

**Table 14. Poverty and income distribution indicators**

	National poverty line*				International poverty line			Gini coefficient**	
	Population below the poverty line (%)				Population below the poverty line (%)			Survey year	Index
	Survey year	Rural	Urban	National	Survey year	Below 1.90 USD	Below 3.10 USD		
Algeria	2011	4.8	5.8	5.5	...	...	...	...	...
Angola	2008	58.3	18.7	36.6	2008	30.1	54.5	2008	42.7
Benin	2011	39.7	31.4	36.2	2011	53.1	75.6	2011	43.4
Botswana	2009	24.3	11.0	19.3	2009	18.2	35.7	2009	60.5
Burkina Faso	2014	47.5	13.7	40.1	2014	43.7	74.7	2014	35.3
Burundi	2014	68.8	27.6	64.6	2006	77.7	92.2	2006	33.4
Cabo Verde	2007	44.3	13.2	26.6	2007	8.1	25.1	2007	47.2
Cameroon	2014	56.8	8.9	37.5	2014	24.0	43.5	2014	46.5
Central African Republic	2008	69.4	49.6	62.0	2008	66.3	82.3	2008	56.2
Chad	2011	52.5	20.9	46.7	2011	38.4	64.8	2011	43.3
Comoros	2004	48.7	34.5	44.8	2004	13.5	32.3	2004	55.9
Congo	2011	74.8	43.3	46.5	2011	37.0	59.6	2011	48.9
Congo, Dem. Rep.	2012	64.9	61.6	63.6	2012	77.1	90.7	2012	42.1
Côte d'Ivoire	2015	56.8	35.9	46.3	2008	29.0	55.1	2008	43.2
Djibouti	...	...	...	...	2013	22.5	43.1	2013	44.1
Egypt	2010	32.3	15.3	25.2	...	...	...	...	...
Equatorial Guinea	2006	79.9	31.5	76.8	...	...	...	...	...
Eritrea	1993	...	62.0	69.0	...	...	...	...	...
Ethiopia	2010	30.4	25.7	29.6	2010	33.5	71.3	2010	33.2
Gabon	2005	44.6	29.8	32.7	2005	8.0	24.4	2005	42.2
Gambia	2010	73.9	32.7	48.4	2003	45.3	68.0	2003	47.3
Ghana	2012	37.9	10.6	24.2	2005	25.2	49.0	2005	42.8
Guinea	2012	64.7	35.4	55.2	2012	35.3	68.7	2012	33.7
Guinea-Bissau	2010	75.6	51.0	69.3	2010	67.1	83.6	2010	50.7
Kenya	2005	49.1	33.7	45.9	2005	33.6	58.9	2005	48.5
Lesotho	2010	61.2	39.6	57.1	2010	59.7	77.3	2010	54.2
Liberia	2007	67.7	55.1	63.8	2007	68.6	89.6	2007	36.5
Libya	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madagascar	2010	81.5	51.1	75.3	2012	77.8	90.5	2012	42.7
Malawi	2010	56.6	17.3	50.7	2010	70.9	87.6	2010	46.1
Mali	2009	50.6	18.9	43.6	2009	49.3	77.7	2009	33.0
Mauritania	2008	59.4	20.8	42.0	2014	5.9	22.1	2014	32.4
Mauritius	...	...	...	...	2012	0.5	3.0	2012	35.8
Morocco	2007	14.4	4.8	8.9	2006	3.1	15.5	2006	40.7
Mozambique	2008	56.9	49.6	54.7	2008	68.7	87.5	2008	45.6
Namibia	2009	37.4	14.6	28.7	2009	22.6	45.7	2009	61.0
Niger	2011	55.2	18.6	48.9	2014	45.7	75.5	2014	34.0
Nigeria	2009	52.8	34.1	46.0	2009	53.5	76.5	2009	43.0
Rwanda	2010	48.7	22.1	44.9	2013	60.4	80.6	2013	50.4

Sao Tome and Principe	2009	59.4	63.8	61.7	2010	32.3	68.1	2010	30.8
Senegal	2010	57.1	33.1	46.7	2011	38.0	66.3	2011	40.3
Seychelles	2013	37.2	39.0	39.3	2013	1.1	2.5	2013	46.8
Sierra Leone	2011	66.1	31.2	52.9	2011	52.3	80.0	2011	34.0
Somalia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
South Africa	2010	77.0	39.2	53.8	2011	16.6	34.7	2011	63.4
South Sudan	2009	55.4	24.4	50.6	2009	42.7	63.5	2009	46.3
Sudan	2009	57.6	26.5	46.5	2009	14.9	38.9	2009	35.4
Swaziland	2009	73.1	31.1	63.0	2009	42.0	63.1	2009	51.5
Tanzania	2011	33.3	15.5	28.2	2011	46.6	76.1	2011	37.8
Togo	2015	68.7	35.9	55.1	2011	54.2	74.5	2011	46.0
Tunisia	2010	...	...	15.5	2010	2.0	8.4	2010	35.8
Uganda	2012	22.4	9.6	19.5	2012	34.6	65.0	2012	41.0
Zambia	2010	77.9	27.5	60.5	2010	64.4	78.9	2010	55.6
Zimbabwe	2011	84.3	46.5	72.3	2011	21.4	45.5	2011	43.2

Notes: \* The national poverty line is defined as two-thirds of the average consumption.

\*\* The Gini coefficient is based on income distribution.

Sources: Domestic authorities and World Bank; *Online Database, Country DHS*.

Share of consumption (%)	
Lowest 10%	Highest 10%
...	...
2.1	32.3
2.5	34.5
1.1	49.6
3.6	29.6
4.0	28.0
2.0	37.1
1.7	35.0
1.2	46.2
1.8	32.4
1.5	48.1
1.6	37.9
2.1	32.0
1.8	32.6
1.7	34.1
...	...
...	...
...	...
3.2	27.4
2.3	33.2
1.8	36.9
1.9	32.7
3.0	26.4
1.6	42.0
1.7	38.8
0.9	40.9
2.4	28.3
...	...
2.2	33.5
2.2	37.5
3.3	25.7
3.0	24.8
3.0	29.0
2.6	33.1
1.9	36.8
1.3	51.8
3.2	26.8
2.0	32.7
2.1	43.2

3.5	24.2
2.3	31.1
1.9	39.9
3.3	26.9
...	...
0.9	51.3
1.3	33.2
2.6	26.7
1.5	40.0
3.1	31.0
1.9	34.5
2.6	27.0
2.5	32.9
1.5	45.2
2.5	33.8

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