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**Preface**

The Sri Lanka Household Income and Expenditure Survey (HIES) is conducted by the Department of Census and Statistics (DCS) under the National Household Sample Survey Program. The HIES is an yearlong sample survey which is conducted in 12 consecutive monthly rounds and an island wide representative sample of equal size is enumerated in each monthly round to capture seasonal and regional variations of income, expenditure and consumption patterns. The HIES series which started in 1980 was conducted once in every five years until 2006/07 and thereafter, as rapidly changing economic conditions demanded far more frequent monitoring of income and expenditure patterns in the country, the DCS with the help of the rapid developments in the ICT, decided to conduct the HIES once in every three years in Sri Lanka. The HIES 2012/13 is the eighth in the HIES series.

The field data collection of the survey was done in twelve monthly rounds starting from July 2012 to June 2013 and covered all the districts successfully after 26 years.The last survey which (related to this survey- Labour Force and Socio- Economic Survey) covered the whole country was in 1985/86 period

This report is the final report of the HIES 2012/13, which is based on the twelve monthly rounds of the survey data and publishes much needed socio economic development indicator information of households and household population in Sri Lanka.

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**Highlights**

**Demographic characteristics**

Household population – Sri Lanka 19.9 million

Male population – Sri Lanka 9.4 million

Female population – Sri Lanka 10.5 million

Urban population – Sri Lanka 3.6 million

Rural population – Sri Lanka 15.4 million

Estate population – Sri Lanka 0.9 million

Number of households – Sri Lanka 5.1 million

Male headed households – Sri Lanka 3.9 million

Female headed households – Sri Lanka 1.2 million

Percentage of female headed households – Sri Lanka 23.5 %

## School education

Percentage of never attended school population (aged 5-20 years) – Sri Lanka 3.5 %

Percentage of currently attending school children (aged 5-14 years) - Sri Lanka 94.4%

Percentage of currently attending school children (aged 5-20 years) -Sri Lanka 85.3 %

## Income

Mean household income per month – Sri Lanka Rs. 45,878

Mean household income per month – Urban sector Rs. 69,880

Mean household income per month – Rural sector Rs. 41,478

Mean household income per month – Estate sector Rs. 30,220

Median household income per month – Sri Lanka Rs. 30,814

Median household income per month – Urban sector Rs. 42,267

Median household income per month – Rural sector Rs. 29,376

Median household income per month – Estate sector Rs. 24,087

Share of income to total household income – Poorest 20% - Sri Lanka 4.5 %

Share of income to total household income – Poorest 40% - Sri Lanka 13.7 %

Share of income to total household income – Richest 20% - Sri Lanka 52.9 %

Gini co-efficient of household income – Sri Lanka 0.48

Gini co-efficient of household income – Urban sector 0.51

Gini co-efficient of household income – Rural sector 0.45

Gini co-efficient of household income – Estate sector 0.39

Average household size – Sri Lanka 3.9

Average household size – Urban sector 4.0

Average household size – Rural sector 3.8

Average household size – Estate sector 4.3

Mean per capita income per month – Sri Lanka Rs. 11,819

Mean per capita income per month – Urban sector Rs. 17,262

Mean per capita income per month – Rural sector Rs. 10,843

Mean per capita income per month – Estate sector Rs. 7,100

Income receiver’s mean income per month – Sri Lanka Rs. 25,963

Income receiver’s mean income per month – Urban sector Rs. 38,078

Income receiver’s mean income per month – Rural sector Rs. 23,878

Income receiver’s mean income per month – Estate sector Rs. 14,762

Number of income receiver’s per household – Sri Lanka 1.8

Number of income receiver’s per household – Urban sector 1.8

Number of income receiver’s per household – Rural sector 1.7

Number of income receiver’s per household – Estate sector 2.1

Monetary income per month – Sri Lanka Rs. 39,300

Non-monetary income per month – Sri Lanka Rs. 6,578

## Expenditure

Mean household expenditure per month – Sri Lanka Rs. 41,444

Mean household expenditure per month – Urban sector Rs. 58,930

Mean household expenditure per month – Rural sector Rs. 38,274

Mean household expenditure per month – Estate sector Rs. 29,379

Median household expenditure per month – Sri Lanka Rs. 30,701

Median household expenditure per month – Urban sector Rs. 43,825

Median household expenditure per month – Rural sector Rs. 29,010

Median household expenditure per month – Estate sector Rs. 25,580

Expenditure on food and drink per month - Sri Lanka Rs. 15,651

Expenditure on non-food items per month - Sri Lanka Rs. 25,793

Food ratio – Sri Lanka 37.8 %

Food ratio – Urban sector 32.1 %

Food ratio – Rural sector 39.2 %

Food ratio – Estate sector 49.8 %

Gini co-efficient of household expenditure – Sri Lanka 0.40

Gini co-efficient of household expenditure – Urban sector 0.40

Gini co-efficient of household expenditure – Rural sector 0.39

Gini co-efficient of household expenditure – Estate sector 0.30

Mean per capita expenditure per month – Sri Lanka Rs. 10,677

Mean per capita expenditure per month – Urban sector Rs. 14,557

Mean per capita expenditure per month – Rural sector Rs. 10,006

Mean per capita expenditure per month – Estate sector Rs. 6,902

## Poverty

Head count ratio – Sri Lanka 6.7 %

Head count ratio – Urban sector 2.1 %

Head count ratio – Rural sector 7.6 %

Head count ratio – Estate sector 10.9 %

**Executive Summary**

The Department of Census and Statistics (DCS) conducts the Household Income and Expenditure Survey (HIES) since 1990/91 and continued once in every five years until 2006/07. Thereafter once in every three years starting from 2009/10 due to rapidly changing economic conditions demanded far more frequent monitoring of the household income and expenditure patterns in the country. The latest survey was in 2012/13 and it can be considered as very important milestone as it covered all 25 districts in the country since its inception. HIES provides the most important socio economic indicators for development and evaluation of the socio economic development policies and plans and finalization of MDGs SAARC development goals. Here is given the summary statistics of Household Income and Expenditure Survey in 2012/13. The key findings of the survey indicate that the household population in 2012/13 was 19.9 million including 9.4 million males (47.1%) and 10.5 million females (52.9%).

The survey finding reveals that the estimated average household income per month at national level was Rs. 45,878 and the median household income was Rs. 30,814 in 2012/13 in Sri Lanka. Mean and median estimated household income increased by 25.9% and 29.8% from the previous survey year (2009/10) respectively. The estimated average household income for rural sector was Rs. 41,478 per month, for urban sector was Rs. 69,880 and for estate sector was Rs. 30, 220. The average estimated household income per month for rural, urban and estate sectors has been increased by 17.7%, 46.2% and 25% respectively with respect to the previous survey year.

The estimated average monthly household income of the households in the poorest 20% (1st and 2nd decile) was Rs.10,245, poorest 40% (1st to 4th decile) was Rs. 15,760, middle 60% (3rd to 8th decile ) was Rs. 32,595, and richest 20% (9th and 10th decile) was Rs. 121,368. Estimated average monthly household income in poorest 20%, poorest 40%, middle 60% and richest 20% were increased by 24.8%, 30%, 29.5% and 23% in nominal terms from previous survey year respectively.

In 2012/13, the estimated household per capita income in Sri Lanka was Rs. 11,819 per month. The estimated average income receiver income per month for Sri Lanka was Rs. 25,963 and median income receiver income per month was Rs. 16,667. The estimated average number of income receivers per household was 1.8 in 2012/13. The national value of Gini coefficient for household income was 0.48 in 2012/13 and it was 0.49 in 2009/10.

According to the 2012/13 HIES, the estimated average monthly household expenditure was Rs.41, 444 and estimated median household income was Rs.30, 701 in 2012/13 and up 32.3 % and 25.3% respectively from the previous survey year 2009/10.

The estimated average household expenditure for rural sector was Rs 38,274 per month, for urban sector was Rs. 58,930 and for estate sector was Rs.29, 379. The estimated average household expenditure per month for rural, urban and estate sectors has been increased by 30%, 31.2% and 22.5% from previous survey year respectively.

Among the major categories of household consumption expenditure, the estimated average monthly expenditure on food was Rs. 15,651 and non-food expenditure was Rs.25, 793 (including liquor, narcotic drugs and tobacco) in 2012/13 increased by 18% and 42.8% from the previous survey year respectively. The food ratio was 37.8%, down 4.5 percent point from the previous survey year 2009/10. The national value of Gini coefficient for household expenditure was 0.40 in 2012/13 and it was 0.37 in 2009/10

**Historical Tables**

**Table H1: National level findings of the survey by survey period - Sri Lanka**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Variable | Unit |  | Survey period | | | | | | | |
|  |  | **2012/13** | **2009/10** | **2006/07** | **2005** | **2002** | **1995/96** | **1990/91** | **1985/86** | **1980/81** |
| Mean household income per month | (Rs.) | 45,878 | 36,451 | 26,286 | 20,048 | 12,803 | 6,476 | 3,549 | 2,012 | 881 |
| Median Household income per month | (Rs.) | 30,814 | 23,746 | 16,735 | 13,617 | 8,482 | 3,793 | 2,547 | 1,322 | 642 |
| Mean per capita income per month | (Rs.) | 11,819 | 9,104 | 6,463 | 4,896 | 3,056 | 1,439 | 724 | 395 | 180 |
| Income receivers mean income per month | (Rs.) | 25,963 | 20,427 | 14,457 | 10,563 | 6,959 | 3,367 | 1,819 | 941 | 469 |
| No of income receivers per household | (No.) | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 1.6 |
| Household size | (No.) | 3.9 | 4.0 | 4.1 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 4.5 | 4.9 | 5.1 | 4.9 |
| Monetary income per month per household | (Rs.) | 39,300 | 31,209 | 22,616 | 17,089 | 10,386 | 5,264 | 2,963 | 1,334 | 749 |
| Non-monetary income per month per household | (Rs.) | 6,578 | 5,242 | 3,670 | 2,959 | 2,419 | 1,212 | 586 | 678 | 132 |
| Gini coefficient of household income |  | 0.48 | 0.49 | 0.49 | 0.47 | 0.47 | 0.46 | 0.43 | 0.46 | 0.43 |
| Gini coefficient of household expenditure |  | 0.40 | 0.37 | 0.41 | 0.40 | 0.41 | 0.36 | - | - | - |
| Gini coefficient of income receivers income |  | 0.53 | 0.55 | 0.55 | 0.55 | 0.53 | 0.52 | 0.52 | - | 0.43 |
| Mean household expenditure per month | (Rs.) | 41,444 | 31,331 | 22,952 | 19,151 | 13,147 | 6,525 | 3,905 | 2,079 | 1,232 |
| Expenditure on food and drink per month | (Rs.) | 15,651 | 13,267 | 8,641 | 7,593 | 5,848 | 3,552 | 2,377 | 1,198 | 801 |
| Expenditure on non-food items per month  (excluding liquor, narcotic drugs and tobacco) | (Rs.) | 25,088 | 17,399 | 13,819 | 11,079 | 6,993 | 2,753 | 1,384 | 802 | 377 |
| Expenditure on Liquor, narcotic drugs and tobacco | (Rs.) | 705 | 665 | 492 | 479 | 306 | 219 | 144 | 79 | 54 |
| Food Ratio (as a percentage) | (%) | 37.8 | 42.3 | 37.6 | 39.6 | 44.5 | 54.4 | 60.9 | 57.6 | 65.0 |
| Poverty Head Count Ratio | (%) | 6.7 | 8.9 | 15.2 | - | 22.7 | 28.8 | 26.1 | - | - |

**Table H2: Average monthly household expenditure on selected food items by survey period**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item | HIES survey period | | | | | | | | |
|  | **2012/13** | **2009/10** | **2006/07** | **2005** | **2002** | **1995/96** | **1990/91** | **1985/86** | **1980/81** |
|  | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) |
| Rice | 2,134 | 2,298 | 1,197 | 1,051 | 1,052 | 752 | 610 | 306 | 252 |
| Wheat flour | 210 | 189 | 97 | 94 | 72 | 39 | 35 | 31 | 19 |
| Bread | 462 | 426 | 303 | 273 | 254 | 158 | 107 | 64 | 37 |
| Condiments | 1,416 | 1,209 | 803 | 687 | 532 | 353 | 252 | 119 | 64 |
| Pulses | 552 | 547 | 304 | 259 | 185 | 130 | 115 | 44 | 19 |
| Vegetables | 1,279 | 1,006 | 727 | 617 | 464 | 296 | 235 | 120 | 73 |
| Coconuts | 962 | 738 | 473 | 429 | 426 | 244 | 130 | 71 | 66 |
| Meat | 669 | 517 | 366 | 337 | 188 | 156 | 80 | 31 | 14 |
| Fish | 1,430 | 1,163 | 744 | 647 | 371 | 233 | 137 | 71 | 40 |
| Dried fish | 656 | 492 | 348 | 290 | 219 | 162 | 101 | 48 | 28 |
| Milk & Milk product | 1,389 | 1,038 | 754 | 748 | 489 | 254 | 122 | 52 | 27 |
| Eggs | 160 | 134 | 85 | 78 | 47 | 39 | 27 | 11 | 6 |
| Fruit | 461 | 386 | 294 | 296 | 212 | 62 | 32 | 15 | 10 |
| Sugar | 459 | 452 | 315 | 248 | 193 | 184 | 155 | 76 | 62 |
| Other food & drink | 3,412 | 2,672 | 1,831 | 1,539 | 1,144 | 490 | 239 | 151 | 80 |

**Table H3: Average monthly household quantity of selected food items by survey period**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item | Unit | Survey Period | | | | | | | | |
|  |  | **2012/13** | **2009/10** | **2006/07** | **2005** | **2002** | **1995/96** | **1990/91** | **1985/86** | **1980/81** |
| Rice | (kg) | 34.8 | 36.3 | 36.6 | 35.6 | 35.3 | 38 | 44.3 | 45.2 | 46.7 |
| Wheat flour | (kg) | 2.2 | 2.7 | 2.4 | 3.1 | 3.3 | 3.0 | 2.6 | 4.0 | 3.6 |
| Bread | (kg) | 3.6 | 5.1 | 6.2 | 7.3 | 10.2 | 12.5 | 9.9 | 9.3 | 7.8 |
| Pulses | (kg) | 3.0 | 2.8 | 3.1 | 2.9 | 3.0 | - | 2.6 | 1.7 | 1.4 |
| Coconut (nuts) | (No.) | 28.0 | 29.5 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 33 | 39 | 38 | 37 |
| Meat | (kg) | 1.6 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.6 | 1.3 | - | 1.2 | 1.1 | 0.8 |
| Fish | (kg) | 3.7 | 3.8 | 3.7 | 3.8 | 2.9 | - | 2.4 | 3.4 | 3.5 |
| Dried fish | (kg) | 1.2 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 1.4 | - | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.4 |
| Milk | (liters) | 0.4 | 1.9 | 1.4 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 1.4 | 2.4 | 2.7 |
| Eggs | (No) | 11 | 10 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 11 | 7 | 7 |
| Sugar | (kg) | 4.3 | 4.9 | 5.2 | 5.6 | 5.3 | 5.6 | 5.8 | 6.0 | 3.8 |

**Table H4: Household expenditure on different food items as a percentage of total expenditure on food and drink by survey period**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item | Survey period | | | | | | | | |
|  | **2012/13** | **2009/10** | **2006/07** | **2005** | **2002** | **1995/96** | **1990/91\*** | **1985/86\*** | **1980/81\*** |
|  | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) |
| **Total food and drink** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100 .0** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** |
| Rice | 13.6 | 17.3 | 13.9 | 13.8 | 18.0 | 21.2 | 25.7 | 25.3 | 31.6 |
| Wheat flour | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 2.6 | 2.4 |
| Bread | 3.0 | 3.2 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 4.5 | 5.3 | 4.6 |
| Condiments | 9.0 | 9.1 | 9.3 | 9.0 | 9.1 | 9.9 | 10.6 | 9.8 | 8.0 |
| Pulses | 3.5 | 4.1 | 3.5 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.7 | 4.8 | 3.6 | 2.4 |
| Vegetables | 8.2 | 7.6 | 8.4 | 8.1 | 7.9 | 8.3 | 9.9 | 9.9 | 9.2 |
| Coconuts | 6.1 | 5.6 | 5.5 | 5.6 | 7.3 | 6.9 | 5.5 | 5.9 | 8.3 |
| Meat | 4.3 | 3.9 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 3.2 | 4.4 | 3.4 | 2.6 | 1.8 |
| Fish | 9.1 | 8.8 | 8.6 | 8.5 | 6.3 | 6.6 | 5.8 | 5.9 | 5.0 |
| Dried fish | 4.2 | 3.7 | 4.0 | 3.8 | 3.7 | 4.6 | 4.2 | 4.0 | 3.5 |
| Milk & Milk products | 8.9 | 7.8 | 8.7 | 9.9 | 8.4 | 7.1 | 5.1 | 4.3 | 3.4 |
| Eggs | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 0.9 | 0.8 |
| Fruit | 2.9 | 2.9 | 3.4 | 3.9 | 3.6 | 1.7 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 1.3 |
| Sugar | 2.9 | 3.4 | 3.6 | 3.3 | 3.3 | 5.2 | 6.5 | 6.3 | 7.8 |
| Other food & drink | 21.8 | 20.1 | 21.2 | 20.3 | 19.6 | 13.8 | 10.1 | 12.5 | 10.0 |

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**Table H5: Average monthly household expenditure on major non-food expenditure groups by survey period**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Non-food expenditure group | Survey period | | | | | | | | |
|  | **2012/13** | **2009/10** | **2006/07** | **2005** | **2002** | **1995/96** | **1990/91** | **1985/86** | **1980/81** |
|  | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) |
| Housing | 4,667 | 3,446 | 2,639 | 2,054 | 1,661 | 825 | 340 | 148 | 66 |
| Fuel and light | 1,755 | 1,278 | 1,042 | 811 | 552 | 294 | 180 | 104 | 67 |
| Clothing and textile & foot wear | 1,194 | 903 | 694 | 588 | 388 | 282 | 159 | 95 | 53 |
| Personal care and health | 2,181 | 1,429 | 980 | 1,106 | 581 | 309 | 148 | 80 | 36 |
| Transport and communication | 4,315 | 3,072 | 2,401 | 1,733 | 929 | 382 | 192 | 105 | 62 |
| Education | 1,448 | 1,018 | 632 | 473 | 315 | 128 | 66 | 29 | 17 |
| Cultural & entertainment | 515 | 402 | 260 | 255 | 149 | 69 | 33 | - | 10 |
| Non-durable household goods | 318 | 264 | 301 | 315 | 142 | 87 | 59 | - | 19 |
| Consumer durables | 1,018 | 780 | 786 | 713 | 318 | 121 | 53 | 39 | 25 |
| Other non-consumer expenditure | 7678 | 4,807 | 4,083 | 3,033 | 1,957 | 256 | 153 | 202 | 22 |
| Liquor & Tobacco | 705 | 665 | 492 | 479 | 306 | 219 | 144 | 79 | 54 |

# **Table H6: Percentage distribution of average monthly household expenditure on non- food expenditure group by survey period**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Non-food expenditure group | Survey period | | | | | | | | |
|  | **2012/13** | **2009/10** | **2006/07** | **2005** | **2002** | **1995/96** | **1990/91** | **1985/86\*** | **1980/81** |
|  | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) |
| **Total non-food expenditure** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** |
| Housing | 18.1 | 19.1 | 18.4 | 17.8 | 22.8 | 27.8 | 22.3 | 16.8 | 15.3 |
| Fuel and light | 6.8 | 7.1 | 7.3 | 7.0 | 7.6 | 9.9 | 11.8 | 11.8 | 15.5 |
| Clothing and textile & foot wear | 4.6 | 5.0 | 4.9 | 5.1 | 5.3 | 9.5 | 10.4 | 10.8 | 12.3 |
| Personal care and health | 8.5 | 7.9 | 6.9 | 9.6 | 8.0 | 10.4 | 9.7 | 9.1 | 8.4 |
| Transport and communication | 16.7 | 17.0 | 16.8 | 15.0 | 12.7 | 12.9 | 12.6 | 11.9 | 14.4 |
| Education | 5.6 | 5.6 | 4.4 | 4.1 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 3.3 | 3.9 |
| Cultural & entertainment | 2.0 | 2.2 | 1.8 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 2.3 | 2.2 | - | 2.3 |
| Non-durable household goods | 1.2 | 1.5 | 2.1 | 2.7 | 1.9 | 2.9 | 3.9 | - | 4.4 |
| Consumer durables | 3.9 | 4.3 | 5.5 | 6.2 | 4.4 | 4.1 | 3.5 | 4.4 | 5.8 |
| Other non-consumer expenditure | 29.8 | 26.6 | 28.5 | 26.2 | 26.8 | 8.6 | 10.0 | 22.9 | 5.1 |
| Liquor & Tobacco | 2.7 | 3.7 | 3.4 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 7.4 | 9.4 | 9.0 | 12.5 |

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1. **Introduction**
2. **Introduction**

The Household Income and Expenditure Survey (HIES) is conducted by the Department of Census and Statistics (DCS) under the National Household Survey Programme (NHSP) of Sri Lanka. The DCS has completed the most recent HIES in 2012/13 and this publication exposes the final information gathered in this survey. The field work of the survey was carried out during the period from July 2012 to June 2013 covering all 25 districts in the country since its inception. The HIES 2012/13 is the eighth in the HIES series and the information in this report is presented at national, sector, province and district levels along with the previous survey findings where applicable to facilitate effective comparisons overtime.

1.1 History

The HIES was started to conduct as Labour Force and Socio Economic Survey (LFSES) in 1980/81 and it was conducted for the second time in 1985/86. The LFSES, through a single survey, provided comprehensive information on labour force, household income and expenditure and demographic characteristics of the households and household population in Sri Lanka. In 1990 the LFSES was separated into the under mentioned 2 individual surveys as the labour force information of the country was more frequently needed.

1. Labour Force Survey (LFS)
2. Household Income and Expenditure Survey (HIES)

The maiden HIES was conducted in 1990/91 as a separate survey with the view of providing information on household income and consumption expenditure in order to measure the levels and to observe the changes of living conditions in the country. The HIES information is also used to estimate consumption needs of the country and to compute various other important indicators related to poverty and price indices. Generally the HIES surveys a sample of 25,000 housing units throughout the country to facilitate the information be given at district level. Data is collected at the field in twelve consecutive monthly rounds to capture seasonal variations in income, expenditure and consumption of households. The data collection of the survey is done through direct interviews using the survey questionnaire. At the beginning the questionnaire was included the following three main sections.

# Demographic characteristics

# Household expenditure (on food and non-food)

# Household income (monetary and non-monetary)

The HIES gathers information related to demographic characteristics of the members of the surveyed households, expenditure on food and non-food items and income received by each household member from all the different sources in a compulsory manner. Starting from the HIES 2006/07, the survey questionnaire was further

expanded beyond the collection of demographic, income and expenditure information. It has been introduced 7 new sections to collect almost all the other household information that helps to understand the correct living standards of the households. Those newly introduced areas covered by the HIES starting from the HIES 2006/07 are as follows.

1. School education
2. Health information
3. Inventory of durable goods
4. Access to infrastructure facilities
5. Household debts and borrowings
6. Housing, sanitary and disasters
7. Land and agriculture holdings

1.2 Field operation and control of errors

The collection of data was done by approximately 330 field officers (Statistical Officers, Statistical Assistants) who belong to the permanent field staffs of Department of Census and Statistics. Each field officers is in-charge of all statistical activities in an geographical units called District Secretariat Divisions (DSD).These officers were given a thorough training before they were entrusted with the survey operations. Each administrative district comprises with such units and there are altogether 331 DS Divisions in Sri Lanka. In each district there is a Deputy Director (DD) /Senior Statistician (SSTN) /Statistician (STN) who in charge of the statistical activities in the district and one of the main functions is to supervise the work of field staff.

The main functions of the field staff for this survey

1. Update the lists of housing units of the selected blocks (PSUs) and preparation of listing forms (9NHSP) as describe 1.3.1 under survey methodology.
2. Interviewing the selected households

In addition to this, the following control procedures were adopted to control the non-sampling error and increase to accuracy of the survey estimates.

1. Field supervision of listing forms and updating operation and interviewing the data collection done by field staff by in-charge of district
2. Field activity reviews by Sample Survey Division (SSD) staff
3. Data entry checks, Computer edits and data verification
4. Use several control sheets to do the survey activities on time and increased the accuracy of the data

1.3 Survey methodology

Sample design of the survey is two stage stratified and the Urban, Rural and the Estate sectors in each district of the country are the selection domains thus the district is the main domain used for the stratification. The sampling frame is the list of housing units prepared for the Census of Population and Housing (CPH) 2011.

**1.3.1 Selection of Primary Sampling Units**

Primary sampling units (PSUs) are the census blocks selected for the survey. The sampling frame, which is the collection of all the census blocks prepared in CPH 2011 in Sri Lanka, is used for the selection of the PSUs at the first stage of the selection.

The PSU selection is done within all the independent- selection domains that are assigned different sample size allocations to total the targeted sample size of 2,500 PSUs. The method of selection of the PSUs at the first stage is systematic with a selection probability given to each census block proportionate to the number of housing units available in the census blocks within the selection domains (PPS).

The selected PSUs are updated to include newly built housing units and to exclude demolished or vacated housing units, which are no longer considered as housing units according to the survey definitions, to capture variation of natural growth and to make necessary adjustments for the same. The PSU updating operation in field is generally done less than one month prior to the survey and it was carried out for the 12 months starting from June 2012 to May 2013 to support the scheduled 12 survey months started from July 2011 to June 2013 for the HIES 2012/13.

1.3.2 Selection of Secondary Sampling Units

Secondary Sampling Units (SSUs) or Final sampling units (FSUs) are the housing units selected at the second stage from the 2,500 PSUs selected at the first stage. From each PSU, 10 SSUs (housing units) are systematically selected giving each housing unit in the PSU an equal probability to be selected for the survey. The total sample of size 25,000 housing units is resulted at the end of the sampling process and this sample represents the whole country in different probabilities depend on the different sample sizes allocated for the selection domains.

1.3.3 Sample allocation

Allocation of the number of PSUs or determining the sample sizes for the districts is made proportionate to the number of housing units and the standard deviations of the mean household expenditure values reported in the respective districts in previous surveys (Neymann Allocation). Sector allocation of the district sample is made proportionate to the square root of the sizes of the respective selection domains (Urban, Rural and Estate sectors in the district). The sample of PSUs within the selection domain is equally distributed among the 12 survey months and the monthly sample too is equally dispersed among all the weeks in the month assigning a specific week for each PSU for the survey activities.

**Table1.1: Sample allocation and completion by district**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| District | Housing units | | Households responded |
|  | Selected | Responded |  |
| **Sri Lanka** | **25,319** | **20,411** | **20,540** |
| Colombo | 3,000 | 2,156 | 2,166 |
| Gampaha | 2,498 | 1,940 | 1,948 |
| Kalutara | 1,598 | 1,230 | 1,244 |
| Kandy | 1,240 | 973 | 983 |
| Matale | 660 | 595 | 604 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 990 | 785 | 791 |
| Galle | 1,510 | 1,294 | 1,299 |
| Matara | 1,349 | 1,141 | 1,148 |
| Hambantota | 890 | 731 | 735 |
| Jaffna | 750 | 633 | 643 |
| Mannar | 350 | 287 | 290 |
| Vavunia | 330 | 281 | 282 |
| Mullaitivu | 330 | 263 | 263 |
| Kilinochchi | 400 | 325 | 325 |
| Batticaloa | 820 | 697 | 698 |
| Ampara | 887 | 738 | 739 |
| Trincomalee | 590 | 501 | 502 |
| Kurunegala | 1,350 | 1,146 | 1,157 |
| Puttalam | 780 | 649 | 654 |
| Anuradhapura | 850 | 743 | 743 |
| Polonnaruwa | 697 | 524 | 526 |
| Badulla | 850 | 715 | 731 |
| Moneragala | 750 | 576 | 576 |
| Ratnapura | 1,000 | 822 | 825 |
| Kegalle | 850 | 666 | 668 |

**Table 1.2: Sample allocation and completion by sector**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector | Housing units | | Households responded |
|  | Selected | Responded |  |
| **Sri Lanka** | **25,319** | **20,411** | **20,540** |
| Urban | 6,597 | 5,117 | 5,172 |
| Rural | 16,315 | 13,456 | 13,515 |
| Estate | 2,293 | 1,838 | 1,853 |

1.4 Estimation procedure



Let be the estimate of total of any given characteristic for jth district and this could be given by,



Where,

= Number of census blocks selected from the



urban sector of the jth district for the survey



= Selection probability of the hth census block

in the urban sector.



= Measure of size (number of housing units)



of the hth census block in the urban sector of

the jth district.

= Total number of census blocks in urban



sector of the jth district.

= Total number of housing units listed in the



hth census block in the urban sector.

= Number of housing units selected from the



hth census block in the urban sector.

= The observed value for the ith sample



household in the hth census block in the

urban sector.

mj(r),Ph(r),Sjh(r),Mjh(r), Nh(r), nh(r), and Xhi(r) are corresponding terms for the rural sector and mj(e), Ph (e), Sjh(e),Mjh(e),Nh (e),nh(e), and Xhi(e)are corresponding terms for the estate sector.

The estimate for the total value of the characteristic X for the country (25 districts) could be given by,



Note:

The estimation procedure given above is for the total sample covered in 12 monthly rounds and the estimates given in this publication is based on the sample covered in 25 districts.

1.5 Adjustment for unit non-response

The occurrence of unit non-response was determined by examining the final result code recorded under data control section of the survey schedule. Based on the final result codes the households were grouped into the following categories, which were used as a basis for adjusting for the unit non-response.

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Category and description | Result code |
| 1. Schedule completed | 1 |
| 2. Housing unit demolished or vacant | 6 |
| 3. Unable to complete schedule, refusal, temporarily away etc. | 2,3,4,5,9 |

**Category 1 and 2**

These were considered as fully accounted for as a schedule was completed to the extent required by the situation at the time of interview and therefore no adjustment was necessary.



**Category 3**

This is incomplete therefore a non-response adjustment was made for this category. The assumption made here for the adjustment of non-response was the proportion of households in category 3 is the same as the corresponding proportion for sample households in category 1. This assumption is applied on a block-by-block basis separately for urban, rural and estate sectors.

The block weight before adjusting for unit non-response was



Where

Nh = Total number of housing units listed in block h.

nh = Number of housing units selected in block h.

The revised weight should take the form



Where

nh1 = Number of sample households in category 1.

nh2 = Number of sample households in category 2.

n1h = Total number of households in all the 3 categories (category 1, 2 and 3)

1.6 Definitions and Concepts

Readers should aware about the frequently used definitions of the survey terms prior to interpret or compare the data. The definitions of the terms frequently used in this report are given below.

**Household**

A household may be a one-person household or a multi person household. A one-person household is a unit where a person lives by himself and makes separate provision for his food, either cooking himself or purchasing. A multi person household is a group of two or more persons who lives together and has a common arrangement for cooking and partaking food. Boarders and servants who share the meals and housing facilities with other members of the household are also considered as members of the household.

**Head of the household**

Head of a household is a person who usually resides in the household and is acknowledged by the other members of the household as the head of the household.

**Residential sector**

The residential sector can be either Urban sector, Rural sector or Estate sector.

**Urban Sector**

Area governed by either Municipal Council (MC) or Urban Council (UC) is considered as Urban Sector.

**Estate Sector**

Plantation areas, which are more than 20 acres of extent and having not less than 10 residential laborers, are considered as estate sector.

**Rural Sector**

Residential areas, which do not belong to the Urban sector or Estate sector described above, are considered as Rural sector.

**Marital Status**

The marital status recorded was the current status at the time of the survey. A person whose marriage was registered is classified as married (registered). If the marriage has not been registered according to the law but the person claimed to be married according to the custom or repute then it is also classified as married (customary).

A person is regarded as divorced only if a divorce has been obtained in a court of law. A person who has obtained a judicial or legal separation in a court of law is classified as separated (legally). On the other hand if a person had been voluntarily separated without obtaining a court order then such persons fall into the same category classified as separated (not legally)

**Educational attainment**

This refers to the highest academic qualification obtained and the professional and technical qualifications are excluded. In the case of person with no such qualifications the highest grade or class passed in school is considered as the level of education or educational attainment.

**Share of income**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Share of income | = | Total income of the households or persons belong to the group |
| Total income of all households or persons in all groups |

**Household size**

Number of persons usually living in the household including boarders and servants etc. is defined as the household size.

**Household income deciles**

Income deciles are income groups whose boundaries are defined as to get 10 percent of the total number of households fallen into each group.

**Household expenditure deciles**

Expenditure deciles are defined similarly as income deciles, but expenditure values are used instead of income values.

**Gini Co-efficient**

Gini Co-efficient, which is the most popular indicator used to measure the depth of inequality of a distribution is defined as the ratio of the area between the diagonal and the Lorenz curve to the triangular region underneath the diagonal.

**Income receiver**

A person who is 10 or more years old and his or her calculated total monthly income received from any source is more than or equal to Rs.200 then he or she is defined as an income receiver in this survey.

**Food Ratio**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food ratio (%) | = | Household expenditure on food and drink | **X** 100 |
| Total household expenditure (food and drink and non-food) |

**Table 1.3: Estimation, Standard error, coefficient of variation and 95% confidence intervals of mean Household expenditure (Rs. /month) by district - 2012/13**

**Dependency ratio**

In this survey, dependency ratio is defined as follows

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Dependency ratio | = | Persons aged less than 15 years and above 60 years |
| Persons aged 15 – 59 years |

1.7 Reliability of the estimates

The actual sample which is based for this publication is limited to 20,540 households surveyed in total 12 months and the estimations given in HIES are mostly limited to district level to preserve the reliability of them.

Reliability statistics calculated for the district level estimations of mean Household expenditure (Rs. / monthly) are given below to build confidence among advanced data users and to support future sample design activities of similar type of surveys.

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| District | mean(hhexppm) | Std. Err. | Coefficient of Variation (CV) | [95% Conf.] | |
| **Sri Lanka** | **41,444** | **459** | **1.1** | **40,544** | **42,344** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 63,030 | 2,119 | 3.4 | 58,876 | 67,185 |
| Gampaha | 57,064 | 1,847 | 3.2 | 53,443 | 60,685 |
| Kalutara | 51,906 | 2,530 | 4.9 | 46,944 | 56,867 |
| Kandy | 41,442 | 1,973 | 4.8 | 37,573 | 45,310 |
| Matale | 39,222 | 3,382 | 8.6 | 32,589 | 45,855 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 33,882 | 1,325 | 3.9 | 31,285 | 36,480 |
| Galle | 34,879 | 1,517 | 4.4 | 31,903 | 37,854 |
| Matara | 37,639 | 1,835 | 4.9 | 34,040 | 41,238 |
| Hambantota | 37,573 | 1,579 | 4.2 | 34,476 | 40,670 |
| Jaffna | 35,405 | 1,566 | 4.4 | 32,334 | 38,475 |
| Mannar | 27,406 | 2,155 | 7.9 | 23,180 | 31,633 |
| Vavunia | 44,486 | 4,128 | 9.3 | 36,391 | 52,581 |
| Mullaitivu | 20,581 | 1,415 | 6.9 | 17,807 | 23,356 |
| Kilinochchi | 32,992 | 5,116 | 15.5 | 22,960 | 43,024 |
| Batticaloa | 29,579 | 1,528 | 5.2 | 26,583 | 32,574 |
| Ampara | 31,849 | 1,161 | 3.6 | 29,573 | 34,125 |
| Trincomalee | 31,041 | 1,936 | 6.2 | 27,244 | 34,837 |
| Kurunegala | 36,441 | 1,443 | 4.0 | 33,611 | 39,271 |
| Puttalam | 40,232 | 2,296 | 5.7 | 35,730 | 44,735 |
| Anuradhapura | 31,959 | 1,360 | 4.3 | 29,292 | 34,626 |
| Polonnaruwa | 38,257 | 2,235 | 5.8 | 33,874 | 42,641 |
| Badulla | 32,381 | 1,460 | 4.5 | 29,518 | 35,244 |
| Moneragala | 22,766 | 1,217 | 5.3 | 20,379 | 25,153 |
| Ratnapura | 29,426 | 1,232 | 4.2 | 27,009 | 31,843 |
| Kegalle | 36,284 | 2,079 | 5.7 | 32,206 | 40,361 |

**2. Income**

The Household Income and Expenditure Survey (HIES) defines the household income as the total income received by all the members of the household, either in cash (monetary income) or in kind (non- monetary income) from all the sources.

The household income sources are investigated and reported under the following 7 main categories in the survey questionnaire.

* 1. Wages and salaries
  2. Agricultural activities (seasonal crops)
  3. Agricultural activities (non-seasonal crops)
  4. Non-agricultural activities
  5. Other cash receipts such as pensions, dividends, rents, interest amounts received from various types of savings, current remittances and local and foreign transfers
  6. Income by chance or adhoc gains such as compensations, lottery wins etc. and sales of goods and savings.
  7. Income in-kind

Obtaining income information from individuals and households is a difficult task as many people reluctant to disclose many of them and often under report. Therefore to ease the field work, which is the most challenging activity of the survey, and to gather more accurate and reliable data, income information of the household members were collected individually in all the 6 income sections (income in-kind collects at household level) tactically arranged in the HIES questionnaire.

The income in kind is mostly the estimated values of the household consumed items such as home grown fruits and vegetables, firewood collected etc. and estimated rental values of owner occupied housing units gathered in the consumption expenditure section of the survey questionnaire.

An extra column has been provided at household level in the expenditure section to record estimated values of household consumed goods and services received fully or partially free of charge or purchased on price concessions provided by employers etc. This information of income in-kind along with the monitory income collected in the 6 income sections are aggregated and summarized in order to estimate, average monthly household income (mean household income), median household income, per capita household income, income receivers' household income and various other indexes such as, Gini coefficients, shares of household income etc. at many different geographic and social domain levels.

2.1 Household Income

The mean (average) and median household income is the prime statistics used to compare income values reported in different domains over time. Mean household income is the value obtained by dividing the total aggregated household income by total number of households in a domain or in an area. Median income is the income value at which the income distribution is divided into two equal size groups. This middle point or the median is important as always the income of one half of the population falls either above or below that value and the median household income is a better indicator than the mean (average) household income as the median is not dramatically affected by extreme or unusually high or low values. However both the mean and median are based on all the households in the population.

The survey results revealed that the mean monthly household income in Sri Lanka was Rs. 45,878 in 2012/13. Considering the average monthly household income among three sectors, the value of rural sector indicates closer mean value (Rs. 41,478) to the national value. That value of the households, those who are in urban sector is about Rs. 69,880 greater than the national figure. But the relevant figure for estate sector is remarkably less than all island figure amounting about Rs 30,220.

When the provinces are compared, the Western province which reported the highest household income level is more than 2 times higher than the values reported by the Eastern province which reported the lowest values for both the median and the mean income.

Considering the district figures, Colombo district has indicated the highest monthly household income for both mean and median measurements. (Rs. 77,723 for mean and Rs. 50,071 for median respectively) The median value indicates that out of the total household in Colombo district, half of them receive more than Rs. 50,071 per month and the other half get less than that amount during the period under review. Accordingly for all other districts, same interpretation can be made by reading the particular median values.

