Average household expenditure on computer and telecommunication equipment

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
B. Item	
Personal computer, software, calculators, diskettes	
and consumable goods	65.66
Printers	3.76
Modems	1.03
Communication equipment(cellular phones, telephones,	
cordless telephones, motor telephones, fax machines,	
and telephone answering machines for household	İ
purposes	135.17
Two-way radios	0.00
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TOTAL COMPUTER AND TELECOMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT	 205.64

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year
6.14 Average household expenditure on recreation, entertainment and sport

| Weighted average | A. Number of households 1. Instrument, equipment and accessories Musical instruments 4.16 Sound and video equipment - Television sets, decoders, video recoders, aerials, satelite dishes, etc. 101.07 - Radios, tape recorders, compact disc players, record players and similar equipment 38.90 - Magnetic tapes and compact discs 11.83 Photography - Cameras, video cameras, projectors, flashes and films 5.14 Aircraft, boats (including outboard motors), go-carts, etc. 19.95 Sports equipment - Tennis rackets and balls, rifles and ammunition, fishing rods, etc. 7.00 6.73 Camping equipment Other tools, including power driven tools 0.51 Holiday tour packages 1.71 Repairs and service charges 0.05 TOTAL 197.11 2. Other goods Swimmingpool equipments, repairs and chemicals 87.61 Gardening requiments - Seeds, plants, shrubs and trees, fertilizer, plant and pest spray remedies 64.29 - Purchase of pets, foods, feeds and other 484.93 requisites Bouquets and cut flowers for household use 23.95 203.64 Hobbies, toys and games Other 0.15 864.60

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Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.14 Average household expenditure on recreation, entertainment and sport (concluded)

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
3. Licences, rental and other services	
- Licences	61.89
- Rental	0.26
- Subscription to pay TV channels and internet	24.38
- Rent of decoder, video-equipment and tapes	11.74
Admission charges	
- Cinemas, theatres, concerts, swimming pools,	
sports events, museums, zoological and botanical	
gardens	9.51
Pets	
- Licences	1.61
- care (doggy palour, kennels and veterinary costs) Other	7.55 I
- Garden and swimming pool maintenance(excluding	
gardeners` wages)	2.66
- Film developments and photo-prints	6.15
- Fees for lessons connecting with recreation,	
entertainment and sport	8.09
- Other	0.15
 TOTAL	 133.88
TOTAL RECREATION, ENTERTAINMENT AND SPORT	1195.59

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.15 Average household expenditure on reading matter and stationery

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
B. Item 1. Reading matter	
Newspapers - daily and weekly Magazines and periodicals Books (excluding those for tuition) Library fees and fines	18.18 7.79 2.42 0.67
2. Stationery (excluding those for tuition)	2.28
TOTAL READING MATTER	30.69

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.16 Average household expenditure on education

E	Expenditure	Weighted average
Α.	Number of households	2282
в.	Item Paid by you or by means of loans	
1.	Tuition(including correspondence courses) and	
	attendance fees	
	Day-care mothers, creches and playgroups	44.83
	Pre-primary schools, after school centres, etc.	46.81
	Schools	
	- Public(including model C)	199.07
	- Private	110.96
	Teachers` training, agricultural and technical	
	colleges and technikons	96.70
	universities	99.79
	Private tuition in subjects of an educational	
	nature	9.13
_	Excursions, field trips	13.10
2.	1	
	School teachers` training and technical colleges, technikons and universities, etc.	28.80
3.	Expenses incurred not normally regarded as tuition,	20.00
٥.	e.g. contributions to sport grounds	
	Schools and other educational institutions	3.64
4.		34.36
5.		45.24
6.	Other	2.39
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	TOTAL	734.87

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.16 Average household expenditure on education (concluded)

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
Paid by means of grants, non-refundable bursaries, etc. 1. Tuition(including correspondence courses) and	
attendance fees Day-care mothers, creches and playgroups Pre-primary schools, after school centres, etc.	3.69 0.51
Schools - Public(including model C) - Private	12.12 2.41
Teachers` training, agricultural and technical colleges and technikons universities	10.03 30.07
Private tuition in subjects of an educational nature Excursions, field trips	0.31
 Boarding fees School teachers` training and technical colleges, technikons and universities, etc. 	 4.61
3. Expenses incurred not normally regarded as tuition, e.g. contributions to sport grounds Schools and other educational institutions	1
4. School, college and university textbooks 5. Stationery	7.41 29.82
6. Other	0.08
TOTAL	101.61
TOTAL EDUCATION	836.48

