Cambodia

Sources:
World Bank Poverty Monitoring Database 2002
Deiniger & Squire, World Bank 2004
2009: Cambodia CSES2009.pdf, pg 99 and Cambodia Income Expenses.xls (from the country website)

Surveys:
Cambodia Socio-Economic Survey 1994, 1997, 1999
There are three years available of this survey with a varying degree of problems. The first one from 1993 suffers from under-coverage. Due to security, logistical and cost reasons 17% of the urban areas where excluded and 44% of the rural areas. Phnom Penh was however completely covered. The questionnaire is extensive for this year with a detailed questionnaire including in-kind consumption and durables. In the surveys from 1997 and 1999 the coverage is much better; totally 12.7% of all villages were excluded in 1997 and 4.4% in 1999. The problem for these years is the consumption aggregate since only food, health, education and some housing costs are asked by item, others only by source (purchased / home production / gift). Imputed rent is included for the last two years.