In every district the mean or the average household income falls beyond the median income, resulting positively skewed distributions which is a common phenomenon in almost all the income distribution

**Table 2.1: Mean and median monthly household income by sector, province and district – 2012/13**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Sector / Province / District** | **Mean household income**  **(Rs.)** | **Median household income**  **(Rs.)** |
| **Sri Lanka** | **45,878** | **30,814** |
| **Sector** |  |  |
| Urban | 69,880 | 42,267 |
| Rural | 41,478 | 29,376 |
| Estate | 30,220 | 24,087 |
| **Province** |  |  |
| Western | 64,152 | 42,100 |
| Central | 40,146 | 28,900 |
| Southern | 41,834 | 28,921 |
| Northern | 34,286 | 23,571 |
| Eastern | 30,676 | 22,710 |
| North Western | 42,756 | 29,343 |
| North Central | 36,632 | 29,707 |
| Uva | 35,638 | 24,228 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 40,375 | 27,775 |
| **District** |  |  |
| Colombo | 77,723 | 50,071 |
| Gampaha | 58,248 | 38,807 |
| Kalutara | 50,341 | 36,512 |
| Kandy | 43,138 | 30,371 |
| Matale | 35,004 | 26,441 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 38,013 | 28,152 |
| Galle | 39,746 | 28,205 |
| Matara | 41,666 | 28,227 |
| Hambantota | 45,850 | 32,267 |
| Jaffna | 34,788 | 23,446 |
| Mannar | 28,535 | 24,200 |
| Vavunia | 43,965 | 30,967 |
| Mullaitivu | 23,687 | 17,714 |
| Kilinochchi | 30,643 | 20,614 |
| Batticaloa | 25,483 | 20,359 |
| Ampara | 32,537 | 23,429 |
| Trincomalee | 34,577 | 24,436 |
| Kurunegala | 43,624 | 29,343 |
| Puttalam | 40,935 | 29,286 |
| Anuradhapura | 35,460 | 29,689 |
| Polonnaruwa | 39,197 | 30,145 |
| Badulla | 36,119 | 25,067 |
| Moneragala | 34,804 | 20,686 |
| Ratnapura | 42,429 | 27,391 |
| Kegalle | 37,655 | 28,524 |

**Figure 2.1: Mean and median of monthly household income by sector – 2012/13**

The decile groups are easy to understand about an income distribution, particularly the inequality of the distribution. The boundary values of the decile groups break a distribution into 10 equal size groups. The first decile holds the 10 percent of the total population which contain the lowest values of the distribution are attributed to. So to obtain the range values of the household income deciles, all the households are arranged in ascending order according to the income and divided into 10 equal sized groups. Table 2.2 and 2.3 shows the mean and median monthly household income values reported within the national and sector level household income deciles respectively.

**Table 2.2: Mean and Median monthly household income by national household income decile -2012/13**

Figure 2.1: Mean and median monthly household income by sector - 2012/13

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Decile group** | **Range** | **Mean** | **Median** |
| **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** |
| **All groups** | | **45,878** | **30,814** |
| 1 | Less than 10,836 | 6,700 | 7,029 |
| 2 | 10,836 - 16,531 | 13,790 | 13,850 |
| 3 | 16,532 - 21,286 | 18,962 | 18,944 |
| 4 | 21,287 - 25,903 | 23,589 | 23,563 |
| 5 | 25,904 - 30,814 | 28,291 | 28,236 |
| 6 | 30,815 - 36,758 | 33,597 | 33,500 |
| 7 | 36,759 - 45,000 | 40,582 | 40,543 |
| 8 | 45,001 - 57,495 | 50,640 | 50,425 |
| 9 | 57,496 - 83,815 | 68,362 | 67,173 |
| 10 | More than 83,815 | 174,376 | 121,429 |

**Table 2.3: Share of income to total household income by household income decile and sector - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Sri Lanka | | Urban | | | Rural | | Estate | |
| Decile group | **Income**  **group** | **Share of income** | **Income**  **group** | **Share of income** | | **Income**  **group** | **Share of income** | **Income**  **group** | **Share of income** |
|  | **(Rs.)** | **(%)** | **(Rs.)** | **(%)** | | **(Rs.)** | **(%)** | **(Rs.)** | **(%)** |
| All groups | | **100.0** |  | **100.0** | |  | **100.0** |  | **100.0** |
| 1 | Less than 10,836 | 1.5 | Less than 15,911 | | 1.5 | Less than 10,210 | 1.5 | Less than 8,944 | 1.9 |
| 2 | 10,836 - 16,531 | 3.0 | 15,911 - 23,000 | | 2.8 | 10,210 - 15,750 | 3.2 | 8,944 - 13,358 | 3.7 |
| 3 | 16,532 - 21,286 | 4.1 | 23,001 - 29,415 | | 3.7 | 15,751 - 20,325 | 4.4 | 13,359 - 17,571 | 5.1 |
| 4 | 21,287 - 25,903 | 5.1 | 29,416 - 35,340 | | 4.6 | 20,326 - 24,771 | 5.4 | 17,572 - 20,841 | 6.4 |
| 5 | 25,904 - 30,814 | 6.2 | 35,341 - 42,267 | | 5.6 | 24,772 - 29,376 | 6.5 | 20,842 - 24,100 | 7.4 |
| 6 | 30,815 - 36,758 | 7.3 | 42,268 - 51,760 | | 6.7 | 29,377 - 34,665 | 7.7 | 24,101 - 27,974 | 8.7 |
| 7 | 36,759 - 45,000 | 8.9 | 51,761 - 64,171 | | 8.3 | 34,666 - 42,014 | 9.2 | 27,975 - 32,338 | 9.9 |
| 8 | 45,001 - 57,495 | 10.9 | 64,172 - 82,150 | | 10.3 | 42,015 - 53,169 | 11.4 | 32,339 - 39,400 | 11.8 |
| 9 | 57,496 - 83,815 | 14.9 | 82,151 - 127,167 | | 14.5 | 53,170 - 76,157 | 15.1 | 39,401 - 52,990 | 14.8 |
| 10 | More than 83,815 | 38.0 | More than 127,167 | | 42.0 | More than 76,157 | 35.6 | More than 52,990 | 30.3 |

**Table 2.4: Percentage of households and share of income to total household income by national household income decile and sector - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Decile**  **group** | **Income**  **group** | **Percentage of households (%)** | | | | **Share of income (%)** | | | |
| **Total** | **Urban** | **Rural** | **Estate** | **Total** | **Urban** | **Rural** | **Estate** |
|  | **(Rs**.) | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
| **All groups** | | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** | **100.0** |
| 1 | Less than 10,836 | 10.0 | 4.5 | 11.0 | 14.1 | 1.5 | 0.5 | 1.8 | 3.3 |
| 2 | 10,836 - 16,531 | 10.0 | 6.3 | 10.6 | 13.8 | 3.0 | 1.2 | 3.5 | 6.3 |
| 3 | 16,532 - 21,286 | 10.0 | 6.3 | 10.6 | 13.8 | 4.1 | 1.7 | 4.8 | 8.8 |
| 4 | 21,287 - 25,903 | 10.0 | 7.5 | 10.4 | 13.0 | 5.1 | 2.5 | 5.9 | 10.1 |
| 5 | 25,904 - 30,814 | 10.0 | 8.1 | 10.3 | 12.2 | 6.2 | 3.3 | 7.0 | 11.4 |
| 6 | 30,815 - 36,758 | 10.0 | 9.3 | 10.2 | 10.1 | 7.3 | 4.5 | 8.2 | 11.2 |
| 7 | 36,759 -45,000 | 10.0 | 10.9 | 10.0 | 8.3 | 8.9 | 6.4 | 9.8 | 11.1 |
| 8 | 45,001 - 57,495 | 10.0 | 12.1 | 9.6 | 6.3 | 10.9 | 8.8 | 11.8 | 10.4 |
| 9 | 57,496 - 83,815 | 10.0 | 15.6 | 9.0 | 4.9 | 14.9 | 15.4 | 14.9 | 11.0 |
| 10 | More than 83,815 | 10.0 | 19.4 | 8.3 | 3.5 | 38.0 | 55.8 | 32.3 | 16.5 |

Table 2.3 implies the distributions of shares of income out of total household income among deciles for each sector along with the national level distribution. According to the table, the 10th decile groups of all the sectors and all island held very high shares of household income and the corresponding figures for urban, rural and estate sectors are 42.0 percent, 35.6 percent and 30.3 percent respectively.

Table 2.4 shows the households shares and income shares by the national household income deciles to total number of households and total household income respectively at national and sector levels. According to the Table 2.4, 19.4 percent of the urban sector households received 55.8 percent of the total urban sector household income. All the households in the tenth national decile group received over Rs. 83,815 monthly income per household. On the other hand when the Table 2.4 is carefully examined, it shows that 54.7 percent of the estate sector households are among the poorest 40 percent households of the country in 2012/13 and they have contributed to 28.5 percent of the total household income in the estate sector .

* 1. Household per capita income

Household per capita income is frequently used as a better indicator to understand and compare the country's standard of living over time. However the per-capita income varies, in reverse to the household income with the household size. Lower household size shows the higher per-capita income. Per capita income in a domain is calculated by dividing the estimated total household income by the estimated number of household population in the domain and is also used to measure and compare the wealth status of domains.

Table 2.5 shows the mean and median monthly household per capita income of the country by sector, province and district levels in 2012/13. The mean monthly household per capita income at national level was Rs.11, 819 and that of median value was Rs. 7,881 during the period under review. Figure 2.2 depicts that greater disparity of monthly household per capita mean income among sectors than those of household per capita median income.

**Figure 2.2: Mean and median monthly household per capita income by sector - 2012/13**

**2.2.1 Household size**

Number of persons, including boarders and servants usually live in a household is the definition given for the household size. According to the survey the mean household size in Sri Lanka has come down to 3.9 persons per household in 2012/13. Table 2.6 shows that the household size gradually decreased from about 4.1 persons to about 3.3 persons with the increase of the household income across the first to tenth decile group in Sri Lanka.

**Table 2.5: Mean and median monthly household per capita income by sector, province and district – 2012/13**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Sector / Province / District | Mean Per capita income (Rs.) | Median Per capita Income (Rs.) |
| **Sri Lanka** | **11,819** | **7,881** |
| **Sector** |  |  |
| Urban | 17,262 | 10,420 |
| Rural | 10,843 | 7,657 |
| Estate | 7,100 | 5,503 |
| **Province** |  |  |
| Western | 16,124 | 10,567 |
| Central | 10,104 | 7,150 |
| Southern | 10,973 | 7,624 |
| Northern | 8,339 | 5,540 |
| Eastern | 7,622 | 5,385 |
| North Western | 11,596 | 7,927 |
| North Central | 9,877 | 7,824 |
| Uva | 9,382 | 6,110 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 10,718 | 7,229 |
| **District** |  |  |
| Colombo | 19,346 | 12,417 |
| Gampaha | 14,839 | 9,646 |
| Kalutara | 12,559 | 8,943 |
| Kandy | 10,899 | 7,497 |
| Matale | 9,392 | 7,250 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 9,074 | 6,537 |
| Galle | 10,533 | 7,237 |
| Matara | 10,919 | 7,618 |
| Hambantota | 11,821 | 8,338 |
| Jaffna | 8,246 | 5,164 |
| Mannar | 6,727 | 5,619 |
| Vavunia | 11,360 | 7,833 |
| Mullaitivu | 6,310 | 4,683 |
| Kilinochchi | 7,369 | 5,424 |
| Batticaloa | 6,276 | 4,803 |
| Ampara | 8,041 | 5,800 |
| Trincomalee | 8,776 | 5,600 |
| Kurunegala | 11,834 | 8,014 |
| Puttalam | 11,098 | 7,705 |
| Anuradhapura | 9,673 | 7,829 |
| Polonnaruwa | 10,307 | 7,806 |
| Badulla | 9,369 | 6,141 |
| Moneragala | 9,406 | 6,011 |
| Ratnapura | 11,338 | 7,280 |
| Kegalle | 9,909 | 7,115 |
|  |  |  |

**Table 2.6: Mean and median monthly household per capita income, household size and share of household per capita income by national monthly household per capita income decile - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Decile group | Per capita income range | Median household per capita income | Mean household per capita income | | Share of per capita household income | Household size |
|  | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | | **(%)** | **(Persons)** |
| All groups | | **7,881** | **11,819** | | **100.0** | **3.9** |
| 1 | Less than 3,228 | 2,271 | 2,158 | | 1.8 | 4.1 |
| 2 | 3,228 - 4,467 | 3,876 | 3,875 | | 3.3 | 4.4 |
| 3 | 4,468 - 5,546 | 5,014 | 5,018 | | 4.2 | 4.3 |
| 4 | 5,547 - 6,600 | 6,068 | 6,066 | | 5.1 | 4.2 |
| 5 | 6,601 - 7,881 | 7,232 | 7,241 | | 6.1 | 4.1 |
| 6 | 7,882 - 9,359 | 8,556 | 8,581 | | 7.3 | 3.9 |
| 7 | 9,360 - 11,355 | 10,261 | 10,308 | | 8.7 | 3.8 |
| 8 | 11,356 - 14,656 | 12,732 | 12,839 | | 10.9 | 3.6 |
| 9 | 14,657 - 21,435 | 17,367 | 17,601 | | 14.9 | 3.5 |
| 10 | More than 21,435 | 31,000 | 44,516 | | 37.7 | 3.3 |
|  |  |  |  |  | |  |

2.3 Income receivers’ income

In order to obtain the income receivers income, the HIES records the household income, received from all the sources, by source and person. The income receivers income is the sum of the income values recorded in each income section arranged according to the income source in the survey questionnaire.

If a person is less than 10 years old or aggregated total monthly income is less than Rs. 250, then he was not defined as an income receiver by the HIES 2012/13 and such income values were added to the income of the heads of the respective households. It is obvious that the household income is so built on the income of the income receivers in the household and thus the total household income of the country is equal to the sum of the income values recorded by the total income receivers at all of the source sections of the survey questionnaire.

According to the Table 2.5 median household per capita income in Sri Lanka is reported as Rs. 7,881 which is remarkably lower than the mean value. Table 2.6 shows the distribution of median and mean household per capita income, share of household per capita income and household size by per capita income decile.

According to the Table 2.6, the share of household per capita income, approximately 52.6 percent of the total income has been distributed among richest 20 percent of the population in the country. However, 28 percent of the total income has been shared by population who are in 1st to 6th deciles ( 60 percent of the total population who receive the lower income than the rest) .

**Figure 2.3: Share of household per capita income by household per capita income quintiles - 2012/13**

**Table 2.7: Income receivers mean and median monthly income by sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province | Mean income (Rs.) | Median income (Rs.) |  | Di strict | Mean income (Rs.) | Median income (Rs.) |
|  |
| Sri Lanka | **25,963** | **16,667** |  | Colombo | 40,620 | 24,866 |
| Sector |  |  |  | Gampaha | 31,060 | 20,000 |
| Urban | 38,078 | 21,808 |  | Kalutara | 25,471 | 16,703 |
|  |  |  |  | Kandy | 24,392 | 17,000 |
| Rural | 23,878 | 16,049 |  | Matale | 20,500 | 15,000 |
|  |  |  |  | Nuwara Eliya | 19,631 | 13,130 |
| Estate | 14,762 | 11,171 |  | Galle | 22,590 | 15,577 |
| Province |  |  |  | Matara | 23,680 | 16,000 |
| Western | 33,564 | 20,500 |  | Hambantota | 25,294 | 16,667 |
|  |  |  |  | Jaffna | 18,123 | 11,896 |
| Central | 22,292 | 15,083 |  | Mannar | 15,418 | 13,000 |
|  |  |  |  | Vavunia | 24,405 | 17,000 |
| Southern | 23,606 | 16,000 |  | Mullaitivu | 16,951 | 13,293 |
|  |  |  |  | Kilinochchi | 18,871 | 12,000 |
| Northern | 18,916 | 12,692 |  | Batticaloa | 15,782 | 13,000 |
|  |  |  |  | Ampara | 21,021 | 15,000 |
| Eastern | 19,836 | 15,000 |  | Trincomalee | 23,805 | 17,788 |
|  |  |  |  | Kurunegala | 25,728 | 16,064 |
| North Western | 25,854 | 16,612 |  | Puttalam | 26,140 | 17,750 |
|  |  |  |  | Anuradhapura | 21,671 | 16,000 |
| North Central | 21,848 | 15,930 |  | Polonnaruwa | 22,206 | 15,737 |
|  |  |  |  | Badulla | 21,706 | 14,000 |
| Uva | 21,909 | 13,867 |  | Moneragala | 22,285 | 13,000 |
|  |  |  |  | Ratnapura | 24,098 | 14,672 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 23,134 | 15,000 |  | Kegalle | 21,830 | 15,221 |

**Table 2.8: Average number of income receivers and household size by sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province | No. of income receivers | Household size |  | District | No. of income receivers | | Household size |
|  |
| Sri Lanka | **1.8** | **3.9** |  | Colombo | | 1.9 | 4.0 |
| Sector |  |  |  | Gampaha | | 1.9 | 3.9 |
| Urban | 1.8 | 4.0 |  | Kalutara | | 2.0 | 4.0 |
|  |  |  |  | Kandy | | 1.8 | 4.0 |
| Rural | 1.7 | 3.8 |  | Matale | | 1.7 | 3.7 |
|  |  |  |  | Nuwara Eliya | | 1.9 | 4.2 |
| Estate | 2.1 | 4.3 |  | Galle | | 1.8 | 3.8 |
| Province |  |  |  | Matara | | 1.8 | 3.8 |
| Western | 1.9 | 4.0 |  | Hambantota | | 1.8 | 3.9 |
|  |  |  |  | Jaffna | | 1.9 | 4.2 |
| Central | 1.8 | 4.0 |  | Mannar | | 1.9 | 4.2 |
|  |  |  |  | Vavunia | | 1.8 | 3.9 |
| Southern | 1.8 | 3.8 |  | Mullaitivu | | 1.4 | 3.8 |
|  |  |  |  | Kilinochchi | | 1.6 | 4.2 |
| Northern | 1.8 | 4.1 |  | Batticaloa | | 1.6 | 4.1 |
|  |  |  |  | Ampara | | 1.6 | 4.1 |
| Eastern | 1.6 | 4.0 |  | Trincomalee | | 1.5 | 3.9 |
|  |  |  |  | Kurunegala | | 1.7 | 3.7 |
| North Western | 1.7 | 3.7 |  | Puttalam | | 1.6 | 3.7 |
|  |  |  |  | Anuradhapura | | 1.6 | 3.7 |
| North Central | 1.7 | 3.7 |  | Polonnaruwa | | 1.8 | 3.8 |
|  |  |  |  | Badulla | | 1.7 | 3.9 |
| Uva | 1.6 | 3.8 |  | Moneragala | | 1.6 | 3.7 |
|  |  |  |  | Ratnapura | | 1.8 | 3.7 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 1.8 | 3.8 |  | Kegalle | 1.7 | | 3.8 |

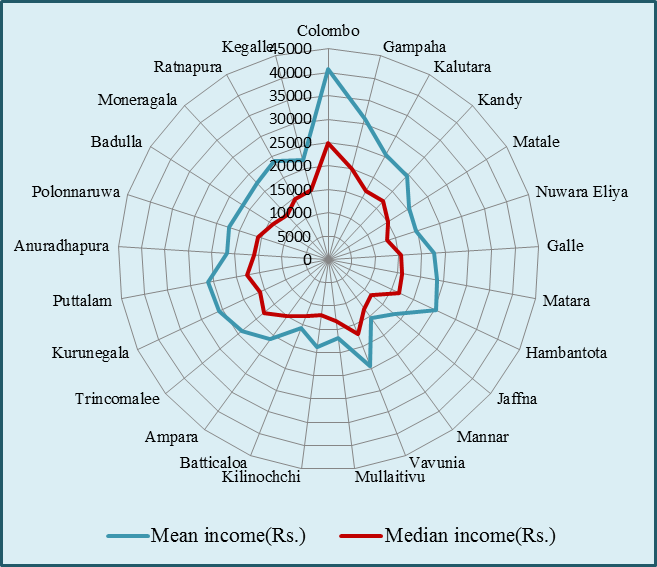
The analysis of the income receivers reports that the average monthly income receivers mean income and median income were Rs. 25,963 and Rs. 16,667 in 2012/13 respectively. Table 2.7 reported that the income receivers mean and median income in urban sector was more than two times higher than those were in the estate sector. Table 2.9 shows the mean and the median monthly income receivers income by national income receivers income decile.

Figure 2.4 illustrates the distribution of mean and median monthly income receivers income for each district.

According to the Figure 2.4 the gap between mean and median income receivers income is considerably high in, Colombo, Gampaha, Kurunegala, Puttalam, Anuradhapura and Ratnapura districts. That means relatively greater number of people in those districts earns large amount per month than those in other districts.

**Table 2.9: Mean and median monthly Income receivers income by income receivers income decile - 2012/13**

**Figure 2.4: Mean and median monthly income receivers income by district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Income receivers income decile group | Income receivers income | | |
| **Income group** | **Mean income** | **Median income** |
| **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** |
| All groups | | **25,963** | **16,667** |
| 1 | Less than 3,395 | 1,651 | 1,600 |
| 2 | 3,395 - 7,000 | 5,265 | 5,171 |
| 3 | 7,001 - 10,000 | 8,774 | 8,800 |
| 4 | 10,001 - 13,322 | 11,764 | 12,000 |
| 5 | 13,323 - 16,667 | 15,040 | 15,000 |
| 6 | 16,668 - 20,686 | 18,734 | 18,729 |
| 7 | 20,687 - 25,426 | 23,092 | 23,043 |
| 8 | 25,427 - 32,600 | 28,814 | 28,764 |
| 9 | 32,601 - 47,900 | 38,935 | 38,514 |
| 10 | More than 47,900 | 108,022 | 70,000 |

**Figure 2.5: Median income distribution of income receivers income by income receivers income decile – 2012/13**

2.4 Inequality of household income

**Table 2.10: Percentage share of income received by poorest to richest households by sector, province and district - 2012/13**

The simplest but a popular way to understand the income inequalities is dividing the population into income quintiles and analyzing the proportions of income calculated at each quintile from poorest to richest. A national household income quintile represents 20% or one fifth of the total households in Sri Lanka. The highest or the fifth quintile holds the richest 20% households whereas the first is for the poorest 20%. Middle income group consist of the households, which belong to second, third and fourth quintiles. The table 2.10 shows the percentage share of income distributed for each income group at sector province and district level.

Figure 2.6 shows that the richest 20 percent (9th and 10th deciles groups) was receiving nearly 52.9 percent of the total household income of Sri Lanka and the poorest 20 percent (1st and 2nd deciles groups) was receiving only 4.5 percent while middle 60% was receiving 42.6 percent in 2012/13. The poorest 40% (see Table 2.10) the corresponding figure was 13.7 percent.

**Figure 2.6: Share of household income by household income quintiles - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector / Province / District | Share of income | | | |
| **Poorest**  **20%**  **(%)** | **Middle**  **60%**  **(%)** | **Richest**  **20%**  **(%)** | **Poorest**  **40%**  **(%)** |
| **Sri Lanka** | **4.5** | **42.6** | **52.9** | **13.7** |
| **Sector** |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 4.4 | 39.2 | 56.5 | 12.7 |
| Rural | 4.7 | 44.6 | 50.7 | 14.5 |
| Estate | 5.7 | 49.3 | 45.1 | 17.2 |
| **Province** |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 5.0 | 41.9 | 53.1 | 14.3 |
| Central | 5.0 | 45.4 | 49.6 | 15.2 |
| Southern | 5.2 | 43.9 | 50.9 | 15.1 |
| Northern | 3.8 | 43.2 | 53.0 | 13.0 |
| Eastern | 4.2 | 46.0 | 49.8 | 14.3 |
| North Western | 4.4 | 43.6 | 52.0 | 13.9 |
| North Central | 5.5 | 50.1 | 44.5 | 16.8 |
| Uva | 4.1 | 42.1 | 53.8 | 13.0 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 5.1 | 43.0 | 51.9 | 14.9 |
| **District** |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 5.0 | 41.0 | 53.9 | 14.2 |
| Gampaha | 5.1 | 42.6 | 52.3 | 14.6 |
| Kalutara | 5.5 | 45.2 | 49.3 | 15.8 |
| Kandy | 4.9 | 44.3 | 50.8 | 14.9 |
| Matale | 5.4 | 47.6 | 47.0 | 16.1 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 5.1 | 46.7 | 48.2 | 15.5 |
| Galle | 5.1 | 44.1 | 50.8 | 15.1 |
| Matara | 5.3 | 44.0 | 50.7 | 15.2 |
| Hambantota | 5.3 | 44.3 | 50.4 | 15.0 |
| Jaffna | 2.7 | 11.1 | 39.7 | 12.6 |
| Mannar | 5.5 | 51.9 | 42.5 | 17.5 |
| Vavunia | 4.4 | 45.8 | 49.8 | 14.1 |
| Mullaitivu | 4.1 | 46.6 | 49.3 | 14.5 |
| Kilinochchi | 2.9 | 43.5 | 53.6 | 11.8 |
| Batticaloa | 4.2 | 49.4 | 46.4 | 14.9 |
| Ampara | 4.3 | 45.2 | 50.5 | 14.2 |
| Trincomalee | 4.3 | 44.5 | 51.2 | 14.9 |
| Kurunegala | 4.2 | 43.2 | 52.6 | 13.4 |
| Puttalam | 5.0 | 44.8 | 50.2 | 14.9 |
| Anuradhapura | 5.7 | 51.0 | 43.3 | 17.4 |
| Polonnaruwa | 5.3 | 48.5 | 46.2 | 15.9 |
| Badulla | 4.8 | 43.8 | 51.4 | 14.4 |
| Moneragala | 3.4 | 38.9 | 57.8 | 11.0 |
| Ratnapura | 4.9 | 40.9 | 54.2 | 14.0 |
| Kegalle | 5.4 | 46.5 | 48.1 | 16.2 |

2.4.1. Gini coefficient

**Table 2.11: Gini coefficients for mean household income, per capita income and income receivers income by sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector / Province / District | Gini coefficient of | | |
| **Mean Household**  **income** | **Per capita income** | **Income receivers income** |
| **Sri Lanka** | **0.48** | **0.46** | **0.53** |
| **Sector** |  |  |  |
| Urban | 0.51 | 0.51 | 0.56 |
| Rural | 0.45 | 0.44 | 0.51 |
| Estate | 0.39 | 0.37 | 0.44 |
| **Province** |  |  |  |
| Western | 0.47 | 0.46 | 0.54 |
| Central | 0.44 | 0.43 | 0.50 |
| Southern | 0.45 | 0.44 | 0.51 |
| Northern | 0.48 | 0.47 | 0.57 |
| Eastern | 0.45 | 0.44 | 0.50 |
| North Western | 0.47 | 0.47 | 0.53 |
| North Central | 0.39 | 0.38 | 0.47 |
| Uva | 0.48 | 0.47 | 0.54 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 0.46 | 0.44 | 0.52 |
| **District** |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 0.48 | 0.47 | 0.54 |
| Gampaha | 0.46 | 0.45 | 0.53 |
| Kalutara | 0.43 | 0.41 | 0.51 |
| Kandy | 0.45 | 0.44 | 0.51 |
| Matale | 0.41 | 0.41 | 0.48 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 0.42 | 0.40 | 0.49 |
| Galle | 0.45 | 0.45 | 0.51 |
| Matara | 0.45 | 0.42 | 0.50 |
| Hambantota | 0.45 | 0.44 | 0.53 |
| Jaffna | 0.50 | 0.49 | 0.60 |
| Mannar | 0.37 | 0.33 | 0.50 |
| Vavunia | 0.45 | 0.44 | 0.52 |
| Mullaitivu | 0.45 | 0.45 | 0.46 |
| Kilinochchi | 0.50 | 0.48 | 0.60 |
| Batticaloa | 0.42 | 0.41 | 0.48 |
| Ampara | 0.46 | 0.43 | 0.51 |
| Trincomalee | 0.46 | 0.45 | 0.49 |
| Kurunegala | 0.48 | 0.47 | 0.54 |
| Puttalam | 0.44 | 0.46 | 0.50 |
| Anuradhapura | 0.37 | 0.37 | 0.46 |
| Polonnaruwa | 0.41 | 0.40 | 0.50 |
| Badulla | 0.45 | 0.45 | 0.52 |
| Moneragala | 0.53 | 0.50 | 0.57 |
| Ratnapura | 0.49 | 0.47 | 0.55 |
| Kegalle | 0.42 | 0.40 | 0.48 |

Gini coefficient (Gini) is one of the widely used indicators to measure the depth of inequality of an income distribution. The Gini is based on the Lorenz curve which plots cumulative proportions of the total income of the population in y axis and cumulatively share of the population from the lowest to highest income in x axis. The Gini can take values between zero and one and the line drawn at 45 degrees or the diagonal of the Lorenz curve represents a distribution with zero Gini value which indicates perfectly equal or zero level of inequality of the distribution. The Lorenz curve shown in Figure 2.7 is based on the monthly total household income values reported in HIES 2012/13.

The survey results revealed that the Gini of the mean household income in Sri Lanka is 0.48. The relevant figures reported for urban, rural and estate sectors are 0.51, 0.45 and 0.39 respectively. This mean income disparity between households in estate sector is relatively lower than those are in other two sectors.

Table 2.11 presents the Gini coefficients of household income, per capita income and income receivers income by sector, province and district. The table reveals that, there is a considerable differences of inequality values among sectors whereas among provinces it has not reported substantial differences except North Central Province. when consider the sectors, estate sector reports the lowest Gini value (0.39) for household income and among provinces North Central Province reports the lowest Gini value (0.37) for household income. When consider the districts Mannar and Anuradhapura reports the lowest (0.37) and Moneragala reports the highest Gini coefficient (0.53) for household income.

**Figure 2.7: Lorenz curve for household income by sector - 2012/13**

2.5 Source of income

Income is received in two main ways, either in cash or in kind. The first is identified as monetary and the second is identified as non-monetary. Income from wages and salaries, agricultural activities (seasonal and non-seasonal crops), non-agricultural activities, and other cash income (which includes pension payments, disability payments, Samurdi, local and foreign transfers, windfall income such as lottery wins, compensations etc.) are identified as monetary income. The non-monetary income is the estimated value of goods and services received in kind and consumed within the survey reference period. This value is formed by home grown fruits and vegetables, firewood, home consumed quantities of the product of agricultural activities, and other goods or concession values received from employer or other parties. Estimated rental value of owner occupied housing units or freely occupied housing units are also included under non-monetary income.

The mean household income per month for Sri Lanka is Rs. 45,878 at national level, out of the total household income, Rs. 39,300 or 85.7 percent of the income is received as monetary income in 2012/13. As usual major part of the monetary income is recorded from wages and salaries and it is about 35.2 percent of the total household income. (Table 2.12)

**Table 2.12: Average monthly household income by main source of income – 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Source of income | 2012/13 | | 2009/10 | |
| **Mean** | **Share of income** | **Mean** | **Share of income** |
| **(Rs.)** | **(%)** | **(Rs.)** | **(%)** |
| Sri Lanka | **45,878** | **100.0** | **36,451** | **100.0** |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Monetary Income | **39,300** | **85.7** | **31,209** | **85.6** |
| Wages/Salaries | 16,134 | 35.2 | 12,434 | 34.1 |
| Agricultural activities | 5,213 | 11.4 | 5,238 | 14.4 |
| Nonagricultural activities | 7,990 | 17.4 | 6,477 | 17.8 |
| Other cash income | 5,230 | 11.4 | 4,252 | 11.7 |
| Income by chance/adhoc gains | 4,733 | 10.3 | 2,808 | 7.7 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Non-monetary Income | **6,578** | **14.3** | **5,242** | **14.4** |
| Income in kind | 2,381 | 5.2 | 2,054 | 5.6 |
| Estimated rent value of own occupied housing unit | 4,197 | 9.1 | 3,188 | 8.7 |

**Table 2.13: Average monthly household income by main source of income by sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/ Province/ District | Mean household income | Total monetary income | Wages/Salaries | Agricultural activities | Non agricultural activities | Other cash income | Income by chance/ adhoc gains | Non-monetary income | Income in kind | Estimated rent value of own occupied housing unit |
|  | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** |
| Sri Lanka | **45,878** | **39,300** | **16,134** | **5,213** | **7,990** | **5,230** | **4,733** | **6,578** | **2,381** | **4,197** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | **69,880** | **59,262** | 24,839 | 2,902 | 16,651 | 8,678 | 6,192 | **10,618** | 1,925 | 8,693 |
| Rural | **41,478** | **35,591** | 14,162 | 5,935 | 6,426 | 4,609 | 4,459 | **5,887** | 2,524 | 3,363 |
| Estate | **30,220** | **27,208** | 17,442 | 1,191 | 1,909 | 2,760 | 3,906 | **3,012** | 1,567 | 1,445 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | **64,152** | **54,420** | 24,621 | 3,121 | 13,631 | 6,980 | 6,067 | **9,732** | 2,512 | 7,220 |
| Central | **40,149** | **34,130** | 14,283 | 5,179 | 4,744 | 5,559 | 4,365 | **6,019** | 2,106 | 3,913 |
| Southern | **41,834** | **35,826** | 13,966 | 7,743 | 6,343 | 3,995 | 3,779 | **6,008** | 2,397 | 3,611 |
| Northern | **34,286** | **30,592** | 12,177 | 2,691 | 6,708 | 3,886 | 5,130 | **3,694** | 2,230 | 1,464 |
| Eastern | **30,676** | **27,477** | 12,851 | 1,602 | 4,326 | 4,141 | 4,557 | **3,199** | 1,236 | 1,963 |
| North-western | **42,756** | **36,791** | 12,923 | 5,568 | 8,171 | 5,602 | 4,527 | **5,965** | 2,822 | 3,143 |
| North-central | **36,632** | **31,311** | 10,404 | 5,587 | 4,087 | 6,037 | 5,196 | **5,321** | 2,634 | 2,687 |
| Uva | **35,638** | **30,648** | 10,392 | 9,067 | 4,455 | 3,924 | 2,810 | **4,990** | 2,466 | 2,524 |
| Sabaragamuwa | **40,375** | **34,673** | 13,144 | 8,807 | 6,204 | 2,767 | 3,751 | **5,702** | 2,501 | 3,201 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | **77,723** | **65,457** | 29,860 | 708 | 19,807 | 8,811 | 6,271 | **12,266** | 2,078 | 10,188 |
| Gampaha | **58,248** | **49,856** | 22,389 | 4,118 | 10,664 | 6,607 | 6,078 | **8,392** | 2,601 | 5,791 |
| Kalutara | **50,341** | **42,735** | 19,203 | 5,678 | 7,881 | 4,304 | 5,669 | **7,606** | 3,144 | 4,462 |
| Kandy | **43,138** | **36,126** | 14,637 | 6,682 | 4,846 | 6,372 | 3,589 | **7,012** | 2,190 | 4,822 |
| Matale | **35,004** | **29,002** | 10,157 | 4,529 | 4,400 | 4,559 | 5,357 | **6,002** | 2,550 | 3,452 |
| Nuwara Eliya | **38,013** | **33,981** | 16,686 | 2,647 | 4,798 | 4,678 | 5,172 | **4,032** | 1,600 | 2,432 |
| Galle | **39,746** | **34,324** | 14,748 | 7,296 | 5,750 | 4,081 | 2,449 | **5,422** | 1,974 | 3,448 |
| Matara | **41,666** | **35,546** | 14,696 | 6,592 | 5,271 | 3,988 | 4,999 | **6,120** | 2,444 | 3,676 |
| Hambantota | **45,850** | **38,935** | 11,549 | 10,134 | 8,894 | 3,850 | 4,508 | **6,915** | 3,101 | 3,814 |
| Jaffna | **34,788** | **32,075** | 12,286 | 1,658 | 9,567 | 4,031 | 4,533 | **2,713** | 1,459 | 1,254 |
| Mannar | **28,535** | **25,037** | 11,180 | 3,361 | 3,526 | 2,151 | 4,819 | **3,498** | 2,109 | 1,389 |
| Vavunia | **43,965** | **38,344** | 15,366 | 4,081 | 4,274 | 6,866 | 7,757 | **5,621** | 3,358 | 2,263 |
| Mullaitivu | **23,687** | **21,154** | 9,102 | 5,877 | 3,444 | 2,063 | 668 | **2,533** | 1,729 | 804 |
| Kilinochchi | **30,643** | **23,833** | 10,115 | 2,341 | 1,651 | 1,522 | 8,204 | **6,810** | 4,902 | 1,908 |
| Batticaloa | **25,483** | **22,945** | 11,733 | 851 | 3,085 | 3,603 | 3,673 | **2,538** | 1,027 | 1,511 |
| Ampara | **32,537** | **28,761** | 13,523 | 1,438 | 4,626 | 4,324 | 4,850 | **3,776** | 1,496 | 2,280 |
| Trincomalee | **34,577** | **31,448** | 13,238 | 2,886 | 5,498 | 4,559 | 5,267 | **3,129** | 1,085 | 2,044 |
| Kurunegala | **43,624** | **37,299** | 12,455 | 5,538 | 8,560 | 5,677 | 5,069 | **6,325** | 3,129 | 3,196 |
| Puttalam | **40,935** | **35,727** | 13,907 | 5,628 | 7,356 | 5,447 | 3,389 | **5,208** | 2,178 | 3,030 |
| Anuradhapura | **35,460** | **30,266** | 10,801 | 5,856 | 3,520 | 6,008 | 4,081 | **5,194** | 2,421 | 2,773 |
| Polonnaruwa | **39,197** | **33,596** | 9,535 | 4,999 | 5,326 | 6,104 | 7,632 | **5,601** | 3,101 | 2,500 |
| Badulla | **36,119** | **30,807** | 11,587 | 6,800 | 4,455 | 4,783 | 3,182 | **5,312** | 2,669 | 2,643 |
| Moneragala | **34,804** | **30,374** | 8,315 | 13,002 | 4,455 | 2,438 | 2,164 | **4,430** | 2,114 | 2,316 |
| Ratnapura | **42,429** | **36,657** | 11,853 | 13,601 | 5,515 | 1,642 | 4,046 | **5,772** | 2,696 | 3,076 |
| Kegalle | **37,655** | **32,046** | 14,858 | 2,455 | 7,116 | 4,257 | 3,360 | **5,609** | 2,243 | 3,366 |

**Table 2.14: Percentage of average monthly household income by main source of income by sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/ Province/ District | Mean household income | Total monetary income | Wages/Salaries | Agricultural activities | Nonagricultural activities | Other cash income | Income by chance/ adhoc gains | Non-monetary income | Income in kind | Estimated rent value of own occupied housing unit |
|  | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **85.7** | **35.2** | **11.4** | **17.4** | **11.4** | **10.3** | **14.3** | **5.2** | **9.1** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | **100.0** | **84.8** | 35.5 | 4.2 | 23.8 | 12.4 | 8.9 | **15.2** | 2.8 | 12.4 |
| Rural | **100.0** | **85.8** | 34.1 | 14.3 | 15.5 | 11.1 | 10.8 | **14.2** | 6.1 | 8.1 |
| Estate | **100.0** | **90.0** | 57.7 | 3.9 | 6.3 | 9.1 | 12.9 | **10.0** | 5.2 | 4.8 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | **100.0** | **84.8** | 38.4 | 4.9 | 21.2 | 10.9 | 9.5 | **15.2** | 3.9 | 11.3 |
| Central | **100.0** | **85.0** | 35.6 | 12.9 | 11.8 | 13.8 | 10.9 | **15.0** | 5.2 | 9.7 |
| Southern | **100.0** | **85.6** | 33.4 | 18.5 | 15.2 | 9.5 | 9.0 | **14.4** | 5.7 | 8.6 |
| Northern | **100.0** | **89.2** | 35.5 | 7.8 | 19.6 | 11.3 | 15.0 | **10.8** | 6.5 | 4.3 |
| Eastern | **100.0** | **89.6** | 41.9 | 5.2 | 14.1 | 13.5 | 14.9 | **10.4** | 4.0 | 6.4 |
| North-western | **100.0** | **86.0** | 30.2 | 13.0 | 19.1 | 13.1 | 10.6 | **14.0** | 6.6 | 7.4 |
| North-central | **100.0** | **85.5** | 28.4 | 15.3 | 11.2 | 16.5 | 14.2 | **14.5** | 7.2 | 7.3 |
| Uva | **100.0** | **86.0** | 29.2 | 25.4 | 12.5 | 11.0 | 7.9 | **14.0** | 6.9 | 7.1 |
| Sabaragamuwa | **100.0** | **85.9** | 32.6 | 21.8 | 15.4 | 6.9 | 9.3 | **14.1** | 6.2 | 7.9 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | **100.0** | **84.2** | 38.4 | 0.9 | 25.5 | 11.3 | 8.1 | **15.8** | 2.7 | 13.1 |
| Gampaha | **100.0** | **85.6** | 38.4 | 7.1 | 18.3 | 11.3 | 10.4 | **14.4** | 4.5 | 9.9 |
| Kalutara | **100.0** | **84.9** | 38.1 | 11.3 | 15.7 | 8.5 | 11.3 | **15.1** | 6.2 | 8.9 |
| Kandy | **100.0** | **83.7** | 33.9 | 15.5 | 11.2 | 14.8 | 8.3 | **16.3** | 5.1 | 11.2 |
| Matale | **100.0** | **82.9** | 29.0 | 12.9 | 12.6 | 13.0 | 15.3 | **17.1** | 7.3 | 9.9 |
| Nuwara Eliya | **100.0** | **89.4** | 43.9 | 7.0 | 12.6 | 12.3 | 13.6 | **10.6** | 4.2 | 6.4 |
| Galle | **100.0** | **86.4** | 37.1 | 18.4 | 14.5 | 10.3 | 6.2 | **13.6** | 5.0 | 8.7 |
| Matara | **100.0** | **85.3** | 35.3 | 15.8 | 12.7 | 9.6 | 12.0 | **14.7** | 5.9 | 8.8 |
| Hambantota | **100.0** | **84.9** | 25.2 | 22.1 | 19.4 | 8.4 | 9.8 | **15.1** | 6.8 | 8.3 |
| Jaffna | **100.0** | **92.2** | 35.3 | 4.8 | 27.5 | 11.6 | 13.0 | **7.8** | 4.2 | 3.6 |
| Mannar | **100.0** | **87.7** | 39.2 | 11.8 | 12.4 | 7.5 | 16.9 | **12.3** | 7.4 | 4.9 |
| Vavunia | **100.0** | **87.2** | 35.0 | 9.3 | 9.7 | 15.6 | 17.6 | **12.8** | 7.6 | 5.1 |
| Mullaitivu | **100.0** | **89.3** | 38.4 | 24.8 | 14.5 | 8.7 | 2.8 | **10.7** | 7.3 | 3.4 |
| Kilinochchi | **100.0** | **77.8** | 33.0 | 7.6 | 5.4 | 5.0 | 26.8 | **22.2** | 16.0 | 6.2 |
| Batticaloa | **100.0** | **90.0** | 46.0 | 3.3 | 12.1 | 14.1 | 14.4 | **10.0** | 4.0 | 5.9 |
| Ampara | **100.0** | **88.4** | 41.6 | 4.4 | 14.2 | 13.3 | 14.9 | **11.6** | 4.6 | 7.0 |
| Trincomalee | **100.0** | **91.0** | 38.3 | 8.3 | 15.9 | 13.2 | 15.2 | **9.0** | 3.1 | 5.9 |
| Kurunegala | **100.0** | **85.5** | 28.6 | 12.7 | 19.6 | 13.0 | 11.6 | **14.5** | 7.2 | 7.3 |
| Puttalam | **100.0** | **87.3** | 34.0 | 13.7 | 18.0 | 13.3 | 8.3 | **12.7** | 5.3 | 7.4 |
| Anuradhapura | **100.0** | **85.4** | 30.5 | 16.5 | 9.9 | 16.9 | 11.5 | **14.6** | 6.8 | 7.8 |
| Polonnaruwa | **100.0** | **85.7** | 24.3 | 12.8 | 13.6 | 15.6 | 19.5 | **14.3** | 7.9 | 6.4 |
| Badulla | **100.0** | **85.3** | 32.1 | 18.8 | 12.3 | 13.2 | 8.8 | **14.7** | 7.4 | 7.3 |
| Moneragala | **100.0** | **87.3** | 23.9 | 37.4 | 12.8 | 7.0 | 6.2 | **12.7** | 6.1 | 6.7 |
| Ratnapura | **100.0** | **86.4** | 27.9 | 32.1 | 13.0 | 3.9 | 9.5 | **13.6** | 6.4 | 7.2 |
| Kegalle | **100.0** | **85.1** | 39.5 | 6.5 | 18.9 | 11.3 | 8.9 | **14.9** | 6.0 | 8.9 |

Household expenditure data were collected in three major sections of the survey questionnaire.

