

GII Survey Report

Selection: Belize.

1) Belize, 1942 - 1942

Survey ID: 1588

100 households

Sample Duration: 1 Month(s)

Notes: Family living study conducted in August 1942 amongst wage earners' and salaried employees' families in the town of Belize. Family income varied from \$6 to \$15 a week and the survey was limited as closely as possible to families of 4 persons (2 adults and 2 children).

Ref ID: 1616

International Labour Review, 'Methods of Computation of Statistics: II [notes]', *International Labour Review*, Vol. 58, No. 1 (1948), pp. 124-135.

2) Belize, 1958 - 1958 (Academic - Institutional, International Labour Organisation)

Survey ID: 1587

506 households

Sample Duration: 3 Month(s)

Notes: Family living survey conducted in May, June and July 1958 among 506 working class families in the six principal urban areas of British Honduras (Belize City, Stann Creek, Corozal, Cayo, Orange Walk and Punta Gorda). The original sample was of 532, but 23 refused to cooperate and 6 families provided incomplete surveys. Data was obtained on family composition, sources of income and distribution of expenditure. The enquiry was limited to low-income families which represented the largest sector of the country's population living in urban areas. The size of the sample was determined by the budgetary allocation given to the survey. The number of families selected from each district was proportional to the number in the district list given by the Malaria study of 1957. The primary objective was to obtain data on expenditure patterns of the lower income groups of the population living in urban areas with a view of revising the consumer price index for Belize City and to start indices for other towns. The new cost of living index was linked at June 1958 to the former cost-of-living index (original base September 1939=100). The report defines this survey as the most comprehensive yet in the country, which largely utilised methods and techniques developed during the post-war period.

Ref ID: 1662

International Labour Organisation, *Report to the Government of British Honduras on a Survey of Family Expenditures, 1958 and on New Consumer Price Indices* (Geneva: International Labour Organisation, 1959)

Selection: Belize.

Ref ID: 1621

International Labour Organisation, 'Statistical Supplement - Issue 2 [notes]', *International Labour Review*, Vol. 80, No. 6 (1959), pp. 15-30.

Report Stats:

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Surveys: 2

Reference instances: 3

Total Households: 606