

GII Survey Report

Selection: Viet Nam (Vietnam; Republic of); only surveys with inequality measures.

1) Viet Nam (Vietnam; Republic of), 1964 - 1964 (Agency for International Development)

Survey ID: 1955

2,910 households

Sample Duration: 1 Year(s)

Notes: Rural Income and Expenditure Sample Survey of Vietnam of 1964, sponsored by the Agency for International Development and directed by Stroup.

This survey covered 2,910 households selected as random samples of thirty in each of ninety-seven hamlets from thirty-two of the thirty-nine provinces of Vietnam. Cash holdings and savings were included in the income and expenditure information obtained from each household.

For survey purposes the country was divided into three regions- South Vietnam West, which encompasses the Mekong Delta; South Vietnam East, which includes the Saigon River Delta and the plains north and west of Saigon; and South Vietnam Central, which is made up of the nine coastal lowland provinces extending from Binh Thuan Province to the seventeenth parallel.

First known attempt to secure basic data of income and expenditure patterns which would be broadly representative of the rural Vietnamese population.

Immediate purpose: establish consumer income-expenditure patterns in the rural areas of Vietnam.

Field work was done during the months of June and July 1964. Most of the data were recorded on an annual basis and therefore the period covered is from June 1963 to June 1964.

Ref ID: 2004

Robert H. Stroup, *Rural Income Expenditure Sample Survey of Vietnam, Preliminary Report* (Saigon: U.S. Operations Mission, 1965)

Table: sample by income	GD_Vietnam_1964.xlsx	Group Data	Entered	p. 22 (table 1)
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Inequality Measures

	<i>gini (income)</i>	<i>gini (expenditure)</i>	<i>p50-10</i>	<i>p90-50</i>	<i>p90-10</i>
BL:	0.2974498		1.825887	1.949631	3.559806
Naive:	0.2910315		2.000067	2.333378	4.666911
LN:	0.2600626		1.07822	1.072545	1.156439

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Ref ID: 1952

Robert H. Stroup and William J. Frazer, 'The Demand for Money by Households in South Vietnam: The Evidence from Cross-Section Data', *Journal of Political Economy*, Vol. 77, No. 4 (1969), pp. 489-493.

Report Stats:

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Surveys: 1
Reference instances: 2
Total Households: 2,910