3 Expenditure

1. Expenditure on food.
2. Expenditure on non-food.
3. Expenditure incurred by boarders and domestic servants.

Under food expenditure, all the food items consumed by the household during the reference period (one week) were collected. For non-food expenditure, all non-food items and services purchased by the household during the given reference period were collected. Personal expenditure of boarders and domestic servants who live in the household is reported according to the related expenditure group in a separate section of the schedule.

To obtain more accurate data, the expenditure sections of the schedule were divided in to 35 sub-groups. Of that total 19 sub-groups are included under the section of expenditure on food such as cereals , prepared food, vegetables , fish , meat etc. and the rest of 16 sub-groups are included under the section of non-food expenditure. i.e. housing, fuel and light, health, durable goods etc.

To gather more reliable information on expenditure, food expenditure was collected for 7 consecutive days from each household selected in the sample. But non-food expenditure was collected for different reference periods varying from one month to twelve months.

3.1 Household expenditure

According to the Table 3.1 the average monthly household expenditure is Rs. 41,444 per month for Sri Lanka in 2012/13. When residential sectors (Urban, Rural and Estate) are compared, households in urban sector have spent Rs. 58,930 per month and households in rural sector have spent Rs. 38,274 per month. Households in Estate sector have spent Rs. 29,379 per month which is the lowest value among sectors.

Table 3.1 also shows the monthly mean and median total household expenditure by sector, province and district. When compare the mean household expenditure by province, It is shows that the highest household expenditure has reported from Western province (Rs. 58,298 per month) and lowest households expenditure has reported from Uva province (Rs 28,867 per month). When districts are compared the highest mean household expenditure per month was reported from Colombo district (Rs. 63,030 per month) while the lowest mean household expenditure was reported from Mullaitivu district (Rs.20, 581 per month).

**Figure 3.1: Average monthly household expenditure by district - 2012/13**

**Table 3.1: Mean and median monthly household expenditure by sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Sector /Province /District** | **Mean household expenditure**  **(Rs.)** | **Median household expenditure**  **(Rs.)** |
| **Sri Lanka** | **41,444** | **30,701** |
| **Sector** |  |  |
| Urban | 58,930 | 43,825 |
| Rural | 38,274 | 29,010 |
| Estate | 29,379 | 25,580 |
| **Province** |  |  |
| Western | 58,298 | 44,318 |
| Central | 38,989 | 29,513 |
| Southern | 36,430 | 28,243 |
| Northern | 34,562 | 26,414 |
| Eastern | 30,886 | 25,936 |
| North-western | 37,665 | 28,906 |
| North-central | 33,935 | 27,217 |
| Uva | 28,867 | 22,953 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 32,376 | 25,469 |
| **District** |  |  |
| Colombo | 63,030 | 49,229 |
| Gampaha | 57,064 | 43,057 |
| Kalutara | 51,906 | 39,036 |
| Kandy | 41,442 | 31,120 |
| Matale | 39,222 | 27,342 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 33,882 | 28,327 |
| Galle | 34,879 | 27,749 |
| Matara | 37,639 | 27,962 |
| Hambantota | 37,573 | 30,007 |
| Jaffna | 35,405 | 28,209 |
| Mannar | 27,406 | 22,563 |
| Vavunia | 44,486 | 33,503 |
| Mullaitivu | 20,581 | 17,352 |
| Kilinochchi | 32,992 | 24,052 |
| Batticaloa | 29,579 | 23,959 |
| Ampara | 31,849 | 26,757 |
| Trincomalee | 31,041 | 26,777 |
| Kurunegala | 36,441 | 28,010 |
| Puttalam | 40,232 | 30,665 |
| Anuradhapura | 31,959 | 25,578 |
| Polonnaruwa | 38,257 | 30,768 |
| Badulla | 32,381 | 25,568 |
| Moneragala | 22,766 | 18,159 |
| Ratnapura | 29,426 | 23,968 |
| Kegalle | 36,284 | 27,697 |

Table 3.2 shows that the shares of expenditure to total expenditure by household expenditure deciles calculated for Sri Lanka, urban, rural and estate. The shares of expenditure to total expenditure among deciles calculated for Sri Lanka, urban and rural sectors show a similar pattern but estate sector has a slightly different pattern. In Sri Lanka urban and rural sectors ,almost 42 percent of total expenditure shared by 70 percent of households which are in first 7 decile groups, however in the estate sector, in the same decile groups (households in first seven deciles) 50 percent of total expenditure is shared by 70 percent of households.

**Table 3.2: Share of household expenditure to total household expenditure by sector and by expenditure decile – 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Decile Group | Sri Lanka | | Urban | | Rural | | Estate | |
| **Household expenditure range**  **(Rs.)** | **Share of expenditure (%)** | **Household expenditure range**  **(Rs.)** | **Share of expenditure (%)** | **Household expenditure range (Rs.)** | **Share of expenditure (%)** | **Household expenditure range**  **(Rs.)** | **Share of expenditure (%)** |
| All groups | | **100.0** |  | **100.0** |  | **100.0** |  | **100.0** |
| 1 | Less than 13,837 | 2.5 | less than 20,142 | 2.6 | Less than 13,128 | 2.6 | Less than 12,590 | 3.2 |
| 2 | 13,837 -18,498 | 3.9 | 20,142 -25,989 | 3.9 | 13,128 -17,580 | 4.0 | 12,590 -16,486 | 5.0 |
| 3 | 18,499 -22,461 | 4.9 | 25,990 -31,664 | 4.9 | 17,581 -21,286 | 5.1 | 16,487 -19,692 | 6.2 |
| 4 | 22,462 -26,354 | 5.9 | 31,665 -37,678 | 5.9 | 21,287 -25,017 | 6.0 | 19,693 -22,651 | 7.3 |
| 5 | 26,355 -30,701 | 6.9 | 37,679 -43,825 | 6.9 | 25,018 -29,010 | 7.0 | 22,652 -25,580 | 8.1 |
| 6 | 30,702 -36,011 | 8.0 | 43,826 -50,612 | 8.0 | 29,011 -33,672 | 8.2 | 25,581 -28,605 | 9.2 |
| 7 | 36,012 -43,248 | 9.5 | 50,613 -60,130 | 9.3 | 33,673 -40,113 | 9.6 | 28,606 -32,687 | 10.5 |
| 8 | 43,249 -53,321 | 11.5 | 60,131 -73,893 | 11.2 | 40,114 -49,288 | 11.6 | 32,688 -38,143 | 12.1 |
| 9 | 53,322 74,933 | 15.1 | 73,894 -104,178 | 14.8 | 49,289 -69,527 | 15.1 | 38,144 -47,307 | 14.3 |
| 10 | Above 74,933 | 31.7 | Above 104,178 | 32.5 | Above 69,527 | 30.8 | Above 47,307 | 24.0 |

**3.2 Household per capita expenditure**

The household per capita expenditure in a domain is calculated by dividing the estimated total household expenditure by the estimated number of the population in the domain. Table 3.3 shows the mean and median of monthly household per-capita expenditure by sector, province and district levels in 2012/13. In 2012/13 the mean per capita expenditure for the entire country is Rs.10, 677 and median is Rs. 7,757. The table also states that the mean monthly per capita expenditure in urban, rural and estate sectors are Rs.14, 557, Rs.10,006 and Rs.6,902 respectively. Furthermore, the highest mean and median per capita expenditure (mean Rs.15,689 and median Rs.11,758 ) has reported from Colombo district while the lowest reported from Mullaitivu district (mean Rs.5,483 and median 4,452).

Figure 3.2 shows graphical representation of the mean and median household per capita expenditure by sectors in 2012/13.

**Figure 3.2: Mean and median monthly household per capita expenditure by sector - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Sector / Province / District | Mean Per capita expenditure (Rs.) | Median Per capita expenditure  (Rs.) |
| **Sri Lanka** | **10,677** | **7,757** |
| **Sector** |  |  |
| Urban | 14,557 | 10,358 |
| Rural | 10,006 | 7,449 |
| Estate | 6,902 | 5,951 |
| **Province** |  |  |
| Western | 14,653 | 10,908 |
| Central | 9,813 | 7,072 |
| Southern | 9,555 | 7,173 |
| Northern | 8,406 | 6,360 |
| Eastern | 7,674 | 6,256 |
| North Western | 10,215 | 7,563 |
| North Central | 9,150 | 7,014 |
| Uva | 7,599 | 5,886 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 8,594 | 6,760 |
| **District** |  |  |
| Colombo | 15,689 | 11,758 |
| Gampaha | 14,538 | 10,763 |
| Kalutara | 12,950 | 9,646 |
| Kandy | 10,470 | 7,471 |
| Matale | 10,524 | 7,368 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 8,088 | 6,462 |
| Galle | 9,243 | 7,055 |
| Matara | 9,864 | 7,090 |
| Hambantota | 9,687 | 7,541 |
| Jaffna | 8,392 | 6,582 |
| Mannar | 6,461 | 5,375 |
| Vavunia | 11,494 | 8,485 |
| Mullaitivu | 5,483 | 4,452 |
| Kilinochchi | 7,934 | 5,694 |
| Batticaloa | 7,285 | 5,891 |
| Ampara | 7,871 | 6,431 |
| Trincomalee | 7,878 | 6,761 |
| Kurunegala | 9,885 | 7,341 |
| Puttalam | 10,908 | 8,226 |
| Anuradhapura | 8,718 | 6,743 |
| Polonnaruwa | 10,060 | 7,811 |
| Badulla | 8,399 | 6,431 |
| Moneragala | 6,153 | 5,045 |
| Ratnapura | 7,863 | 6,331 |
| Kegalle | 9,548 | 7,359 |
|  |  |  |

**Table 3.3: Mean and median monthly household per capita expenditure by sector, province and district – 2012/13**

**3.3 Inequality of household expenditure**

Gini coefficient of mean household expenditure in Sri Lanka is reported as 0.40 and Gini coefficient for mean per capita expenditure reported as 0.39 in 2012/13 survey period.

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/ District | Gini coefficient of | |
| **Mean household expenditure** | **Mean Per capita expenditure** |
| Sri Lanka | **0.40** | **0.39** |
| Sector |  |  |
| Urban | 0.40 | 0.40 |
| Rural | 0.39 | 0.38 |
| Estate | 0.30 | 0.28 |
| Province |  |  |
| Western | 0.39 | 0.39 |
| Central | 0.38 | 0.37 |
| Southern | 0.38 | 0.37 |
| Northern | 0.37 | 0.36 |
| Eastern | 0.32 | 0.31 |
| North-western | 0.37 | 0.37 |
| North-central | 0.35 | 0.35 |
| Uva | 0.37 | 0.35 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 0.36 | 0.34 |
| District |  |  |
| Colombo | 0.38 | 0.38 |
| Gampaha | 0.39 | 0.39 |
| Kalutara | 0.40 | 0.39 |
| Kandy | 0.39 | 0.38 |
| Matale | 0.41 | 0.41 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 0.33 | 0.31 |
| Galle | 0.36 | 0.37 |
| Matara | 0.40 | 0.38 |
| Hambantota | 0.35 | 0.35 |
| Jaffna | 0.34 | 0.33 |
| Mannar | 0.31 | 0.30 |
| Vavunia | 0.39 | 0.36 |
| Mullaitivu | 0.33 | 0.31 |
| Kilinochchi | 0.42 | 0.39 |
| Batticaloa | 0.35 | 0.35 |
| Ampara | 0.32 | 0.29 |
| Trincomalee | 0.30 | 0.29 |
| Kurunegala | 0.38 | 0.37 |
| Puttalam | 0.37 | 0.36 |
| Anuradhapura | 0.35 | 0.34 |
| Polonnaruwa | 0.36 | 0.36 |
| Badulla | 0.36 | 0.36 |
| Moneragala | 0.35 | 0.32 |
| Ratnapura | 0.34 | 0.32 |
| Kegalle | 0.38 | 0.36 |

When sectors are considered, the lowest value for the Gini coefficient of household expenditure is reported in estate sector (0.30). This nature of inequality within the sectors can be seen for the per capita expenditure as well. This reflects the more homogeneous consumption pattern among the households and people in estate sector than the other two sectors.

**Figure 3.3: Lorenz curve for household expenditure by sector - 2012*/*13**

**Table 3:4: Gini coefficients for mean household expenditure and mean per capita expenditure by sector, province and district - 2012/13**

**3.4 Food expenditure**

Household food expenditure is contributed by all the expenditure on food and drink (excluding liquor, drug and tobacco). The average household expenditure on food and drink was Rs.15,651 for 2012/13. The graphical representation of food and drink expenditure by district is given by Figure 3.4 and the values by sector, province and district is given by Table 3.5A.

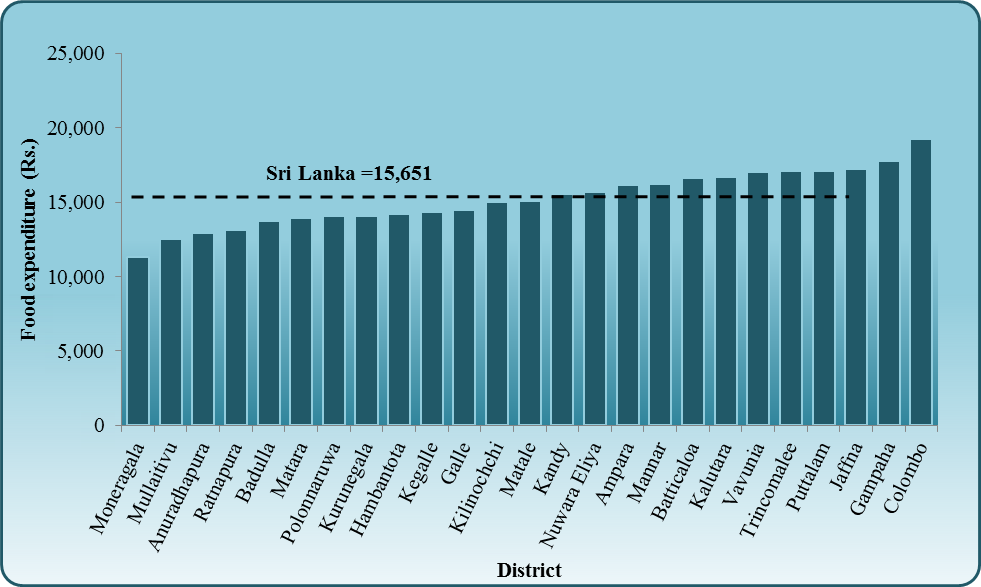
The major food groups consists with Cereals, prepared food, pulses, vegetables, Yams and other, meat, fish, dried fish, eggs, coconuts, condiments, milk & milk food, fat & oil, sugar Juggery & treacle, fruits, confectionery & short eats ,beverages (non-alcoholic) and other food.

The household expenditure for major food groups by sector , province and district are shown in Table 3.5 A and Table 3.5 B.

when comparing the cereals consumption pattern by sectors according to the Table 3.5, the highest expenditure on consumption of cereals is reported from estate sector (Rs. 4,142) and the lowest is reported from urban sector (Rs. 2,375). When compare the expenditure on consumption of cereals by district, the highest consumption is reported from Nuwara Eliya (Rs.4,076) and the lowest (Rs.2,126) reported from Galle.

It is very clear that the households in urban sector have spent more (Rs. 3,168) for prepared food than the households in rural and estate sector. The corresponding figures for rural and estate sectors are Rs. 1,518 and Rs. 827 respectively. Among the districts the highest consumption for prepared food is reported from Colombo district as Rs. 3,540 while the lowest (Rs.683) is repotted from Moneragala district.

Table 3.6A and 3.6B depicts the percentage distribution of average monthly household expenditure on same major food groups given in Table 3.5A and 3.5B. The households in Nuwara Eliya district have spent 26 percent for cereal from total food expenditure which is highest percentage among the districts. On the other hand Colombo district shows the highest percentage of expenditure on prepared food (18.4 percent of total food expenditure)



**Figure 3.4: Average monthly household expenditure on food by district – 2012/13**

**Table 3.5A: Average monthly household expenditure on major food groups by sector and province - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector / Province | Total food expenditure | Cereals | Prepared food | Pulses | Vegetables | Meat | Fish | Dried fish | Coconuts | Condiments | Milk & milk food | Fats& oil | Sugar, Juggery & Treacle | Fruits | Other food items |
|  | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** | **(Rs.)** |
| Sri Lanka | **15,651** | **2,610** | **1,772** | **552** | **1,279** | **669** | **1,430** | **656** | **965** | **1,416** | **1,389** | **380** | **476** | **461** | **1,596** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 18,907 | 2,375 | 3,168 | 541 | 1,394 | 1,066 | 2,134 | 590 | 961 | 1,550 | 1,858 | 339 | 465 | 628 | 1,837 |
| Rural | 14,995 | 2,578 | 1,518 | 545 | 1,259 | 587 | 1,323 | 684 | 974 | 1,387 | 1,293 | 381 | 479 | 437 | 1,549 |
| Estate | 14,630 | 4,142 | 827 | 736 | 1,180 | 589 | 559 | 394 | 810 | 1,420 | 1,268 | 514 | 468 | 234 | 1,490 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 18,124 | 2,389 | 2,943 | 589 | 1,349 | 828 | 1,844 | 815 | 993 | 1,472 | 1,816 | 306 | 451 | 573 | 1,755 |
| Central | 15,504 | 3,143 | 1,274 | 660 | 1,333 | 678 | 767 | 632 | 912 | 1,388 | 1,503 | 495 | 497 | 439 | 1,784 |
| Southern | 14,237 | 2,267 | 1,315 | 547 | 1,213 | 290 | 1,500 | 644 | 1,015 | 1,489 | 1,349 | 283 | 473 | 467 | 1,385 |
| Northern | 16,443 | 3,378 | 1,446 | 550 | 1,021 | 804 | 2,146 | 80 | 1,058 | 1,427 | 1,276 | 537 | 654 | 437 | 1,627 |
| Eastern | 16,557 | 2,616 | 1,596 | 322 | 1,231 | 1,206 | 2,206 | 347 | 965 | 1,851 | 1,143 | 491 | 584 | 452 | 1,548 |
| North-Western | 15,059 | 2,467 | 1,543 | 483 | 1,283 | 735 | 1,410 | 822 | 957 | 1,366 | 1,129 | 342 | 470 | 454 | 1,598 |
| North-Central | 13,292 | 2,638 | 831 | 517 | 1,277 | 532 | 1,166 | 607 | 966 | 1,293 | 940 | 430 | 473 | 330 | 1,294 |
| Uva | 12,847 | 2,889 | 960 | 597 | 1,369 | 376 | 697 | 474 | 660 | 1,063 | 1,085 | 465 | 374 | 374 | 1,464 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 13,628 | 2,589 | 1,382 | 575 | 1,201 | 412 | 725 | 714 | 1,048 | 1,241 | 1,141 | 363 | 427 | 335 | 1,476 |

**Table 3.5 B: Average monthly household expenditure on major food groups by district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| District | Total food expenditure | Cereals | Prepared food | Pulses | Vegetables | Meat | Fish | Dried fish | Coconuts | Condiments | Milk & milk food | Fat & oil | Sugar, Juggery & Treacle | Fruits | Other food items |
|  | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) |
| Sri Lanka | **15,651** | **2,610** | **1,772** | **552** | **1,279** | **669** | **1,430** | **656** | **965** | **1,416** | **1,389** | **380** | **476** | **461** | **1,596** |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 19,246 | 2,298 | 3,540 | 579 | 1,560 | 964 | 2,131 | 706 | 974 | 1,506 | 1,879 | 264 | 405 | 607 | 1,835 |
| Gampaha | 17,771 | 2,427 | 2,792 | 567 | 1,209 | 831 | 1,726 | 875 | 1,014 | 1,434 | 1,797 | 356 | 479 | 557 | 1,706 |
| Kalutara | 16,724 | 2,483 | 2,127 | 649 | 1,225 | 572 | 1,539 | 901 | 990 | 1,483 | 1,738 | 289 | 482 | 541 | 1,705 |
| Kandy | 15,560 | 2,814 | 1,446 | 636 | 1,336 | 720 | 801 | 700 | 923 | 1,312 | 1,556 | 471 | 505 | 485 | 1,853 |
| Matale | 15,066 | 2,782 | 1,571 | 618 | 1,356 | 641 | 873 | 642 | 953 | 1,139 | 1,403 | 411 | 489 | 463 | 1,723 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 15,722 | 4,076 | 702 | 737 | 1,311 | 621 | 619 | 486 | 858 | 1,727 | 1,471 | 606 | 486 | 328 | 1,693 |
| Galle | 14,473 | 2,126 | 1,588 | 617 | 1,102 | 314 | 1,531 | 865 | 887 | 1,374 | 1,392 | 336 | 431 | 478 | 1,430 |
| Matara | 13,936 | 2,276 | 1,261 | 518 | 1,238 | 256 | 1,368 | 551 | 1,043 | 1,404 | 1,404 | 251 | 523 | 426 | 1,416 |
| Hambantota | 14,227 | 2,509 | 895 | 461 | 1,381 | 292 | 1,627 | 369 | 1,210 | 1,814 | 1,193 | 229 | 482 | 504 | 1,261 |
| Jaffna | 17,260 | 3,551 | 1,543 | 663 | 1,084 | 829 | 2,082 | 48 | 1,131 | 1,550 | 1,379 | 582 | 692 | 453 | 1,674 |
| Mannar | 16,253 | 3,203 | 1,516 | 289 | 918 | 1,279 | 3,165 | 118 | 1,025 | 1,039 | 929 | 390 | 569 | 267 | 1,546 |
| Vavunia | 17,019 | 3,236 | 1,603 | 549 | 1,038 | 702 | 1,917 | 151 | 998 | 1,474 | 1,335 | 612 | 623 | 748 | 2,033 |
| Mullaitivu | 12,542 | 2,694 | 1,208 | 331 | 859 | 623 | 2,002 | 123 | 780 | 912 | 894 | 282 | 459 | 255 | 1,120 |
| Kilinochchi | 15,007 | 3,478 | 859 | 392 | 908 | 599 | 2,106 | 65 | 1,056 | 1,519 | 1,292 | 544 | 756 | 169 | 1,264 |
| Batticaloa | 16,663 | 2,535 | 1,665 | 233 | 1,271 | 1,325 | 2,513 | 230 | 911 | 1,751 | 1,241 | 381 | 563 | 392 | 1,652 |
| Ampara | 16,159 | 2,717 | 1,386 | 346 | 1,236 | 1,259 | 2,018 | 419 | 881 | 1,717 | 1,099 | 510 | 548 | 465 | 1,559 |
| Trincomalee | 17,078 | 2,559 | 1,851 | 403 | 1,167 | 956 | 2,104 | 385 | 1,178 | 2,208 | 1,085 | 607 | 673 | 512 | 1,390 |
| Kurunegala | 14,084 | 2,429 | 1,277 | 513 | 1,329 | 498 | 1,073 | 874 | 988 | 1,334 | 998 | 331 | 467 | 418 | 1,555 |
| Puttalam | 17,106 | 2,545 | 2,102 | 420 | 1,186 | 1,233 | 2,117 | 715 | 890 | 1,434 | 1,403 | 364 | 477 | 531 | 1,688 |
| Anuradhapura | 12,941 | 2,494 | 806 | 482 | 1,267 | 548 | 1,155 | 561 | 879 | 1,340 | 894 | 423 | 488 | 341 | 1,264 |
| Polonnaruwa | 14,061 | 2,952 | 883 | 595 | 1,299 | 498 | 1,191 | 706 | 1,156 | 1,189 | 1,042 | 445 | 440 | 306 | 1,357 |
| Badulla | 13,735 | 3,085 | 1,120 | 626 | 1,395 | 403 | 633 | 522 | 596 | 1,078 | 1,353 | 492 | 377 | 371 | 1,684 |
| Moneragala | 11,307 | 2,549 | 683 | 546 | 1,323 | 329 | 808 | 390 | 772 | 1,037 | 620 | 418 | 369 | 379 | 1,083 |
| Ratnapura | 13,104 | 2,621 | 1,508 | 567 | 1,188 | 337 | 724 | 598 | 1,029 | 1,217 | 904 | 353 | 364 | 323 | 1,373 |
| Kegalle | 14,320 | 2,546 | 1,214 | 586 | 1,218 | 511 | 726 | 869 | 1,074 | 1,272 | 1,455 | 376 | 510 | 352 | 1,613 |

**Table 3.6 A: Percentage distribution of average monthly household expenditure on major food groups by sector and province - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector / Province | All food items | Cereals | Prepared food | Pulses | Vegetables | Meat | Fish | Dried fish | Coconuts | Condiments | Milk & milk food | Fat & oil | Sugar, Juggery & Treacle | Fruits | Other food items |
|  | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **16.7** | **11.3** | **3.5** | **8.2** | **4.3** | **9.1** | **4.2** | **6.2** | **9.0** | **8.9** | **2.4** | **3.0** | **2.9** | **10.2** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 12.6 | 16.8 | 2.9 | 7.4 | 5.6 | 11.3 | 3.1 | 5.1 | 8.2 | 9.8 | 1.8 | 2.5 | 3.3 | 9.7 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 17.2 | 10.1 | 3.6 | 8.4 | 3.9 | 8.8 | 4.6 | 6.5 | 9.2 | 8.6 | 2.5 | 3.2 | 2.9 | 10.3 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 28.3 | 5.7 | 5.0 | 8.1 | 4.0 | 3.8 | 2.7 | 5.5 | 9.7 | 8.7 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 1.6 | 10.2 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 13.2 | 16.2 | 3.2 | 7.4 | 4.6 | 10.2 | 4.5 | 5.5 | 8.1 | 10.0 | 1.7 | 2.5 | 3.2 | 9.7 |
| Central | 100.0 | 20.3 | 8.2 | 4.3 | 8.6 | 4.4 | 4.9 | 4.1 | 5.9 | 9.0 | 9.7 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 2.8 | 11.5 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 15.9 | 9.2 | 3.8 | 8.5 | 2.0 | 10.5 | 4.5 | 7.1 | 10.5 | 9.5 | 2.0 | 3.3 | 3.3 | 9.7 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 20.5 | 8.8 | 3.3 | 6.2 | 4.9 | 13.1 | 0.5 | 6.4 | 8.7 | 7.8 | 3.3 | 4.0 | 2.7 | 9.9 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 15.8 | 9.6 | 1.9 | 7.4 | 7.3 | 13.3 | 2.1 | 5.8 | 11.2 | 6.9 | 3.0 | 3.5 | 2.7 | 9.3 |
| North-Western | 100.0 | 16.4 | 10.2 | 3.2 | 8.5 | 4.9 | 9.4 | 5.5 | 6.4 | 9.1 | 7.5 | 2.3 | 3.1 | 3.0 | 10.6 |
| North-Central | 100.0 | 19.8 | 6.2 | 3.9 | 9.6 | 4.0 | 8.8 | 4.6 | 7.3 | 9.7 | 7.1 | 3.2 | 3.6 | 2.5 | 9.7 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 22.5 | 7.5 | 4.6 | 10.7 | 2.9 | 5.4 | 3.7 | 5.1 | 8.3 | 8.4 | 3.6 | 2.9 | 2.9 | 11.4 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 19.0 | 10.1 | 4.2 | 8.8 | 3.0 | 5.3 | 5.2 | 7.7 | 9.1 | 8.4 | 2.7 | 3.1 | 2.5 | 10.8 |

**Table 3.6 B: Percentage distribution of average monthly household expenditure on major food groups by district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| District | All food items | Cereals | Prepared food | Pulses | Vegetables | Meat | Fish | Dried fish | Coconuts | Condiments | Milk & milk food | Fat & oil | Sugar, Juggery & Treacle | Fruits | Other food items |
|  | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **16.7** | **11.3** | **3.5** | **8.2** | **4.3** | **9.1** | **4.2** | **6.2** | **9.0** | **8.9** | **2.4** | **3.0** | **2.9** | **10.2** |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 11.9 | 18.4 | 3.0 | 8.1 | 5.0 | 11.1 | 3.7 | 5.1 | 7.8 | 9.8 | 1.4 | 2.1 | 3.2 | 9.5 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 13.7 | 15.7 | 3.2 | 6.8 | 4.7 | 9.7 | 4.9 | 5.7 | 8.1 | 10.1 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 3.1 | 9.6 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 14.8 | 12.7 | 3.9 | 7.3 | 3.4 | 9.2 | 5.4 | 5.9 | 8.9 | 10.4 | 1.7 | 2.9 | 3.2 | 10.2 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 18.1 | 9.3 | 4.1 | 8.6 | 4.6 | 5.2 | 4.5 | 5.9 | 8.4 | 10.0 | 3.0 | 3.2 | 3.1 | 11.9 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 18.5 | 10.4 | 4.1 | 9.0 | 4.3 | 5.8 | 4.3 | 6.3 | 7.6 | 9.3 | 2.7 | 3.2 | 3.1 | 11.4 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 25.9 | 4.5 | 4.7 | 8.3 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 3.1 | 5.5 | 11.0 | 9.4 | 3.9 | 3.1 | 2.1 | 10.8 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 14.7 | 11.0 | 4.3 | 7.6 | 2.2 | 10.6 | 6.0 | 6.1 | 9.5 | 9.6 | 2.3 | 3.0 | 3.3 | 9.9 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 16.3 | 9.0 | 3.7 | 8.9 | 1.8 | 9.8 | 4.0 | 7.5 | 10.1 | 10.1 | 1.8 | 3.8 | 3.1 | 10.2 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 17.6 | 6.3 | 3.2 | 9.7 | 2.1 | 11.4 | 2.6 | 8.5 | 12.8 | 8.4 | 1.6 | 3.4 | 3.5 | 8.9 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 20.6 | 8.9 | 3.8 | 6.3 | 4.8 | 12.1 | 0.3 | 6.6 | 9.0 | 8.0 | 3.4 | 4.0 | 2.6 | 9.7 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 19.7 | 9.3 | 1.8 | 5.6 | 7.9 | 19.5 | 0.7 | 6.3 | 6.4 | 5.7 | 2.4 | 3.5 | 1.6 | 9.5 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 19.0 | 9.4 | 3.2 | 6.1 | 4.1 | 11.3 | 0.9 | 5.9 | 8.7 | 7.8 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 4.4 | 11.9 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 21.5 | 9.6 | 2.6 | 6.8 | 5.0 | 16.0 | 1.0 | 6.2 | 7.3 | 7.1 | 2.2 | 3.7 | 2.0 | 8.9 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 23.2 | 5.7 | 2.6 | 6.1 | 4.0 | 14.0 | 0.4 | 7.0 | 10.1 | 8.6 | 3.6 | 5.0 | 1.1 | 8.4 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 15.2 | 10.0 | 1.4 | 7.6 | 8.0 | 15.1 | 1.4 | 5.5 | 10.5 | 7.4 | 2.3 | 3.4 | 2.4 | 9.9 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 16.8 | 8.6 | 2.1 | 7.6 | 7.8 | 12.5 | 2.6 | 5.5 | 10.6 | 6.8 | 3.2 | 3.4 | 2.9 | 9.6 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 15.0 | 10.8 | 2.4 | 6.8 | 5.6 | 12.3 | 2.3 | 6.9 | 12.9 | 6.4 | 3.6 | 3.9 | 3.0 | 8.1 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 17.2 | 9.1 | 3.6 | 9.4 | 3.5 | 7.6 | 6.2 | 7.0 | 9.5 | 7.1 | 2.3 | 3.3 | 3.0 | 11.0 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 14.9 | 12.3 | 2.5 | 6.9 | 7.2 | 12.4 | 4.2 | 5.2 | 8.4 | 8.2 | 2.1 | 2.8 | 3.1 | 9.9 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 19.3 | 6.2 | 3.7 | 9.8 | 4.2 | 8.9 | 4.3 | 6.8 | 10.4 | 6.9 | 3.3 | 3.8 | 2.6 | 9.8 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 21.0 | 6.3 | 4.2 | 9.2 | 3.5 | 8.5 | 5.0 | 8.2 | 8.5 | 7.4 | 3.2 | 3.1 | 2.2 | 9.7 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 22.5 | 8.2 | 4.6 | 10.2 | 2.9 | 4.6 | 3.8 | 4.3 | 7.8 | 9.8 | 3.6 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 12.3 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 22.5 | 6.0 | 4.8 | 11.7 | 2.9 | 7.1 | 3.4 | 6.8 | 9.2 | 5.5 | 3.7 | 3.3 | 3.4 | 9.6 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 20.0 | 11.5 | 4.3 | 9.1 | 2.6 | 5.5 | 4.6 | 7.9 | 9.3 | 6.9 | 2.7 | 2.8 | 2.5 | 10.5 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 17.8 | 8.5 | 4.1 | 8.5 | 3.6 | 5.1 | 6.1 | 7.5 | 8.9 | 10.2 | 2.6 | 3.6 | 2.5 | 11.3 |

**Table 3.7 A: Average monthly household expenditure of selected food items by sector and province - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province | Rice - (Kekulu - white) | Rice - (Kekulu Samba - white) | Rice - (Kekulu - red) | Rice - (Kekulu Samba - red) | Rice - (Samba) | Rice - (Nadu - red) | Rice - (Nadu - white) | Wheat flour | Bread (Normal) | Dhal - Misoor | Chicken | Balaya | Kelavalla | Coconut (Nuts) | Bombay onions | Milk powder | Sugar |
| (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) |
| Sri Lanka | **406** | **60** | **413** | **25** | **405** | **91** | **697** | **210** | **462** | **359** | **510** | **136** | **160** | **962** | **205** | **1,036** | **459** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 238 | 91 | 336 | 43 | 629 | 87 | 386 | 167 | 758 | 345 | 790 | 144 | 323 | 952 | 220 | 1,310 | 452 |
| Rural | 446 | 54 | 432 | 21 | 368 | 86 | 733 | 166 | 406 | 355 | 446 | 139 | 132 | 973 | 202 | 977 | 461 |
| Estate | 338 | 46 | 379 | 21 | 188 | 212 | 1,295 | 1,199 | 312 | 489 | 549 | 53 | 27 | 803 | 203 | 1,023 | 450 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 300 | 106 | 312 | 52 | 762 | 55 | 363 | 85 | 704 | 379 | 686 | 110 | 312 | 987 | 226 | 1,333 | 436 |
| Central | 448 | 72 | 131 | 7 | 287 | 86 | 1,221 | 507 | 420 | 431 | 522 | 67 | 59 | 906 | 219 | 1,183 | 465 |
| Southern | 505 | 27 | 1,340 | 39 | 119 | 2 | 12 | 50 | 345 | 404 | 250 | 441 | 222 | 1,015 | 273 | 973 | 459 |
| Northern | 94 | 25 | 185 | 4 | 218 | 950 | 102 | 1,188 | 660 | 314 | 550 | 17 | 12 | 1,058 | 46 | 865 | 640 |
| Eastern | 479 | 25 | 25 | 5 | 173 | 90 | 1,356 | 123 | 550 | 199 | 670 | 122 | 105 | 964 | 180 | 871 | 572 |
| North-western | 90 | 5 | 16 | 5 | 610 | 29 | 1,373 | 117 | 338 | 306 | 535 | 82 | 116 | 955 | 186 | 818 | 453 |
| North-central | 511 | 48 | 20 | 5 | 326 | 29 | 1,357 | 99 | 234 | 344 | 423 | 105 | 26 | 966 | 196 | 747 | 463 |
| Uva | 1,311 | 101 | 815 | 22 | 40 | 18 | 108 | 244 | 177 | 359 | 300 | 106 | 46 | 660 | 185 | 849 | 361 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 373 | 48 | 784 | 19 | 208 | 48 | 759 | 132 | 303 | 379 | 342 | 89 | 116 | 1,048 | 189 | 884 | 407 |

**Table 3.7 B: Average monthly household expenditure of selected food items by district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| District | Rice - (Kekulu - white) | Rice - (Kekulu Samba - white) | Rice - (Kekulu - red) | Rice - (Kekulu Samba - red) | Rice - (Samba) | Rice - (Nadu - red) | Rice - (Nadu - white) | Wheat flour | Bread (Normal) | Dhal - Misoor | Chicken | Balaya | Kelavalla | Coconut (Nuts) | Bombay onions | Milk powder | Sugar |
| ( Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) |
| Sri Lanka | **406** | **60** | **413** | **25** | **405** | **91** | **697** | **210** | **462** | **359** | **510** | **136** | **160** | **962** | **205** | **1,036** | **459** |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 255 | 108 | 350 | 62 | 739 | 69 | 221 | 91 | 793 | 371 | 801 | 101 | 408 | 965 | 219 | 1,334 | 392 |
| Gampaha | 202 | 80 | 115 | 41 | 1,027 | 26 | 519 | 85 | 705 | 341 | 677 | 51 | 233 | 1,008 | 239 | 1,336 | 463 |
| Kalutara | 571 | 153 | 620 | 56 | 299 | 86 | 327 | 75 | 536 | 466 | 494 | 240 | 283 | 989 | 214 | 1,323 | 465 |
| Kandy | 462 | 84 | 87 | 8 | 315 | 30 | 1,150 | 299 | 468 | 413 | 518 | 64 | 79 | 919 | 216 | 1,202 | 461 |
| Matale | 278 | 35 | 21 | 1 | 330 | 17 | 1,539 | 257 | 411 | 408 | 500 | 115 | 34 | 951 | 197 | 1,081 | 470 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 547 | 76 | 304 | 12 | 198 | 250 | 1,122 | 1,113 | 330 | 486 | 546 | 37 | 39 | 848 | 241 | 1,220 | 470 |
| Galle | 371 | 43 | 1,168 | 49 | 202 | 2 | 26 | 63 | 493 | 459 | 274 | 383 | 247 | 885 | 228 | 1,007 | 415 |
| Matara | 733 | 15 | 1,248 | 19 | 69 | - | - | 41 | 295 | 384 | 226 | 464 | 231 | 1,043 | 326 | 1,067 | 511 |
| Hambantota | 432 | 12 | 1,779 | 50 | 37 | 3 | 1 | 41 | 145 | 330 | 241 | 514 | 166 | 1,210 | 279 | 783 | 467 |
| Jaffna | 61 | 28 | 90 | 0 | 178 | 1,198 | 9 | 1,361 | 727 | 375 | 593 | 9 | 15 | 1,131 | 36 | 971 | 685 |
| Mannar | 5 | - | 33 | 1 | 866 | 613 | 368 | 889 | 407 | 154 | 543 | 13 | 2 | 1,025 | 52 | 626 | 550 |
| Vavunia | 192 | 49 | 280 | 10 | 92 | 521 | 364 | 987 | 624 | 299 | 622 | 29 | 17 | 998 | 76 | 956 | 591 |
| Mullaitivu | 133 | - | 747 | 19 | 128 | 304 | 25 | 767 | 579 | 205 | 363 | 39 | 6 | 780 | 18 | 498 | 441 |
| Kilinochchi | 142 | 11 | 150 | 3 | 151 | 1,233 | 3 | 1,250 | 663 | 265 | 387 | 24 | 3 | 1,056 | 70 | 710 | 740 |
| Batticaloa | 292 | - | - | - | 121 | 80 | 1,654 | 59 | 544 | 142 | 797 | 30 | 135 | 910 | 175 | 886 | 562 |
| Ampara | 687 | 26 | 42 | 1 | 196 | 85 | 1,322 | 57 | 388 | 224 | 623 | 167 | 95 | 881 | 163 | 898 | 542 |
| Trincomalee | 387 | 57 | 32 | 19 | 202 | 110 | 1,012 | 320 | 826 | 232 | 576 | 172 | 80 | 1,178 | 217 | 805 | 639 |
| Kurunegala | 91 | 5 | 20 | 5 | 507 | 33 | 1,503 | 68 | 261 | 334 | 433 | 66 | 109 | 986 | 186 | 731 | 446 |
| Puttlam | 88 | 6 | 7 | 4 | 826 | 21 | 1,099 | 219 | 499 | 247 | 750 | 116 | 133 | 890 | 185 | 1,001 | 469 |
| Anuradhapura | 632 | 54 | 21 | 6 | 286 | 29 | 1,173 | 99 | 242 | 322 | 438 | 48 | 30 | 879 | 196 | 724 | 476 |
| Polonnaruwa | 248 | 36 | 18 | 3 | 414 | 29 | 1,762 | 99 | 217 | 391 | 390 | 229 | 16 | 1,156 | 196 | 796 | 434 |
| Badulla | 1,183 | 84 | 1,005 | 31 | 48 | 15 | 135 | 331 | 203 | 369 | 318 | 33 | 42 | 596 | 198 | 1,106 | 362 |
| Moneragala | 1,532 | 132 | 485 | 7 | 26 | 23 | 59 | 92 | 133 | 340 | 269 | 234 | 51 | 772 | 163 | 403 | 359 |
| Ratnapura | 528 | 63 | 1,344 | 30 | 98 | 38 | 194 | 113 | 251 | 380 | 296 | 110 | 99 | 1,029 | 163 | 709 | 349 |
| Kegalle | 168 | 27 | 43 | 5 | 354 | 61 | 1,508 | 156 | 373 | 378 | 403 | 61 | 138 | 1,074 | 224 | 1,114 | 483 |

- Counts are not adequate to provide reliable estimates

3.5 Non-food Expenditure

Housing, fuel and light, personal care expenses, health expenses, transport, communication, education, recreation, entertainment & cultural activities, non-durable household goods, household services, clothing & textile, foot wear & other personal effect, durable household goods, liquor, drugs and tobacco and other expenses are the major non-food groups. Table 3.8 and Table 3.9 shows the average monthly household expenditure on major non-food expenditure group and their percentage values to total non-food expenditure by sector province and district respectively.

