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These estimates are reported by van Ginneken and Park (1984). For urban households, The Nairobi Household Survey was used, for smallholders, the distribution of household consumption from the Integrated Household Survey, and for other rural households, the distribution of land from a combination of different surveys. The estimates were adjusted to be in line with national accounts data. The income concept reported is disposable income including in-kind income, own consumption and imputed rent.

This is a World Bank Priority Survey. Several estimates were available for additional years but were considered to be of too low quality to be published.

The sampling in 1992 was done with 44 strata and only a few districts of the country were left out. A two stage stratified cluster design was applied. The data were collected in one visit to the households during November and December 1992. 12050 households were in principal covered but almost 4000 households had to be excluded due to technical problems; this might have a big impact on the results.

The questionnaire covered only some basic food items asked for past week and past month. Non-durables and durables were asked in only one question each. Rents, transfers, transports, clothing and foot wear, recreation and entertainment, and health expenditures were also included. It seems that in-kind items are not separated in the questionnaire. Self-consumption is included in a block of separate questions and not asked item by item.