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.17 Average household expenditure on personal care

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
B. Item	
Hairdressing, beauty care and other personal care	
services	
- Men's and boys'	61.09
- Women`s and girls`	102.50
Electrical appliances (hairdriers, shavers, etc.)	13.49
Wigs, hair pieces and hair extensions	17.15
Hair care preparations	76.64
Hair shampoo	47.59
Hair sprays	28.12
Other hair preparations	3.05
Toilet soap, bath oils and bath salts	160.46
Toilet paper	94.37
Toothpaste, tooth brushes, mouth-wash and dental	į
floss	90.22
Shaving soap and cream, razor blades and after-shave	İ
lotions	38.50
Skin creams and lotions, perfumes and colognes	185.64
Make-up preparations, not shown elsewhere	
(e.g. lipstick, eye shadow, etc.)	23.20
Powder and deodorants	66.13
Disposable nappies	18.96
Tissues	9.07
Sanitary towels and tampons	83.92
Condoms and other contraceptives (excluding tablets	03.94
and injections)	 39.20
Other	
Orner	18.99
TOTAL PERSONAL CARE	1178.38

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.18 Average household expenditure on holiday

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
B. Item 1. Holiday Accomodation	
Hotel fees Rent:Holiday flat or house, caravan,etc. Payment on timeshare	53.80 32.57
-Purchase -Levy	31.84 3.26
2. Net expenses incurred as owner of a holiday home	0.00
TOTAL ANNUAL COST OF HOLIDAY ACCOMIDATION	121.48

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.19 Average household expenditure on miscellaneous products and services

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
B. Item	
1. Goods	
Watches and personal jewellery Handbags, travelling bags, schoolbags, etc. Prams, push-carts, carry-cots, sitting chair, etc. Other goods, including repairs	77.15 29.35 2.97 10.53
TOTAL	120.00

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.19 Average household expenditure on miscellaneous products and services (continued)

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
2. Membership fees, remittance and members` fees, donations	
Maintenance of family members and dependents living elsewhere	721.06
Gifts for persons who are not members of this	92.28
household	0.87
Tribal levies Membership fees, members` fees	
-Trade unions and staff associations, professionals	
associations, scientific, art and cultural	59.31
societies	9.60
-Gymnisiums, health, sports and social clubs	156.88
Pocket money for children Donations to churches	88.90
Other, including donations to charity, political	
organisations, street collections, etc.	5.04
TOTAL	1133.97
3. Income tax	
Deductions (PAYE and SITE) according to payslip Other payments according to assessment, including preliminary tax payments, payments with regarding	2173.07
previous assessment	96.36
Refund received according to assessment	8.84
 Net ammount paid	 2260.59
Net ammount para	2200.39

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Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.19 Average household expenditure on miscellaneous products and services (continued) ______

Expenditure | Weighted average | _____| A. Number of households 4. Finance, insurance, etc. Finance and bank charges - Bank and building society charges 97.82 - Interest or finance charges 13.18 - Repayments on personal and overdraft loans 13.18 Insurance premiums paid by you or your employer - Life and endowment policies 251.25 - Funeral policies 201.33 - Medical insurance 92.38 - Insurance paid for holiday purposes 2.65 Insurance of property - Insurance of building 87.50 - Insurance covering mortgage debt 55.32 Insurance on contents of dwelling or vehicle - Insurance of contents of dwelling 65.12 - Insurance of motor vehicle 147.31 - Package insurance 75.77 Contributions to pension, provident and annuity funds - Paid by you 711.25 - Paid by your employer 245.10 Contributions to stokvel 46.03 Investments - Shares and unit trusts 108.80 40.23 - Investment plans - Offshore 0.00 Amount paid into savings account during the survey 739.80 TOTAL 3077.94

Table 6 Households: Particulars of expenditure for the survey year 6.19 Average household expenditure on miscellaneous products and services (concluded)