According to the Table 3.8 average monthly non-food expenditure per household is Rs 25,793 (including the expenditure on liquor, drugs and tobacco) When districts and provinces are compared the lowest total non-food expenditure values was reported from Mullaitivu district (Rs.8,040) and Uva province (Rs, 16,019). The highest non- food expenditure values were reported from urban sector, Western province and Colombo district when compared sectors, provinces and districts separately. The Figure 3.5 graphically illustrates the distribution of non-food household expenditure by district.

Table 3.10 shows the average monthly household expenditure on major non-food expenditure group by national household expenditure decile. Households in

the 1st decile group have spent Rs. 3,708 per month for non-food items and the corresponding figure for the 10th decile group is Rs. 106,114. It is very clear a high variation can be observed between the lowest decile group and the highest decile group for expenditure on non-food items.

Table 3.11 gives the percentage expenditure values of the expenditure given in Table 3.10. When compare percentage household expenditure values on non-food items, it shows that the household in the 1st decile group have spent the highest percentage from their total expenditure (33.1%) for housing rent and the household in the 10th decile group have spent highest percentage from their total expenditure for miscellaneous expenditure (23.4%). .

**Figure 3.5: Average monthly household expenditure on non-food by district – 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Total non-food expenditure | Housing | Fuel & light | Personal care & Health expenses | Transport | Communication | Education | Cultural activities & entertainments | Household non-durable goods & household services | Clothing textiles & foot wear | Household durable goods | Other miscellaneous expenses | Other adhoc(rarely) expenses | Liquor, drugs & tobacco |
| (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) |
| Sri Lanka | **25,793** | **4,667** | **1,755** | **2,181** | **3,423** | **892** | **1,448** | **515** | **509** | **1,194** | **1,018** | **4,518** | **2,971** | **705** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 40,023 | 10,311 | 3,230 | 3,123 | 5,256 | 1,574 | 2,762 | 797 | 916 | 1,423 | 857 | 5,427 | 3,778 | 570 |
| Rural | 23,279 | 3,606 | 1,463 | 2,037 | 3,118 | 764 | 1,210 | 466 | 430 | 1,161 | 1,071 | 4,403 | 2,864 | 687 |
| Estate | 14,748 | 1,470 | 1,190 | 1,038 | 1,645 | 500 | 532 | 284 | 317 | 879 | 684 | 2,956 | 1,673 | 1,581 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 40,174 | 8,371 | 2,750 | 3,511 | 5,222 | 1,425 | 2,551 | 885 | 797 | 1,365 | 1,234 | 6,966 | 4,425 | 672 |
| Central | 23,484 | 4,226 | 1,446 | 1,745 | 3,087 | 791 | 1,246 | 535 | 420 | 1,276 | 908 | 4,001 | 2,985 | 818 |
| Southern | 22,192 | 3,838 | 1,264 | 1,736 | 2,603 | 681 | 1,198 | 494 | 378 | 1,081 | 1,025 | 4,047 | 3,116 | 733 |
| Northern | 18,119 | 1,680 | 1,922 | 1,728 | 1,998 | 735 | 881 | 334 | 461 | 1,131 | 813 | 2,865 | 3,083 | 489 |
| Eastern | 14,328 | 2,152 | 1,761 | 1,714 | 1,658 | 540 | 705 | 177 | 332 | 1,200 | 645 | 1,677 | 1,277 | 492 |
| North-western | 22,605 | 3,290 | 1,293 | 1,849 | 3,497 | 743 | 1,110 | 302 | 449 | 1,128 | 1,027 | 4,407 | 2,788 | 722 |
| North-central | 20,643 | 2,893 | 1,261 | 1,683 | 3,034 | 704 | 867 | 449 | 441 | 1,222 | 1,152 | 4,430 | 1,877 | 628 |
| Uva | 16,019 | 2,684 | 1,005 | 889 | 2,344 | 561 | 722 | 249 | 381 | 960 | 965 | 2,276 | 2,022 | 961 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 18,748 | 3,361 | 1,238 | 1,688 | 2,700 | 641 | 1,012 | 299 | 326 | 989 | 853 | 3,457 | 1,430 | 756 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 43,784 | 12,151 | 3,549 | 3,448 | 6,428 | 1,807 | 3,412 | 870 | 995 | 1,495 | 688 | 4,789 | 3,431 | 720 |
| Gampaha | 39,293 | 6,588 | 2,387 | 4,002 | 4,434 | 1,260 | 2,133 | 1,006 | 721 | 1,310 | 1,706 | 7,781 | 5,414 | 552 |
| Kalutara | 35,181 | 4,788 | 1,965 | 2,685 | 4,500 | 1,036 | 1,759 | 681 | 576 | 1,233 | 1,340 | 9,435 | 4,373 | 810 |
| Kandy | 25,881 | 5,277 | 1,557 | 2,044 | 3,439 | 931 | 1,612 | 518 | 454 | 1,410 | 843 | 4,757 | 2,494 | 544 |
| Matale | 24,156 | 3,685 | 1,094 | 1,620 | 3,422 | 668 | 919 | 952 | 420 | 1,162 | 1,218 | 2,909 | 5,372 | 715 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 18,160 | 2,521 | 1,489 | 1,238 | 2,128 | 602 | 757 | 255 | 352 | 1,093 | 806 | 3,306 | 2,169 | 1,445 |
| Galle | 20,406 | 3,653 | 1,296 | 1,700 | 2,532 | 699 | 1,262 | 359 | 363 | 1,079 | 673 | 3,215 | 2,992 | 584 |
| Matara | 23,703 | 3,910 | 1,313 | 1,806 | 2,630 | 719 | 1,294 | 396 | 423 | 1,045 | 1,463 | 4,864 | 3,105 | 734 |
| Hambantota | 23,347 | 4,074 | 1,140 | 1,705 | 2,692 | 594 | 947 | 873 | 344 | 1,133 | 1,059 | 4,427 | 3,355 | 1,002 |
| Jaffna | 18,145 | 1,442 | 2,251 | 2,427 | 2,260 | 810 | 1,020 | 378 | 562 | 1,213 | 320 | 2,514 | 2,500 | 449 |
| Mannar | 11,153 | 1,695 | 1,434 | 585 | 1,179 | 458 | 474 | 265 | 242 | 815 | 246 | 1,740 | 1,476 | 544 |
| Vavunia | 27,467 | 2,761 | 2,133 | 1,477 | 2,698 | 1,074 | 915 | 567 | 473 | 1,330 | 2,438 | 5,950 | 4,863 | 786 |
| Mullaitivu | 8,040 | 821 | 992 | 483 | 812 | 319 | 448 | 28 | 276 | 879 | 682 | 1,276 | 853 | 170 |
| Kilinochchi | 17,986 | 1,921 | 1,153 | 651 | 1,299 | 416 | 852 | 71 | 282 | 893 | 1,331 | 2,109 | 6,556 | 452 |
| Batticaloa | 12,915 | 1,592 | 1,971 | 2,046 | 1,180 | 512 | 442 | 146 | 249 | 1,131 | 427 | 1,651 | 1,177 | 392 |
| Ampara | 15,691 | 2,491 | 1,602 | 1,812 | 1,875 | 521 | 774 | 174 | 356 | 1,359 | 717 | 2,086 | 1,413 | 509 |
| Trincomalee | 13,962 | 2,340 | 1,742 | 1,101 | 1,939 | 610 | 947 | 222 | 405 | 1,027 | 817 | 1,030 | 1,183 | 599 |
| Kurunegala | 22,357 | 3,309 | 1,183 | 1,663 | 3,559 | 745 | 1,249 | 327 | 476 | 1,091 | 1,041 | 4,259 | 2,797 | 658 |
| Puttalam | 23,127 | 3,250 | 1,524 | 2,238 | 3,367 | 740 | 819 | 249 | 392 | 1,205 | 999 | 4,719 | 2,770 | 856 |
| Anuradhapura | 19,019 | 2,972 | 1,211 | 1,640 | 2,681 | 734 | 824 | 530 | 469 | 1,179 | 1,146 | 3,756 | 1,259 | 618 |
| Polonnaruwa | 24,196 | 2,722 | 1,372 | 1,777 | 3,806 | 638 | 961 | 273 | 381 | 1,317 | 1,164 | 5,906 | 3,230 | 651 |
| Badulla | 18,646 | 2,819 | 1,152 | 898 | 2,528 | 627 | 846 | 353 | 410 | 1,093 | 1,203 | 2,834 | 2,759 | 1,123 |
| Moneragala | 11,460 | 2,451 | 750 | 873 | 2,026 | 445 | 507 | 68 | 332 | 730 | 550 | 1,307 | 742 | 679 |
| Ratnapura | 16,321 | 3,225 | 1,143 | 1,369 | 2,675 | 532 | 864 | 198 | 316 | 909 | 789 | 2,507 | 1,075 | 717 |
| Kegalle | 21,963 | 3,541 | 1,363 | 2,110 | 2,734 | 784 | 1,209 | 432 | 338 | 1,094 | 937 | 4,714 | 1,900 | 806 |

**Table 3.8: Average monthly household expenditure on major non-food expenditure groups by sector, province and district – 2012/13**

**Table 3.9: Percentage distribution of average monthly household expenditure on major non-food expenditure groups by sector, province and district – 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Total non-food expenditure | Housing | Fuel & light | Personal care & Health expenses | Transport | Communication | Education | Cultural activities & entertainments | Household non-durable goods & household services | Clothing textiles & foot wear | Household durable goods | Other miscellaneous expenses | Other adhoc(rarely) expenses | Liquor, drugs & tobacco |
| (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **18.1** | **6.8** | **8.5** | **13.3** | **3.5** | **5.6** | **2.0** | **2.0** | **4.6** | **3.9** | **17.5** | **11.5** | **2.7** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 25.8 | 8.1 | 7.8 | 13.1 | 3.9 | 6.9 | 2.0 | 2.3 | 3.6 | 2.1 | 13.6 | 9.4 | 1.4 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 15.5 | 6.3 | 8.8 | 13.4 | 3.3 | 5.2 | 2.0 | 1.8 | 5.0 | 4.6 | 18.9 | 12.3 | 3.0 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 10.0 | 8.1 | 7.0 | 11.2 | 3.4 | 3.6 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 6.0 | 4.6 | 20.0 | 11.3 | 10.7 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 20.8 | 6.8 | 8.7 | 13.0 | 3.5 | 6.4 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 3.4 | 3.1 | 17.3 | 11.0 | 1.7 |
| Central | 100.0 | 18.0 | 6.2 | 7.4 | 13.1 | 3.4 | 5.3 | 2.3 | 1.8 | 5.4 | 3.9 | 17.0 | 12.7 | 3.5 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 17.3 | 5.7 | 7.8 | 11.7 | 3.1 | 5.4 | 2.2 | 1.7 | 4.9 | 4.6 | 18.2 | 14.0 | 3.3 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 9.3 | 10.6 | 9.5 | 11.0 | 4.1 | 4.9 | 1.8 | 2.5 | 6.2 | 4.5 | 15.8 | 17.0 | 2.7 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 15.0 | 12.3 | 12.0 | 11.6 | 3.8 | 4.9 | 1.2 | 2.3 | 8.4 | 4.5 | 11.7 | 8.9 | 3.4 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 14.6 | 5.7 | 8.2 | 15.5 | 3.3 | 4.9 | 1.3 | 2.0 | 5.0 | 4.5 | 19.5 | 12.3 | 3.2 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 14.0 | 6.1 | 8.2 | 14.7 | 3.4 | 4.2 | 2.2 | 2.1 | 5.9 | 5.6 | 21.5 | 9.1 | 3.0 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 16.8 | 6.3 | 5.5 | 14.6 | 3.5 | 4.5 | 1.6 | 2.4 | 6.0 | 6.0 | 14.2 | 12.6 | 6.0 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 17.9 | 6.6 | 9.0 | 14.4 | 3.4 | 5.4 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 5.3 | 4.6 | 18.4 | 7.6 | 4.0 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 27.8 | 8.1 | 7.9 | 14.7 | 4.1 | 7.8 | 2.0 | 2.3 | 3.4 | 1.6 | 10.9 | 7.8 | 1.6 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 16.8 | 6.1 | 10.2 | 11.3 | 3.2 | 5.4 | 2.6 | 1.8 | 3.3 | 4.3 | 19.8 | 13.8 | 1.4 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 13.6 | 5.6 | 7.6 | 12.8 | 2.9 | 5.0 | 1.9 | 1.6 | 3.5 | 3.8 | 26.8 | 12.4 | 2.3 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 20.4 | 6.0 | 7.9 | 13.3 | 3.6 | 6.2 | 2.0 | 1.8 | 5.4 | 3.3 | 18.4 | 9.6 | 2.1 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 15.3 | 4.5 | 6.7 | 14.2 | 2.8 | 3.8 | 3.9 | 1.7 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 12.0 | 22.2 | 3.0 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 13.9 | 8.2 | 6.8 | 11.7 | 3.3 | 4.2 | 1.4 | 1.9 | 6.0 | 4.4 | 18.2 | 11.9 | 8.0 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 17.9 | 6.3 | 8.3 | 12.4 | 3.4 | 6.2 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 5.3 | 3.3 | 15.8 | 14.7 | 2.9 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 16.5 | 5.5 | 7.6 | 11.1 | 3.0 | 5.5 | 1.7 | 1.8 | 4.4 | 6.2 | 20.5 | 13.1 | 3.1 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 17.4 | 4.9 | 7.3 | 11.5 | 2.5 | 4.1 | 3.7 | 1.5 | 4.9 | 4.5 | 19.0 | 14.4 | 4.3 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 7.9 | 12.4 | 13.4 | 12.5 | 4.5 | 5.6 | 2.1 | 3.1 | 6.7 | 1.8 | 13.9 | 13.8 | 2.5 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 15.2 | 12.9 | 5.2 | 10.6 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 2.4 | 2.2 | 7.3 | 2.2 | 15.6 | 13.2 | 4.9 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 10.1 | 7.8 | 5.4 | 9.8 | 3.9 | 3.3 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 4.8 | 8.9 | 21.7 | 17.7 | 2.9 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 10.2 | 12.3 | 6.0 | 10.1 | 4.0 | 5.6 | 0.4 | 3.4 | 10.9 | 8.5 | 15.9 | 10.6 | 2.1 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 10.7 | 6.4 | 3.6 | 7.2 | 2.3 | 4.7 | 0.4 | 1.6 | 5.0 | 7.4 | 11.7 | 36.5 | 2.5 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 12.3 | 15.3 | 15.8 | 9.1 | 4.0 | 3.4 | 1.1 | 1.9 | 8.8 | 3.3 | 12.8 | 9.1 | 3.0 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 15.9 | 10.2 | 11.6 | 12.0 | 3.3 | 4.9 | 1.1 | 2.3 | 8.7 | 4.6 | 13.3 | 9.0 | 3.2 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 16.8 | 12.5 | 7.9 | 13.9 | 4.4 | 6.8 | 1.6 | 2.9 | 7.4 | 5.9 | 7.4 | 8.5 | 4.3 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 14.8 | 5.3 | 7.4 | 15.9 | 3.3 | 5.6 | 1.5 | 2.1 | 4.9 | 4.7 | 19.0 | 12.5 | 2.9 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 14.1 | 6.6 | 9.7 | 14.6 | 3.2 | 3.5 | 1.1 | 1.7 | 5.2 | 4.3 | 20.4 | 12.0 | 3.7 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 15.6 | 6.4 | 8.6 | 14.1 | 3.9 | 4.3 | 2.8 | 2.5 | 6.2 | 6.0 | 19.7 | 6.6 | 3.3 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 11.3 | 5.7 | 7.3 | 15.7 | 2.6 | 4.0 | 1.1 | 1.6 | 5.4 | 4.8 | 24.4 | 13.3 | 2.7 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 15.1 | 6.2 | 4.8 | 13.6 | 3.4 | 4.5 | 1.9 | 2.2 | 5.9 | 6.5 | 15.2 | 14.8 | 6.0 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 21.4 | 6.5 | 7.6 | 17.7 | 3.9 | 4.4 | 0.6 | 2.9 | 6.4 | 4.8 | 11.4 | 6.5 | 5.9 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 19.8 | 7.0 | 8.4 | 16.4 | 3.3 | 5.3 | 1.2 | 1.9 | 5.6 | 4.8 | 15.4 | 6.6 | 4.4 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 16.1 | 6.2 | 9.6 | 12.4 | 3.6 | 5.5 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 5.0 | 4.3 | 21.5 | 8.7 | 3.7 |

**Table 3.10: Average monthly household expenditure on major non-food expenditure groups by national household expenditure decile – 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Decile group | Expenditure decile | Total | Housing | Fuel & light | Personal care & Health expenses | Transport | Communication | Education | Cultural activities & entertainments | Household non-durable goods & household services | Clothing textiles & foot wear | Household durable goods | Other miscellaneous expenses | Other adhoc (rarely) expenses | Liquor, drugs & tobacco |
| (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) | (Rs.) |
| Sri Lanka | | **25,793** | **4,667** | **1,755** | **2,181** | **3,423** | **892** | **1,448** | **515** | **509** | **1,194** | **1,018** | **4,518** | **2,971** | **705** |
| 1 | Less than 13,837 | 3,708 | 1,227 | 602 | 418 | 313 | 135 | 68 | 39 | 143 | 233 | 45 | 129 | 104 | 251 |
| 2 | 13,837 - 18,498 | 6,439 | 1,818 | 802 | 672 | 693 | 293 | 268 | 68 | 218 | 495 | 106 | 341 | 212 | 453 |
| 3 | 18,499 - 22,461 | 8782 | 2,320 | 985 | 852 | 1,070 | 372 | 407 | 103 | 261 | 681 | 164 | 663 | 377 | 530 |
| 4 | 22,462 - 26,354 | 10,959 | 2,795 | 1,156 | 1,138 | 1,261 | 474 | 582 | 136 | 293 | 828 | 245 | 975 | 474 | 599 |
| 5 | 26,355 - 30,701 | 13,871 | 3,245 | 1,330 | 1,258 | 1,838 | 590 | 782 | 220 | 323 | 956 | 346 | 1,496 | 731 | 757 |
| 6 | 30,702 - 36,011 | 16,992 | 3,824 | 1,557 | 1,515 | 2,246 | 704 | 996 | 292 | 361 | 1,134 | 485 | 2,058 | 982 | 838 |
| 7 | 36,012 - 43,248 | 21,647 | 4,766 | 1,901 | 1,821 | 2,985 | 895 | 1,227 | 383 | 409 | 1,315 | 639 | 3,029 | 1,508 | 770 |
| 8 | 43,249 - 53,321 | 28,326 | 6,005 | 2,279 | 2,194 | 3,795 | 1,145 | 1,787 | 553 | 466 | 1,551 | 824 | 4,488 | 2,354 | 886 |
| 9 | 53,322 - 74,933 | 41,133 | 7,827 | 2,804 | 3,004 | 5,788 | 1,578 | 2,593 | 756 | 651 | 1,980 | 1,587 | 7,180 | 4,419 | 967 |
| 10 | More than 74,933 | 106,114 | 12,848 | 4,130 | 8,943 | 14,247 | 2,731 | 5,771 | 2,602 | 1,962 | 2,765 | 5,736 | 24,829 | 18,553 | 998 |

**Table 3.11: Percentage distribution of average monthly household expenditure on major non-food expenditure groups by national household expenditure decile – 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Decile group | Expenditure decile | Total | Housing | Fuel & light | Personal care & Health expenses | Transport | Communication | Education | Cultural activities & entertainments | Household non-durable goods & household services | Clothing textiles & foot wear | Household durable goods | Other miscellaneous expenses | Other adhoc (rarely) expenses | Liquor, drugs & tobacco |
|  | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) |
|  | **Sri Lanka** | **100.0** | **18.1** | **6.8** | **8.5** | **13.3** | **3.5** | **5.6** | **2.0** | **2.0** | **4.6** | **3.9** | **17.5** | **11.5** | **2.7** |
| 1 | Less than 13,837 | 100.0 | 33.1 | 16.2 | 11.3 | 8.4 | 3.6 | 1.8 | 1.0 | 3.9 | 6.3 | 1.2 | 3.5 | 2.8 | 6.8 |
| 2 | 13,837 - 18,498 | 100.0 | 28.2 | 12.5 | 10.4 | 10.8 | 4.6 | 4.2 | 1.1 | 3.4 | 7.7 | 1.6 | 5.3 | 3.3 | 7.0 |
| 3 | 18,499 - 22,461 | 100.0 | 26.4 | 11.2 | 9.7 | 12.2 | 4.2 | 4.6 | 1.2 | 3.0 | 7.8 | 1.9 | 7.5 | 4.3 | 6.0 |
| 4 | 22,462 - 26,354 | 100.0 | 25.5 | 10.6 | 10.4 | 11.5 | 4.3 | 5.3 | 1.2 | 2.7 | 7.6 | 2.2 | 8.9 | 4.3 | 5.5 |
| 5 | 26,355 - 30,701 | 100.0 | 23.4 | 9.6 | 9.1 | 13.3 | 4.3 | 5.6 | 1.6 | 2.3 | 6.9 | 2.5 | 10.8 | 5.3 | 5.5 |
| 6 | 30,702 - 36,011 | 100.0 | 22.5 | 9.2 | 8.9 | 13.2 | 4.1 | 5.9 | 1.7 | 2.1 | 6.7 | 2.9 | 12.1 | 5.8 | 4.9 |
| 7 | 36,012 - 43,248 | 100.0 | 22.0 | 8.8 | 8.4 | 13.8 | 4.1 | 5.7 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 6.1 | 3.0 | 14.0 | 7.0 | 3.6 |
| 8 | 43,249 - 53,321 | 100.0 | 21.2 | 8.0 | 7.7 | 13.4 | 4.0 | 6.3 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 5.5 | 2.9 | 15.8 | 8.3 | 3.1 |
| 9 | 53,322 - 74,933 | 100.0 | 19.0 | 6.8 | 7.3 | 14.1 | 3.8 | 6.3 | 1.8 | 1.6 | 4.8 | 3.9 | 17.5 | 10.7 | 2.4 |
| 10 | More than 74,933 | 100.0 | 12.1 | 3.9 | 8.4 | 13.4 | 2.6 | 5.4 | 2.5 | 1.8 | 2.6 | 5.4 | 23.4 | 17.5 | 0.9 |

**Table 3.12: Monthly mean and median household expenditure, mean household food and non-food expenditure and mean household income by national household expenditure decile – 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Decile Group | Household expenditure range | Median household expenditure  (Rs.) | Mean household expenditure  (Rs.) | Mean food expenditure  (Rs.) | Mean non-food Expenditure  (Rs.) | Mean household income  (Rs.) |
| All groups |  | **30,701** | **41,444** | **15,651** | **25,793** | **45,878** |
| 1 | Less than 13,837 | 10,795 | 10,238 | 6,531 | 3,708 | 14,111 |
| 2 | 13,837 - 18,498 | 16,328 | 16,254 | 9,815 | 6,439 | 21,322 |
| 3 | 18,499 - 22,461 | 20,454 | 20,474 | 11,693 | 8,782 | 24,819 |
| 4 | 22,462 - 26,354 | 24,408 | 24,397 | 13,438 | 10,959 | 28,965 |
| 5 | 26,355 - 30,701 | 28,479 | 28,514 | 14,643 | 13,871 | 35,274 |
| 6 | 30,702 - 36,011 | 33,237 | 33,259 | 16,267 | 16,992 | 38,473 |
| 7 | 36,012 - 43,248 | 39,268 | 39,412 | 17,764 | 21,647 | 49,070 |
| 8 | 43,249 - 53,321 | 47,547 | 47,816 | 19,490 | 28,326 | 51,365 |
| 9 | 53,322 - 74,933 | 61,585 | 62,654 | 21,521 | 41,133 | 66,186 |
| 10 | More than 74,933 | 100,777 | 131,471 | 25,357 | 106,114 | 129,239 |

Table 3.12 shows the mean and median household expenditure, mean household food and non-food expenditure and mean household income by national household expenditure decile – 2012/13. It proves that the average monthly expenditure of a household in the expenditure group of tenth decile (Rs. 131,471) is almost thirteen times greater than that of the first decile group received (Rs. 10,238). As well as when consider the mean household income by expenditure decile group it is evident that the tenth decile group has received the average household income 9.2 times greater than that of first decile received.

Table 3.13 indicates the changing pattern of average monthly mean household expenditure, mean household food and non-food expenditure and mean household income by household income decile. The Table 3.13 reveal that from 1st decile to 7th decile mean household expenditure is higher than the mean household income however, from 8th decile onwards mean household expenditure is less than mean household income.

**Table 3.13: Monthly mean household expenditure, household food and non-food expenditure and household income by national household income decile – 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Decile group | Household income range | Mean household expenditure  (Rs.) | Mean food expenditure  (Rs.) | Mean non-food Expenditure  (Rs.) | Mean household income  (Rs.) |
| All groups |  | **41,444** | **15,651** | **25,793** | **45,878** |
| 1 | Less than 10,836 | 16,287 | 9,505 | 6,782 | 6,700 |
| 2 | 10,836 - 16,531 | 22,290 | 11,769 | 10,521 | 13,790 |
| 3 | 16,532 - 21,286 | 24,262 | 12,738 | 11,525 | 18,963 |
| 4 | 21,287 - 25,903 | 28,225 | 14,007 | 14,218 | 23,588 |
| 5 | 25,904 - 30,814 | 32,228 | 14,874 | 17,354 | 28,292 |
| 6 | 30,815 - 36,758 | 35,865 | 15,669 | 20,195 | 33,599 |
| 7 | 36,759 - 45,000 | 41,689 | 17,025 | 24,664 | 40,582 |
| 8 | 45,001 - 57,495 | 47,718 | 17,774 | 29,944 | 50,641 |
| 9 | 57,496 - 83,815 | 62,288 | 20,004 | 42,284 | 68,362 |
| 10 | More than 83,815 | 103,658 | 23,159 | 80,499 | 174,376 |

3.6 Food and non-food ratio

**Table 3.14: Food ratio and non-food ratio by sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Sector /Province /District** | **Food ratio** | **Non-food ratio** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** |
| **Sri Lanka** | **37.8** | **62.2** |
| **Sector** |  |  |
| Urban | 32.1 | 67.9 |
| Rural | 39.2 | 60.8 |
| Estate | 49.8 | 50.2 |
| **Province** |  |  |
| Western | 31.1 | 68.9 |
| Central | 39.8 | 60.2 |
| Southern | 39.1 | 60.9 |
| Northern | 47.6 | 52.4 |
| Eastern | 53.6 | 46.4 |
| North-western | 40.0 | 60.0 |
| North-central | 39.2 | 60.8 |
| Uva | 44.5 | 55.5 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 42.1 | 57.9 |
| **District** |  |  |
| Colombo | 30.5 | 69.5 |
| Gampaha | 31.1 | 68.9 |
| Kalutara | 32.2 | 67.8 |
| Kandy | 37.5 | 62.5 |
| Matale | 38.4 | 61.6 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 46.4 | 53.6 |
| Galle | 41.5 | 58.5 |
| Matara | 37.0 | 63.0 |
| Hambantota | 37.9 | 62.1 |
| Jaffna | 48.8 | 51.2 |
| Mannar | 59.3 | 40.7 |
| Vavunia | 38.3 | 61.7 |
| Mullaitivu | 60.9 | 39.1 |
| Kilinochchi | 45.5 | 54.5 |
| Batticaloa | 56.3 | 43.7 |
| Ampara | 50.7 | 49.3 |
| Trincomalee | 55.0 | 45.0 |
| Kurunegala | 38.6 | 61.4 |
| Puttalam | 42.5 | 57.5 |
| Anuradhapura | 40.5 | 59.5 |
| Polonnaruwa | 36.8 | 63.2 |
| Badulla | 42.4 | 57.6 |
| Moneragala | 49.7 | 50.3 |
| Ratnapura | 44.5 | 55.5 |
| Kegalle | 39.5 | 60.5 |

The ratio of expenditure on food and drink (excluding liquor, drugs and tobacco) to total expenditure is called the food ratio and it is generally presented as a percentage.

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Food ratio (%) = | Household expenditure on food & drink | X 100 |
| Total household expenditure (on food & drink and non-food) |

The same method is used to calculate non-food ratio by changing household expenditure on non-food instead of household expenditure on food and drink. (The expenditure on liquor, drugs and tobacco is not considered as a part of food and drink expenditure, but it is consider as non-food expenditure).

Average monthly household expenditure for Sri Lanka is Rs. 41,444. Of this value, Rs. 15,651 is spent on food and drink, which is about 38 percent of the total expenditure and it, is defined as the food ratio. The non-food expenditure is , Rs.25,793 which is 62.2 percent of total expenditure defined as non-food ratio.

Table 3.14 shows the food ratio and non-food ratio by sector, province and district. When comparing the food ratio by district, the lowest food ratio reported from Colombo district (30.5 percent) while the highest food ratio is reported from Mullaitivu district (61 percent) in 2012/13. It is clear that those who live in Colombo district spend more non-food however those who live in Mullaitivu district spend more on food and drink.

This does not imply that the households in Colombo district spend fewer or inadequate amounts on food than the household in Mullaitivu district. The expenditure values for food and drink in Colombo and Mullaitivu districts are Rs. 19,246 and Rs. 12,542 respectively(see Table 3.5 B) .

3.7 Consumption of selected food items

Cereals (rice, wheat flour, etc.) and prepared food are the two major groups, which are consumed in large quantities, rather than other major food groups in Sri Lanka.

Rice, wheat flour and bread are highly consumed food items in Sri Lanka. Table 3.15 shows the expenditure values of some selected food items by national household expenditure deciles.

Table 3.16 gives the consumption quantities for those selected food items

The households in the 10th decile group have significantly spent more money for food items than households in the first decile group (Table 3.15). The consumption quantities of more items have increased from first decile to 10th decile (Table 3.16).

