
Poverty and Inequality Tables

Table 1

Dimensions of Poverty in the General Population, 2011-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	512,800	247,800	278,800		
Persons	2,350,400	1,568,600	1,754,700		
Children	945,900	746,300	817,200		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	30.3	17.4	19.4	42.6	36.2
Persons	31.4	21.0	23.5	33.3	25.3
Children	39.0	30.8	33.7	21.1	13.6
2013					
The poor population					
Families	664,300	384,400	432,600		
Persons	2,187,100	1,454,400	1,658,200		
Children	875,600	677,400	756,900		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	28.6	16.6	18.6	42.1	34.9
Persons	28.7	19.1	21.8	33.5	24.2
Children	35.7	27.6	30.8	22.6	13.6
2014					
The poor population					
Families	689,500	401,000	444,900		
Persons	2,255,600	1,541,500	1,709,300		
Children	875,800	704,100	776,500		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	29.1	16.9	18.8	41.8	35.5
Persons	29.1	19.9	22.0	31.7	24.2
Children	35.0	28.1	31.0	19.6	11.3
2015					
The poor population					
Families	704,800	414,300	460,800		
Persons	2,269,700	1,544,500	1,712,900		
Children	884,300	702,500	764,200		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	29.2	17.2	19.1	41.2	34.6
Persons	28.7	19.5	21.7	32.0	24.5
Children	34.7	27.5	30.0	20.6	13.6

Table 2

Dimensions of Poverty among Jews, 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	512,800	247,800	278,800		
Persons	1,486,600	821,500	941,500		
Children	544,700	374,900	423,200		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	26.0	12.5	14.1	51.7	45.6
Persons	24.5	13.5	15.5	44.7	36.7
Children	29.5	20.3	22.9	31.2	22.3
2013					
The poor population					
Families	494,800	244,700	275,600		
Persons	1,349,700	767,800	872,400		
Children	480,800	338,600	377,000		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	24.5	12.1	13.7	50.5	44.3
Persons	21.7	12.4	14.1	43.1	35.4
Children	25.5	18.0	20.0	29.6	21.6
2014					
The poor population					
Families	508,700	245,700	278,500		
Persons	1,442,800	820,600	941,100		
Children	516,900	366,800	420,100		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	24.7	12.0	13.6	51.7	45.2
Persons	22.8	12.9	14.9	43.1	34.8
Children	26.6	18.9	21.6	29.0	18.7
2015					
The poor population					
Families	518,200	255,000	287,700		
Persons	1,424,000	811,100	912,200		
Children	508,800	358,200	392,700		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	24.8	12.2	13.8	50.8	44.5
Persons	22.1	12.6	14.1	43.0	35.9
Children	25.6	18.0	19.8	29.6	22.8

Table 3

Dimensions of Poverty among New Immigrants (from 1990), 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	160,900	69,300	79,800		
Persons	401,200	195,700	225,700		
Children	111,900	75,400	85,600		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	35.0	15.1	17.3	56.9	50.4
Persons	30.7	15.0	17.3	51.2	43.7
Children	34.1	23.0	26.1	32.6	23.5
2013					
The poor population					
Families	158,900	76,000	85,200		
Persons	366,700	182,300	210,000		
Children	91,200	59,600	67,400		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	34.5	16.5	18.5	52.2	46.4
Persons	28.9	14.4	16.6	50.3	42.7
Children	30.3	19.8	22.4	34.7	26.1
2014					
The poor population					
Families	165,100	73,800	84,600		
Persons	388,800	187,600	221,400		
Children	97,800	58,200	73,000		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	35.1	15.7	18.0	55.3	48.8
Persons	30.3	14.6	17.3	51.7	43.0
Children	31.5	18.7	23.5	40.6	25.4
2015					
The poor population					
Families	172,500	72,000	84,100		
Persons	412,300	200,000	228,200		
Children	107,400	70,800	76,600		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	36.3	15.1	17.7	58.3	51.2
Persons	31.0	15.1	17.2	51.5	44.7
Children	31.0	20.4	22.1	34.1	28.6

Table 4

Dimensions of Poverty among Non-Jews (from 1990), 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	175,700	147,500	160,800		
Persons	863,700	747,100	813,100		
Children	401,200	371,400	394,000		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	59.5	49.9	54.4	16.1	8.5
Persons	61.7	53.3	58.0	13.5	5.9
Children	69.1	64.0	67.9	7.4	1.8
2013					
The poor population					
Families	169,600	139,700	157,100		
Persons	837,400	686,600	785,700		
Children	394,800	338,800	379,900		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	55.8	46.0	51.7	17.6	7.4
Persons	59.3	48.6	55.7	18.0	6.2
Children	69.0	59.2	66.4	14.2	3.8
2014					
The poor population					
Families	180,800	155,300	166,400		
Persons	812,800	720,900	768,200		
Children	358,900	337,300	356,400		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	57.2	49.1	52.6	14.1	8.0
Persons	57.2	50.7	54.0	11.3	5.5
Children	64.0	60.1	63.5	6.0	0.7
2015					
The poor population					
Families	186,600	159,300	173,000		
Persons	845,700	733,400	800,700		
Children	375,600	344,400	371,500		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	57.5	49.1	53.3	14.6	7.3
Persons	57.9	50.2	54.8	13.3	5.3
Children	66.4	60.9	65.6	8.3	1.1