Expenditure	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
5. Other expenditures	
Professional fees	
- Legal fees, architects and other professional	
fees	29.29
Lobola or dowry paid	29.06
Funeral expenses	132.22
Gravestones and maintanance of graves	12.70
Religious and traditional ceremonies	42.70
Fines, excluding traffic and library fines	0.93
All other expenditure, including undeclared	
Gamble (e.g. lotto, horse racing)	68.05
expenditure	10.88
TOTAL	 325.87
6. Net loss	
Net loss on expenditure incurred in obtaining income or additional income by working for your own	!
account, including part-time farming	27.02
TOTAL MISCRLLEUOS EXPENDITURE	6945.42

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Table 7 Households: Particulars of income for the survewy year 7.1 Average income

Weighted average A. Number of households 1. Direct income Salaries and wages for normal hours worked 13910.59 Bonuses and income from overtime 709.11 Commission and director's fees 27.99 Part-time work and cash allowance in respect of transport, housing and clothing 119.18 Net profit from business or professional practice or activities or farming conducted on a full-time basis 1143.80 17.15 Net income from letting of fixed property Royalties 57.88 Interest received and/or accrued on deposits, loans, savings, certificates and dividends on building society shares 30.68 Dividends on shares other than building society shares 0.86 Regular receipts from person, social welfare and grants provided and other annuity funds - Pension resulting from employment before 224.77 - Annuities and similar recurring receipts resulting from own investments 74.50 - Social pensions and allowances - Old age and war pensions 980.69 - Disability grants 68.15 - Family and other allowances 42.76 - From the workmen's compensation, unemployment insurance, Pneumoconioses and Silicosis funds and similar funds 78.91 Alimony, maintenance and similar allowances from divorced spouce, family members, etc., living 221.97 Regular allowances received from family members 960.55 living elsewhere 18669.62

Table 7 Households: Particulars of income for the survewy year 7.1 Average income (continued)

Income	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
2. Indirect income	
Net income from hobbies, side-lines and part-time activities Income derived from the sale of vehicles, property, etc.	1143.80
- Motor vehicles	61.64
- Fixed property	304.79
- All other personal property and second-hand goods - Payments received from boarders and other members	
of the household	36.89
Value of goods and services received by virtue of occupation	
- Housing	277.47
- Transport	142.26
- Pension, provident, medical and annuity funds	224.77
- Other	86.41
Gratuities and other lump sum payments received from pension, provident and other insurance or from private persons	
- Lump sums resulting from employment before	145.05
retirement	147.07
- Endowment policies and other similar lump sums - Lump sums received from the workmen's compensation, unemployment insurance, Pneumoconiosis and Silicosis funnds and other	141.97
similar funds	55.84
- Life insurance and inheritances received - Clams	67.10
- Funeral funds, including funds` contributions	İ
to funeral expenses	52.67
- In respect of damage to fixed property	1.62
- In respect of road traffic collisions	34.81
- Other gratuities	12.38
- Stokvel	61.32

Table 7 Households: Particulars of income for the survewy year 7.1 Average income (concluded)

Income	Weighted average
A. Number of households	2282
Other income	
- Total withdrawals from savings	802.30
- Non-refundable bursaries from all sources	97.33
- Benefits, donations and gifts received from	ĺ
private persons, welfare funds, clubs, the	ĺ
government, etc.	153.35
- Cash	126.88
- Value of food received	538.23
- Value of housing	75.19
- Value of clothing	223.83
- Value of other benefits, donations, gifts, etc.	309.38
Lobola or dowry received	37.65
All other income, including undeclared income	277.57
TOTAL	 4589.39
TOTAL INCOME	3259.01

EXPLANATORY NOTES

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Introduction

This publication contains results of the quinquennial Survey of Income and Expenditure of Households. The objectives of the Income and Expenditure Survey (IES) are to collect comprehensive income and expenditure information about households of South Africa according to the nine provinces, to identify the goods and services bought by a typical household which should be included in the basket of the Consumer Price Index (CPI) and determine the weights of all the items in the CPI. Moreover the information obtained in the survey is of great importance for planning purposes.

There are numerous ways of collecting information on household income and expenditure. For example, people in selected households may be asked to keep receipts of all their purchases, or keep a diary of all expenditure over a specific time period. Due to the relatively low level of literacy in South Africa, and the associated difficulty of record-keeping for many people, Statistics South Africa (Stats SA) chose the route of utilising face-to-face interviews of households for its October 2000 IES.

Survey of Income and Expenditure of Households (IES)

3 Stats SA conducts a Survey of Income and Expenditure of Households every five years. This survey is conducted by enumerators visiting a number of households throughout South Africa to obtain details on income and expenditure of households. The information obtained through this survey is weighted according to the Population Census figures in order to represent all households in South Africa.