**Table 3.15: Average monthly household expenditure on selected food items by national household expenditure decile - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food Item |  | National Household Expenditure decile | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Unit** | **1** | **2** | **3** | **4** | | **5** | **6** | **7** | **8** | | **9** | **10** |
|  |  |  |  |  | |  |  |  |  | |  |  |
| Rice-(Kekulu - white) | (Rs.) | 315 | 469 | 460 | 445 | 474 | | 432 | 386 | | 395 | 345 | 336 |
| Rice-(Kekulu Samba - white) | (Rs.) | 21 | 17 | 26 | 39 | 41 | | 62 | 53 | | 115 | 107 | 118 |
| Rice-(Kekulu - red) | (Rs.) | 250 | 395 | 389 | 469 | 446 | | 402 | 460 | | 432 | 436 | 451 |
| Rice-(Kekulu Samba - red) | (Rs.) | 6 | 12 | 22 | 17 | 14 | | 17 | 25 | | 30 | 44 | 65 |
| Rice-(Samba) | (Rs.) | 59 | 129 | 233 | 266 | 309 | | 406 | 512 | | 584 | 757 | 800 |
| Rice-(Nadu - red) | (Rs.) | 50 | 73 | 101 | 103 | 87 | | 106 | 105 | 119 | | 90 | 79 |
| Rice-(Nadu - white) | (Rs.) | 425 | 682 | 752 | 826 | 846 | | 861 | 805 | 693 | | 628 | 456 |
| Rice-(Other) | (Rs.) | 11 | 18 | 33 | 32 | 32 | | 39 | 32 | 41 | | 36 | 92 |
| Wheat flour | (Rs.) | 98 | 159 | 207 | 233 | 253 | | 245 | 280 | 246 | | 201 | 178 |
| Bread (Normal) | (Rs.) | 171 | 244 | 320 | 365 | 428 | | 472 | 537 | 658 | | 698 | 730 |
| Dhal – (Misoor/Gram/Vatana) | (Rs.) | 180 | 275 | 329 | 362 | 385 | | 396 | 426 | 446 | | 460 | 488 |
| Chicken | (Rs.) | 47 | 138 | 248 | 336 | 419 | | 499 | 616 | 742 | | 891 | 1162 |
| Beef | (Rs.) | 24 | 39 | 69 | 99 | 117 | | 168 | 157 | 155 | | 153 | 136 |
| Balaya | (Rs.) | 28 | 62 | 95 | 107 | 137 | | 156 | 165 | 185 | | 210 | 216 |
| Kelavalla | (Rs.) | 13 | 39 | 40 | 71 | 94 | | 127 | 169 | 220 | | 339 | 492 |
| Sprats (dry) | (Rs.) | 124 | 200 | 222 | 247 | 249 | | 269 | 285 | 298 | | 283 | 293 |
| Balaya (dry) | (Rs.) | 30 | 57 | 68 | 69 | 79 | | 77 | 79 | 85 | | 77 | 80 |
| Hen eggs | (Rs.) | 47 | 89 | 113 | 144 | 156 | | 177 | 194 | 203 | | 223 | 251 |
| Coconut (Nuts) | (Rs.) | 514 | 734 | 832 | 916 | 989 | | 1039 | 1097 | 1126 | | 1167 | 1210 |
| Bombay onions | (Rs.) | 92 | 140 | 165 | 186 | 201 | | 218 | 231 | 253 | | 273 | 293 |
| Cow milk | (Rs.) | 5 | 8 | 18 | 29 | 20 | | 30 | 33 | 28 | | 28 | 57 |
| Milk powder | (Rs.) | 250 | 505 | 681 | 834 | 935 | | 1128 | 1239 | 1390 | | 1589 | 1807 |
| Sugar | (Rs.) | 235 | 340 | 411 | 457 | 480 | | 512 | 523 | 545 | | 547 | 539 |
| Banana | (Rs.) | 37 | 74 | 97 | 128 | 142 | | 180 | 214 | 270 | | 324 | 413 |
| Tea dust/ leaves | (Rs.) | 164 | 215 | 252 | 269 | 288 | | 299 | 310 | 328 | | 334 | 361 |

**Table 3.16: Average monthly household consumption quantities of selected food items by national household** **expenditure decile - 2012/**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food Item | Unit | National Household Expenditure decile | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 2 | | 3 | | | 4 | | 5 | | 6 | | 7 | | 8 | | 9 | | 10 | |
| Rice-(Kekulu - white) | (Kg) | 5.8 | 8.4 | | 8.4 | | | 8.0 | | 8.6 | | 7.6 | | 6.8 | | 6.9 | | 5.9 | | 5.8 | |
| Rice-(Kekulu Samba - white) | (Kg) | 0.4 | 0.3 | | 0.4 | | | 0.6 | | 0.6 | | 1.0 | | 0.8 | | 1.7 | | 1.6 | | 1.7 | |
| Rice-(Kekulu - red) | (Kg) | 4.7 | 7.4 | | 7.2 | | | 8.6 | | 8.2 | | 7.4 | | 8.3 | | 7.8 | | 7.7 | | 7.8 | |
| Rice-(Kekulu Samba - red) | (Kg) | 0.1 | 0.2 | | 0.4 | | | 0.3 | | 0.2 | | 0.3 | | 0.4 | | 0.5 | | 0.6 | | 0.9 | |
| Rice-(Samba) | (Kg) | 0.9 | 1.8 | | 3.3 | | | 3.8 | | 4.4 | | 5.7 | | 7.1 | | 8.0 | | 10.2 | | 10.6 | |
| Rice-(Nadu - red) | (Kg) | 0.8 | 1.2 | | 1.6 | | | 1.6 | | 1.3 | | 1.6 | | 1.6 | | 1.8 | | 1.4 | | 1.2 | |
| Rice-(Nadu - white) | (Kg) | 7.0 | 11.3 | | 12.4 | | | 13.6 | | 13.8 | | 14.0 | | 13.0 | | 11.2 | | 10.2 | | 7.3 | |
| Rice-(other) | (gram) | 15.1 | 4.3 | | 28.5 | | | 13.4 | | 21.4 | | 34.5 | | 44.4 | | 38.5 | | 36.4 | | 168.7 | |
| Wheat flour | (Kg) | 1.0 | 1.7 | | 2.2 | | | 2.5 | | 2.6 | | 2.5 | | 2.9 | | 2.6 | | 2.1 | | 1.8 | |
| Bread (Normal) | (Kg) | 1.3 | 1.9 | | 2.5 | | | 2.9 | | 3.4 | | 3.7 | | 4.2 | | 5.1 | | 5.4 | | 5.6 | |
| Dhal – (Misoor,Gram,Vatana) | (Kg) | 1.0 | 1.7 | | 2.0 | | | 2.2 | | 2.4 | | 2.4 | | 2.6 | | 2.7 | | 2.8 | | 3.0 | |
| Chicken | (Kg) | 0.1 | 0.3 | | 0.6 | | | 0.8 | | 1.0 | | 1.2 | | 1.5 | | 1.8 | | 2.2 | | 2.8 | |
| Beef | (gram) | 62 | 96 | | 172 | | | 243 | | 284 | | 399 | | 371 | | 360 | | 347 | | 306 | |
| Balaya | (gram) | 69 | 171 | | 233 | | | 278 | | 332 | | 374 | | 392 | | 441 | | 452 | | 464 | |
| Kelavalla | (gram) | 28 | 77 | | 85 | | | 132 | | 188 | | 237 | | 313 | | 362 | | 565 | | 769 | |
| Sprats (dry) | (gram) | 264 | 429 | | 468 | | | 510 | | 509 | | 532 | | 568 | | 598 | | 553 | | 572 | |
| Balaya (dry) | (gram) | 51 | 93 | | 111 | | | 112 | | 126 | | 120 | | 129 | | 131 | | 119 | | 122 | |
| Hen eggs | (No) | 3 | | 6 | | 8 | | | 10 | | 11 | | 12 | | 14 | | 14 | | 16 | | 18 | |
| Coconut (Nuts) | (No) | 16 | | 22 | | 25 | | | 27 | | 29 | | 30 | | 33 | | 32 | | 33 | | 34 | |
| Bombay onions | (Kg) | 1.1 | | 1.6 | | 1.9 | | | 2.1 | | 2.3 | | 2.5 | | 2.7 | | 2.9 | | 3.2 | | 3.4 | |
| Cow milk | (ml) | 78 | | 132 | | 287 | | | 396 | | 307 | | 514 | | 482 | | 393 | | 389 | | 609 | |
| Milk powder | (Kg) | 0.3 | | 0.6 | | 0.8 | | | 1.0 | | 1.2 | | 1.4 | | 1.5 | | 1.7 | | 2.0 | | 2.2 | |
| Sugar | (Kg) | 2.2 | | 3.2 | | 3.9 | | | 4.3 | | 4.5 | | 4.8 | | 4.9 | | 5.1 | | 5.1 | | 5.1 | |
| Banana | (No) | 10 | | 27 | | 33 | | | 48 | | 36 | | 49 | | 51 | | 69 | | 69 | | 79 | |
| Tea dust/ leaves | (gram) | 278 | | 352 | | | 407 | | 432 | | 454 | | 469 | | 482 | | 502 | | 492 | | 521 | |

3.7.1 Consumption of rice

When comparing the rice consumption pattern among the sectors, households in rural sector show the highest consumption of Kekulu rice (red and white) and household in urban sector consumed the lowest quantity of Kekulu rice (red and white).

**Figure 3.6: Average monthly household consumption of rice by sector – 2012/13**

Figure 3.6 shows that the highest consumption of Nadu rice- (white) was reported from estate sector (20.6 kg) and the lowest consumption was reported from urban sector (6 kg).



**Figure 3.7: Average monthly household consumption of rice varieties by national household expenditure decile – 2012/13**

Figure 3.8 shows the average monthly household consumption quantities of wheat flour, rice flour and bread (normal) by district

3.7.2 Consumption of wheat flour

The average monthly consumption of wheat flour was reported as 2.2 kg per month per household in Sri Lanka. (Table 3.17A) The highest consumption of wheat flour per household per month was reported from Estate sector, and among the districts, Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Nuwara Eliya and Vavunia reported the highest consumption of wheat flour.

3.7.3 Consumption of bread

Table 3.17 B shows that the average monthly household consumption quantity of bread was 3.6 kg per month in Sri Lanka in 2012/13. When sectors are compared it can be noticed that the households in urban sector consumed large quantity of bread which was reported as 5.8 kg per month per household.

**Figure 3.8: Average monthly household consumption quantities of wheat flour, rice flour and bread by district - 2012/13**

**Table 3.17 A: Average monthly household consumption quantities of selected food items by sector and province - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province | Rice - (Kekulu - white) | Rice - (Kekulu Samba - white) | Rice - (Kekulu - red) | Rice - (Kekulu Samba - red) | Rice - (Samba) | Rice - (Nadu - red) | Rice - (Nadu - white) | Wheat flour | Bread (Normal) | Dhal - Misoor | Chicken | | Balaya | Kelavalla | | Coconut (Nuts) | | Bombay onions | | Milk powder | | Sugar | |
| (Kg) | (Kg) | (Kg) | (gram) | (Kg) | (Kg) | (Kg) | (Kg) | (Kg) | (Kg) | (Kg) | | (Kg) | | (Kg) | | (No.) | | (Kg) | | (Kg) | | (Kg) |
| Sri Lanka | **7.2** | **0.9** | **7.5** | **392** | **5.6** | **1.4** | **11.4** | **2.2** | **3.6** | **2.2** | **0.3** | **0.3** | | **0.3** | | **28.3** | | **2.4** | | **1.3** | | **4.3** | |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | |  | |  | |  | |  | |  | |
| Urban | 4.0 | 1.3 | 5.7 | 615 | 8.2 | 1.3 | 6.0 | 1.7 | 5.8 | 2.1 | 1.9 | 0.3 | | 0.5 | | 25 | | 2.5 | | 1.6 | | 4.2 | |
| Rural | 8.0 | 0.8 | 8.0 | 344 | 5.2 | 1.3 | 12.1 | 1.8 | 3.2 | 2.2 | 1.1 | 0.3 | | 0.2 | | 29 | | 2.3 | | 1.2 | | 4.3 | |
| Estate | 6.1 | 0.7 | 6.7 | 371 | 2.6 | 3.1 | 20.6 | 12.0 | 2.4 | 2.9 | 1.4 | 0.1 | | 0.1 | | 22 | | 2.2 | | 1.3 | | 4.1 | |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | |  | |  | |  | |  | |  | |
| Western | 5.0 | 1.5 | 5.1 | 741 | 10.3 | 0.9 | 5.8 | 0.9 | 5.4 | 2.3 | 1.6 | 0.2 | | 0.5 | | 27 | | 2.6 | | 1.6 | | 4.1 | |
| Central | 7.7 | 1.1 | 2.2 | 114 | 3.9 | 1.3 | 19.9 | 5.1 | 3.2 | 2.6 | 1.3 | 0.2 | | 0.1 | | 25 | | 2.5 | | 1.5 | | 4.3 | |
| Southern | 9.6 | 0.5 | 25.8 | 726 | 1.6 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 3.1 | 2.5 | 0.7 | 1.0 | | 0.4 | | 30 | | 3.3 | | 1.2 | | 4.3 | |
| Northern | 1.6 | 0.4 | 3.2 | 69 | 2.9 | 14.7 | 1.6 | 13.4 | 4.9 | 1.8 | 1.1 | 0.1 | | 0.0 | | 32 | | 0.5 | | 1.1 | | 6.0 | |
| Eastern | 8.6 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 90 | 2.4 | 1.4 | 21.1 | 1.3 | 4.2 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 0.4 | | 0.2 | | 26 | | 1.9 | | 1.1 | | 5.3 | |
| North-western | 1.5 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 82 | 8.6 | 0.5 | 23.0 | 1.2 | 2.6 | 1.9 | 1.4 | 0.2 | | 0.2 | | 35 | | 2.1 | | 1.0 | | 4.3 | |
| North-central | 9.0 | 0.8 | 0.3 | 75 | 4.8 | 0.5 | 23.2 | 1.0 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 1.2 | 0.2 | | 0.1 | | 29 | | 2.3 | | 0.9 | | 4.3 | |
| Uva | 24.4 | 1.7 | 14.9 | 383 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 1.8 | 2.4 | 1.3 | 2.2 | 0.8 | 0.3 | | 0.1 | | 19 | | 2.1 | | 1.1 | | 3.4 | |
| Sabaragamuwa | 6.6 | 0.8 | 14.5 | 320 | 2.9 | 0.8 | 12.3 | 1.3 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 0.9 | 0.2 | | 0.2 | | 31 | | 2.0 | | 1.1 | | 3.8 | |

**Table 3.17 B: Average monthly household consumption quantities of selected food items by district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| District | Rice - (Kekulu - white) | Rice - (Kekulu Samba - white) | Rice - (Kekulu - red) | Rice - (Kekulu Samba - red) | Rice - (Samba) | Rice - (Nadu - red) | Rice - (Nadu - white) | Wheat flour | Bread (Normal) | Dhal - Misoor | Chicken | Balaya | Kelavalla | Coconut (Nuts) | Bombay onions | Milk powder | Sugar |
| (Kg) | (Kg) | (Kg) | (gram) | (Kg) | (Kg) | (Kg) | (Kg) | (Kg) | (Kg) | (Kg) | (Kg) | (Kg) | (No.) | (Kg) | (Kg) | (Kg) |
| Sri Lanka | **7.2** | **0.9** | **7.5** | **392** | **5.6** | **1.4** | **11.4** | **2.2** | **3.6** | **2.2** | **0.3** | **0.3** | **0.3** | **28.3** | **2.4** | **1.3** | **4.3** |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 4.2 | 1.5 | 5.6 | 860 | 9.6 | 1.1 | 3.5 | 0.9 | 6.1 | 2.2 | 1.9 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 25 | 2.6 | 1.7 | 3.7 |
| Gampaha | 3.3 | 1.2 | 1.9 | 592 | 14.3 | 0.4 | 8.3 | 0.9 | 5.3 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 28 | 2.7 | 1.7 | 4.4 |
| Kalutara | 9.9 | 2.2 | 10.5 | 806 | 4.0 | 1.3 | 5.3 | 0.8 | 4.4 | 2.9 | 1.2 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 28 | 2.5 | 1.6 | 4.5 |
| Kandy | 7.9 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 113 | 4.3 | 0.5 | 18.7 | 3.0 | 3.6 | 2.5 | 1.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 25 | 2.4 | 1.5 | 4.2 |
| Matale | 4.7 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 20 | 4.7 | 0.3 | 25.4 | 2.6 | 3.2 | 2.4 | 1.2 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 27 | 2.4 | 1.3 | 4.3 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 9.4 | 1.1 | 5.2 | 185 | 2.7 | 3.6 | 17.9 | 11.1 | 2.5 | 3.0 | 1.4 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 25 | 2.7 | 1.5 | 4.3 |
| Galle | 6.8 | 0.8 | 21.7 | 876 | 2.9 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 4.5 | 2.9 | 0.7 | 0.9 | 0.4 | 25 | 2.8 | 1.3 | 3.9 |
| Matara | 14.2 | 0.3 | 24.2 | 343 | 0.9 | - | - | 0.4 | 2.6 | 2.4 | 0.6 | 1.0 | 0.4 | 29 | 4.1 | 1.4 | 4.8 |
| Hambantota | 8.4 | 0.2 | 35.6 | 980 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.2 | 2.0 | 0.7 | 1.4 | 0.3 | 39 | 3.4 | 1.0 | 4.4 |
| Jaffna | 1.0 | 0.4 | 1.4 | 2 | 2.4 | 18.4 | 0.1 | 15.7 | 5.4 | 2.1 | 1.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 34 | 0.3 | 1.2 | 6.5 |
| Mannar | 0.1 | - | 0.5 | 17 | 11.4 | 8.9 | 5.6 | 9.4 | 2.9 | 0.8 | 1.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 29 | 0.5 | 0.8 | 5.2 |
| Vavunia | 3.1 | 0.8 | 4.7 | 146 | 1.3 | 8.1 | 5.9 | 10.5 | 4.6 | 1.7 | 1.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 28 | 0.9 | 1.2 | 5.4 |
| Mullaitivu | 2.5 | - | 14.0 | 384 | 1.8 | 5.1 | 0.5 | 8.5 | 4.4 | 1.2 | 0.7 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 27 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 4.1 |
| Kilinochchi | 2.4 | 0.2 | 2.5 | 54 | 2.0 | 20.2 | 0.1 | 14.0 | 5.0 | 1.7 | 0.8 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 35 | 0.6 | 0.9 | 7.0 |
| Batticaloa | 4.5 | - | 0.0 | - | 1.6 | 1.2 | 26.0 | 0.6 | 4.0 | 0.7 | 1.8 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 24 | 1.8 | 1.1 | 5.2 |
| Ampara | 13.1 | 0.4 | 0.8 | 20 | 2.7 | 1.2 | 20.3 | 0.6 | 3.2 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 24 | 1.6 | 1.1 | 5.0 |
| Trincomalee | 6.7 | 1.0 | 0.5 | 328 | 2.9 | 1.8 | 15.7 | 3.3 | 6.2 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 30 | 2.5 | 1.0 | 6.0 |
| Kurunegala | 1.6 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 92 | 7.3 | 0.5 | 25.3 | 0.7 | 2.0 | 2.1 | 1.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 37 | 2.1 | 0.9 | 4.2 |
| Puttalam | 1.5 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 63 | 11.5 | 0.3 | 18.3 | 2.2 | 3.9 | 1.4 | 1.8 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 30 | 2.1 | 1.3 | 4.5 |
| Anuradhapura | 11.2 | 0.9 | 0.3 | 81 | 4.3 | 0.5 | 20.1 | 1.1 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 1.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 28 | 2.4 | 0.9 | 4.5 |
| Polonnaruwa | 4.3 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 64 | 6.0 | 0.5 | 29.8 | 1.0 | 1.6 | 2.3 | 1.0 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 33 | 2.3 | 0.9 | 4.1 |
| Badulla | 21.5 | 1.4 | 18.2 | 534 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 2.1 | 3.3 | 1.5 | 2.2 | 0.8 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 16 | 2.2 | 1.4 | 3.4 |
| Moneragala | 29.2 | 2.3 | 9.3 | 120 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 1.2 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 2.1 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.1 | 25 | 2.0 | 0.5 | 3.3 |
| Ratnapura | 9.4 | 1.0 | 24.9 | 509 | 1.3 | 0.6 | 3.1 | 1.2 | 1.9 | 2.4 | 0.8 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 30 | 1.8 | 0.9 | 3.3 |
| Kegalle | 2.8 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 70 | 5.0 | 1.0 | 24.4 | 1.6 | 2.9 | 2.3 | 1.0 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 32 | 2.3 | 1.4 | 4.5 |

- Counts are not adequate to provide reliable estimates

**4. Poverty**

**Table 4.1: Poverty head count index and percentage of poor households by sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/ Province/ District | Headcount Index  (HCI) | Percentage of poor household |
|  | (%) | (%) |
| Sri Lanka | **6.7** | **5.3** |
| Sector |  |  |
| Urban | 2.1 | 1.5 |
| Rural | 7.6 | 6.0 |
| Estate | 10.9 | 8.8 |
|  |  |  |
| Province |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Western | 2.0 | 1.5 |
| Central | 6.6 | 5.1 |
| Southern | 7.7 | 6.3 |
| Northern | 10.9 | 8.8 |
| Eastern | 11.0 | 8 |
| North Western | 6.0 | 4.5 |
| North Central | 7.3 | 6.1 |
| Uva | 15.4 | 13.5 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 8.8 | 6.6 |
|  |  |  |
| District |  |  |
| Colombo | 1.4 | 1.1 |
| Gampaha | 2.1 | 1.5 |
| Kalutara | 3.1 | 2.5 |
| Kandy | 6.2 | 4.6 |
| Matale | 7.8 | 6.0 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 6.6 | 5.6 |
| Galle | 9.9 | 7.7 |
| Matara | 7.1 | 6.2 |
| Hambantota | 4.9 | 3.8 |
| Jaffna | 8.3 | 6.6 |
| Mannar | 20.1 | 15 |
| Vavunia | 3.4 | 2.4 |
| Mullaitivu | 28.8 | 24.7 |
| Kilinochchi | 12.7 | 10.7 |
| Batticaloa | 19.4 | 14.3 |
| Ampara | 5.4 | 4.1 |
| Trincomalee | 9.0 | 6.2 |
| Kurunegala | 6.5 | 5.0 |
| Puttalam | 5.1 | 3.3 |
| Anuradhapura | 7.6 | 6.3 |
| Polonnaruwa | 6.7 | 5.6 |
| Badulla | 12.3 | 10.4 |
| Moneragala | 20.8 | 18.8 |
| Ratnapura | 10.4 | 7.5 |
| Kegalle | 6.7 | 5.4 |
|  |  |  |

Sri Lanka uses Official Poverty Line (OPL) which was established by the Department of Census and Statistics to measure poverty. The value of OPL is based on Household Income and Expenditure Survey data.

OPL, which was established in 2004, was Rs. 1,423 (real total expenditure per person per month) is updated for the inflation of prices through the Colombo Consumer Price Index (CCPI) calculated monthly by the DCS. According to the average price index values adjusted for HIES survey months, DCS publishes Head count index for each survey periods. The current value of OPL is Rs. 3,624 per person per month for 2012/13.

4.1 Poverty head count index and poverty status

Poverty head count Index is the percentage of population below the poverty line and it is widely used to measure poverty in Sri Lanka.



Table 4.1 shows that poverty headcount index is 6.7 percent in 2012/13 (percentage of population below the poverty line) at national level.

When compare the sectors, estate sector reports the highest head count index (10.9 percent) than that of the other two sectors.

When districts are compared, the highest head count index (28.8 percent) is reported Mullaitivu district and the lowest (1.4 percent) is reported from Colombo district.

The household which consist with the members whose per capita expenditure is lower than the value of official Poverty line consider as a poor household.

Table 4.1 also shows the percentage of poor households by sector, province and district level. Table 4.1 reveals that 5.3 percent of households are poor households in Sri Lanka in 2012/13. The highest percentage of poor households is reported from Mullaitivu district (24.7 percent) while the lowest percentage is reported from Colombo district ( 1.1 percent).

4.2 Poverty Gap Index

**Table 4.2 :Poverty gap index and squared poverty gap index by sector, province and district – 2012/13**

The Poverty Gap Index measures the depth of poverty in a country or region, based on the aggregate poverty shortfall of the poor relative to the poverty line. Head Count Index is not always sensitive to changes (until changes are done passing the poverty line) in the status of those already below the poverty line hence, it is inadequate in assessing the impact of specific policies on the poor. On the other hand, the Poverty Gap Index increases with the distance of the poor below the poverty line, and thus gives a good indication of the depth of poverty.



*PG = Poverty Gap*

*SPGI =Squared Poverty Gap Index*

*X i = Real per capita expenditure*

*Z = Poverty line*

*q = Poor population*

*N = Population*

4.3 Squared Poverty Gap- (Poverty Severity) Index-SPGI

Squared poverty gap index measure the severity of the poor. It takes into account the inequality among the poor. Squared poverty gap index weights the PGI itself. So it gives more weight to the very poor. That is a higher SPGI keeps the person/household further away from the poverty line. Squaring the PG gives greater weight to the PG of the poorest since their PG will be larger value.

Table 4.2 shows poverty gap index is 1.2 percent in year 2012/13. Among the sectors the highest poverty gap index is reported from Estate sector (1.6%) Among the districts the highest index is reported from Mullaitivu district (6.2%) and lowest is reported from Colombo district (0.3%).

Squared poverty gap index is also shown in the Table 4.2 and national SPGI is 0.3 in 2012/13. Among the district, the highest SPGI is reported from Mullaitivu district (1.8%).

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Sector /Province /District | Poverty gap index  (PGI) | Squared poverty gap index (SPGI) |
|  | (%) | ( %) |
| Sri Lanka | **1.2** | **0.3** |
| Sector |  |  |
| Urban | 0.3 | 0.1 |
| Rural | 1.4 | 0.4 |
| Estate | 1.6 | 0.4 |
|  |  |  |
| Province |  |  |
| Western | 0.4 | 0.1 |
| Central | 1.0 | 0.2 |
| Southern | 1.4 | 0.4 |
| Northern | 2.3 | 0.7 |
| Eastern | 2.1 | 0.6 |
| North-western | 1.1 | 0.3 |
| North-central | 1.0 | 0.2 |
| Uva | 2.6 | 0.7 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 1.5 | 0.4 |
|  |  |  |
| District |  |  |
| Colombo | 0.3 | 0.1 |
| Gampaha | 0.4 | 0.1 |
| Kalutara | 0.5 | 0.1 |
| Kandy | 1.0 | 0.2 |
| Matale | 1.1 | 0.2 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 1.0 | 0.3 |
| Galle | 1.8 | 0.5 |
| Matara | 1.2 | 0.4 |
| Hambantota | 0.9 | 0.3 |
| Jaffna | 1.7 | 0.6 |
| Mannar | 4.6 | 1.5 |
| Vavunia | 0.5 | 0.1 |
| Mullaitivu | 6.2 | 1.8 |
| Kilinochchi | 2.4 | 0.7 |
| Batticaloa | 4.5 | 1.5 |
| Ampara | 0.6 | 0.1 |
| Trincomalee | 1.4 | 0.3 |
| Kurunegala | 1.3 | 0.4 |
| Puttalam | 0.9 | 0.2 |
| Anuradhapura | 1.1 | 0.2 |
| Polonnaruwa | 0.9 | 0.2 |
| Badulla | 1.8 | 0.4 |
| Moneragala | 4.2 | 1.3 |
| Rathnapura | 1.8 | 0.5 |
| Kegalle | 1.1 | 0.3 |

4.4 Dietary Energy Consumption

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector /Province/ District | Non-poor  (kcal) | Poor  (kcal) | Sri Lanka  (kcal) |
| Sri Lanka | **2,153** | **1,530** | **2,111** |
|  |  |  |  |
| Sector |  |  |  |
| Urban | 1,915 | 1,243 | 1,901 |
| Rural | 2,197 | 1,539 | 2,147 |
| Estate | 2,388 | 1,646 | 2,307 |
|  |  |  |  |
| Province |  |  |  |
| Western | 1,975 | 1,176 | 1,958 |
| Central | 2,246 | 1,523 | 2,198 |
| Southern | 2,214 | 1,443 | 2,155 |
| Northern | 2,219 | 1,545 | 2,146 |
| Eastern | 2,152 | 1,453 | 2,075 |
| North-western | 2,197 | 1,501 | 2,155 |
| North-central | 2,254 | 1,553 | 2,203 |
| Uva | 2,404 | 1,783 | 2,308 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 2,209 | 1,675 | 2,162 |
|  |  |  |  |
| District |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 1,875 | 1,077 | 1,863 |
| Gampaha | 2,034 | 1,240 | 2,018 |
| Kalutara | 2,050 | 1,178 | 2,023 |
| Kandy | 2,131 | 1,431 | 2,088 |
| Matale | 2,331 | 1,553 | 2,270 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 2,407 | 1,664 | 2,358 |
| Galle | 2,108 | 1,383 | 2,036 |
| Matara | 2,229 | 1,568 | 2,182 |
| Hambantota | 2,373 | 1,406 | 2,326 |
| Jaffna | 2,257 | 1,592 | 2,202 |
| Mannar | 1,961 | 1,281 | 1,825 |
| Vavuniya | 2,201 | 1,486 | 2,177 |
| Mullaitivu | 2,115 | 1,584 | 1,962 |
| Kilinochchi | 2,314 | 1,699 | 2,236 |
| Batticaloa | 2,091 | 1,386 | 1,954 |
| Ampara | 2,193 | 1,546 | 2,158 |
| Trincomalee | 2,155 | 1,558 | 2,101 |
| Kurunegala | 2,184 | 1,530 | 2,142 |
| Puttalam | 2,224 | 1,425 | 2,183 |
| Anuradhapura | 2,225 | 1,539 | 2,172 |
| Polonnaruwa | 2,315 | 1,587 | 2,266 |
| Badulla | 2,425 | 1,894 | 2,359 |
| Moneragala | 2,361 | 1,664 | 2,216 |
| Ratnapura | 2,289 | 1,761 | 2,234 |
| Kegalle | 2,109 | 1,500 | 2,069 |
|  |  |  |  |

Table 4.3 shows the average per-capita dietary energy consumption per day by poverty status and sector, province and district – 2012/13.

The average per capita dietary energy consumption for Sri Lanka is 2,111 kilocalories per day in 2012/13. The corresponding figure for the poor is 1,530 kilocalories and for the non-poor is 2,153 kilocalories.

According to the survey results, average per capita dietary energy consumption per day in urban sector reported the lowest value (1,901 kilocalories) than the other sectors.

The highest average per capita dietary energy consumption reported from Badulla district (2,359 kilocalories) while the lowest reported from Mannar.

When consider the poverty status among poor, Colombo district reported the lowest average per capita dietary energy consumption. (1077 kilocalories) while Badulla district reported the highest average per capita energy consumption. (1894 kilocalories).

**Table 4.3: Average per capita dietary energy consumption per day by poverty status and sector, province and district – 2012/13**

**Supplementary Tables**

**5. Supplementary Tables**

**Table 5.1: Food items consumption and expenditure (average monthly per person) – Sri Lanka – 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value (Rs.) |
| **Total food items** |  |  |  |
| **Cereals** |  |  | **672.35** |
| Rice - (Kekulu - white) | grams | 1860.73 | 104.56 |
| Rice - (Kekulu Samba - white ) | grams | 233.92 | 15.39 |
| Rice - (Kekulu - red) | grams | 1939.68 | 106.40 |
| Rice - (Kekulu Samba - red) | grams | 100.87 | 6.48 |
| Rice - (Samba) | grams | 1437.97 | 104.43 |
| Rice - (Nadu - red) | grams | 365.04 | 23.54 |
| Rice - (Nadu - white) | grams | 2934.27 | 179.67 |
| Rice - (Basmathi) | grams | 10.32 | 1.38 |
| Rice - (Other) | grams | 106.40 | 7.84 |
| Rice flour | grams | 193.72 | 18.45 |
| Wheat flour | grams | 564.40 | 54.12 |
| Kurakkan flour | grams | 21.35 | 3.35 |
| Ulundu flour | grams | 7.55 | 1.67 |
| Maize | grams | 13.90 | 1.14 |
| Samaposha | grams | 9.67 | 2.66 |
| Thriposha | grams | 3.78 | 0.74 |
| Noodles / Pasta | grams | 93.53 | 21.18 |
| Papadam | grams | 37.01 | 14.52 |
| Infants cereal foods (Nestum) | grams | 2.10 | 1.59 |
| Barley | grams | 0.09 | 0.05 |
| Sago | grams | 1.02 | 0.23 |
| Corn flakes | grams | 0.50 | 0.32 |
| Other cereals | grams | 15.98 | 2.63 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Prepared food (outside)** |  |  | **456.44** |
| Bread (Normal) | grams | 926.17 | 119.09 |
| Bread (Special) |  | 0.02 | 4.78 |
| Roasted Bread | number | 0.22 | 3.55 |
| Buns/ Spunchi | number | 1.39 | 31.48 |
| Hoppers | number | 1.71 | 16.70 |
| String hoppers | number | 17.62 | 37.92 |
| Pittu | number | 0.31 | 5.52 |
| Roty/ Parata | number | 0.80 | 11.72 |
| Thosai/ Itly | number | 0.47 | 7.05 |
| Koththu | number | 0.07 | 10.32 |
| Rice (meat and vegetables) | number | 0.37 | 51.65 |
| Rice (fish and vegetables) | number | 0.84 | 86.86 |
| Rice (only vegetables ) | number | 0.48 | 39.61 |
| Curry (meat) |  | - | 1.64 |
| Curry (fish) |  | - | 2.76 |
| Curry (vegetables) |  | - | 2.57 |
| Other prepared foods |  | - | 20.72 |
| Borders/ Servants outside food |  | - | 2.51 |

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|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value (Rs.) |
| **Pulses** |  |  | **142.24** |
| Dhal - gram | grams | 15.46 | 2.78 |
| Dhal - Misoor | grams | 562.53 | 92.57 |
| Dhal - Vatana | grams | 7.77 | 1.17 |
| Green gram | grams | 37.30 | 8.05 |
| Gram | grams | 44.43 | 9.81 |
| Cowpea - Red | grams | 9.74 | 1.85 |
| Cowpea - White | grams | 12.73 | 2.43 |
| Soya | grams | 9.15 | 2.62 |
| Soya meat | grams | 52.41 | 18.80 |
| Other pulses | grams | 9.63 | 2.17 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Vegetables and leaves** |  |  | **329.48** |
| Ash plantain | grams | 63.30 | 5.33 |
| Brinjal | grams | 263.59 | 24.03 |
| Bandakka | grams | 117.86 | 11.49 |
| Bitter gourd | grams | 73.34 | 8.80 |
| Thumbakaravila | grams | 4.53 | 0.83 |
| Long beans | grams | 168.52 | 14.94 |
| Snake gourd | grams | 67.66 | 5.69 |
| Ridge gourd | grams | 81.14 | 7.13 |
| Sweet pumpkin | grams | 237.46 | 18.42 |
| Beans | grams | 325.63 | 40.77 |
| Carrot | grams | 139.22 | 18.72 |
| Beetroot | grams | 107.73 | 12.18 |
| Cabbage | grams | 158.49 | 15.21 |
| Cauliflower | grams | 2.95 | 0.49 |
| Tomatoes | grams | 67.30 | 7.58 |
| Leeks | grams | 85.49 | 10.41 |
| Kno khol | grams | 21.39 | 1.82 |
| Capsicum | grams | 49.10 | 7.31 |
| Dambala | grams | 48.63 | 5.33 |
| Radish | grams | 63.77 | 4.78 |
| Drumstick | grams | 56.04 | 4.91 |
| Cucumber | grams | 53.77 | 3.48 |
| Kekiri | grams | 57.82 | 3.32 |
| Ash pumpkin | grams | 11.12 | 0.74 |
| Elabattu | grams | 42.31 | 3.99 |
| Thibbatu | grams | 11.82 | 1.48 |
| Kohila yams | grams | 24.88 | 2.21 |
| Lotus stems | grams | 3.81 | 0.42 |
| Plantain flower | grams | 67.38 | 4.11 |
| Ambarella | grams | 30.22 | 2.21 |
| Mango | grams | 11.63 | 0.81 |
| Cashew nuts (raw) | grams | 3.18 | 2.08 |
| Mushrooms | grams | 13.02 | 2.83 |
| Polos |  | - | 7.86 |

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|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value (Rs.) |
| **Vegetables and leaves (Contd.)** |  |  |  |
| Other vegetables |  | - | 2.93 |
| Mukunuwenna | bundles | 0.95 | 19.29 |
| Gotukola | bundles | 0.85 | 14.45 |
| Kankun | bundles | 0.26 | 5.60 |
| Katurumurunga | bundles | 0.20 | 4.13 |
| Nivithi | grams | 27.21 | 2.01 |
| Thampala | bundles | 0.15 | 3.57 |
| Sarana | bundles | 0.03 | 0.63 |
| Kohila leaves | bundles | 0.12 | 2.72 |
| Onion leaves | grams | 15.63 | 1.54 |
| Cabbage leaves | grams | 22.37 | 1.72 |
| Other leaves |  | - | 9.20 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Yams and other similar food** |  |  | **86.9** |
| Jak and jak seeds |  | - | 12.81 |
| Bread fruit | number | 0.17 | 6.80 |
| Potatoes | grams | 507.25 | 53.09 |
| Sweet Potatoes | grams | 43.52 | 2.98 |
| Mannioc | grams | 171.53 | 8.63 |
| Kiriala | grams | 12.81 | 1.09 |
| Innala | grams | 4.98 | 0.55 |
| Prepared yam slices/ chips | grams | 0.28 | 0.07 |
| Other yams and similar food | grams | 9.25 | 0.88 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Meat** |  |  | **172.44** |
| Chicken | grams | 320.16 | 131.34 |
| Beef | grams | 68.00 | 28.80 |
| Mutton | grams | 4.25 | 3.52 |
| Pork | grams | 8.87 | 3.43 |
| Sausages/Meat balls | grams | 4.99 | 3.64 |
| Other meat | grams | 3.59 | 1.71 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Fish (fresh)** |  |  | **368.42** |
| Balaya | grams | 82.58 | 35.06 |
| Seer | grams | 8.16 | 6.34 |
| Mora | grams | 6.59 | 3.30 |
| Paraw | grams | 44.46 | 22.67 |
| Thalapath | grams | 35.32 | 25.88 |
| Kelavalla | grams | 70.98 | 41.33 |
| Stones fish | grams | 37.42 | 15.35 |
| Other large fish | grams | 83.51 | 31.02 |
| Sprats | grams | 16.07 | 5.23 |
| Hurulla | grams | 90.91 | 27.56 |
| Karalla/Katuwalla | grams | 10.52 | 2.91 |
| Kumbalawa/ Angila | grams | 20.38 | 7.89 |
| Salaya/ Sudaya | grams | 89.07 | 20.07 |

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|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value (Rs.) |
| **Fish (fresh) Contd.** |  |  |  |
| Other small fish | grams | 100.35 | 30.97 |
| Lula | grams | 3.68 | 1.27 |
| Teppili/ Tilapiya/ Korali | grams | 115.60 | 26.60 |
| Other fresh water fish | grams | 27.14 | 7.02 |
| Prawns | grams | 21.33 | 12.47 |
| Crabs | grams | 5.87 | 1.93 |
| Cuttlefish | grams | 9.02 | 3.73 |
| Linna | grams | 27.47 | 10.62 |
| Coppara | grams | 0.12 | 0.09 |
| Canned fish (Salmon) | grams | 51.42 | 29.12 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Dried fish** |  |  | **168.88** |
| Sprats (dry) | grams | 128.86 | 63.62 |
| Keerameen (dry) | grams | 24.00 | 13.20 |
| Salaya (dry) | grams | 12.36 | 4.58 |
| Hurulla (dry) | grams | 10.66 | 4.61 |
| Thalapath (dry) | grams | 4.76 | 4.11 |
| Seer (dry) | grams | 1.09 | 1.00 |
| Katta (dry) | grams | 19.27 | 17.12 |
| Koduwa (dry) | grams | 0.66 | 0.44 |
| Anjila (dry) | grams | 0.36 | 0.19 |
| Balaya (dry) | grams | 28.70 | 18.06 |
| Mora/Keelan (dry) | grams | 20.54 | 15.02 |
| Paraw (dry) | grams | 1.63 | 1.01 |
| Anguluwa (dry) | grams | 13.93 | 7.31 |
| Prawns (dry) | grams | 1.73 | 1.24 |
| Cattle fish (dry) | grams | 0.24 | 0.13 |
| Fresh water dried fishes | grams | 4.48 | 2.37 |
| Jadi | grams | 0.24 | 0.12 |
| Other dried fish | grams | 25.51 | 14.76 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Eggs** |  |  | **41.27** |
| Hen eggs | number | 2.90 | 41.14 |
| Quail eggs | number | 0.01 | 0.12 |
| Other eggs | number | 0.01 | 0.01 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Coconuts (nuts and powder)** |  |  | **248.62** |
| Coconut (Nuts) | number | 7.29 | 247.91 |
| Coconut milk powder | grams | 1.17 | 0.71 |
| Coconut milk caned/ bottled | ml | - | - |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Condiments** |  |  | **364.88** |
| Dried chilies | grams | 48.84 | 13.83 |
| Chili powder | grams | 107.19 | 47.30 |
| Red onions | grams | 199.83 | 25.41 |
| Bombay onions | grams | 607.51 | 52.91 |

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|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value (Rs.) |
| **Condiments (Contd.)** |  |  |  |
| Garlic | grams | 78.15 | 21.51 |
| Maldives fish | grams | 12.38 | 16.62 |
| Pepper | grams | 23.19 | 24.41 |
| Turmeric/ Turmeric powder | grams | 27.67 | 20.12 |
| Curry powder (Sarakku) | grams | 57.84 | 29.36 |
| Green chilies | grams | 114.82 | 26.54 |
| Limes | number | 2.60 | 13.38 |
| Cumin seeds |  | - | 4.69 |
| Panel seeds |  | - | 3.92 |
| Coriander |  | - | 5.68 |
| Mathe seeds |  | - | 5.63 |
| Mustard |  | - | 4.32 |
| Goraka |  | - | 8.22 |
| Tamarind |  | - | 5.33 |
| Cinnamon |  | - | 5.44 |
| Salt |  | - | 15.83 |
| Curry leaves |  | - | 10.04 |
| Ginger |  | - | 3.13 |
| Vinegar |  | - | 0.54 |
| Other condiments |  | - | 0.72 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Other packed, tinned or bottled food** |  |  | **7.38** |
| Sauce |  | - | 1.67 |
| Marmite/ Vegemite |  | - | 2.64 |
| Soup cubes/ powder |  | - | 2.09 |
| Lime pickle |  | - | 0.17 |
| Chutney |  | - | 0.15 |
| Canned fruits |  | - | 0.21 |
| Other packed, tinned or bottled food |  | - | 0.46 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Milk and milk food** |  |  | **357.72** |
| Cow milk | ml | 92.43 | 6.58 |
| Goat milk | ml | 3.21 | 0.49 |
| Sterilized milk | ml | 4.59 | 0.52 |
| Curd |  | - | 10.60 |
| Yoghurt/ Moru |  | - | 21.54 |
| Condensed milk | grams | 2.82 | 2.20 |
| Milk powder | grams | 330.93 | 266.83 |
| Infant milk powder | grams | 23.47 | 28.80 |
| Butter | grams | 4.86 | 4.83 |
| Margarine | grams | 8.74 | 5.76 |
| Cheese | grams | 2.51 | 4.26 |
| Milk packets (liquid) | number | 0.09 | 2.40 |
| Other milk and milk products |  | - | 2.91 |
|  |  |  |  |