Table 5

Dimensions of Poverty among Families whose Head of Household is an Elderly Person, 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	233,800	92,400	104,800		
Persons	392,500	162,000	186,700		
Children	14,500	13,300	13,500		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	50.6	20.0	22.7	60.5	55.2
Persons	49.0	20.2	23.3	58.7	52.4
Children	79.2	72.4	73.6	8.6	7.1
2013					
The poor population					
Families	239,700	100,300	110,500		
Persons	378,600	163,400	180,800		
Children	7,500	5,500	5,500		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	48.0	20.1	22.1	58.1	53.9
Persons	44.0	19.0	21.0	56.9	52.3
Children	49.1	35.8	35.8	26.9	26.9
2014					
The poor population					
Families	244,400	103,800	116,000		
Persons	385,000	161,200	182,500		
Children	6,800	4,900	4,900		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	48.7	20.7	23.1	57.5	52.5
Persons	45.1	18.9	21.4	58.1	52.6
Children	45.4	32.5	32.5	28.3	28.3
2015					
The poor population					
Families	254,700	105,300	118,200		
Persons	390,900	164,200	185,400		
Children	5,400	3,200	3,200		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	48.5	20.0	22.5	58.7	53.6
Persons	43.9	18.5	20.8	58.0	52.6
Children	54.2	32.1	32.1	40.7	40.7

Table 6

Dimensions of Poverty among Families with Children, 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	311,200	228,000	253,000		
Persons	1,686,100	1,289,400	1,426,100		
Children	945,900	746,300	817,200		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	30.5	22.3	24.8	26.7	18.7
Persons	34.3	26.3	29.1	23.5	15.4
Children	39.0	30.8	33.7	21.1	13.6
2013					
The poor population					
Families	284,400	209,500	238,500		
Persons	1,549,200	1,164,500	1,327,100		
Children	875,600	677,400	756,900		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	27.4	20.2	23.0	26.3	16.1
Persons	31.1	23.4	26.7	24.8	14.3
Children	35.7	27.6	30.8	22.6	13.6
2014					
The poor population					
Families	298,000	223,900	248,200		
Persons	1,568,700	1,237,200	1,366,000		
Children	875,800	704,100	776,500		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	28.0	21.0	23.3	24.8	16.7
Persons	30.9	24.3	26.9	21.1	12.9
Children	35.0	28.1	31.0	19.6	11.3
2015					
The poor population					
Families	293,700	217,000	240,200		
Persons	1,576,400	1,212,400	1,333,800		
Children	884,300	702,500	764,200		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	27.2	20.1	22.3	26.1	18.2
Persons	30.5	23.4	25.8	23.1	15.4
Children	34.7	27.5	30.0	20.6	13.6

Table 7

Dimensions of Poverty among Families with 1-3 Children, 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	208,700	140,100	157,400		
Persons	915,900	627,900	705,700		
Children	421,600	294,000	326,900		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	24.5	16.4	18.5	32.8	24.6
Persons	24.9	17.1	19.2	31.4	23.0
Children	26.4	18.4	20.5	30.3	22.5
2013					
The poor population					
Families	187,200	129,100	151,000		
Persons	823,900	567,300	678,700		
Children	378,700	266,600	311,800		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	21.5	14.8	17.4	31.1	19.3
Persons	21.9	15.1	18.0	31.1	17.6
Children	23.1	16.3	19.0	29.6	17.7
2014					
The poor population					
Families	204,800	144,000	160,800		
Persons	884,500	646,200	718,300		
Children	407,300	298,300	331,600		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	22.8	16.0	17.9	29.7	21.5
Persons	22.7	16.6	18.4	26.9	18.8
Children	23.9	17.5	19.4	26.8	18.6
2015					
The poor population					
Families	201,000	136,300	154,400		
Persons	874,200	597,900	682,600		
Children	402,300	281,600	317,800		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	22.2	15.0	17.0	32.2	23.2
Persons	22.2	15.2	17.4	31.6	21.9
Children	23.5	16.5	18.6	30.0	21.0