- Every five years the results from this survey are used to identify the goods and services bought by a typical consumer or household and which should be included in the CPI basket of goods and services used to monitor price changes.
- Furthermore, every five years the results from the Survey of Income and Expenditure of Households are used to determine the weights of the products/groups (indicator products) in the basket. The weights of a specific product/group is calculated by dividing the total amount spent by all households in South Africa on the specific product/group by the total amount spent on all goods and services by all households.

2000 Survey of Income and Expenditure of Households

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- Stats SA conducted the five-yearly Survey of Income and Expenditure of Households in October 2000 covering a sample of 30 000 households. The information obtained through this survey was weighted according to the 1996 Population Census figures in order to represent all households in South Africa.
- The 2000 Survey of Income and Expenditure of Households collected information regarding approximately 1 000 different goods and services groups Stats SA made a further breakdown of these groups using supplementary sources. This process led to a list of approximately 1 500 groups on which the current calculation of the CPI is based.
- Based on the above-mentioned information for 2000 (cf. paragraphs 7 and 8), the new weight for a specific product/group was calculated by dividing total expenditure by all households in South Africa on the specific product/group by total expenditure on all goods and services by all households in South Africa. Stats SA implemented the new weights, i.e. the 2000 weights based on the 2000 Survey of Income and Expenditure of Households, as from the January 2002 CPI publication.

Primary sample unit

9 A PSU (primary sampling unit) is a geographical area containing 100 households or more and can consist of one or more adjacent EAs. (Enumerator area)

Sample methodology and design

During October 2000 the IES was conducted concurrently with another survey – the labour force survey (LFS). The same sample was used for both surveys.

The sample was based on a regularly updated master sample, using the enumerator area (EA) boundaries delineated for Census '96 as the sampling frame.

3 000 PSUs are the constituent elements of the master sample, which is drawn from both urban and non-urban areas, in all nine provinces. Ten dwelling units in each of the 3 000 PSUs have been sampled.

More details on the sampling frame and sampling procedure are given in Stats SA's statistical release P0201.

During listing, domestic quarters (DQ) should generally have been listed separately from the main house on the same plot, even if the DQ is vacant at the time of listing. The DQ would only *not* be listed separately if the occupants of the main house told the lister that they use the DQ for members of their household (e.g. brother, grandmother) who regularly eat with them and are part of the same economic unit.

Usually then, a domestic worker living in a separate domestic quarter is a separate household and will have a separate chance of selection for the survey. This will apply even if the domestic servant has most of her/his meals with the household.

When a domestic worker lives in the same structure as the main household, (e.g. in a spare bedroom), this would not have been noted during listing. The following rules were then applied:

- When the domestic worker is paid a cash wage by the main household the
 domestic worker is a separate household even if they eat together most of the
 time.
- When the domestic worker is not paid a formal wage and is treated very much
 as part of the main family, shares meals, combined spending, she\he is treated as
 part of the main household.

Fieldwork

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Throughout South Africa, information was collected through either face-to-face interviews or personal completed questionnaires in the 30 000 households which formed the sample.

Data capture

Data capture took place at the head office of Stats SA.

Processing of the data

Data collected on households were raised to the estimated number of households in the country in the various provinces, according to the proportions found in urban and non-urban areas in the 1996 Census.

Reliability of estimates

Inaccuracies may occur because of imperfections in reporting by households and errors made in collection and processing of the data. Inaccuracies of this kind are referred to as non-sampling errors. Every effort is made to reduce non-sampling errors to a minimum by careful designing the questionnaires, editing data and efficient operating procedures.

Related publications

Users may also wish to refer to the following publication, which is available from Stats SA -

• Earning and Spending in South Africa.

Unpublished statistics

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Symbols	17	CPI	Consumer Price Index
and		DQ	Domestic quarter
abbreviations		EA	Enumerator area
		IES	Income and Expenditure survey
		LFS	Labour force survey
		PSU	Primary sampling unit
		SD	Special dwelling
		Stats SA	Statistics South Africa
			not available
		-	nil or not applicable

TECHNICAL NOTES

Response rate 1 Out of the sample of 30 000 households, 26 265 households completed questionnaires. This results in a response rate of 87,55%.