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|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value (Rs.) |
| **Fat and oil** |  |  | **97.82** |
| Coconut oil | ml | 361.22 | 88.27 |
| Vegetable oil | ml | 23.36 | 7.11 |
| Gingerly oil | ml | 2.95 | 1.39 |
| Ghee | ml | 0.31 | 0.15 |
| Other oil and fat | ml | 2.35 | 0.89 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Sugar, Juggery and Treacle** |  |  | **122.61** |
| Sugar | grams | 1110.93 | 118.21 |
| Juggery | grams | 11.47 | 3.06 |
| Treacle | ml | 2.95 | 1.00 |
| Bee honey |  | - | 0.28 |
| Other sweeteners |  | - | 0.05 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Fruits (fresh and dried)** |  |  | **118.84** |
| Banana - Ambul | number | 6.58 | 20.05 |
| Banana - Anamalu | number | 0.42 | 3.99 |
| Banana - Kolikuttu | number | 0.90 | 8.51 |
| Banana - Seeni | number | 3.78 | 12.88 |
| Banana - Other | number | 0.39 | 2.99 |
| Pineapple | number | 0.07 | 5.22 |
| Papaw | number | 0.67 | 23.83 |
| Mangoes | number | 0.50 | 8.32 |
| Apple | number | 0.23 | 8.07 |
| Avocado | number | 0.14 | 2.60 |
| Wood apple | number | 0.12 | 1.33 |
| Oranges/ Manderin | number | 0.19 | 3.79 |
| King coconut/ Kurumba | number | 0.05 | 1.20 |
| Guava | Grams | 6.05 | 1.23 |
| Grapes | Grams | 5.50 | 3.14 |
| Melon | Grams | 24.55 | 1.59 |
| Other fresh fruits |  | - | 4.02 |
| Dates | grams | 10.60 | 2.71 |
| Cashew nuts | grams | 1.08 | 0.97 |
| Groundnuts | grams | 6.66 | 1.89 |
| Plums | grams | 0.68 | 0.42 |
| Other dried fruits | grams | 0.39 | 0.10 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |

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|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value (Rs.) |
| **Confectioneries and other short eats** |  |  | **150.19** |
| Jam | grams | 4.33 | 2.58 |
| Ice-cream |  | - | 15.85 |
| Chocolates | grams | 4.55 | 4.40 |
| Toffees | number | 0.60 | 1.14 |
| Biscuits | grams | 204.30 | 74.48 |
| Jelly |  | - | 1.01 |
| Snacks packets | grams | 8.24 | 3.41 |
| Cake | grams | 28.32 | 11.36 |
| Kawum/ Kokis etc. | number | 0.24 | 2.55 |
| Muskets/ Kaludodol etc. | grams | 2.17 | 0.82 |
| Talabola/ Rulan etc. | number | 0.17 | 0.92 |
| Cutlets/ Patties/ Wadei/ Pastries etc. | number | 1.44 | 24.48 |
| palmyrah products | number | 0.02 | 0.20 |
| Other confectioneries and short eats |  | - | 7.01 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Beverages (non-alcoholic)** |  |  | **125.49** |
| Tea dust/ leaves | grams | 113.04 | 72.63 |
| Coffee powder/ seeds | grams | 3.91 | 3.69 |
| Soft drinks |  | - | 6.75 |
| Fruit drinks/ Cordials |  | - | 2.71 |
| Saruwath | number | 0.01 | 0.19 |
| Milk Tea/ Nescafe | number | 0.49 | 12.78 |
| Plain Tea | number | 1.65 | 18.78 |
| Milk Coffee | number | 0.03 | 0.81 |
| Coffee | number | 0.03 | 0.18 |
| Drink packets/ Ice packets | number | 0.13 | 1.30 |
| Gruel | number | 0.11 | 2.27 |
| Bottled water | number | 0.13 | 1.53 |
| Other non-alcoholic beverages |  | - | 1.87 |

**Table 5.2: Non-food items consumption and expenditure (average monthly per person) – Sri Lanka– 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Non-food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity (Unit) | Value (Rs.) |
| **All non-food items** |  |  |  |
| **Housing** |  |  | **1202.28** |
| Housing rent |  | 0.41 | 1157.09 |
| Taxes |  | - | 6.36 |
| Water bills |  | - | 38.82 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Fuel and light** |  |  | **451.99** |
| Electricity (monthly average) |  | - | 195.65 |
| Solar power |  | - | 0.94 |
| Kerosene oil (monthly average) | ml | 202.12 | 24.01 |
| Fire wood purchased (monthly average) | kg | 4.06 | 28.46 |
| Fire wood free |  | - | 67.26 |
| L. P. Gas (monthly average) | grams | 508.91 | 95.27 |
| Normal Bulbs (last month) | number | 0.07 | 6.43 |
| Energy saving bulbs | number | 0.07 | 25.45 |
| Matche boxes (last month) | number | 0.97 | 4.82 |
| Candles (last month) | number | 0.11 | 0.93 |
| Dry cell batteries (last month) | number | 0.06 | 2.48 |
| Borders/servants Fuel and lite |  | - | 0.08 |
| Other expenses for fuel and light |  | - | 0.20 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Personal care expenses** |  |  | **158.94** |
| Toilet soap |  |  | 44.32 |
| Tooth paste |  |  | 18.31 |
| Tooth brushes |  |  | 7.59 |
| Powder |  |  | 5.10 |
| Perfumes |  |  | 9.00 |
| Face cream and lotions |  |  | 12.40 |
| Hair oils, creams |  |  | 5.01 |
| Lipstick and nail polish |  |  | 1.03 |
| Shaving goods and creams |  |  | 10.85 |
| Artificial jewelries |  |  | 1.61 |
| Sanitary towels |  |  | 11.63 |
| Sesame oil (body applying) |  |  | 0.74 |
| Hair cutting and shaving charges |  |  | 25.38 |
| Hair dressing and Beauty culture services |  |  | 5.01 |
| Other personal care expenses |  |  | 0.96 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Health expenses** |  |  | **402.96** |
| Fees to private medical practices |  |  | 153.11 |
| Fees to Aurvedic practitioners |  |  | 6.56 |
| Consultation fees to specialists |  |  | 20.24 |
| Payments. to medical laboratories |  |  | 30.63 |
| Payments to private hospitals/ nursing homes |  |  | 83.78 |
| Purchase of medical/ pharmacy products |  |  | 92.01 |
| Spectacles |  |  | 3.92 |
| Hearing aids |  |  | 1.31 |
| Scan (US, CT etc.) |  |  | 4.40 |

**Table 5.2: Non-food items consumption and expenditure (average monthly per person) – Sri Lanka – 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Non-food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity (Unit) | Value (Rs.) |
| **Health expenses (Contd.)** |  |  |  |
| X Ray |  |  | 1.07 |
| Other health expenses |  |  | 5.94 |
| **Transport** |  |  | **881.79** |
| Train (other than schooling) |  | - | 9.61 |
| Bus (other than schooling) |  | - | 160.53 |
| Van (other than schooling) |  | - | 9.03 |
| Taxi (other than schooling) |  | - | 11.70 |
| Three wheelers (other than schooling) |  | - | 40.78 |
| Transport for schooling/ pre-schooling |  | - | 84.47 |
| Ships and Air lines |  | - | 17.65 |
| Other transport expenses |  | - | 3.07 |
| Petrol and other fuel |  | 0.01 | 238.96 |
| Diesel |  | - | 63.46 |
| Lubricating oil |  | - | 6.36 |
| Other fuel |  | - | 4.11 |
| Tyres, tubes and spare parts |  | - | 46.23 |
| Servicing of vehicles |  | - | 91.92 |
| License fees |  | - | 19.16 |
| Insurance fees |  | - | 63.33 |
| Other vehicle maintenance expenses |  | - | 10.32 |
| Borders/ Servants Transport and Communication |  | - | 1.09 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Communication** |  |  | **229.68** |
| Postal and Telegraph charges |  |  | 0.80 |
| Telephone charges - Home fixed phone |  |  | 67.22 |
| Telephone charges - mobile |  |  | 146.18 |
| Telephone charges (taken outside) |  |  | 4.43 |
| Email/internet charges |  |  | 10.39 |
| Other communication charges |  |  | 0.65 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Education** |  |  | **372.95** |
| Exercise books and stationeries. |  |  | 60.81 |
| Educational newspapers and magazines |  |  | 6.22 |
| School text books |  |  | 5.27 |
| School facility fees (government) |  |  | 10.14 |
| School fees (private) |  |  | 10.61 |
| School fees (International) |  |  | 19.81 |
| Tuition fees |  |  | 166.64 |
| Boarding fees |  |  | 5.62 |
| Higher education course fees |  |  | 33.49 |
| Vocational training course fees |  |  | 19.08 |
| Pre-school fees (KG) |  |  | 14.77 |
| Examination fees |  |  | 5.91 |
| Other education expenses |  |  | 14.57 |
|  |  |  |  |

**Table 5.2: Non-food items consumption and expenditure (average monthly per person) – Sri Lanka – 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Non-food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity (Unit) | Value (Rs.) |
| **Recreations, Entertainments, Training and Cultural activities** |  |  | **132.68** |
| Cinemas/ Drama/ Video films |  |  | 3.04 |
| Books/ Newspapers/ Magazines |  |  | 16.03 |
| Lotteries/ Betting |  |  | 12.52 |
| Excursions and Pilgrimages |  |  | 57.29 |
| Arts/ Music/ Dancing |  |  | 1.00 |
| Sports |  |  | 1.13 |
| Pets/ Aquariums |  |  | 3.48 |
| Toys |  |  | 7.04 |
| Maintenance of Radio/ TV/ CD/ DVD |  |  | 3.62 |
| Sacred goods |  |  | 14.58 |
| Cable/ Satellite TV charges |  |  | 5.19 |
| Astrology, exorcism etc. |  |  | 4.40 |
| Borders/ Servants Recr/ Entertain/ Cultural acts |  |  | 0.33 |
| Other |  |  | 3.02 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Household cleaning and sanitary goods** |  |  | **82.02** |
| Washing soap |  |  | 46.92 |
| Washing powder |  |  | 26.42 |
| Mosquito coils |  |  | 3.11 |
| Disinfectants |  |  | 4.18 |
| Insecticides |  |  | 0.97 |
| Other |  |  | 0.42 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Household services** |  |  | **49.02** |
| Laundry charges |  |  | 1.52 |
| Grinding charges |  |  | 4.37 |
| Wages to servants |  |  | 27.93 |
| Wages to drivers |  |  | 9.94 |
| Payments for children day care services |  |  | 0.54 |
| Payments for elderly care services etc. |  |  | 0.21 |
| Borders/ Servants Household services |  |  | 0.08 |
| Other household services |  |  | 4.44 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Clothing and Textiles** |  |  | **251.95** |
| Trousers (Gents) | number | 0.03 | 35.56 |
| Trousers (Ladies) | number | 0.01 | 7.55 |
| Shirts | number | 0.03 | 27.34 |
| Sarees | number | 0.01 | 20.38 |
| T-shirts (Gents) | number | 0.03 | 17.07 |
| T-shirts (Ladies) | number | 0.02 | 8.28 |
| Sarongs/ Vetties | number | 0.03 | 13.21 |
| Frocks | number | 0.02 | 12.34 |
| Skirts/ Blouses | number | 0.04 | 25.14 |
| Salvars | number | - | 3.45 |
| Banyans | number | 0.02 | 2.84 |
| Men's under wears | number | 0.03 | 4.15 |

**Table 5.2: Non-food items consumption and expenditure (average monthly per person) – Sri Lanka – 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Non-food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity (Unit) | Value (Rs.) |
| **Clothing and Textiles (Contd.)** |  |  |  |
| Women's under wears | number | 0.04 | 6.34 |
| Housecoats/ Kimonas/ Night dress | number | 0.01 | 3.52 |
| Brassieres | number | 0.02 | 5.52 |
| Socks/ Stockings | number | 0.02 | 2.08 |
| Ties | number | - | 0.56 |
| Handkerchiefs | number | 0.04 | 1.09 |
| Children's dresses | number | 0.04 | 18.22 |
| School uniforms | number | 0.01 | 6.61 |
| Towels | number | 0.01 | 3.19 |
| Bed sheets | number | 0.01 | 4.38 |
| Pillow cases | number | 0.01 | 1.50 |
| Mosquito nets | number | - | 3.66 |
| Other clothing | number | 0.02 | 2.91 |
| Materials for Clothing | cm | 3.33 | 5.21 |
| Material for school uniforms | cm | 2.40 | 3.33 |
| For curtains/ Furnishing material | cm | 1.23 | 3.09 |
| Other materials and textiles | cm | 0.26 | 0.43 |
| Tailoring charges for clothing |  | - | 1.06 |
| Tailoring for school uniforms |  | - | 1.37 |
| Borders / Servants Clothing and Textiles |  | - | 0.57 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Foot-wear and other personal effects** |  |  | **55.57** |
| Shoes | number | 0.02 | 25.40 |
| Sandals / Slippers | number | 0.03 | 14.95 |
| Umbrellas | number | 0.01 | 3.68 |
| Hand bags/ Traveling bags | number | 0.01 | 7.22 |
| Head wears | number | - | 1.15 |
| Rain coats | number | - | 0.81 |
| Charges for repairs of shoes, bags etc. | number | 0.01 | 1.05 |
| Borders/ Servants personal effects | number | - | 0.84 |
| Other personal effects | number | - | 0.48 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Durable household goods** |  |  | **39.69** |
| Glass ware | number | 0.01 | 3.05 |
| Plastic ware | number | 0.03 | 4.83 |
| Aluminum ware | number | 0.01 | 4.44 |
| Clay ware, pots and pans | number | 0.03 | 2.62 |
| Cane/ Rush products (watti, kulu) | number | - | 0.37 |
| Cutlery | number | 0.01 | 0.91 |
| Lamps/ Lamp shades | number | - | 0.55 |
| Brooms/ Brushes/Ekle | number | 0.05 | 5.75 |
| Mats and Pillows | number | - | 1.09 |
| Rugs/ Carpets | number | 0.01 | 1.63 |
| Mattress | number | - | 8.58 |
| Torches | number | - | 0.63 |
| Thermos flasks | number | - | 2.32 |
| Twines/ Ropes/ Strings | number | 0.01 | 0.61 |

**Table 5.2: Non-food items consumption and expenditure (average monthly per person) – Sri Lanka – 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Non-food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity (Unit) | Value (Rs.) |
| **Durable household goods (Contd.)** |  |  |  |
| Borders/ Servants durable household goods | number | - | 0.28 |
| Other durable household goods | number | - | 2.04 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Long durable household goods** |  |  | **222.44** |
| Chairs - Plastic | number |  | 3.59 |
| Chairs - Wood | number |  | 2.54 |
| Chairs - Steel | number |  | 0.14 |
| Tables | number |  | 2.10 |
| Settees | number |  | 5.72 |
| Almyras - Wood | number |  | 5.24 |
| Almyras - Steel | number |  | 2.77 |
| Beds | number |  | 4.02 |
| Other furniture | number |  | 2.89 |
| Clocks/ Watches | number |  | 0.42 |
| Cookers - Kerosene | number |  | 0.04 |
| Cookers - Electric | number |  | 1.12 |
| Cookers - Gas |  |  | 0.76 |
| Mixers, Grinders, Beaters etc. |  |  | 0.60 |
| Irons |  |  | 0.46 |
| Refrigerators |  |  | 5.93 |
| Ovens |  |  | 0.46 |
| Fans |  |  | 1.80 |
| Sewing machines |  |  | 1.50 |
| Radio/ |  |  | 0.99 |
| Audio CD/ DVD players and recorders |  |  | 1.17 |
| Televisions/ Video |  |  | 7.87 |
| Washing machines |  |  | 2.34 |
| Musical instruments |  |  | 0.51 |
| Bicycles/ Motor cycles/ Scooters |  |  | 19.10 |
| Three wheelers |  |  | 27.53 |
| Motor cars/ Vans |  |  | 68.59 |
| Prams/ Go-carts/ Tricycles |  |  | 0.11 |
| Gardening tools |  |  | 0.80 |
| Cameras and Projectors |  |  | 0.36 |
| Personal computers |  |  | 6.55 |
| Jewelries |  |  | 15.20 |
| Telephones |  |  | 2.71 |
| Kitchen equipment (heaters etc.) |  |  | 1.77 |
| Goods purchased on easy payments |  |  | 21.02 |
| Borders/ Servants Long durable goods |  |  | 0.14 |
| Other long durable goods |  |  | 3.58 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Other non-consumption and miscellaneous expenses** | |  | **1163.77** |
| EPFs/ W.&.O.P. |  |  | 113.23 |
| Contribution to unions, societies |  |  | 18.65 |
| Insurance/Agrahara |  |  | 53.86 |
| Savings (including Seettu) |  |  | 165.80 |
| Payments for debts/Pawned |  |  | 682.71 |

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|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Non-food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity (Unit) | Value (Rs.) |
| **Other non-consumption and miscellaneous expenses (Contd.)** |  |  |  |
| Loans given |  |  | 49.05 |
| Investments/ Shares purchased |  |  | 15.06 |
| Income taxes |  |  | 9.91 |
| Borders/ Servants Lodging |  |  | 2.70 |
| Borders/ Servants Family transfers |  |  | 8.61 |
| Borders/ Servants Savings/ Ins/ Contributions etc. |  |  | 3.32 |
| Borders/ Servants miscellaneous expenditure |  |  | 0.87 |
| Other miscellaneous expenses |  |  | 39.99 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Other windfall expenses** |  |  | **765.26** |
| Expenses. on weddings, funerals |  |  | 146.68 |
| Social activities/ ceremonies |  |  | 50.31 |
| Litigation |  |  | 4.06 |
| Gifts/ Donation/ Transfers |  |  | 33.43 |
| Maintenance/ Reconstruction |  |  | 205.03 |
| Purchasing of properties |  |  | 90.69 |
| New house construction |  |  | 205.95 |
| Other random household expenses |  |  | 29.11 |
| **Liquor, Narcotic drugs and Tobacco** |  |  | 181.58 |
| Toddy |  | - | 4.99 |
| Arrack |  | - | 67.79 |
| Kassippu |  | - | 7.33 |
| Beer/ Stout |  | - | 6.63 |
| Whiskey/ Brandy |  | - | 1.53 |
| Gin |  | - | 0.07 |
| Wine |  | - | 0.21 |
| Other liquors |  | - | 0.82 |
| Drugs (Ganja, Heroin etc.) |  | - | 0.77 |
| Cigarettes | number | 1.56 | 35.44 |
| Cigars | number | 0.18 | 0.90 |
| Beedi | number | 2.31 | 5.58 |
| Pipe tobacco |  | - | 0.09 |
| Beetle leaves | numbers | 9.50 | 12.25 |
| Areca nuts | numbers | 4.50 | 9.59 |
| Tobacco (chewing) |  | - | 5.17 |
| Chunam |  | - | 1.15 |
| Bulathwita/ Sarawita | number | 1.55 | 21.27 |

**Table 5.3: Food items consumption and expenditure (average monthly per household) – Sri Lanka – 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value(Rs.) |
| **Total food items** |  |  | **15,651.00** |
| **Cereals** |  |  | **2609.94** |
| Rice - (Kekulu - white) | grams | 7223.00 | 405.88 |
| Rice - (Kekulu Samba - white ) | grams | 908.03 | 59.75 |
| Rice - (Kekulu - red) | grams | 7529.44 | 413.01 |
| Rice - (Kekulu Samba - red) | grams | 391.57 | 25.15 |
| Rice - (Samba) | grams | 5581.91 | 405.39 |
| Rice - (Nadu - red) | grams | 1417.01 | 91.38 |
| Rice - (Nadu - white) | grams | 11390.24 | 697.43 |
| Rice - (Basmathi) | grams | 40.05 | 5.34 |
| Rice - (Other) | grams | 413.04 | 30.43 |
| Rice flour | grams | 751.97 | 71.64 |
| Wheat flour | grams | 2190.88 | 210.08 |
| Kurakkan flour | grams | 82.86 | 13.00 |
| Ulundu flour | grams | 29.32 | 6.49 |
| Maize | grams | 53.96 | 4.43 |
| Samaposha | grams | 37.56 | 10.32 |
| Thriposha | grams | 14.68 | 2.88 |
| Noodles / Pasta | grams | 363.07 | 82.22 |
| Papadam | grams | 143.68 | 56.36 |
| Infants cereal foods (Nestum) | grams | 8.14 | 6.17 |
| Barley | grams | 0.36 | 0.20 |
| Sago | grams | 3.97 | 0.90 |
| Corn flakes | grams | 1.93 | 1.26 |
| Other cereals | grams | 62.03 | 10.21 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Prepared food (outside)** |  |  | **1771.83** |
| Bread (Normal) | grams | 3595.20 | 462.28 |
| Bread (Special) |  | 0.08 | 18.55 |
| Roasted Bread | number | 0.86 | 13.78 |
| Buns/ Spunchi | number | 5.39 | 122.22 |
| Hoppers | number | 6.64 | 64.81 |
| String hoppers | number | 68.39 | 147.18 |
| Pittu | number | 1.19 | 21.41 |
| Roty/ Parata | number | 3.10 | 45.50 |
| Thosai/ Itly | number | 1.82 | 27.38 |
| Koththu | number | 0.27 | 40.07 |
| Rice (meat and vegetables) | number | 1.42 | 200.49 |
| Rice (fish and vegetables) | number | 3.27 | 337.18 |
| Rice (only vegetables ) | number | 1.88 | 153.75 |
| Curry (meat) |  | - | 6.35 |
| Curry (fish) |  | - | 10.72 |
| Curry (vegetables) |  | - | 9.99 |
| Other prepared food |  | - | 80.42 |
| Borders/ Servants outside food |  | - | 9.75 |
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|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value(Rs.) |
| **Pulses** |  |  | **552.16** |
| Dhal - gram | grams | 59.99 | 10.77 |
| Dhal - Misoor | grams | 2183.62 | 359.33 |
| Dhal - Vatana | grams | 30.16 | 4.54 |
| Green gram | grams | 144.78 | 31.24 |
| Gram | grams | 172.47 | 38.08 |
| Cowpea - Red | grams | 37.82 | 7.20 |
| Cowpea - White | grams | 49.43 | 9.42 |
| Soya | grams | 35.51 | 10.18 |
| Soya meat | grams | 203.46 | 72.97 |
| Other pulses | grams | 37.39 | 8.42 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Vegetables and leaves** |  |  | **1278.96** |
| Ash plantain | grams | 245.71 | 20.69 |
| Brinjal | grams | 1023.22 | 93.29 |
| Bandakka | grams | 457.50 | 44.60 |
| Bitter gourd | grams | 284.70 | 34.16 |
| Thumbakaravila | grams | 17.60 | 3.24 |
| Long beans | grams | 654.16 | 57.98 |
| Snake gourd | grams | 262.66 | 22.09 |
| Ridge gourd | grams | 314.96 | 27.66 |
| Sweet pumpkin | grams | 921.77 | 71.51 |
| Beans | grams | 1264.02 | 158.27 |
| Carrot | grams | 540.41 | 72.66 |
| Beetroot | grams | 418.18 | 47.27 |
| Cabbage | grams | 615.23 | 59.03 |
| Cauliflower | grams | 11.47 | 1.90 |
| Tomatoes | grams | 261.23 | 29.42 |
| Leeks | grams | 331.87 | 40.41 |
| Knol khol | grams | 83.04 | 7.05 |
| Capsicum | grams | 190.59 | 28.36 |
| Dambala | grams | 188.76 | 20.68 |
| Radish | grams | 247.56 | 18.54 |
| Drumstick | grams | 217.55 | 19.04 |
| Cucumber | grams | 208.72 | 13.50 |
| Kekiri | grams | 224.46 | 12.89 |
| Ash pumpkin | grams | 43.17 | 2.88 |
| Elabattu | grams | 164.23 | 15.50 |
| Thibbatu | grams | 45.89 | 5.75 |
| Kohila yams | grams | 96.59 | 8.59 |
| Lotus stems | grams | 14.79 | 1.64 |
| Plantain flower | grams | 261.55 | 15.95 |
| Ambarella | grams | 117.30 | 8.56 |
| Mango | grams | 45.13 | 3.15 |
| Cashew nuts (raw) | grams | 12.35 | 8.09 |
| Mushrooms | grams | 50.53 | 10.97 |
| Polos |  | - | 30.50 |
| Other vegetables |  | - | 11.39 |
| Mukunuwenna | bundles | 3.68 | 74.87 |
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|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value(Rs.) |
| **Vegetables and leaves (Contd.)** |  |  |  |
| Gotukola | bundles | 3.32 | 56.10 |
| Kankun | bundles | 1.01 | 21.73 |
| Katurumurunga | bundles | 0.79 | 16.04 |
| Nivithi | grams | 105.62 | 7.79 |
| Thampala | bundles | 0.60 | 13.87 |
| Sarana | bundles | 0.10 | 2.46 |
| Kohila leaves | bundles | 0.46 | 10.57 |
| Onion leaves | grams | 60.66 | 5.99 |
| Cabbage leaves | grams | 86.83 | 6.67 |
| Other leaves |  | - | 35.71 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Yams and other similar food** |  |  | **337.32** |
| Jak and jak seeds |  | - | 49.73 |
| Bread fruit | number | 0.65 | 26.38 |
| Potatoes | grams | 1969.04 | 206.08 |
| Sweet Potatoes | grams | 168.92 | 11.57 |
| Mannioc | grams | 665.84 | 33.50 |
| Kiriala | grams | 49.72 | 4.23 |
| Innala | grams | 19.33 | 2.12 |
| Prepared yam slices/ chips | grams | 1.09 | 0.26 |
| Other yams and similar food | grams | 35.92 | 3.43 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Meat** |  |  | **669.37** |
| Chicken | grams | 1242.78 | 509.85 |
| Beef | grams | 263.97 | 111.79 |
| Mutton | grams | 16.48 | 13.68 |
| Pork | grams | 34.44 | 13.31 |
| Sausages/Meat balls | grams | 19.37 | 14.11 |
| Other meat | grams | 13.93 | 6.62 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Fish (fresh)** |  |  | **1430.14** |
| Balaya | grams | 320.55 | 136.09 |
| Seer | grams | 31.67 | 24.62 |
| Mora | grams | 25.59 | 12.79 |
| Paraw | grams | 172.59 | 87.99 |
| Thalapath | grams | 137.11 | 100.46 |
| Kelavalla | grams | 275.53 | 160.44 |
| Stones fish | grams | 145.25 | 59.59 |
| Other large fish | grams | 324.15 | 120.41 |
| Sprats | grams | 62.37 | 20.31 |
| Hurulla | grams | 352.88 | 106.98 |
| Karalla/Katuwalla | grams | 40.85 | 11.29 |
| Kumbalawa/ Angila | grams | 79.12 | 30.63 |
| Salaya/ Sudaya | grams | 345.76 | 77.92 |
| Other small fish | grams | 389.55 | 120.21 |
| Lula | grams | 14.27 | 4.94 |
| Teppili/ Tilapiya/ Korali | grams | 448.73 | 103.27 |
| Other fresh water fish | grams | 105.36 | 27.25 |
| Prawns | grams | 82.81 | 48.40 |

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|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value(Rs.) |
| **Fish (fresh) Contd.** |  |  |  |
| Crabs | grams | 22.80 | 7.49 |
| Cuttlefish | grams | 35.01 | 14.47 |
| Linna | grams | 106.64 | 41.23 |
| Coppara | grams | 0.47 | 0.35 |
| Canned fish (Salmon) | grams | 199.59 | 113.02 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Dried fish** |  |  | **655.57** |
| Sprats (dry) | grams | 500.22 | 246.96 |
| Keerameen (dry) | grams | 93.18 | 51.22 |
| Salaya (dry) | grams | 47.99 | 17.79 |
| Hurulla (dry) | grams | 41.40 | 17.89 |
| Thalapath (dry) | grams | 18.46 | 15.94 |
| Seer (dry) | grams | 4.25 | 3.88 |
| Katta (dry) | grams | 74.80 | 66.46 |
| Koduwa (dry) | grams | 2.58 | 1.72 |
| Anjila (dry) | grams | 1.41 | 0.75 |
| Balaya (dry) | grams | 111.42 | 70.12 |
| Mora/Keelan (dry) | grams | 79.74 | 58.30 |
| Paraw (dry) | grams | 6.31 | 3.92 |
| Anguluwa (dry) | grams | 54.07 | 28.36 |
| Prawns (dry) | grams | 6.71 | 4.80 |
| Cattle fish (dry) | grams | 0.94 | 0.50 |
| Fresh water dried fishes | grams | 17.38 | 9.19 |
| Jadi | grams | 0.95 | 0.45 |
| Other dried fish | grams | 99.03 | 57.31 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Eggs** |  |  | **160.19** |
| Hen eggs | number | 11.25 | 159.70 |
| Quail eggs | number | 0.03 | 0.46 |
| Other eggs | number | 0.05 | 0.03 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Coconuts (nuts and powder)** |  |  | **965.09** |
| Coconut (Nuts) | number | 28.29 | 962.33 |
| Coconut milk powder | grams | 4.54 | 2.74 |
| Coconut milk caned/ bottled | ml | 0.13 | 0.02 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Condiments** |  |  | **1416.39** |
| Dried chilies | grams | 189.59 | 53.69 |
| Chili powder | grams | 416.11 | 183.61 |
| Red onions | grams | 775.69 | 98.64 |
| Bombay onions | grams | 2358.24 | 205.40 |
| Garlic | grams | 303.38 | 83.49 |
| Maldives fish | grams | 48.07 | 64.53 |
| Pepper | grams | 90.03 | 94.74 |
| Turmeric/ Turmeric powder | grams | 107.41 | 78.09 |
| Curry powder (Sarakku) | grams | 224.53 | 113.97 |
| Green chilies | grams | 445.72 | 103.04 |
| Limes | number | 10.10 | 51.93 |

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|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value(Rs.) |
| **Condiments (Contd.)** |  |  |  |
| Cumin seeds |  | - | 18.22 |
| Panel seeds |  | - | 15.22 |
| Coriander |  | - | 22.03 |
| Mathe seeds |  | - | 21.84 |
| Mustard |  | - | 16.76 |
| Goraka |  | - | 31.92 |
| Tamarind |  | - | 20.70 |
| Cinnamon |  | - | 21.13 |
| Salt |  | - | 61.45 |
| Curry leaves |  | - | 38.96 |
| Ginger |  | - | 12.15 |
| Vinegar |  | - | 2.08 |
| Other condiments |  | - | 2.78 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Other packed, tinned or bottled food** |  |  | **28.65** |
| Sauce |  | - | 6.47 |
| Marmite/ Vegemite |  | - | 10.23 |
| Soup cubes/ powder |  | - | 8.10 |
| Lime pickle |  | - | 0.64 |
| Chutney |  | - | 0.60 |
| Canned fruits |  | - | 0.80 |
| Other packed, tinned or bottled food |  | - | 1.80 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Milk and milk food** |  |  | **1388.61** |
| Cow milk | ml | 358.80 | 25.55 |
| Goat milk | ml | 12.47 | 1.92 |
| Sterilized milk | ml | 17.81 | 2.03 |
| Curd |  | - | 41.13 |
| Yoghurt/ Moru |  | - | 83.60 |
| Condensed milk | grams | 10.93 | 8.52 |
| Milk powder | grams | 1284.61 | 1035.80 |
| Infant milk powder | grams | 91.11 | 111.81 |
| Butter | grams | 18.86 | 18.73 |
| Margarine | grams | 33.93 | 22.37 |
| Cheese | grams | 9.73 | 16.53 |
| Milk packets (liquid) | number | 0.34 | 9.31 |
| Other milk and milk products |  | - | 11.30 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Fat and oil** |  |  | **379.70** |
| Coconut oil | ml | 1402.20 | 342.66 |
| Vegetable oil | ml | 90.69 | 27.60 |
| Gingerly oil | ml | 11.46 | 5.39 |
| Ghee | ml | 1.20 | 0.58 |
| Other oils and fats | ml | 9.11 | 3.47 |
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|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value(Rs.) |
| **Sugar, Juggery and Treacle** |  |  | **475.94** |
| Sugar | grams | 4312.40 | 458.87 |
| Juggery | grams | 44.54 | 11.86 |
| Treacle | ml | 11.45 | 3.90 |
| Bee honey |  | - | 1.10 |
| Other sweeteners |  | - | 0.21 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Fruits (fresh and dried)** |  |  | **461.32** |
| Banana - Ambul | number | 25.55 | 77.82 |
| Banana - Anamalu | number | 1.63 | 15.50 |
| Banana - Kolikuttu | number | 3.48 | 33.02 |
| Banana - Seeni | number | 14.69 | 50.01 |
| Banana - Other | number | 1.51 | 11.59 |
| Pineapple | number | 0.28 | 20.28 |
| Papaw | number | 2.58 | 92.49 |
| Mangoes | number | 1.93 | 32.31 |
| Apple | number | 0.90 | 31.31 |
| Avocado | number | 0.55 | 10.09 |
| Wood apple | number | 0.48 | 5.16 |
| Oranges/ Manderin | number | 0.75 | 14.72 |
| King coconut/ Kurumba | number | 0.18 | 4.66 |
| Guava | Grams | 23.48 | 4.77 |
| Grapes | Grams | 21.35 | 12.19 |
| Melon | Grams | 95.31 | 6.16 |
| Other fresh fruits |  | - | 15.60 |
| Dates | grams | 41.17 | 10.53 |
| Cashew nuts | grams | 4.20 | 3.76 |
| Groundnuts | grams | 25.86 | 7.32 |
| Plums | grams | 2.62 | 1.65 |
| Other dried fruits | grams | 1.51 | 0.37 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Confectioneries and other short eats** |  |  | **583.02** |
| Jam | grams | 16.79 | 10.02 |
| Ice-cream |  | - | 61.52 |
| Chocolates | grams | 17.66 | 17.08 |
| Toffees | number | 2.33 | 4.41 |
| Biscuits | grams | 793.06 | 289.10 |
| Jelly |  | - | 3.91 |
| Snacks packets | grams | 31.99 | 13.24 |
| Cake | grams | 109.91 | 44.09 |
| Kawum/ Kokis etc. | number | 0.94 | 9.91 |
| Muskets/ Kaludodol etc. | grams | 8.40 | 3.17 |
| Talabola/ Rulan etc. | number | 0.65 | 3.57 |
| Cutlets/ Patties/ Wadei/ Pastries etc. | number | 5.59 | 95.03 |
| palmyrah products | number | 0.09 | 0.76 |
| Other confectioneries and short eats |  | - | 27.21 |
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|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value(Rs.) |
| **Beverages (non- alcoholic)** |  |  | **487.11** |
| Tea dust/ leaves | grams | 438.79 | 281.92 |
| Coffee powder/ seeds | grams | 15.18 | 14.33 |
| Soft drinks |  | - | 26.21 |
| Fruit drinks/ Cordials |  | - | 10.53 |
| Saruwath | number | 0.02 | 0.74 |
| Milk Tea/ Nescafe | number | 1.90 | 49.60 |
| Plain Tea | number | 6.42 | 72.88 |
| Milk Coffee | number | 0.13 | 3.16 |
| Coffee | number | 0.10 | 0.69 |
| Drink packets/ Ice packets | number | 0.51 | 5.04 |
| Gruel | number | 0.43 | 8.81 |
| Bottled water | number | 0.51 | 5.94 |
| Other non-alcoholic beverages |  | - | 7.26 |
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**Table 5.4: Non-food items consumption and expenditure (average monthly per household) – Sri Lanka – 2012/13**

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Non-food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value(Rs.) |
| **All non-food items** |  |  | **25,793.00** |
| **Housing** |  |  | **4667.00** |
| Housing rent |  | 1.59 | 4491.60 |
| Taxes |  | - | 24.70 |
| Water bills |  | - | 150.70 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Fuel and light** |  |  | **1754.52** |
| Electricity (monthly average) |  | - | 759.47 |
| Solar power |  | - | 3.65 |
| Kerosene oil (monthly average) | ml | 784.58 | 93.19 |
| Fire wood purchased (monthly average) | kg | 15.75 | 110.49 |
| Fire wood free |  | - | 261.11 |
| L. P. Gas (monthly average) | grams | 1975.49 | 369.84 |
| Normal Bulbs (last month) | number | 0.29 | 24.96 |
| Energy saving bulbs | number | 0.27 | 98.80 |
| Matche boxes (last month) | number | 3.78 | 18.70 |
| Candles (last month) | number | 0.43 | 3.62 |
| Dry cell batteries (last month) | number | 0.22 | 9.61 |
| Borders/servants Fuel and lite |  | - | 0.30 |
| Other expenses for fuel and light |  | - | 0.79 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Personal care expenses** |  |  | **616.99** |
| Toilet soap |  |  | 172.03 |
| Tooth paste |  |  | 71.08 |
| Tooth brushes |  |  | 29.48 |
| Powder |  |  | 19.79 |
| Perfumes |  |  | 34.95 |
| Face cream and lotions |  |  | 48.13 |
| Hair oils, creams |  |  | 19.44 |
| Lipstick and nail polish |  |  | 4.00 |
| Shaving goods and creams |  |  | 42.12 |
| Artificial jewelries |  |  | 6.26 |
| Sanitary towels |  |  | 45.14 |
| Sesame oil (body applying) |  |  | 2.88 |
| Hair cutting and shaving charges |  |  | 98.52 |
| Hair dressing and Beauty culture services |  |  | 19.45 |
| Other personal care expenses |  |  | 3.72 |
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|  |  |  |  |
| **Health expenses** |  |  | **1564.19** |
| Fees to private medical practices |  |  | 594.36 |
| Fees to Aurvedic practitioners |  |  | 25.45 |
| Consultation fees to specialists |  |  | 78.56 |
| Payments. to medical laboratories |  |  | 118.91 |
| Payments to private hospitals/ nursing homes |  |  | 325.21 |
| Purchase of medical/ pharmacy products |  |  | 357.15 |
| Spectacles |  |  | 15.23 |
| Hearing aids |  |  | 5.07 |
| Scan (US,CT etc.) |  |  | 17.06 |

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Non-food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value(Rs.) |
| **Health expenses (Contd.)** |  |  |  |
| X Ray |  |  | 4.15 |
| Other health expenses |  |  | 23.04 |
| **Transport** |  |  | **3422.94** |
| Train (other than schooling) |  | - | 37.31 |
| Bus (other than schooling) |  | - | 623.15 |
| Van (other than schooling) |  | - | 35.04 |
| Taxi (other than schooling) |  | - | 45.43 |
| Three wheelers (other than schooling) |  | - | 158.30 |
| Transport for schooling/ pre-schooling |  | - | 327.88 |
| Ships and Air lines |  | - | 68.51 |
| Other transport expenses |  | - | 11.94 |
| Petrol and other fuel |  | 0.02 | 927.58 |
| Diesel |  | - | 246.33 |
| Lubricating oil |  | - | 24.71 |
| Other fuel |  | - | 15.97 |
| Tyres, tubes and spare parts |  | - | 179.47 |
| Servicing of vehicles |  | - | 356.81 |
| License fees |  | - | 74.38 |
| Insurance fees |  | - | 245.84 |
| Other vehicle maintenance expenses |  | - | 40.06 |
| Borders/ Servants Transport and Communication |  | - | 4.24 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Communication** |  |  | **891.57** |
| Postal and Telegraph charges |  |  | 3.12 |
| Telephone charges - Home fixed phone |  |  | 260.94 |
| Telephone charges - mobile |  |  | 567.45 |
| Telephone charges (taken outside) |  |  | 17.19 |
| Email/internet charges |  |  | 40.35 |
| Other communication charges |  |  | 2.52 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Education** |  |  | **1447.72** |
| Exercise books and stationeries. |  |  | 236.06 |
| Educational newspapers and magazines |  |  | 24.13 |
| School text books |  |  | 20.44 |
| School facility fees (government) |  |  | 39.37 |
| School fees (private) |  |  | 41.21 |
| School fees (International) |  |  | 76.90 |
| Tuition fees |  |  | 646.88 |
| Boarding fees |  |  | 21.81 |
| Higher education course fees |  |  | 130.01 |
| Vocational training course fees |  |  | 74.08 |
| Pre-school fees (KG) |  |  | 57.35 |
| Examination fees |  |  | 22.93 |
| Other education expenses |  |  | 56.56 |
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|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Non-food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value(Rs.) |
| **Recreations, Entertainments, Training and Cultural activities** |  |  | **515.02** |
| Cinemas/ Drama/ Video films |  |  | 11.81 |
| Books/ Newspapers/ Magazines |  |  | 62.22 |
| Lotteries/ Betting |  |  | 48.60 |
| Excursions and Pilgrimages |  |  | 222.39 |
| Arts/ Music/ Dancing |  |  | 3.90 |
| Sports |  |  | 4.38 |
| Pets/ Aquariums |  |  | 13.50 |
| Toys |  |  | 27.32 |
| Maintenance of Radio/ TV/ CD/ DVD |  |  | 14.06 |
| Sacred goods |  |  | 56.58 |
| Cable/ Satellite TV charges |  |  | 20.16 |
| Astrology, exorcism etc. |  |  | 17.09 |
| Borders/ Servants Recr/ Entertain/ Cultural acts |  |  | 1.30 |
| Other |  |  | 11.71 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Household cleaning and sanitary goods** |  |  | **318.37** |
| Washing soap |  |  | 182.12 |
| Washing powder |  |  | 102.54 |
| Mosquito coils |  |  | 12.09 |
| Disinfectants |  |  | 16.23 |
| Insecticides |  |  | 3.77 |
| Other |  |  | 1.61 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Household services** |  |  | **190.3** |
| Laundry charges |  |  | 5.89 |
| Grinding charges |  |  | 16.98 |
| Wages to servants |  |  | 108.42 |
| Wages to drivers |  |  | 38.57 |
| Payments for children day care services |  |  | 2.10 |
| Payments for elderly care services etc. |  |  | 0.80 |
| Borders/ Servants Household services |  |  | 0.32 |
| Other household services |  |  | 17.22 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Clothing and Textiles** |  |  | **978.00** |
| Trousers (Gents) | number | 0.12 | 138.02 |
| Trousers (Ladies) | number | 0.03 | 29.30 |
| Shirts | number | 0.13 | 106.14 |
| Sarees | number | 0.05 | 79.10 |
| T-shirts (Gents) | number | 0.10 | 66.26 |
| T-shirts (Ladies) | number | 0.07 | 32.13 |
| Sarongs/ Vetties | number | 0.10 | 51.26 |
| Frocks | number | 0.07 | 47.92 |
| Skirts/ Blouses | number | 0.16 | 97.60 |
| Salvars | number | 0.01 | 13.40 |
| Banyans | number | 0.06 | 11.01 |
| Men's under wears | number | 0.10 | 16.10 |