Table 8

Dimensions of Poverty among Families with 4 or more Children, 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	102,500	87,800	95,600		
Persons	770,200	661,500	720,400		
Children	524,200	452,300	490,300		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	60.7	52.0	56.6	14.3	6.7
Persons	62.5	53.7	58.4	14.1	6.5
Children	63.1	54.5	59.0	13.7	6.5
2013					
The poor population					
Families	97,200	80,500	87,500		
Persons	725,300	597,200	648,400		
Children	496,900	410,800	445,100		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	58.0	48.0	52.3	17.2	9.9
Persons	60.2	49.6	53.8	17.7	10.6
Children	60.9	50.3	54.5	17.3	10.4
2014					
The poor population					
Families	93,200	79,900	87,400		
Persons	684,200	591,000	647,700		
Children	468,600	405,800	444,800		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	56.2	48.2	52.7	14.3	6.2
Persons	58.0	50.1	54.9	13.6	5.3
Children	58.8	50.9	55.8	13.4	5.1
2015					
The poor population					
Families	92,700	80,800	85,900		
Persons	702,200	614,500	651,100		
Children	482,000	421,000	446,400		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	53.7	46.7	49.7	12.9	7.4
Persons	56.5	49.5	52.4	12.5	7.3
Children	57.3	50.0	53.1	12.7	7.4

Table 9

Dimensions of Poverty among Single-parent Families, 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	61,400	35,800	37,800		
Persons	227,600	136,400	145,600		
Children	120,600	76,300	80,900		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	46.1	26.9	28.4	41.7	38.4
Persons	45.9	27.5	29.4	40.1	36.0
Children	51.8	32.7	34.7	36.8	32.9
2013					
The poor population					
Families	54,900	33,700	36,100		
Persons	203,000	129,200	141,400		
Children	105,200	71,200	75,700		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	41.8	25.6	27.5	38.7	34.2
Persons	43.7	27.8	30.4	36.3	30.3
Children	49.1	33.2	35.4	32.3	28.0
2014					
The poor population					
Families	52,800	29,400	31,700		
Persons	185,700	108,700	115,600		
Children	99,000	59,800	62,400		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	41.9	23.4	25.1	44.2	40.0
Persons	41.7	24.4	26.0	41.5	37.8
Children	47.4	28.6	29.9	39.7	37.0
2015					
The poor population					
Families	48,900	25,200	27,700		
Persons	189,300	101,800	112,500		
Children	96,800	55,300	61,300		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	38.3	19.8	21.7	48.5	43.4
Persons	40.9	22.0	24.3	46.2	40.6
Children	47.0	26.8	29.8	42.9	36.6

Table 10

Dimensions of Poverty among Families whose Head of Household has 8 Years of Schooling, 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	142,800	84,400	93,000		
Persons	388,900	268,500	296,100		
Children	103,000	92,800	97,500		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	69.8	41.2	45.4	40.9	34.9
Persons	71.3	49.2	54.2	31.0	23.9
Children	83.8	75.5	79.3	9.9	5.3
2013					
The poor population					
Families	130,100	83,200	87,200		
Persons	337,100	252,400	265,800		
Children	93,900	87,300	90,200		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	68.7	44.0	46.1	36.0	33.0
Persons	66.4	49.7	52.4	25.1	21.1
Children	77.4	72.0	74.3	7.0	3.9
2014					
The poor population					
Families	127,100	83,100	86,600		
Persons	319,700	241,700	248,100		
Children	83,800	78,400	79,500		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	68.6	44.9	46.8	34.6	31.8
Persons	67.9	51.3	52.7	24.4	22.4
Children	81.2	76.0	77.1	6.4	5.1
2015					
The poor population					
Families	130,100	78,400	85,900		
Persons	313,400	215,800	233,300		
Children	75,700	65,800	68,400		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	68.0	41.0	44.9	39.8	34.0
Persons	64.3	44.3	47.9	31.2	25.6
Children	73.3	63.7	66.3	13.1	9.6

Table 11

Dimensions of Poverty among Families whose Head of Household has 9-12 Years of Schooling, 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	288,400	171,200	192,900		
Persons	1,101,900	756,900	856,200		
Children	466,700	376,800	414,500		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	33.4	19.8	22.3	40.6	33.1
Persons	35.9	24.6	27.9	31.3	22.3
Children	47.0	38.0	41.8	19.3	11.2
2013					
The poor population					
Families	271,200	161,700	185,400		
Persons	976,100	661,100	769,300		
Children	404,900	316,200	358,800		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	30.8	18.4	21.0	40.4	31.6
Persons	31.6	21.4	24.9	32.3	21.2
Children	42.5	33.2	37.6	21.9	11.4
2014					
The poor population					
Families	289,300	169,400	190,800		
Persons	1,038,200	723,900	805,000		
Children	412,500	340,500	369,800		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	32.1	18.8	21.2	41.4	34.1
Persons	33.0	23.0	25.6	30.3	22.5
Children	43.6	36.0	39.1	17.4	10.4
2015					
The poor population					
Families	287,500	177,200	200,700		
Persons	1,024,400	717,400	809,900		
Children	414,000	338,200	370,100		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	32.0	19.7	22.3	38.4	30.2
Persons	32.7	22.9	25.9	30.0	20.9
Children	44.2	36.1	39.5	18.3	10.6