GLOSSARY

Annual percentage change

The annual percentage change is the change in the figure of the current year compared with the figure in the previous year expressed as a percentage.

Average annual percentage change

The average annual percentage change is the change in the average figure of one year compared with the average figure of the previous year expressed as a percentage.

Consumer Price Index The CPI is an economic indicator, which indicates the changes in the prices of consumer goods and services bought by the average household.

CPI weights

The weights are the relevant importance of the indicator product in the CPI. The weight of a product is calculated by dividing the total expenditure by households on that product by the total expenditure on all goods and services by households.

Dwelling unit

Any structure or part of a structure identified during the listing as being lived in by a separate household is a dwelling unit. Any structure or part of a structure which *could* be lived in by a household is also regarded as a dwelling unit.

Household

A household is defined as a person, or group of persons, who occupy a common dwelling unit (see next definition) for at least four days in a week, and who provide themselves with food and other essentials for living. Basically, they live together as a unit.

People who occupy the same dwelling unit, but who do not share food or other essentials are regarded as separate households. For example, people who share a dwelling unit, but who buy food separately and generally provide for themselves separately, are regarded as separate households. By this definition, live-in domestic workers who live in the same structure as their employers are usually separate households.

Conversely, a household may occupy more than one structure. If in the one plot or area persons eat together but sleep in separate structures (e.g. a room in a building at the back of the house for single young male members of a family), all these members should still be treated as one household. This arrangement is common in some rural areas where a cluster of huts or rondavels will often make up one dwelling unit

Household head/ acting household head At Statistics SA we have a clear definition of a household head. Respondents may have a different idea of what 'household head' means, and you must explain to them what Stats SA wants. The head is the person in whose name the dwelling is registered. It may be the person who owns the dwelling, or is responsible for the rent, or gets the dwelling through their work, or through their relationship to the owner. If two or more persons have equal claim to be head of the household, or if people state that they are joint heads or that the household has no head, then choose the eldest as the head.

A head of a household must be a member of the household. If the head of the household is an absentee head i.e. he/she does not reside at the dwelling unit for at least 4 nights a week, then choose the spouse of the head. If the spouse is not a household member, choose the oldest resident person as the head.

Indicator products

Indicator products are those products or services that were selected in the basket, which is used to compile the Consumer Price Index.

Inflation rate

Inflation rate is the annual percentage change in the CPI for all items of the relevant month of the current year compared with the CPI for all items of the same month in the previous year expressed as a percentage.

Multiple households

Multiple households occur when there are two or more separate households living at the one selected dwelling unit.

Primary sampling unit (PSU)

A PSU (primary sampling unit) is a geographical area containing 100 households or more in which you will be given dwelling units to interview.

Respondent

The person (or persons) responding in this interview should be a member/members of the household who is/are likely to do the purchases for the household or know the answers to our questions.

Special dwellings

Special dwellings (SDs) are dwellings or structures which are not privately occupied by a household, including institutions such as hospitals, prisons, homes for the aged, disabled, juvenile offenders, boarding schools and some workers hostels. They are sometimes called *non-private dwellings*. SDs can constitute one complete PSU, but often are contained in mixed PSUs.

A dwelling unit is regarded as a special dwelling if it provides communal meals served from a common kitchen. Other facilities such as bathrooms and laundry are also usually shared. Examples are hotels and motels (guests only), hospitals and nursing homes (patients only), prisons and reformatories (inmates only), old age homes (the aged only) and boarding schools (students only).

Workers' hostels are sometimes regarded as ordinary dwelling units and sometimes regarded as SDs:

- Where a structure is used as accommodation for single men or women, it has a communal
 kitchen and there are five people or fewer living in the structure, then it is a normal private
 dwelling unit.
- Where there are *more than five* single workers resident, then the structure is a SD.
- If a large hostel has separate rooms for families who cater for themselves, then these rooms were listed separately and are to be treated the same as other dwelling units.
- If the rooms or dormitories in a large hostel are mostly for single people and they eat in a common dining room, then they are SDs.

Some hostels have been partly converted for self-catering families while part of the hostel still serves as centrally catered single hostel. In these cases the self-catering part must be treated as separate dwelling units. The centrally catered part is treated as a SD.

Visitors

By the definition of a household above, visitors must only be included if they spend at least four nights a week and have stayed with the household for at least 30 days prior to the interview.

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