Table 12

Dimensions of Poverty among Families whose Head of Household has 13 or more Years of Schooling, 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	257,300	139,600	153,700		
Persons	859,500	543,200	602,400		
Children	376,200	276,700	305,200		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	21.4	11.6	12.8	45.7	40.3
Persons	22.3	14.1	15.6	36.8	29.9
Children	28.7	21.1	23.3	26.5	18.9
2013					
The poor population					
Families	263,100	139,500	160,000		
Persons	873,800	540,900	623,100		
Children	376,800	273,900	307,900		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	21.0	11.1	12.8	47.0	39.2
Persons	21.7	13.5	15.5	38.1	28.7
Children	27.3	19.8	22.3	27.3	18.3
2014					
The poor population					
Families	273,200	148,500	167,500		
Persons	897,700	575,900	656,100		
Children	379,500	285,200	327,200		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	21.2	11.5	13.0	45.6	38.7
Persons	21.7	13.9	15.8	35.8	26.9
Children	26.1	19.6	22.5	24.9	13.8
2015					
The poor population					
Families	287,200	158,600	174,100		
Persons	931,900	611,300	669,700		
Children	394,700	298,500	325,700		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	21.7	12.0	13.2	44.8	39.4
Persons	21.7	14.2	15.6	34.4	28.1
Children	26.1	19.8	21.6	24.4	17.5

Table 13

Dimensions of Poverty among Families with a Working Head of Household, 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	356,000	211,800	246,300		
Persons	1,581,000	1,052,100	1,219,400		
Children	725,400	545,500	616,000		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	19.8	11.8	13.7	40.5	30.8
Persons	24.4	16.2	18.8	33.5	22.9
Children	33.0	24.8	28.0	24.8	15.1
2013					
The poor population					
Families	329,800	193,900	231,300		
Persons	1,483,400	982,200	1,165,000		
Children	704,300	524,000	601,700		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	17.9	10.5	12.5	41.2	29.9
Persons	22.2	14.7	17.4	33.8	21.5
Children	30.9	23.0	26.4	25.6	14.6
2014					
The poor population					
Families	351,800	216,300	247,800		
Persons	1,546,400	1,086,400	1,232,600		
Children	703,000	547,300	619,700		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	18.7	11.5	13.1	38.5	29.6
Persons	22.7	15.9	18.1	29.8	20.3
Children	30.2	23.5	26.7	22.1	11.8
2015					
The poor population					
Families	364,900	221,000	256,100		
Persons	1,575,000	1,077,300	1,226,200		
Children	717,800	551,400	612,300		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	18.9	11.5	13.3	39.4	29.8
Persons	22.6	15.4	17.6	31.6	22.1
Children	30.2	23.2	25.7	23.2	14.7

Table 14

Dimensions of Poverty among Families of Salaried Employees, 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	318,500	186,900	215,900		
Persons	1,397,300	918,400	1,054,900		
Children	632,600	473,600	528,300		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	20.2	11.9	13.7	41.3	32.2
Persons	24.7	16.2	18.6	34.3	24.5
Children	33.3	25.0	27.8	25.1	16.5
2013					
The poor population					
Families	282,100	166,100	194,600		
Persons	1,272,800	848,400	987,200		
Children	601,800	454,800	511,100		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	17.8	10.5	12.3	41.1	31.0
Persons	22.2	14.8	17.2	33.3	22.4
Children	31.0	23.4	26.3	24.4	15.1
2014					
The poor population					
Families	308,100	180,800	207,400		
Persons	1,349,300	920,300	1,044,300		
Children	599,400	459,000	520,500		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	19.0	11.2	12.8	41.3	32.7
Persons	23.0	15.7	17.8	31.8	22.6
Children	30.2	23.1	26.2	23.4	13.2
2015					
The poor population					
Families	318,100	190,900	219,700		
Persons	1,374,700	934,100	1,058,200		
Children	621,600	477,000	526,500		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	19.0	11.4	13.1	40.0	30.9
Persons	22.6	15.3	17.4	32.1	23.0
Children	30.0	23.0	25.4	23.2	15.3

Table 15
Dimensions of Poverty among Families of Self-Employed Persons, 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	38,000	25,200	30,700		
Persons	183,100	133,000	163,800		
Children	92,100	71,200	86,900		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	16.5	11.0	13.4	33.7	19.2
Persons	22.0	16.0	19.7	27.4	10.6
Children	30.7	23.7	29.0	22.7	5.6
2013					
The poor population					
Families	43,300	25,300	33,400		
Persons	197,300	126,700	168,500		
Children	101,000	68,600	90,000		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	17.0	9.9	13.2	41.6	22.8
Persons	21.3	13.7	18.2	35.8	14.6
Children	30.2	20.5	26.9	32.1	10.9
2014					
The poor population					
Families	43,700	35,500	40,400		
Persons	197,100	166,000	188,300		
Children	103,500	88,400	99,200		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	16.4	13.4	15.2	18.7	7.5
Persons	20.8	17.5	19.8	15.8	4.5
Children	30.4	25.9	29.1	14.6	4.2
2015					
The poor population					
Families	46,600	29,900	36,100		
Persons	199,000	141,900	166,700		
Children	95,400	73,600	85,000		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	18.6	11.9	14.4	35.9	22.5
Persons	22.5	16.1	18.9	28.7	16.2
Children	31.1	24.0	27.7	22.9	11.0

Table 16

Dimensions of Poverty among the Working-age Population who are not Working, 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	128,200	94,300	94,800		
Persons	436,500	362,300	363,300		
Children	207,200	188,000	188,500		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	89.3	65.7	66.1	26.4	26.0
Persons	93.1	77.2	77.5	17.0	16.8
Children	97.3	88.3	88.5	9.3	9.1
2013					
The poor population					
Families	119,000	92,800	95,100		
Persons	370,600	314,700	321,600		
Children	164,600	148,300	150,100		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	91.2	71.2	72.9	22.0	20.0
Persons	93.9	79.8	81.5	15.1	13.2
Children	96.8	87.3	88.3	9.9	8.8
2014					
The poor population					
Families	118,400	85,900	87,500		
Persons	371,000	305,500	308,100		
Children	167,800	152,400	152,400		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	92.0	66.7	68.0	27.5	26.1
Persons	95.0	78.3	78.9	17.7	17.0
Children	98.7	89.7	89.7	9.2	9.2
2015					
The poor population					
Families	117,900	92,400	93,400		
Persons	367,400	313,500	316,100		
Children	164,000	149,400	150,200		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	92.2	72.3	73.0	21.6	20.8
Persons	94.8	80.9	81.6	14.7	14.0
Children	97.4	88.7	89.2	8.9	8.4

Table 17

Dimensions of Poverty among Families with One Wage Earner, 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	287,300	172,400	195,500		
Persons	1,207,400	825,600	930,000		
Children	565,400	434,100	482,600		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	36.2	21.7	24.6	40.0	31.9
Persons	50.7	34.7	39.1	31.6	23.0
Children	65.9	50.6	56.2	23.2	14.7
2013					
The poor population					
Families	243,900	146,000	164,600		
Persons	982,300	693,600	766,300		
Children	466,700	378,300	409,500		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	35.7	21.3	24.1	40.1	32.5
Persons	50.9	36.0	39.7	29.4	22.0
Children	67.7	54.9	59.4	18.9	12.3
2014					
The poor population					
Families	261,500	162,800	182,300		
Persons	1,077,400	790,400	871,300		
Children	511,900	417,700	457,600		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	36.5	22.7	25.4	37.7	30.3
Persons	51.7	37.9	41.8	26.6	19.1
Children	66.0	53.8	59.0	18.4	10.6
2015					
The poor population					
Families	268,800	168,700	189,200		
Persons	1,063,900	771,500	846,000		
Children	494,000	404,900	436,200		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	36.9	23.1	25.9	37.2	29.6
Persons	51.5	37.4	41.0	27.5	20.5
Children	68.0	55.7	60.0	18.0	11.7

Table 18

Dimensions of Poverty among Families with Two Wage Earners, 2012-2015

	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
2012					
The poor population					
Families	68,700	39,400	50,700		
Persons	373,600	226,500	289,500		
Children	160,000	111,400	133,400		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	6.8	3.9	5.0	42.7	26.2
Persons	9.1	5.5	7.0	39.4	22.5
Children	11.9	8.3	9.9	30.4	16.6
2013					
The poor population					
Families	85,900	47,900	66,700		
Persons	501,100	288,600	398,700		
Children	237,600	145,600	192,200		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	7.4	4.1	5.7	44.2	22.3
Persons	10.5	6.1	8.4	42.4	20.4
Children	15.0	9.2	12.1	38.7	19.1
2014					
The poor population					
Families	90,300	53,500	65,500		
Persons	469,000	295,900	361,400		
Children	191,100	129,700	162,100		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	7.7	4.6	5.6	40.8	27.5
Persons	9.9	6.3	7.6	36.9	23.0
Children	12.3	8.4	10.5	32.1	15.1
2015					
The poor population					
Families	96,100	52,200	66,900		
Persons	511,100	305,800	380,200		
Children	223,800	146,500	176,100		
Incidence of poverty (%)					
Families	8.0	4.4	5.6	45.6	30.3
Persons	10.4	6.2	7.7	40.2	25.6
Children	13.5	8.9	10.7	34.5	21.3

Table 19

Average Income per Family by Different Population Groups and by Source of Income and the Proportion of the Different Sources of Income of the Average Pre-tax Income, 2015

Population group		Source of income*							
		Work	Total transfer payments	Thereof:			Other income (property, pension)	Pre-tax income	Disposable income
				NII benefits	Government subsidies	Private and foreign subsidies			
Total	ILS	14,482	2,116	1,559	251	329	5,235	18,674	15,431
	(%)	77.6	11.3	8.3	1.3	1.8	28.0	100.0	82.6
Jewish family	ILS	15,394	2,179	1,553	283	369	5,596	19,886	16,322
	(%)	77.4	11.0	7.8	1.4	1.9	28.1	100.0	82.1
Non-Jewish family	ILS	8,614	1,711	1,596	45	71	2,913	10,877	9,695
	(%)	79.2	15.7	14.7	0.4	0.7	26.8	100.0	89.1
Family whose head of household is an elderly person	ILS	3,969	3,741	3,074	358	320	8,052	12,479	11,050
	(%)	31.8	30.0	24.6	2.9	2.6	64.5	100.0	88.5
New immigrant family	ILS	11,792	2,641	1,831	365	509	3,350	15,480	13,206
	(%)	76.2	17.1	11.8	2.4	3.3	21.6	100.0	85.3
Family with children	ILS	18,885	1,807	1,228	242	370	4,310	21,613	17,673
	(%)	87.4	8.4	5.7	1.1	1.7	19.9	100.0	81.8
Family with 1-3 children	ILS	19,742	1,681	1,168	199	331	4,341	22,327	18,173
	(%)	88.4	7.5	5.2	0.9	1.5	19.4	100.0	81.4
Family with 4 or more children	ILS	14,393	2,467	1,543	471	572	4,152	17,871	15,051
	(%)	80.5	13.8	8.6	2.6	3.2	23.2	100.0	84.2
Families with 5 or more children	ILS	10,790	3,326	1,840	721	1,024	3,718	14,668	12,937
	(%)	73.6	22.7	12.5	4.9	7.0	25.3	100.0	88.2
Single-parent family	ILS	13,964	2,968	1,669	196	1,099	4,253	19,390	15,943
	(%)	72.0	15.3	8.6	1.0	5.7	21.9	100.0	82.2

* Mid-2014 Survey period prices, for the population including residents of East Jerusalem.

Table 19 (continued)

Average Income per Family by Different Population Groups and by Source of Income and the Proportion of the Different Sources of Income of the Average Pre-tax Income, 2015

Population group		Source of income*							
		Work	Total transfer payments	Thereof:			Other income (property, pension)	Pre-tax income	Disposable income
				NII benefits	Government subsidies	Private and foreign subsidies			
Employment status of head of household									
Working	ILS	18,094	1,624	1,182	196	250	4,888	21,340	17,420
	(%)	84.8	7.6	5.5	0.9	1.2	22.9	100.0	81.6
Salaried employee	ILS	18,058	1,607	1,181	199	228	4,749	21,162	17,356
	(%)	85.3	7.6	5.6	0.9	1.1	22.4	100.0	82.0
Self-employed person	ILS	18,351	1,734	1,185	181	397	5,822	22,546	17,857
	(%)	81.4	7.7	5.3	0.8	1.8	25.8	100.0	79.2
Family whose head of household is of working-age but not working	ILS	211	3,932	2,330	630	1,299	3,227	5,640	5,291
	(%)	3.7	69.7	41.3	11.2	23.0	57.2	100.0	93.8
Family with one wage earner	ILS	9,360	2,235	1,588	301	351	4,726	13,696	11,583
	(%)	68.3	16.3	11.6	2.2	2.6	34.5	100.0	84.6
Family with two or more wage earners	ILS	23,406	1,252	935	133	189	4,987	25,989	20,969
	(%)	90.1	4.8	3.6	0.5	0.7	19.2	100.0	80.7
Education of head of household									
Up to 8 years of schooling	ILS	3,762	3,042	2,570	256	220	4,157	8,368	7,668
	(%)	45.0	36.4	30.7	3.1	2.6	49.7	100.0	91.6
9-12 years of schooling	ILS	11,850	2,116	1,665	207	252	4,628	15,582	13,519
	(%)	76.1	13.6	10.7	1.3	1.6	29.7	100.0	86.8
13 years of schooling	ILS	17,817	1,982	1,340	280	397	5,804	22,262	17,851
	(%)	80.0	8.9	6.0	1.3	1.8	26.1	100.0	80.2

* Mid-2014 Survey period prices, for the population including residents of East Jerusalem.

Table 20

The Effect of Transfer Payments and Direct Taxes on Inequality of Income Distribution among Working Families (percentages), 2014-2015

Decile*	The proportion of each decile of total income (%)**					
	Economic income		Pre-tax income		Disposable income	
	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015
Lowest	1.3	1.3	2.0	2.0	2.3	2.3
2	2.8	2.8	3.4	3.5	3.9	4.0
3	4.1	4.2	4.6	4.8	5.3	5.4
4	5.4	5.6	5.9	6.0	6.5	6.7
5	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.8	8.0
6	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.6	9.2	9.2
7	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.8	10.8
8	12.7	12.8	12.3	12.5	12.5	12.7
9	16.6	16.7	16.0	16.0	15.4	15.5
Highest	31.2	30.5	29.7	28.9	26.2	25.5
Ratio of income of highest to lowest quintile	23.9	22.7	14.8	14.3	11.4	11.1
Gini index***	0.435	0.428	0.399	0.391	0.355	0.346
% of decrease of the Gini index	-	-	8.2	8.8	18.5	19.2

* The families in each column were ranked according to the level of adjusted income per standard person. Each decile represents 10% of all persons in the population.

** In terms of income per standard person.

*** The Gini index of inequality of income distribution was calculated on the basis of individual observations and not on the basis of quintiles.

Table 21

The Average Monthly Income per Family in each Decile, 2014-2015
(General Population) at 2015 Survey Prices

Decile*	Before transfer payments and taxes			After transfer payments and taxes		
	2014	2015	Real change	2014	2015	Real change
Lowest	--	--	--	3,576	3,471	-2.9
2	3,667	3,951	7.8	5,393	5,521	2.4
3	6,270	6,376	1.7	7,500	7,561	0.8
4	8,714	9,082	4.2	9,424	10,208	8.3
5	10,846	11,680	7.7	11,431	12,147	6.3
6	13,963	14,556	4.2	13,530	14,173	4.8
7	17,098	17,572	2.8	15,756	16,106	2.2
8	21,105	21,743	3.0	18,450	19,070	3.4
9	26,878	27,805	3.4	21,901	22,640	3.4
Highest	47,806	47,982	0.4	33,878	33,880	0.0
Total	16,115	16,558	2.8	15,069	15,431	2.4

* For the purpose of establishing the deciles, the families were ranked according to the adjusted income per standard person. Each decile constitutes 10% of all persons in the population.

Table 22

The Incidence of Poverty among all Families in the Population Before and After Transfer Payments and Direct Taxes (percentages), 1979-2015

Year	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
1979	27.9	16.4	17.2	41.1	38.4
1980	28.1	13.9	15.7	50.6	44.1
1981	28.8	14.2	15.7	50.8	45.4
1982	29.8	9.1	10.8	69.5	64.0
1983	29.5	11.1	12.5	62.4	57.7
1984	30.7	12.9	14.6	58.0	52.5
1985	31.3	10.3	11.4	67.1	63.5
1988	32.6	13.3	14.3	59.2	56.0
1989	33.0	11.7	12.8	64.5	61.2
1990	34.3	13.4	14.3	60.9	58.2
1991	35.1	14.2	14.9	59.5	57.5
1992	34.7	16.4	17.2	52.7	50.4
1993	34.6	16.0	16.7	53.8	51.7
1994	34.2	17.6	18.0	48.5	47.2
1995	33.7	14.7	16.8	56.4	50.1
1996	34.3	13.6	16.0	60.4	53.3
1997	34.3	13.6	16.2	60.5	52.7
1997*	32.0	14.9	17.7	53.4	44.6
1998	32.8	14.3	17.5	56.4	46.6
1999	32.2	15.1	18.0	53.1	44.1
2002	33.9	14.5	18.1	57.2	46.6
2003	33.9	15.4	19.3	54.6	43.1
2004	33.7	16.5	20.3	51.2	39.9
2005	33.6	17.1	20.6	49.1	38.5
2006	32.9	17.1	20.0	48.0	39.2
2007	32.3	17.1	19.9	47.0	38.3
2008	32.3	17.2	19.9	46.7	38.3
2009	33.2	17.9	20.5	46.1	38.4
2010	32.6	17.5	19.8	46.3	39.2
2011	32.8	17.3	19.9	47.3	39.3
2012	30.3	17.4	19.4	42.6	36.0
2013	28.6	16.6	18.6	42.1	34.9
2014	29.1	16.9	18.8	41.8	35.5
2015	29.2	17.2	19.1	41.2	34.6

* Including East Jerusalem. Hereafter – new sampling.

Table 23

Gini Index of Inequality of Income Distribution among Families,
Before and After Transfer Payments and Direct Taxes, 1979-2015

Year	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
1979	0.432	0.366	0.318	15.2	26.3
1980	0.434	0.369	0.324	14.9	25.3
1981	0.439	0.372	0.319	15.4	27.4
1982	0.444	0.367	0.312	17.3	29.7
1983	0.439	0.360	0.301	17.9	31.6
1984	0.472	0.398	0.327	15.8	30.8
1985	0.468	0.373	0.312	20.2	33.3
1988	0.457	0.370	0.322	19.1	29.6
1989	0.474	0.378	0.325	20.3	31.4
1990	0.480	0.376	0.326	21.7	32.0
1991	0.490	0.377	0.327	23.1	33.2
1992	0.498	0.393	0.339	21.1	31.9
1993	0.494	0.383	0.329	22.5	33.4
1994	0.502	0.399	0.344	20.4	31.4
1995	0.497	0.397	0.337	20.2	32.3
1996	0.496	0.387	0.329	22.0	33.7
1997	0.505	0.395	0.333	21.8	34.0
1997*	0.509	0.414	0.353	18.6	30.6
1998	0.512	0.413	0.352	19.2	46.6
1999	0.517	0.421	0.359	18.4	44.1
2002	0.537	0.431	0.368	19.7	31.5
2003	0.527	0.424	0.369	19.3	30.0
2004	0.523	0.430	0.380	17.8	27.4
2005	0.526	0.434	0.388	17.4	26.2
2006	0.513	0.432	0.383	15.8	25.4
2007	0.524	0.438	0.392	16.4	25.1
2008	0.512	0.432	0.385	15.6	24.7
2009	0.510	0.429	0.389	15.8	23.7
2010	0.505	0.426	0.384	15.6	23.9
2011	0.497	0.418	0.379	16.0	23.7
2012	0.489	0.417	0.377	14.6	22.9
2013	0.477	0.410	0.363	13.9	23.7
2014	0.478	0.413	0.371	13.5	22.3
2015	0.472	0.407	0.365	13.7	22.6

* Including East Jerusalem. Hereafter – new sampling.

Table 24

The Incidence of Poverty and the Gini Index of Inequality of Income Distribution among all Families in the Population, Excluding East Jerusalem, Before and After Transfer Payments and Direct Taxes (percentages), 2000-2015

Year	Before transfer payments and direct taxes	After transfer payments only	After transfer payments and direct taxes	Percentage of decrease	
				Stemming from transfer payments only	Stemming from transfer payments and direct taxes
Incidence of poverty, families					
2000	32.2	14.7	17.6	54.3	45.3
2001	33.7	14.3	17.7	57.0	47.2
2002	33.5	14.4	17.7	57.0	47.2
2003	33.5	15.4	19.2	54.0	42.7
2004	33.4	16.5	20.3	50.6	39.2
2005	33.3	17.2	20.3	48.4	39.0
2006	32.7	17.4	20.2	46.9	38.4
2007	31.7	16.9	19.5	46.6	38.4
2008	31.8	17.1	19.6	46.2	38.4
2009	32.7	17.6	20.0	46.2	38.8
2010	32.0	17.0	19.3	46.9	39.7
2011	32.2	16.9	19.3	47.6	40.1
2012	29.6	16.6	18.6	43.7	37.1
2013	28.0	16.0	18.0	43.1	36.0
2014	28.3	15.9	17.9	43.6	36.6
2015	28.3	16.1	18.1	43.2	35.9
Gini Inequality Index					
2000	0.509	0.411	0.350	19.3	31.2
2001	0.528	0.420	0.357	25.9	32.4
2002	0.532	0.426	0.362	20.0	32.0
2003	0.521	0.419	0.363	19.6	30.4
2004	0.519	0.426	0.375	18.0	27.7
2005	0.519	0.430	0.383	17.1	26.1
2006	0.518	0.433	0.387	16.5	25.4
2007	0.507	0.425	0.375	16.1	25.9
2008	0.506	0.425	0.378	15.9	25.2
2009	0.503	0.422	0.382	16.1	24.2
2010	0.497	0.418	0.376	15.8	24.4
2011	0.489	0.409	0.369	16.4	24.4
2012	0.479	0.407	0.366	15.0	23.5
2013	0.468	0.402	0.354	14.2	24.4
2014	0.469	0.404	0.361	13.9	23.0
2015	0.463	0.398	0.355	14.1	23.2