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Non-food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value(Rs.) |
| **Clothing and Textiles (Contd.)** |  |  |  |
| Women's under wears | number | 0.16 | 24.63 |
| Housecoats/ Kimonas/ Night dress | number | 0.03 | 13.67 |
| Brassieres | number | 0.08 | 21.42 |
| Socks/ Stockings | number | 0.07 | 8.06 |
| Ties | number | 0.01 | 2.16 |
| Handkerchiefs | number | 0.15 | 4.24 |
| Children's dresses | number | 0.14 | 70.74 |
| School uniforms | number | 0.06 | 25.67 |
| Towels | number | 0.04 | 12.39 |
| Bed sheets | number | 0.03 | 17.02 |
| Pillow cases | number | 0.06 | 5.83 |
| Mosquito nets | number | 0.01 | 14.21 |
| Other clothing | number | 0.06 | 11.31 |
| Materials for Clothing | cm | 12.92 | 20.21 |
| Material for school uniforms | cm | 9.32 | 12.94 |
| For curtains/ Furnishing material | cm | 4.76 | 11.98 |
| Other materials and textiles | cm | 1.00 | 1.67 |
| Tailoring charges for clothing |  | - | 4.11 |
| Tailoring for school uniforms |  | - | 5.33 |
| Borders/ Servants Clothing and Textiles |  | - | 2.19 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Foot-wear and other personal effects** |  |  | **215.70** |
| Shoes | number | 0.10 | 98.61 |
| Sandles/ Slippers | number | 0.13 | 58.01 |
| Umbrellas | number | 0.04 | 14.27 |
| Hand bags/ Traveling bags | number | 0.04 | 28.02 |
| Head wears | number | 0.02 | 4.45 |
| Rain coats | number | - | 3.14 |
| Charges for repairs of shoes, bags etc. | number | 0.03 | 4.08 |
| Borders/ Servants personal effects | number | - | 3.26 |
| Other personal effects | number | - | 1.87 |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Durable household goods** |  |  | **154.05** |
| Glass ware | number | 0.05 | 11.83 |
| Plastic ware | number | 0.10 | 18.76 |
| Aluminum ware | number | 0.04 | 17.23 |
| Clay ware, pots and pans | number | 0.12 | 10.15 |
| Cane/ Rush products (watti, kulu) | number | 0.01 | 1.43 |
| Cutlery | number | 0.03 | 3.52 |
| Lamps/ Lamp shades | number | 0.01 | 2.12 |
| Brooms/ Brushes/Ekle | number | 0.18 | 22.30 |
| Mats and Pillows | number | 0.02 | 4.25 |
| Rugs/ Carpets | number | 0.03 | 6.32 |
| Mattress | number | 0.01 | 33.31 |
| Torches | number | 0.01 | 2.44 |
| Thermos flasks | number | 0.01 | 9.02 |
| Twines/ Ropes/ Strings | number | 0.05 | 2.35 |

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Non-food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | | Value(Rs.) |
| **Durable household goods (Contd.)** |  |  | |  |
| Borders/ Servants durable household goods | number | - | | 1.08 |
| Other durable household goods | number | 0.02 | | 7.93 |
|  |  |  | |  |
| **Long durable household goods** |  |  | | **863.45** |
| Chairs - Plastic | number | 0.01 | | 13.95 |
| Chairs - Wood | number |  | | 9.86 |
| Chairs - Steel | number |  | | 0.54 |
| Tables | number |  | | 8.15 |
| Settees | number |  | | 22.21 |
| Almyras - Wood | number |  | | 20.36 |
| Almyras - Steel | number | |  | 10.73 |
| Beds | number | |  | 15.60 |
| Other furniture | number | |  | 11.21 |
| Clocks/ Watches | number | |  | 1.63 |
| Cookers - Kerosene | number | |  | 0.16 |
| Cookers - Electric | number | |  | 4.37 |
| Cookers - Gas | number | |  | 2.94 |
| Mixers, Grinders, Beaters etc. | number | |  | 2.34 |
| Irons | number | |  | 1.80 |
| Refrigerators | number | |  | 23.03 |
| Ovens | number | |  | 1.80 |
| Fans | number | |  | 6.97 |
| Sewing machines | number | |  | 5.82 |
| Radio/ | number | |  | 3.83 |
| Audio CD/ DVD players and recorders | number | |  | 4.53 |
| Televisions/ Video | number | |  | 30.56 |
| Washing machines | number | |  | 9.07 |
| Musical instruments | number | |  | 1.98 |
| Bicycles/ Motor cycles/ Scooters | number | |  | 74.12 |
| Three wheelers | number | |  | 106.86 |
| Motor cars/ Vans | number | |  | 266.24 |
| Prams/ Go-carts/ Tricycles | number | |  | 0.43 |
| Gardening tools | number | |  | 3.12 |
| Cameras and Projectors | number | |  | 1.39 |
| Personal computers | number | |  | 25.44 |
| Jewelries | number | |  | 59.00 |
| Telephones | number | |  | 10.53 |
| Kitchen equipment (heaters etc.) | number | |  | 6.85 |
| Goods purchased on easy payments |  | |  | 81.60 |
| Borders/ Servants Long durable goods | number | |  | 0.55 |
| Other long durable goods | number | |  | 13.89 |
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|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Non-food item/ Group | Unit | Quantity(Unit) | Value(Rs.) |
| **Other non-consumption and miscellaneous expenses** |  |  | **4517.54** |
| EPFs/ W.&.O.P. |  |  | 439.55 |
| Contribution to unions, societies |  |  | 72.40 |
| Insurance/Agrahara |  |  | 209.08 |
| Savings (including Seettu) |  |  | 643.60 |
| Payments for debts/Pawned |  |  | 2650.15 |
| Loans given |  |  | 190.39 |
| Investments/ Shares purchased |  |  | 58.45 |
| Income taxes |  |  | 38.48 |
| Borders/ Servants Lodging |  |  | 10.49 |
| Borders/ Servants Family transfers |  |  | 33.44 |
| Borders/ Servants Savings/ Ins/ Contributions etc. |  |  | 12.90 |
| Borders/ Servants miscellaneous expenditure |  |  | 3.39 |
| Other miscellaneous expenses |  |  | 155.23 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Other windfall expenses** |  |  | **2970.57** |
| Expenses. on weddings, funerals |  |  | 569.37 |
| Social activities/ ceremonies |  |  | 195.29 |
| Litigation |  |  | 15.76 |
| Gifts/ Donation/ Transfers |  |  | 129.78 |
| Maintenance/ Reconstruction |  |  | 795.88 |
| Purchasing of properties |  |  | 352.05 |
| New house construction |  |  | 799.46 |
| Other random household expenses |  |  | 112.98 |
| **Liquor, Narcotic drugs and Tobacco** |  |  | 704.87 |
| Toddy |  | - | 19.37 |
| Arrack |  | - | 263.14 |
| Kassippu |  | - | 28.46 |
| Beer/ Stout |  | - | 25.75 |
| Whiskey/ Brandy |  | - | 5.95 |
| Gin |  | - | 0.27 |
| Wine |  | - | 0.82 |
| Other liquors |  | - | 3.18 |
| Drugs (Ganja, Heroin etc.) |  | - | 2.99 |
| Cigarettes | number | 6.04 | 137.59 |
| Cigars | number | 0.69 | 3.51 |
| Beedi | number | 8.95 | 21.66 |
| Pipe tobacco |  | - | 0.33 |
| Beetle leaves | numbers | 36.88 | 47.57 |
| Areca nuts | numbers | 17.47 | 37.21 |
| Tobacco (chewing) |  | - | 20.07 |
| Chunam |  | - | 4.45 |
| Bulathwita/ Sarawita | number | 6.01 | 82.56 |

**Additional Tables**

**Population**

**Table A 1: Household population by sex and by sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Population (in millions) | | | Percentage (%) | | |
| **Total** | **Male** | **Female** | **Total** | **Male** | **Female** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Sri Lanka** | **19.88** | **9.36** | **10.52** | **100.0** | **47.1** | **52.9** |
| **Sector** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 3.56 | 1.69 | 1.87 | 100.0 | 47.4 | 52.6 |
| Rural | 15.39 | 7.23 | 8.16 | 100.0 | 47.0 | 53.0 |
| Estate | 0.93 | 0.44 | 0.48 | 100.0 | 48.0 | 52.0 |
| **Province** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 5.68 | 2.69 | 2.98 | 100.0 | 47.5 | 52.5 |
| Central | 2.52 | 1.17 | 1.34 | 100.0 | 46.6 | 53.4 |
| Southern | 2.43 | 1.14 | 1.29 | 100.0 | 47.0 | 53.0 |
| Northern | 1.05 | 0.49 | 0.55 | 100.0 | 47.0 | 53.0 |
| Eastern | 1.53 | 0.71 | 0.82 | 100.0 | 46.4 | 53.6 |
| North-western | 2.33 | 1.09 | 1.23 | 100.0 | 47.0 | 53.0 |
| North-central | 1.22 | 0.57 | 0.64 | 100.0 | 47.1 | 52.9 |
| Uva | 1.24 | 0.58 | 0.65 | 100.0 | 47.1 | 52.9 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 1.90 | 0.90 | 1.00 | 100.0 | 47.4 | 52.6 |
| **District** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 2.23 | 1.08 | 1.15 | 100.0 | 48.4 | 51.6 |
| Gampaha | 2.25 | 1.05 | 1.20 | 100.0 | 46.6 | 53.4 |
| Kalutara | 1.20 | 0.57 | 0.63 | 100.0 | 47.5 | 52.5 |
| Kandy | 1.34 | 0.61 | 0.72 | 100.0 | 45.9 | 54.1 |
| Matale | 0.47 | 0.22 | 0.25 | 100.0 | 46.9 | 53.1 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 0.70 | 0.34 | 0.37 | 100.0 | 47.9 | 52.1 |
| Galle | 1.04 | 0.49 | 0.55 | 100.0 | 46.9 | 53.1 |
| Matara | 0.80 | 0.37 | 0.43 | 100.0 | 46.6 | 53.4 |
| Hambantota | 0.59 | 0.28 | 0.31 | 100.0 | 47.5 | 52.5 |
| Jaffna | 0.58 | 0.27 | 0.31 | 100.0 | 46.3 | 53.7 |
| Mannar | 0.10 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 100.0 | 49.7 | 50.3 |
| Vavunia | 0.17 | 0.08 | 0.09 | 100.0 | 46.1 | 53.9 |
| Mullaitivu | 0.09 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 100.0 | 48.4 | 51.6 |
| Kilinochchi | 0.11 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 100.0 | 49.0 | 51.0 |
| Batticaloa | 0.52 | 0.24 | 0.28 | 100.0 | 45.8 | 54.2 |
| Ampara | 0.64 | 0.30 | 0.34 | 100.0 | 46.4 | 53.6 |
| Trincomalee | 0.37 | 0.18 | 0.20 | 100.0 | 47.3 | 52.7 |
| Kurunegala | 1.58 | 0.73 | 0.84 | 100.0 | 46.5 | 53.5 |
| Puttalam | 0.75 | 0.36 | 0.39 | 100.0 | 48.1 | 51.9 |
| Anuradhapura | 0.83 | 0.39 | 0.44 | 100.0 | 46.7 | 53.3 |
| Polonnaruwa | 0.39 | 0.19 | 0.20 | 100.0 | 47.9 | 52.1 |
| Badulla | 0.80 | 0.38 | 0.42 | 100.0 | 47.2 | 52.8 |
| Moneragala | 0.44 | 0.21 | 0.23 | 100.0 | 47.0 | 53.0 |
| Ratnapura | 1.07 | 0.52 | 0.56 | 100.0 | 48.1 | 51.9 |
| Kegalle | 0.82 | 0.38 | 0.44 | 100.0 | 46.5 | 53.5 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

**Table A 2: Household population of head of the household by sex, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Heads (in thousands) | | | Percentage (%) | | |
| **Total** | **Male** | **Female** | **Total** | **Male** | **Female** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **5,121** | **3,920** | **1,201** | **100.0** | **76.5** | **23.5** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 880 | 674 | 205 | 100.0 | 76.7 | 23.3 |
| Rural | 4,024 | 3,078 | 947 | 100.0 | 76.5 | 23.5 |
| Estate | 217 | 168 | 49 | 100.0 | 77.3 | 22.7 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 1,426 | 1,109 | 317 | 100.0 | 77.8 | 22.2 |
| Central | 633 | 470 | 163 | 100.0 | 74.3 | 25.7 |
| Southern | 636 | 481 | 155 | 100.0 | 75.7 | 24.3 |
| Northern | 255 | 197 | 58 | 100.0 | 77.4 | 22.6 |
| Eastern | 381 | 286 | 96 | 100.0 | 74.9 | 25.1 |
| North-western | 632 | 482 | 149 | 100.0 | 76.4 | 23.6 |
| North-central | 329 | 250 | 79 | 100.0 | 76.1 | 23.9 |
| Uva | 325 | 252 | 74 | 100.0 | 77.3 | 22.7 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 504 | 392 | 112 | 100.0 | 77.8 | 22.2 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 554 | 436 | 118 | 100.0 | 78.6 | 21.4 |
| Gampaha | 573 | 436 | 137 | 100.0 | 76.1 | 23.9 |
| Kalutara | 299 | 238 | 62 | 100.0 | 79.5 | 20.5 |
| Kandy | 338 | 249 | 89 | 100.0 | 73.8 | 26.2 |
| Matale | 127 | 94 | 33 | 100.0 | 74.1 | 25.9 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 168 | 127 | 41 | 100.0 | 75.5 | 24.5 |
| Galle | 275 | 203 | 72 | 100.0 | 73.8 | 26.2 |
| Matara | 209 | 158 | 51 | 100.0 | 75.7 | 24.3 |
| Hambantota | 152 | 120 | 32 | 100.0 | 79.0 | 21.0 |
| Jaffna | 138 | 105 | 33 | 100.0 | 76.2 | 23.8 |
| Mannar | 23 | 19 | 4 | 100.0 | 84.7 | 15.3 |
| Vavunia | 43 | 31 | 12 | 100.0 | 71.8 | 28.2 |
| Mullaitivu | 24 | 19 | 5 | 100.0 | 79.5 | 20.5 |
| Kilinochchi | 27 | 23 | 4 | 100.0 | 83.8 | 16.2 |
| Batticaloa | 128 | 95 | 33 | 100.0 | 73.8 | 26.2 |
| Ampara | 158 | 120 | 38 | 100.0 | 75.9 | 24.1 |
| Trincomalee | 95 | 71 | 24 | 100.0 | 74.8 | 25.2 |
| Kurunegala | 428 | 329 | 99 | 100.0 | 76.9 | 23.1 |
| Puttalam | 204 | 153 | 51 | 100.0 | 75.2 | 24.8 |
| Anuradhapura | 226 | 172 | 54 | 100.0 | 76.2 | 23.8 |
| Polonnaruwa | 103 | 78 | 25 | 100.0 | 75.9 | 24.1 |
| Badulla | 206 | 161 | 46 | 100.0 | 77.8 | 22.2 |
| Moneragala | 119 | 91 | 28 | 100.0 | 76.5 | 23.5 |
| Ratnapura | 287 | 231 | 56 | 100.0 | 80.4 | 19.6 |
| Kegalle | 217 | 161 | 56 | 100.0 | 74.4 | 25.6 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

**Table A 3: Percentage distribution of population by selected age groups, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Age group ( Years) | | | |
| **Total** | **0-14** | **15-59** | **60 and above** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **25.9** | **60.6** | **13.6** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 24.2 | 61.5 | 14.3 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 26.0 | 60.6 | 13.5 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 31.1 | 57.0 | 11.9 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 23.8 | 61.4 | 14.7 |
| Central | 100.0 | 26.7 | 59.6 | 13.8 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 25.7 | 59.1 | 15.2 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 26.9 | 60.6 | 12.5 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 31.2 | 60.0 | 8.9 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 25.8 | 61.3 | 12.9 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 27.2 | 61.5 | 11.2 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 28.2 | 59.8 | 11.9 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 24.1 | 60.7 | 15.2 |
| District |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 22.7 | 62.6 | 14.7 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 24.7 | 60.9 | 14.4 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 24.2 | 60.3 | 15.5 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 25.2 | 59.8 | 15.0 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 26.6 | 60.9 | 12.5 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 29.4 | 58.2 | 12.4 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 24.6 | 59.0 | 16.4 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 26.2 | 58.2 | 15.6 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 27.0 | 60.5 | 12.5 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 24.8 | 60.2 | 15.1 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 28.2 | 61.5 | 10.4 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 26.8 | 63.1 | 10.1 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 31.3 | 59.5 | 9.2 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 33.3 | 59.0 | 7.7 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 32.4 | 59.6 | 8.0 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 29.7 | 60.9 | 9.4 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 32.0 | 58.9 | 9.0 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 25.3 | 60.6 | 14.2 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 26.9 | 62.7 | 10.4 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 26.8 | 61.9 | 11.3 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 28.1 | 60.9 | 11.0 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 29.2 | 58.7 | 12.1 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 26.4 | 61.9 | 11.7 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 24.2 | 61.8 | 13.9 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 23.9 | 59.1 | 17.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |

**Table A 4: Percentage distribution of head of the household by age group, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Age group ( Years) | | | | |
| **Total** | **12-24** | **25-39** | **40-59** | **60 and above** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **1.1** | **21.7** | **48.7** | **28.6** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 0.9 | 19.2 | 51.0 | 28.8 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 1.1 | 22.0 | 48.1 | 28.8 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 1.4 | 25.5 | 49.8 | 23.2 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 0.8 | 19.7 | 48.9 | 30.6 |
| Central | 100.0 | 0.8 | 19.3 | 51.2 | 28.7 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 0.5 | 18.5 | 47.1 | 33.9 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 1.6 | 24.1 | 47.1 | 27.2 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 2.4 | 31.1 | 47.0 | 19.5 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 1.0 | 23.5 | 50.3 | 25.2 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 1.3 | 26.2 | 49.9 | 22.6 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 1.2 | 23.8 | 48.9 | 26.2 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 1.0 | 19.4 | 46.1 | 33.5 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 0.7 | 18.3 | 51.6 | 29.5 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 1.2 | 21.2 | 47.3 | 30.4 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 0.6 | 19.4 | 47.0 | 33.0 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 0.7 | 17.2 | 50.3 | 31.7 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 0.6 | 21.3 | 53.1 | 25.0 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 1.2 | 21.9 | 51.4 | 25.6 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 0.6 | 17.2 | 46.6 | 35.6 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 0.6 | 16.4 | 48.6 | 34.5 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 0.3 | 24.0 | 45.9 | 29.8 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 0.3 | 18.9 | 47.9 | 33.0 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 3.1 | 28.1 | 47.5 | 21.4 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 2.9 | 26.4 | 50.5 | 20.2 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 4.0 | 36.3 | 38.1 | 21.6 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 3.2 | 32.3 | 45.7 | 18.7 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 4.9 | 32.5 | 44.0 | 18.6 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 0.8 | 29.0 | 51.1 | 19.0 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 1.7 | 32.9 | 44.0 | 21.4 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 0.4 | 20.6 | 51.4 | 27.6 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 2.3 | 29.5 | 48.0 | 20.1 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 1.2 | 26.0 | 50.7 | 22.1 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 1.5 | 26.8 | 48.0 | 23.7 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 0.7 | 23.6 | 50.7 | 25.0 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 2.2 | 24.1 | 45.6 | 28.1 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 0.7 | 21.7 | 45.1 | 32.5 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 1.4 | 16.4 | 47.4 | 34.8 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

**Education**

**Table A 5: Percentage distribution of population (aged 5 years and above) by level of education, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Level of education | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  | | **Total** | | **No schooling** | | **Up to grade 5** | | **Passed grade 6-10** | | **Passed G.C.E. O/L** | **Passed G.C.E A/L & above** | | **Special education** | |
|  | | **(%)** | | **(%)** | | **(%)** | | **(%)** | | **(%)** | **(%)** | | **(%)** | |
|  | |  | |  | |  | |  | |  | | |  | |  |
| Sri Lanka | | **100.0** | | **3.7** | | **24.7** | | **43.6** | | **15.5** | | | **12.4** | | **0.1** |
| Sector | |  | |  | |  | |  | |  | | |  | |  |
| Urban | | 100.0 | | 2.2 | | 19.2 | | 39.8 | | 18.2 | | | 20.5 | | 0.1 |
| Rural | | 100.0 | | 3.5 | | 25.0 | | 44.8 | | 15.5 | | | 11.1 | | 0.1 |
| Estate | | 100.0 | | 12.2 | | 42.0 | | 38.7 | | 4.9 | | | 2.2 | | - |
| Province | |  | |  | |  | |  | |  | | |  | |  |
| Western | | 100.0 | | 2.2 | | 18.3 | | 41.5 | | 19.5 | | | 18.4 | | 0.1 |
| Central | | 100.0 | | 5.2 | | 27.0 | | 42.7 | | 13.6 | | | 11.5 | | - |
| Southern | | 100.0 | | 4.0 | | 25.4 | | 43.1 | | 15.6 | | | 11.8 | | 0.1 |
| Northern | | 100.0 | | 2.1 | | 27.1 | | 47.7 | | 13.9 | | | 9.3 | | - |
| Eastern | | 100.0 | | 4.4 | | 33.8 | | 40.7 | | 13.1 | | | 8.0 | | - |
| North-western | | 100.0 | | 3.5 | | 25.1 | | 46.3 | | 14.3 | | | 10.7 | | 0.1 |
| North-central | | 100.0 | | 3.6 | | 28.3 | | 47.3 | | 13.4 | | | 7.4 | | 0.1 |
| Uva | | 100.0 | | 6.3 | | 29.7 | | 45.5 | | 10.8 | | | 7.7 | | - |
| Sabaragamuwa | | 100.0 | | 4.5 | | 25.7 | | 45.0 | | 14.6 | | | 10.1 | | - |
| District | |  | |  | |  | |  | |  | | |  | |  |
| Colombo | | 100.0 | | 2.0 | | 16.9 | | 40.5 | | 18.2 | | | 22.3 | | 0.1 |
| Gampaha | | 100.0 | | 2.2 | | 17.8 | | 42.0 | | 22.1 | | | 15.8 | | 0.1 |
| Kalutara | | 100.0 | | 2.8 | | 21.7 | | 42.3 | | 17.0 | | | 16.1 | | 0.1 |
| Kandy | | 100.0 | | 3.8 | | 23.0 | | 42.0 | | 15.9 | | | 15.2 | | - |
| Matale | | 100.0 | | 4.0 | | 27.0 | | 45.8 | | 14.2 | | | 8.9 | | - |
| Nuwara Eliya | | 100.0 | | 8.5 | | 34.7 | | 42.0 | | 8.9 | | | 5.9 | | - |
| Galle | | 100.0 | | 3.1 | | 24.4 | | 45.3 | | 15.9 | | | 11.2 | | - |
| Matara | | 100.0 | | 4.1 | | 25.4 | | 39.4 | | 16.3 | | | 14.7 | | - |
| Hambantota | | 100.0 | | 5.5 | | 27.0 | | 44.3 | | 14.3 | | | 8.7 | | 0.1 |
| Jaffna | | 100.0 | | 1.5 | | 25.1 | | 46.9 | | 16.3 | | | 10.2 | | - |
| Mannar | | 100.0 | | 2.2 | | 29.6 | | 50.4 | | 9.3 | | | 8.4 | | - |
| Vavunia | | 100.0 | | 3.0 | | 29.0 | | 41.9 | | 14.2 | | | 11.9 | | - |
| Mullaitivu | | 100.0 | | 3.1 | | 30.1 | | 55.7 | | 6.5 | | | 4.6 | | - |
| Kilinochchi | | 100.0 | | 3.1 | | 30.2 | | 51.8 | | 10.2 | | | 4.8 | | - |
| Batticaloa | | 100.0 | | 5.7 | | 36.4 | | 40.6 | | 10.8 | | | 6.5 | | - |
| Ampara | | 100.0 | | 4.6 | | 32.6 | | 39.4 | | 13.9 | | | 9.5 | | - |
| Trincomalee | | 100.0 | | 2.3 | | 32.0 | | 42.9 | | 15.0 | | | 7.7 | | 0.1 |
| Kurunegala | | 100.0 | | 3.4 | | 23.5 | | 45.2 | | 16.1 | | | 11.9 | | 0.1 |
| Puttalam | | 100.0 | | 3.8 | | 28.7 | | 48.9 | | 10.4 | | | 8.2 | | 0.1 |
| Anuradhapura | | 100.0 | | 3.3 | | 28.0 | | 47.4 | | 13.9 | | | 7.3 | | 0.1 |
| Polonnaruwa | | 100.0 | | 4.1 | | 28.9 | | 46.8 | | 12.2 | | | 7.8 | | 0.1 |
| Badulla | | 100.0 | | 6.6 | | 30.6 | | 44.8 | | 10.2 | | | 7.8 | | - |
| Moneragala | | 100.0 | | 5.7 | | 28.0 | | 46.7 | | 12.0 | | | 7.6 | | 0.1 |
| Ratnapura | | 100.0 | | 5.9 | | 26.6 | | 45.3 | | 13.6 | | | 8.5 | | - |
| Kegalle | | 100.0 | | 2.7 | | 24.6 | | 44.6 | | 15.9 | | | 12.2 | | - |
|  | |  | |  | |  | |  | |  | | |  | |  |

- Counts are not adequate to provide reliable estimates

**Table A 6: Percentage distribution of head of the household by level of education, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Level of education of head of the household | | | | | | |
| **Total** | **No schooling** | **Up to grade 5** | **Passed grade 6-10** | **Passed G.C.E. O/L** | **Passed G.C.E A/L & above** | **Special education** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **3.4** | **23.2** | **46.4** | **15.3** | **11.8** | **-** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 1.6 | 12.9 | 42.2 | 18.7 | 24.7 | - |
| Rural | 100.0 | 3.3 | 24.1 | 47.9 | 15.1 | 9.5 | - |
| Estate | 100.0 | 12.0 | 47.8 | 34.6 | 3.5 | 2.0 | - |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 1.6 | 12.4 | 45.7 | 21.2 | 19.1 | - |
| Central | 100.0 | 4.2 | 27.5 | 43.5 | 13.5 | 11.2 | - |
| Southern | 100.0 | 4.3 | 26.0 | 44.6 | 15.4 | 9.7 | - |
| Northern | 100.0 | 1.2 | 28.6 | 50.1 | 12.6 | 7.4 | - |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 5.5 | 34.2 | 40.3 | 11.4 | 8.6 | - |
| North-western | 100.0 | 2.7 | 23.8 | 50.4 | 12.9 | 10.2 | - |
| North-central | 100.0 | 3.0 | 26.2 | 51.5 | 13.1 | 6.1 | - |
| Uva | 100.0 | 7.1 | 30.3 | 45.3 | 9.8 | 7.6 | - |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 4.2 | 26.5 | 49.0 | 12.7 | 7.6 | - |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 1.4 | 9.6 | 44.3 | 18.5 | 26.2 | - |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 1.2 | 11.2 | 46.5 | 26.2 | 14.8 | 0.1 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 2.6 | 20.1 | 46.9 | 16.4 | 14.0 | - |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 3.1 | 21.9 | 43.6 | 16.5 | 14.9 | - |
| Matale | 100.0 | 2.9 | 29.8 | 44.3 | 14.1 | 8.9 | - |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 7.5 | 36.9 | 42.7 | 7.1 | 5.7 | 0.1 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 3.6 | 23.4 | 47.2 | 16.1 | 9.6 | - |
| Matara | 100.0 | 4.4 | 25.0 | 40.4 | 17.7 | 12.6 | - |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 5.5 | 31.9 | 45.9 | 10.8 | 5.9 | - |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 0.8 | 26.5 | 49.4 | 15.8 | 7.6 | - |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 0.3 | 31.4 | 54.5 | 6.0 | 7.7 | - |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 2.0 | 31.2 | 42.4 | 13.3 | 11.1 | - |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 2.3 | 35.5 | 53.5 | 3.4 | 5.3 | - |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 1.7 | 27.2 | 59.8 | 8.7 | 2.7 | - |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 7.5 | 39.1 | 35.4 | 10.6 | 7.3 | - |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 5.2 | 32.6 | 41.4 | 10.6 | 10.1 | - |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 3.4 | 30.1 | 44.9 | 13.7 | 7.9 | - |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 2.9 | 20.8 | 49.7 | 15.0 | 11.7 | - |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 2.2 | 30.1 | 52.0 | 8.5 | 7.2 | - |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 2.8 | 24.4 | 52.9 | 14.1 | 5.9 | - |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 3.6 | 30.4 | 48.6 | 10.8 | 6.7 | - |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 6.5 | 30.9 | 44.6 | 9.2 | 8.8 | - |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 8.2 | 29.2 | 46.5 | 10.8 | 5.4 | - |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 6.1 | 28.4 | 48.0 | 11.5 | 6.0 | - |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 1.7 | 23.9 | 50.4 | 14.4 | 9.7 | - |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

- Counts are not adequate to provide reliable estimates

**Marital status**

**Table A 7: Percentage distribution of population by marital status, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Marital status | | | | |
| **Total** | **Never married** | **Married** | **Widowed** | **Divorced/Separated** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **32.2** | **58.2** | **7.9** | **1.7** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 33.9 | 56.5 | 8.1 | 1.4 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 31.9 | 58.6 | 7.8 | 1.7 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 31.7 | 58.6 | 8.6 | 1.1 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 31.7 | 58.2 | 8.6 | 1.5 |
| Central | 100.0 | 31.5 | 59.4 | 7.9 | 1.2 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 32.2 | 59.0 | 7.4 | 1.3 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 39.4 | 50.2 | 8.2 | 2.2 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 37.0 | 54.1 | 7.1 | 1.8 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 31.1 | 59.4 | 8.0 | 1.5 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 28.8 | 60.6 | 7.2 | 3.4 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 30.5 | 60.8 | 6.9 | 1.8 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 32.0 | 58.4 | 7.8 | 1.7 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 32.6 | 57.6 | 8.3 | 1.4 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 31.2 | 58.3 | 8.9 | 1.6 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 30.7 | 59.1 | 8.8 | 1.5 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 32.7 | 58.5 | 7.7 | 1.1 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 28.9 | 61.8 | 7.5 | 1.7 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 31.0 | 59.5 | 8.4 | 1.1 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 32.8 | 57.5 | 8.2 | 1.5 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 32.9 | 59.0 | 7.0 | 1.1 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 30.1 | 61.9 | 6.6 | 1.4 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 40.3 | 49.0 | 8.6 | 2.2 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 38.2 | 54.1 | 6.2 | 1.6 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 37.0 | 50.8 | 9.7 | 2.5 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 37.6 | 52.0 | 7.0 | 3.4 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 40.8 | 51.4 | 6.1 | 1.7 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 37.8 | 54.4 | 6.0 | 1.7 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 36.7 | 54.8 | 6.8 | 1.7 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 36.4 | 52.3 | 9.2 | 2.0 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 31.2 | 59.8 | 7.9 | 1.1 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 30.9 | 58.7 | 8.2 | 2.3 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 29.6 | 58.7 | 7.2 | 4.4 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 27.1 | 64.5 | 7.2 | 1.2 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 31.1 | 59.6 | 7.3 | 2.0 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 29.5 | 63.0 | 6.2 | 1.3 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 32.1 | 59.4 | 7.0 | 1.5 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 32.0 | 57.2 | 8.8 | 2.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

**Table A 8: Percentage distribution of head of the household by marital status, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/ District | Marital status of head of the household | | | | | |
| **Total** | **Never married** | **Married** | | **Widowed** | **Divorced/ Separated** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | | **(%)** | **(%)** |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **2.1** | | **79.0** | **15.9** | **3.0** |
| Sector |  |  | |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 2.4 | | 79.1 | 15.9 | 2.7 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 2.0 | | 78.8 | 16.0 | 3.1 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 1.8 | | 81.6 | 14.3 | 2.3 |
| Province |  |  | |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 2.6 | | 77.6 | 17.5 | 2.3 |
| Central | 100.0 | 1.9 | | 81.2 | 15.1 | 1.8 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 2.6 | | 78.0 | 16.8 | 2.6 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 1.7 | | 76.1 | 17.0 | 5.2 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 1.0 | | 80.3 | 14.7 | 4.0 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 2.0 | | 80.7 | 14.8 | 2.5 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 0.9 | | 76.9 | 14.3 | 8.0 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 0.9 | | 82.4 | 13.0 | 3.7 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 2.9 | | 78.5 | 16.4 | 2.2 |
| District |  |  | |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 2.3 | | 78.5 | 16.7 | 2.5 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 3.1 | | 77.1 | 17.7 | 2.1 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 2.1 | | 77.2 | 18.4 | 2.2 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 1.9 | | 80.8 | 15.8 | 1.5 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 1.8 | | 81.3 | 14.2 | 2.7 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 2.0 | | 82.0 | 14.3 | 1.7 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 2.1 | | 76.3 | 18.6 | 3.0 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 3.9 | | 78.6 | 15.5 | 2.0 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 1.9 | | 80.2 | 15.2 | 2.6 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 1.6 | | 74.9 | 18.3 | 5.3 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 2.2 | | 83.1 | 12.1 | 2.6 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 2.5 | | 74.9 | 17.6 | 5.0 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 1.6 | | 72.5 | 17.7 | 8.3 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 0.5 | | 81.5 | 13.3 | 4.7 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 1.3 | | 83.9 | 11.7 | 3.1 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 0.5 | | 81.1 | 13.8 | 4.5 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 1.4 | | 74.0 | 20.2 | 4.4 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 2.3 | | 80.4 | 15.6 | 1.7 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 1.3 | | 81.4 | 13.2 | 4.1 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 0.6 | | 74.2 | 14.3 | 10.8 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 1.4 | | 82.6 | 14.1 | 1.9 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 0.7 | | 81.8 | 12.8 | 4.6 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 1.3 | | 83.2 | 13.3 | 2.2 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 3.2 | | 79.1 | 15.2 | 2.5 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 2.5 | | 77.6 | 18.1 | 1.9 |
|  |  |  | |  |  |  |

**Female – headed households**

**Table A 9: Percentage distribution of female heads of household by age group, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Age group (years) | | | | |  |
| **Total** | **Less than 25** | **25-39** | **40-59** | **60 & above** | |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **1.2** | **18.0** | **43.0** | **37.8** | |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  | |
| Urban | 100.0 | 0.8 | 15.8 | 45.9 | 37.5 | |
| Rural | 100.0 | 1.3 | 18.6 | 41.7 | 38.4 | |
| Estate | 100.0 | 0.9 | 14.6 | 56.0 | 28.4 | |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  | |
| Western | 100.0 | 0.6 | 11.8 | 43.5 | 44.2 | |
| Central | 100.0 | 1.5 | 18.4 | 46.6 | 33.5 | |
| Southern | 100.0 | 0.7 | 15.2 | 38.2 | 46.0 | |
| Northern | 100.0 | 2.0 | 14.4 | 49.4 | 34.1 | |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 3.5 | 31.8 | 38.0 | 26.8 | |
| North-western | 100.0 | 0.9 | 20.4 | 47.2 | 31.5 | |
| North-central | 100.0 | 1.7 | 33.8 | 40.7 | 23.8 | |
| Uva | 100.0 | 1.1 | 22.8 | 41.6 | 34.5 | |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 1.3 | 11.6 | 40.7 | 46.4 | |
| District |  |  |  |  |  | |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 0.4 | 11.7 | 45.9 | 41.9 | |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 0.6 | 10.9 | 44.3 | 44.2 | |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 0.6 | 13.9 | 37.0 | 48.6 | |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 1.3 | 17.6 | 44.6 | 36.5 | |
| Matale | 100.0 | 1.0 | 23.4 | 44.4 | 31.1 | |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 2.2 | 16.2 | 52.5 | 29.1 | |
| Galle | 100.0 | 0.7 | 14.4 | 36.3 | 48.6 | |
| Matara | 100.0 | 1.0 | 12.5 | 42.0 | 44.4 | |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | - | 21.1 | 36.5 | 42.4 | |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 1.1 | 14.8 | 44.9 | 39.2 | |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 1.5 | 10.2 | 53.4 | 34.8 | |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 6.1 | 7.0 | 62.8 | 24.1 | |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | - | 26.5 | 42.8 | 30.7 | |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | - | 22.1 | 50.5 | 27.4 | |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 6.0 | 38.9 | 34.8 | 20.3 | |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 2.1 | 33.4 | 36.9 | 27.6 | |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 2.2 | 19.1 | 44.1 | 34.6 | |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 0.5 | 18.9 | 46.0 | 34.5 | |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 1.7 | 23.4 | 49.5 | 25.5 | |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 1.9 | 34.6 | 42.4 | 21.2 | |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 1.4 | 32.1 | 37.0 | 29.5 | |
| Badulla | 100.0 | - | 20.4 | 48.3 | 31.3 | |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 2.8 | 26.6 | 30.8 | 39.8 | |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 0.9 | 11.3 | 37.1 | 50.7 | |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 1.8 | 11.8 | 44.4 | 42.0 | |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | |

- Counts are not adequate to provide reliable estimates

**Table A 10: Percentage distribution of female heads of household by marital status, sector province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Marital status of female heads of household | | | | |
| **Total** | **Never married** | **Married** | **Widowed/Divorced/**  **Separated** | |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  | |  |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **3.6** | **32.2** | | **64.3** |
| Sector |  |  |  | |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 4.6 | 33.3 | | 62.1 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 3.4 | 31.3 | | 65.2 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 1.8 | 43.6 | | 54.6 |
| Province |  |  |  | |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 4.2 | 27.0 | | 68.8 |
| Central | 100.0 | 2.2 | 45.6 | | 52.2 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 5.5 | 33.6 | | 61.0 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 5.1 | 14.1 | | 80.8 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 1.4 | 33.2 | | 65.4 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 3.8 | 37.1 | | 59.1 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 0.7 | 26.0 | | 73.3 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 1.9 | 39.5 | | 58.6 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 5.0 | 26.7 | | 68.3 |
| District |  |  |  | |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 4.0 | 27.7 | | 68.3 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 4.7 | 26.9 | | 68.3 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 3.3 | 25.6 | | 71.1 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 2.2 | 44.3 | | 53.4 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 1.9 | 44.6 | | 53.5 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 2.4 | 48.9 | | 48.7 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 5.1 | 30.2 | | 64.7 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 7.4 | 40.1 | | 52.5 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 3.3 | 30.7 | | 66.1 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 5.1 | 13.4 | | 81.6 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 8.8 | 7.2 | | 84.0 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 6.0 | 24.5 | | 69.6 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 2.2 | 3.2 | | 94.6 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 3.3 | 9.1 | | 87.7 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 1.6 | 46.9 | | 51.5 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 0.7 | 30.4 | | 68.9 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 2.1 | 18.4 | | 79.5 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 3.6 | 36.8 | | 59.6 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 4.3 | 37.6 | | 58.1 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 0.7 | 16.5 | | 82.7 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 0.7 | 46.5 | | 52.8 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 1.8 | 37.3 | | 60.9 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 2.0 | 43.1 | | 54.9 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 6.0 | 22.3 | | 71.7 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 4.0 | 31.2 | | 64.8 |
|  |  |  |  | |  |

**Table A 11: Percentage distribution of female heads of household by level of education, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Level of education of female heads of household | | | | |
| **Total** | **No schooling** | **Up to grade 10** | **Passed G.C.E. (O/L) & above** | **Special education** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **7.1** | **68.9** | **23.9** | **-** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 3.4 | 62.6 | 34.0 | - |
| Rural | 100.0 | 7.1 | 70.1 | 22.8 | - |
| Estate | 100.0 | 24.7 | 72.2 | 3.0 | - |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 3.4 | 66.4 | 30.2 | - |
| Central | 100.0 | 8.8 | 65.7 | 25.4 | 0.1 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 9.5 | 66.4 | 24.1 | - |
| Northern | 100.0 | 2.8 | 79.1 | 18.1 | - |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 9.4 | 76.0 | 14.6 | - |
| North-western | 100.0 | 5.9 | 69.9 | 24.2 | - |
| North-central | 100.0 | 6.3 | 76.0 | 17.8 | - |
| Uva | 100.0 | 14.9 | 62.1 | 23.0 | - |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 9.4 | 71.2 | 19.4 | - |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 3.1 | 63.6 | 33.3 | - |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 2.6 | 67.9 | 29.4 | - |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 6.0 | 68.3 | 25.7 | - |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 6.5 | 62.6 | 30.9 | - |
| Matale | 100.0 | 5.4 | 69.4 | 25.2 | - |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 16.5 | 69.2 | 13.8 | 0.5 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 8.2 | 68.8 | 23.0 | - |
| Matara | 100.0 | 6.6 | 62.7 | 30.8 | - |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 17.2 | 67.0 | 15.8 | - |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 1.6 | 79.2 | 19.3 | - |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 0.0 | 92.3 | 7.7 | - |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 5.7 | 73.2 | 21.1 | - |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 6.3 | 80.8 | 13.0 | - |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 1.7 | 82.5 | 15.7 | - |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 8.4 | 74.6 | 17.0 | - |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 13.1 | 73.4 | 13.5 | - |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 4.9 | 82.1 | 13.0 | - |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 7.0 | 66.3 | 26.7 | - |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 3.7 | 77.1 | 19.2 | - |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 5.9 | 77.0 | 17.0 | - |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 7.0 | 73.6 | 19.4 | - |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 15.2 | 62.2 | 22.6 | - |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 14.5 | 61.8 | 23.7 | - |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 15.0 | 71.5 | 13.5 | - |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 3.7 | 71.0 | 25.3 | - |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

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**School attendance**

**Table A 12: Percentage distribution of population (aged 5 - 20 years) by school attendance, sector,**

**province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | School attendance | | | |
| **Total** | **Currently attending school** | **Never attended school** | **Attended school in the past** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **85.3** | **3.5** | **11.2** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 85.6 | 3.2 | 11.2 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 85.4 | 3.5 | 11.1 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 82.3 | 4.9 | 12.8 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 85.2 | 3.6 | 11.2 |
| Central | 100.0 | 86.0 | 3.6 | 10.4 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 85.6 | 3.7 | 10.7 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 84.8 | 3.8 | 11.4 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 85.8 | 2.1 | 12.1 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 84.6 | 3.5 | 11.9 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 83.2 | 4.2 | 12.6 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 86.4 | 4.3 | 9.3 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 84.9 | 3.4 | 11.7 |
| District |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 84.5 | 3.2 | 12.3 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 84.8 | 4.0 | 11.2 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 87.3 | 3.4 | 9.3 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 86.1 | 3.1 | 10.8 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 82.5 | 4.1 | 13.4 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 88.2 | 4.2 | 7.6 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 85.3 | 3.6 | 11.1 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 86.8 | 3.3 | 9.9 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 84.4 | 4.4 | 11.2 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 87.3 | 3.3 | 9.4 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 81.5 | 3.9 | 14.6 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 79.0 | 4.0 | 17.0 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 82.6 | 5.7 | 11.7 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 85.3 | 4.2 | 10.5 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 82.1 | 2.3 | 15.6 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 86.3 | 2.4 | 11.3 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 90.6 | 1.2 | 8.2 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 84.8 | 3.9 | 11.3 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 84.3 | 2.7 | 13.0 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 83.9 | 4.0 | 12.1 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 81.5 | 4.7 | 13.8 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 86.9 | 4.1 | 9.0 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 85.6 | 4.6 | 9.8 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 82.8 | 3.2 | 14.0 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 87.6 | 3.6 | 8.8 |
|  |  |  |  |  |

**Table A 13: Percentage distribution of population (aged 5 - 14 years) by school attendance, sector,**

**province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | School attendance | | | |
| **Total** | **Currently attending school** | **Never attended school** | **Attended school in the past** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **94.4** | **4.9** | **0.7** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 94.3 | 4.7 | 1.0 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 94.6 | 4.9 | 0.5 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 92.1 | 5.9 | 2.0 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 94.1 | 5.2 | 0.7 |
| Central | 100.0 | 94.7 | 4.9 | 0.4 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 94.1 | 5.3 | 0.6 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 93.9 | 5.8 | 0.3 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 96.2 | 2.4 | 1.4 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 95.0 | 4.8 | 0.2 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 93.5 | 6.0 | 0.5 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 94.0 | 5.6 | 0.4 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 94.2 | 4.6 | 1.2 |
| District |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 94.0 | 4.8 | 1.2 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 94.0 | 5.7 | 0.3 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 94.8 | 4.8 | 0.4 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 95.3 | 4.3 | 0.4 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 94.5 | 5.3 | 0.2 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 93.8 | 5.5 | 0.7 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 94.0 | 5.4 | 0.6 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 94.6 | 4.6 | 0.8 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 93.3 | 6.3 | 0.4 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 95.0 | 5.0 | - |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 92.9 | 6.1 | 1.0 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 92.8 | 6.4 | 0.8 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 91.5 | 8.5 | - |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 93.0 | 6.0 | 1.0 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 95.6 | 2.1 | 2.3 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 96.3 | 3.1 | 0.6 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 97.3 | 1.5 | 1.2 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 94.5 | 5.4 | 0.1 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 96.0 | 3.6 | 0.4 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 93.7 | 5.8 | 0.5 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 92.9 | 6.5 | 0.6 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 94.1 | 5.5 | 0.4 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 93.6 | 6.0 | 0.4 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 94.1 | 4.1 | 1.8 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 94.3 | 5.3 | 0.4 |
|  |  |  |  |  |

- Counts are not adequate to provide reliable estimates

**Table A 14: Percentage distribution of population (age 5-20 years) who are currently attending school by distance to school from house, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Distance | | | | | |
| **Total** | **Less than 1 km** | **1 km to less than 3 km** | **3 km to less than 5 km** | **5 km to less than 10km** | **10 km or more than 10 km** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **25.4** | 35.0 | 16.3 | 12.9 | 10.4 |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 28.7 | 35.5 | 15.0 | 12.1 | 8.7 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 24.4 | 35.0 | 16.4 | 13.2 | 11.0 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 29.1 | 35.4 | 19.3 | 10.2 | 6.0 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 16.7 | 32.9 | 17.7 | 17.1 | 15.6 |
| Central | 100.0 | 27.4 | 33.2 | 15.1 | 13.2 | 11.1 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 21.8 | 36.0 | 17.7 | 15.2 | 9.3 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 37.0 | 36.7 | 14.9 | 8.3 | 3.1 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 55.9 | 29.2 | 6.0 | 6.0 | 2.9 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 25.3 | 37.8 | 14.9 | 11.8 | 10.2 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 24.6 | 37.4 | 17.0 | 11.4 | 9.6 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 19.2 | 43.5 | 22.7 | 7.9 | 6.7 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 17.0 | 36.5 | 21.3 | 13.6 | 11.6 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 12.7 | 31.7 | 19.8 | 19.3 | 16.5 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 19.2 | 34.4 | 15.5 | 15.0 | 15.9 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 19.8 | 32.0 | 18.0 | 16.5 | 13.7 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 25.9 | 30.5 | 13.4 | 16.1 | 14.1 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 32.4 | 34.3 | 15.0 | 8.1 | 10.2 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 27.0 | 37.7 | 18.1 | 10.9 | 6.3 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 25.0 | 33.9 | 16.0 | 16.4 | 8.7 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 19.0 | 35.6 | 20.3 | 15.1 | 10.0 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 19.9 | 40.8 | 16.9 | 13.2 | 9.2 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 39.6 | 36.0 | 13.2 | 7.3 | 3.9 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 69.7 | 19.3 | 5.1 | 5.5 | 0.4 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 15.2 | 41.9 | 20.4 | 18.6 | 3.9 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 33.4 | 39.0 | 22.8 | 3.1 | 1.7 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 29.9 | 44.2 | 17.4 | 6.6 | 1.9 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 56.5 | 27.5 | 8.0 | 6.6 | 1.4 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 58.3 | 26.3 | 5.4 | 4.9 | 5.1 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 51.0 | 36.2 | 4.5 | 6.9 | 1.4 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 22.0 | 38.7 | 13.9 | 14.6 | 10.8 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 32.1 | 35.9 | 16.9 | 6.1 | 9.0 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 22.9 | 36.5 | 16.9 | 12.5 | 11.2 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 28.5 | 40.0 | 17.1 | 8.9 | 5.5 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 15.8 | 44.1 | 23.8 | 8.3 | 8.0 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 26.2 | 42.2 | 20.4 | 7.0 | 4.2 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 14.6 | 37.3 | 25.8 | 11.9 | 10.4 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 19.9 | 35.3 | 16.0 | 15.6 | 13.2 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

**Table A 15: Percentage distribution of population (aged 5-20 years) who are currently attending school by main mode of travel, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/ District | Mode of travel | | | | | |
| **Total** | **Walking** | **Bicycle/Motor Bicycle/Three wheel/Car** | **School van** | **Bus/Train** | **Other** |
|  | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **40.7** | **22.2** | **14.9** | **21.8** | **0.4** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 32.5 | 30.6 | 17.0 | 19.3 | 0.6 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 40.6 | 21.6 | 15.1 | 22.4 | 0.3 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 69.4 | 4.5 | 3.4 | 22.4 | 0.3 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 25.5 | 21.9 | 26.0 | 26.2 | 0.4 |
| Central | 100.0 | 53.8 | 8.1 | 12.9 | 24.7 | 0.5 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 37.4 | 20.9 | 15.6 | 25.9 | 0.2 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 41.1 | 47.5 | 2.1 | 9.3 | - |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 69.8 | 22.2 | 1.1 | 6.7 | 0.2 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 33.1 | 32.9 | 15.9 | 17.4 | 0.7 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 34.8 | 36.7 | 7.7 | 20.6 | 0.2 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 54.5 | 11.4 | 5.4 | 28.4 | 0.3 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 43.0 | 12.7 | 18.1 | 26.0 | 0.2 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 20.4 | 24.1 | 23.0 | 31.6 | 0.9 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 28.2 | 22.1 | 28.7 | 21.0 | - |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 30.0 | 17.3 | 26.4 | 25.9 | 0.4 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 45.1 | 9.6 | 17.6 | 26.8 | 0.9 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 53.2 | 11.2 | 13.7 | 21.9 | - |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 69.9 | 3.5 | 3.8 | 22.7 | 0.1 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 39.8 | 21.1 | 13.8 | 25.3 | - |
| Matara | 100.0 | 33.6 | 21.2 | 20.5 | 24.1 | 0.6 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 38.6 | 19.8 | 12.0 | 29.6 | - |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 37.7 | 49.1 | 3.5 | 9.7 | - |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 62.1 | 28.9 | 0.5 | 8.1 | 0.4 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 39.0 | 47.3 | 0.5 | 13.2 | - |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 38.1 | 57.4 | - | 4.5 | - |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 45.4 | 46.9 | 0.3 | 7.4 | - |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 72.3 | 21.9 | 0.5 | 4.8 | 0.5 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 66.6 | 22.1 | 1.6 | 9.7 | - |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 71.5 | 22.7 | 1.1 | 4.5 | 0.2 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 29.6 | 31.1 | 18.3 | 20.3 | 0.7 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 40.0 | 36.6 | 11.1 | 11.7 | 0.6 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 33.7 | 40.2 | 7.5 | 18.6 | - |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 37.1 | 28.6 | 8.1 | 25.4 | 0.8 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 58.6 | 8.8 | 4.4 | 28.1 | 0.1 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 46.3 | 16.5 | 7.6 | 28.8 | 0.8 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 42.8 | 15.8 | 15.5 | 25.6 | 0.3 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 43.1 | 8.9 | 21.4 | 26.5 | 0.1 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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**Table A 16: Percentage distribution of population (aged 5-20 years) who are currently attending school by time taken to school from house, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/  District | Time taken to school from house | | | | |
| **Total** | **15 minutes or less than 15 minutes** | **16 to 30 minutes** | **31 to 60 minutes** | **More than 60 minutes** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **49.8** | **35.4** | **12.8** | **2.0** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 58.4 | 30.4 | 10.0 | 1.2 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 48.4 | 36.1 | 13.3 | 2.2 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 39.8 | 41.0 | 16.5 | 2.7 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 42.6 | 37.8 | 17.0 | 2.6 |
| Central | 100.0 | 42.3 | 37.2 | 17.0 | 3.5 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 50.1 | 38.0 | 10.8 | 1.1 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 65.3 | 29.8 | 4.4 | 0.5 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 70.6 | 25.6 | 3.7 | 0.1 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 57.1 | 32.3 | 9.9 | 0.7 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 59.3 | 32.5 | 7.9 | 0.3 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 39.3 | 40.5 | 18.8 | 1.4 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 39.3 | 38.7 | 16.4 | 5.6 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 38.9 | 40.5 | 18.1 | 2.5 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 46.6 | 34.8 | 15.8 | 2.7 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 41.9 | 38.5 | 17.0 | 2.6 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 38.8 | 34.7 | 22.3 | 4.3 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 49.8 | 35.5 | 11.8 | 2.9 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 43.9 | 43.0 | 10.6 | 2.5 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 49.1 | 38.3 | 10.7 | 1.9 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 52.8 | 36.6 | 10.2 | 0.4 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 48.1 | 39.4 | 11.8 | 0.7 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 71.1 | 24.3 | 3.9 | 0.7 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 60.7 | 37.9 | 1.4 | - |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 57.1 | 35.2 | 7.7 | - |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 63.9 | 34.8 | 0.4 | 0.9 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 54.1 | 38.4 | 7.5 | - |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 70.8 | 25.4 | 3.7 | 0.1 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 75.5 | 20.7 | 3.7 | 0.1 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 62.5 | 33.9 | 3.6 | - |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 52.8 | 34.8 | 11.3 | 1.1 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 65.6 | 27.2 | 7.2 | - |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 56.6 | 34.8 | 8.2 | 0.4 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 65.4 | 27.2 | 7.2 | 0.2 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 34.9 | 42.9 | 20.8 | 1.4 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 48.2 | 36.0 | 14.6 | 1.2 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 40.3 | 40.2 | 15.6 | 3.9 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 38.4 | 36.9 | 17.3 | 7.4 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

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**Health**

**Table A 17: Percentage distribution of household population by health status, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/  District | Health status of household population | | | | |
| **Obtained outpatient health care from government hospital (one month)** | **Stayed at a government hospital as an inpatient (12 month)** | **Obtained outpatient health care from private hospital(one month)** | **Stayed at a private hospital as an inpatient (12 month)** | **Suffering from chronic illness/disability** |
| (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **17.4** | **8.4** | **15.0** | **0.8** | **14.2** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 12.2 | 6.1 | 13.8 | 1.0 | 15.3 |
| Rural | 18.5 | 9.0 | 15.7 | 0.7 | 14.1 |
| Estate | 18.4 | 7.8 | 9.0 | 0.2 | 11.7 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 12.6 | 6.7 | 17.7 | 1.1 | 16.4 |
| Central | 20.8 | 8.4 | 12.3 | 0.3 | 13.8 |
| Southern | 16.7 | 6.9 | 16.3 | 0.5 | 14.8 |
| Northern | 17.2 | 12.4 | 7.7 | 1.9 | 13.1 |
| Eastern | 19.1 | 9.2 | 9.0 | 0.9 | 10.2 |
| North-western | 19.0 | 8.8 | 17.9 | 0.7 | 12.8 |
| North-central | 24.7 | 11.9 | 16.4 | 0.5 | 14.3 |
| Uva | 20.6 | 8.1 | 8.0 | 0.4 | 12.7 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 17.9 | 9.6 | 18.0 | 0.5 | 13.8 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 11.5 | 5.3 | 13.8 | 1.0 | 16.1 |
| Gampaha | 13.3 | 7.9 | 19.8 | 1.2 | 16.3 |
| Kalutara | 13.4 | 7.3 | 21.2 | 1.1 | 17.2 |
| Kandy | 19.2 | 8.0 | 14.1 | 0.3 | 13.8 |
| Matale | 23.9 | 10.5 | 14.2 | 0.3 | 14.8 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 21.8 | 7.8 | 7.5 | 0.2 | 13.1 |
| Galle | 18.4 | 5.0 | 11.8 | 0.7 | 13.1 |
| Matara | 10.9 | 6.2 | 17.8 | 0.4 | 14.9 |
| Hambantota | 21.7 | 11.4 | 22.1 | 0.3 | 17.5 |
| Jaffna | 16.8 | 10.7 | 9.2 | 2.0 | 14.2 |
| Mannar | 10.9 | 6.5 | 1.9 | 0.7 | 12.5 |
| Vavunia | 22.2 | 23.0 | 13.1 | 3.6 | 18.6 |
| Mullaitivu | 15.8 | 4.7 | 1.3 | 0.1 | 5.1 |
| Kilinochchi | 18.2 | 16.1 | 2.1 | 1.5 | 6.4 |
| Batticaloa | 18.3 | 11.6 | 6.6 | 0.7 | 11.5 |
| Ampara | 21.0 | 9.4 | 13.2 | 0.9 | 10.5 |
| Trincomalee | 16.9 | 5.5 | 5.2 | 1.2 | 7.6 |
| Kurunegala | 20.1 | 8.8 | 17.5 | 0.6 | 12.7 |
| Puttalam | 16.8 | 8.9 | 18.9 | 0.9 | 13.1 |
| Anuradhapura | 23.5 | 11.0 | 15.8 | 0.5 | 12.8 |
| Polonnaruwa | 27.3 | 13.8 | 17.5 | 0.6 | 17.6 |
| Badulla | 20.8 | 8.8 | 7.8 | 0.4 | 13.0 |
| Moneragala | 20.1 | 6.8 | 8.5 | 0.4 | 12.0 |
| Ratnapura | 17.5 | 8.1 | 18.2 | 0.4 | 13.8 |
| Kegalle | 18.5 | 11.7 | 17.7 | 0.7 | 13.7 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

**Table A 18 A: Percentage distribution of household population who obtained treatment as an outpatient from government hospital by reason for visiting, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Reason for visiting government hospital | | | | |
| Sector/Province/  District | **Total** | **Treatment for illness** | **Treatment for injury** | **Immunization/**  **Treatment for infectious diseases** | **Other** |
|  | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **85.1** | **3.7** | **1.6** | **9.6** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 83.0 | 3.3 | 2.2 | 11.6 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 85.2 | 3.7 | 1.5 | 9.5 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 88.1 | 3.6 | 2.4 | 5.9 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 84.8 | 2.4 | 1.4 | 11.5 |
| Central | 100.0 | 88.9 | 3.4 | 1.2 | 6.4 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 90.4 | 3.9 | 0.7 | 5.0 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 69.4 | 6.0 | 3.8 | 20.9 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 80.5 | 4.8 | 1.6 | 13.0 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 84.2 | 4.5 | 1.1 | 10.2 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 85.4 | 2.7 | 1.7 | 10.3 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 82.8 | 2.5 | 3.6 | 11.1 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 88.5 | 5.2 | 1.9 | 4.5 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 83.0 | 2.5 | 1.3 | 13.2 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 85.2 | 2.1 | 1.4 | 11.3 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 86.9 | 2.6 | 1.4 | 9.1 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 87.4 | 4.5 | 0.5 | 7.6 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 89.9 | 1.5 | 2.5 | 6.1 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 90.8 | 2.9 | 1.5 | 4.8 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 90.6 | 5.0 | 0.6 | 3.8 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 89.0 | 2.8 | 0.4 | 7.8 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 91.2 | 2.9 | 1.1 | 4.8 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 66.9 | 6.6 | 2.8 | 23.6 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 54.4 | 3.4 | 6.1 | 36.0 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 79.1 | 6.6 | 1.6 | 12.7 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 61.2 | 2.0 | 12.5 | 24.4 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 76.7 | 6.0 | 4.9 | 12.4 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 79.2 | 4.7 | 2.0 | 14.1 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 82.8 | 3.4 | 1.3 | 12.4 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 77.7 | 8.0 | 1.9 | 12.4 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 84.1 | 4.7 | 1.0 | 10.2 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 84.3 | 3.8 | 1.5 | 10.4 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 81.1 | 3.1 | 2.2 | 13.6 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 93.3 | 1.9 | 0.7 | 4.2 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 81.9 | 2.3 | 3.9 | 11.8 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 84.4 | 2.8 | 3.1 | 9.8 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 89.1 | 4.1 | 2.9 | 3.9 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 87.6 | 6.5 | 0.6 | 5.3 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

**Table A 18 B: Percentage distribution of household population who obtained treatment as an outpatient from**

**private hospital by reason for visiting, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Reason for visiting private hospital | | | | |
| Sector/Province/  District | **Total** | **Treatment for illness** | **Treatment for injury** | **Immunization/**  **Treatment for infectious diseases** | **Other** |
|  | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **88.9** | **3.5** | **0.9** | **6.6** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 89.1 | 2.2 | 1.0 | 7.7 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 88.8 | 3.7 | 0.9 | 6.5 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 90.7 | 5.4 | 1.3 | 2.6 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 90.0 | 2.7 | 0.8 | 6.4 |
| Central | 100.0 | 89.2 | 3.1 | 1.0 | 6.6 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 91.7 | 2.6 | 0.8 | 4.9 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 73.2 | 6.0 | 0.9 | 20.0 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 84.8 | 3.6 | 0.6 | 11.0 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 87.0 | 5.1 | 1.0 | 6.9 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 90.2 | 3.1 | 0.4 | 6.3 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 85.8 | 2.3 | 5.6 | 6.3 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 89.8 | 5.5 | 0.5 | 4.3 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 89.8 | 1.7 | 0.8 | 7.8 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 90.0 | 3.4 | 1.0 | 5.6 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 90.4 | 2.8 | 0.6 | 6.3 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 87.4 | 3.1 | 1.2 | 8.3 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 92.1 | 2.5 | 0.6 | 4.8 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 92.1 | 4.0 | 1.0 | 3.0 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 92.0 | 3.3 | 0.3 | 4.5 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 92.7 | 2.3 | 0.2 | 4.8 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 90.4 | 2.2 | 1.9 | 5.4 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 72.3 | 6.3 | 0.5 | 20.9 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 61.8 | 10.3 | - | 27.9 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 75.6 | 5.8 | 1.7 | 17.0 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 76.2 | - | 7.0 | 16.9 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 76.9 | - | - | 23.1 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 88.3 | 3.4 | - | 8.3 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 86.1 | 2.1 | 0.5 | 11.3 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 73.2 | 10.2 | 2.1 | 14.5 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 84.6 | 6.4 | 1.0 | 8.0 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 91.7 | 2.8 | 0.9 | 4.7 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 88.1 | 3.5 | 0.3 | 8.1 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 94.2 | 2.2 | 0.6 | 2.9 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 85.7 | 2.7 | 6.4 | 5.3 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 85.9 | 1.8 | 4.5 | 7.9 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 93.8 | 2.9 | 0.5 | 2.8 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 84.4 | 9.0 | 0.3 | 6.3 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

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**Table A 19 A: Percentage distribution of household population who had treatment during last 12**

**months from government hospital as an inpatient by reason for hospitalizing , sector, provinc and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Reason for hospitalizing at government hospital | | | | |
| Sector/Province/  District | **Total** | **Treatment for illness** | **Treatment for injury/accidents** | **Operation/Surgery** | **Other (child delivery, treatment for infectious diseases etc.)** |
|  | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **58.7** | **12.4** | **10.9** | **17.9** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 53.9 | 11.4 | 13.5 | 21.2 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 59.4 | 12.5 | 10.7 | 17.4 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 59.3 | 14.1 | 8.6 | 18.0 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 56.3 | 10.2 | 13.6 | 19.9 |
| Central | 100.0 | 54.7 | 13.2 | 12.2 | 19.9 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 55.9 | 13.4 | 12.8 | 17.9 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 66.5 | 10.6 | 8.0 | 14.9 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 66.3 | 8.8 | 8.6 | 16.3 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 54.3 | 16.1 | 10.9 | 18.7 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 64.4 | 10.1 | 9.4 | 16.1 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 59.0 | 13.0 | 7.4 | 20.5 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 60.0 | 16.5 | 9.3 | 14.3 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 54.9 | 10.6 | 16.4 | 18.1 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 56.2 | 9.9 | 13.5 | 20.4 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 58.2 | 10.3 | 10.2 | 21.3 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 47.6 | 14.8 | 14.3 | 23.2 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 59.3 | 11.1 | 9.4 | 20.2 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 64.1 | 12.0 | 10.5 | 13.4 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 55.9 | 13.9 | 12.0 | 18.2 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 50.3 | 13.8 | 15.3 | 20.5 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 60.1 | 12.7 | 11.7 | 15.6 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 62.3 | 12.4 | 10.7 | 14.6 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 46.6 | 14.4 | 7.0 | 31.9 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 73.2 | 9.0 | 4.3 | 13.5 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 60.8 | 6.7 | 9.7 | 22.8 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 75.2 | 7.6 | 6.1 | 11.1 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 72.1 | 7.5 | 5.4 | 15.1 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 59.9 | 9.7 | 12.1 | 18.4 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 68.3 | 9.9 | 8.1 | 13.8 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 54.7 | 17.5 | 10.8 | 17.0 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 53.5 | 13.0 | 11.3 | 22.1 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 65.5 | 10.7 | 7.4 | 16.4 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 62.5 | 8.9 | 12.9 | 15.7 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 56.3 | 13.8 | 8.3 | 21.6 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 65.4 | 11.2 | 5.3 | 18.1 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 64.4 | 9.9 | 7.5 | 18.2 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 56.0 | 22.5 | 10.9 | 10.7 |
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**Table A 19 B: Percentage distribution of household population who had treatment during last 12**

**months from private hospital as an inpatient by reason for hospitalizing , sector, province and**

**district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Reason for hospitalizing at private hospital | | | | |
| Sector/Province/  District | **Total** | **Treatment for illness** | **Treatment for injury/accidents** | **Operation/Surgery** | **Other (child delivery, treatment for infectious diseases etc.)** |
|  | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **59.3** | **9.9** | **16.5** | **14.3** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 60.5 | 6.5 | 18.6 | 14.3 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 58.6 | 10.8 | 16.0 | 14.5 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 77.9 | 14.6 | 7.6 | - |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 53.4 | 9.7 | 21.6 | 15.3 |
| Central | 100.0 | 39.3 | 10.5 | 19.4 | 30.8 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 69.5 | 5.2 | 9.1 | 16.2 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 60.8 | 11.2 | 17.4 | 10.6 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 71.2 | 12.2 | 5.7 | 10.9 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 61.5 | 4.1 | 19.1 | 15.3 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 46.8 | 17.0 | 22.2 | 14.0 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 73.9 | 22.7 | 3.4 | - |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 76.9 | 9.0 | 4.0 | 10.1 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 68.2 | 5.3 | 19.2 | 7.2 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 39.7 | 12.9 | 27.5 | 19.9 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 56.4 | 10.6 | 13.4 | 19.6 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 21.8 | 11.6 | 22.1 | 44.6 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 60.7 | - | 23.4 | 15.8 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 75.1 | 20.3 | 4.8 | - |
| Galle | 100.0 | 70.9 | 4.2 | 11.1 | 13.9 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 56.9 | 2.3 | 10.1 | 30.8 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 86.1 | 13.9 | - | - |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 53.7 | 11.4 | 23.2 | 11.8 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 12.6 | 43.0 | 24.1 | 20.3 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 73.8 | 9.1 | 9.3 | 7.7 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | - | - | 100.0 | - |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 85.8 | 4.9 | - | 9.3 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 69.7 | 4.0 | 3.2 | 23.1 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 64.8 | 20.3 | 8.2 | 6.7 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 81.1 | 8.1 | 4.5 | 6.4 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 67.3 | 4.8 | 10.0 | 17.9 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 52.7 | 3.0 | 32.9 | 11.4 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 48.8 | 16.6 | 26.7 | 7.9 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 43.6 | 17.7 | 14.7 | 24.1 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 65.3 | 29.3 | 5.4 | - |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 88.4 | 11.6 | - | - |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 75.7 | 14.3 | 10.0 | - |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 77.7 | 5.5 | - | 16.8 |
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**Table A 20: Percentage distribution of head of the household suffering from chronic illness or disability by sex, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/  District | Total | Male | Female |
|  | (%) | (%) | (%) |
|  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **22.4** | **33.5** | **25.0** |
| Sector |  |  |  |
| Urban | 28.1 | 38.4 | 30.5 |
| Rural | 21.3 | 32.8 | 24.0 |
| Estate | 21.1 | 27.1 | 22.5 |
| Province |  |  |  |
| Western | 27.4 | 44.0 | 31.1 |
| Central | 22.9 | 28.0 | 24.3 |
| Southern | 22.5 | 35.1 | 25.6 |
| Northern | 23.3 | 32.7 | 25.5 |
| Eastern | 15.0 | 25.7 | 17.7 |
| North-western | 18.4 | 26.7 | 20.4 |
| North-central | 20.2 | 25.7 | 21.5 |
| Uva | 18.9 | 32.1 | 21.9 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 21.2 | 32.5 | 23.7 |
| District |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 29.1 | 44.6 | 32.4 |
| Gampaha | 25.3 | 44.4 | 29.9 |
| Kalutara | 28.1 | 42.0 | 30.9 |
| Kandy | 23.2 | 28.3 | 24.5 |
| Matale | 23.4 | 27.6 | 24.5 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 22.1 | 27.7 | 23.5 |
| Galle | 20.4 | 35.4 | 24.3 |
| Matara | 23.1 | 32.7 | 25.4 |
| Hambantota | 25.5 | 38.3 | 28.2 |
| Jaffna | 27.4 | 37.5 | 29.8 |
| Mannar | 19.5 | 32.1 | 21.4 |
| Vavunia | 31.3 | 38.5 | 33.3 |
| Mullaitivu | 7.0 | 7.9 | 7.2 |
| Kilinochchi | 11.0 | 9.2 | 10.7 |
| Batticaloa | 20.6 | 24.6 | 21.6 |
| Ampara | 13.3 | 26.3 | 16.4 |
| Trincomalee | 10.6 | 26.2 | 14.5 |
| Kurunegala | 18.5 | 28.0 | 20.7 |
| Puttalam | 18.4 | 24.1 | 19.8 |
| Anuradhapura | 18.2 | 21.6 | 19.0 |
| Polonnaruwa | 24.5 | 34.4 | 26.9 |
| Badulla | 19.7 | 34.6 | 23.0 |
| Moneragala | 17.6 | 28.0 | 20.1 |
| Ratnapura | 20.3 | 39.8 | 24.1 |
| Kegalle | 22.4 | 25.0 | 23.1 |
|  |  |  |  |

**Inventory of durable goods**

**Table A 21: Percentage distribution of households, which have telephone facilities by type of telephone facility, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Type of telephone facility | | | | |
| Sector/Province/  District | **Total** | **Fixed only** | **Mobile only** | **Fixed and mobile** | **No telephone** |
|  | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **6.4** | **50.9** | **30.3** | **12.5** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 4.5 | 46.0 | 42.6 | 6.8 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 6.3 | 52.7 | 28.0 | 13.0 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 15.4 | 37.4 | 22.6 | 24.7 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 4.4 | 47.4 | 41.3 | 6.9 |
| Central | 100.0 | 8.6 | 45.9 | 34.4 | 11.1 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 6.7 | 53.8 | 27.5 | 12.0 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 2.5 | 68.6 | 16.9 | 12.0 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 3.4 | 61.2 | 11.1 | 24.3 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 6.2 | 56.6 | 25.3 | 11.9 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 8.9 | 52.7 | 23.6 | 14.8 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 12.9 | 38.9 | 30.5 | 17.8 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 7.5 | 45.7 | 29.2 | 17.6 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 3.8 | 44.0 | 46.6 | 5.6 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 4.1 | 49.5 | 40.2 | 6.2 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 6.2 | 49.8 | 33.3 | 10.7 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 7.4 | 43.1 | 40.5 | 9.0 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 4.9 | 58.2 | 28.0 | 8.9 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 14.0 | 42.2 | 26.9 | 16.9 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 5.6 | 55.0 | 26.2 | 13.2 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 8.3 | 52.6 | 26.0 | 13.1 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 6.6 | 53.3 | 31.7 | 8.4 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 2.6 | 65.5 | 21.2 | 10.6 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 2.6 | 69.9 | 12.2 | 15.3 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 3.4 | 63.8 | 24.1 | 8.7 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | - | 82.9 | 1.3 | 15.9 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 2.4 | 78.4 | 1.0 | 18.2 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 2.4 | 61.5 | 10.9 | 25.2 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 4.2 | 56.7 | 12.7 | 26.3 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 3.4 | 68.2 | 8.5 | 20.0 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 7.4 | 53.1 | 27.6 | 11.9 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 3.6 | 64.1 | 20.4 | 11.9 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 9.8 | 52.8 | 21.4 | 16.1 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 7.0 | 52.5 | 28.4 | 12.2 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 12.8 | 33.1 | 36.7 | 17.5 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 13.0 | 48.9 | 19.8 | 18.3 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 6.9 | 49.2 | 25.5 | 18.4 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 8.4 | 41.0 | 34.0 | 16.6 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

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**Table A 22: Percentage distribution of households, which owned radio, television, personal computers, V.C.D. and D.V.D. players by sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Radio cassette players | Televisions | VCD/DVD players | Personal computers | Not using any of these |
|  | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **71.4** | **82.7** | **43.1** | **18.5** | **9.0** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 73.7 | 90.4 | 53.4 | 34.5 | 4.9 |
| Rural | 71.2 | 81.6 | 40.7 | 15.9 | 9.5 |
| Estate | 65.7 | 73.3 | 46.4 | 3.8 | 16.7 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 74.8 | 91.6 | 52.3 | 31.3 | 4.3 |
| Central | 74.7 | 85.2 | 47.3 | 19.0 | 7.2 |
| Southern | 74.7 | 85.0 | 39.8 | 14.2 | 6.4 |
| Northern | 50.4 | 54.8 | 30.2 | 14.8 | 25.1 |
| Eastern | 51.5 | 66.1 | 31.3 | 9.2 | 22.2 |
| North-western | 73.0 | 83.4 | 40.0 | 15.4 | 8.4 |
| North-central | 70.4 | 80.9 | 35.6 | 10.1 | 9.3 |
| Uva | 74.4 | 77.6 | 37.8 | 8.0 | 11.0 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 75.6 | 82.0 | 43.9 | 12.3 | 9.0 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 80.4 | 94.4 | 58.5 | 38.8 | 2.4 |
| Gampaha | 71.6 | 90.5 | 50.3 | 28.7 | 5.2 |
| Kalutara | 70.7 | 88.6 | 44.4 | 22.5 | 6.2 |
| Kandy | 76.4 | 87.6 | 49.4 | 24.6 | 5.0 |
| Matale | 73.3 | 82.1 | 38.9 | 15.5 | 9.0 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 72.4 | 82.7 | 49.5 | 10.4 | 10.4 |
| Galle | 72.7 | 86.4 | 41.7 | 15.1 | 6.0 |
| Matara | 76.0 | 83.7 | 34.3 | 15.0 | 7.4 |
| Hambantota | 76.6 | 84.4 | 43.8 | 11.5 | 5.6 |
| Jaffna | 52.0 | 63.5 | 35.1 | 21.0 | 22.0 |
| Mannar | 37.7 | 56.2 | 25.5 | 7.8 | 27.3 |
| Vavunia | 52.7 | 61.4 | 37.3 | 14.0 | 17.5 |
| Mullaitivu | 41.2 | 27.1 | 10.0 | 1.4 | 49.1 |
| Kilinochchi | 57.9 | 24.0 | 15.8 | 2.2 | 29.9 |
| Batticaloa | 48.5 | 60.5 | 34.6 | 8.6 | 27.7 |
| Ampara | 56.1 | 70.2 | 32.6 | 8.8 | 18.7 |
| Trincomalee | 47.8 | 66.9 | 24.6 | 10.7 | 20.4 |
| Kurunegala | 76.4 | 85.7 | 38.4 | 16.1 | 6.8 |
| Puttalam | 65.8 | 78.5 | 43.2 | 14.1 | 11.9 |
| Anuradhapura | 72.4 | 80.6 | 35.9 | 9.3 | 8.5 |
| Polonnaruwa | 65.8 | 81.6 | 35.0 | 11.7 | 11.0 |
| Badulla | 77.4 | 79.3 | 43.9 | 9.9 | 10.8 |
| Moneragala | 69.3 | 74.7 | 27.2 | 4.7 | 11.3 |
| Ratnapura | 74.7 | 82.6 | 40.3 | 10.9 | 8.1 |
| Kegalle | 76.8 | 81.2 | 48.6 | 14.2 | 10.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

**Table A 23: Percentage distribution of households, which owned selected domestic electrical items by sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/  District | Type of domestic electrical item | | | | | |
| **Sewing machines** | **Washing machines** | **Refrigerators** | **Cookers(gas,**  **electric, kerosene)** | **Electric fans** | **Not use any of these** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **41.9** | **17.2** | **46.2** | **42.9** | **56.5** | **27.8** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 52.0 | 37.4 | 67.7 | 75.2 | 84.0 | 7.7 |
| Rural | 41.1 | 13.5 | 43.2 | 37.1 | 52.5 | 30.6 |
| Estate | 17.5 | 2.3 | 14.3 | 21.1 | 19.3 | 57.9 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 53.7 | 32.3 | 67.2 | 69.0 | 79.4 | 10.3 |
| Central | 42.9 | 15.3 | 40.3 | 43.1 | 33.8 | 35.4 |
| Southern | 45.1 | 11.7 | 45.6 | 37.3 | 58.1 | 25.6 |
| Northern | 18.4 | 4.5 | 20.8 | 22.2 | 39.8 | 51.6 |
| Eastern | 25.7 | 10.5 | 29.3 | 33.5 | 61.4 | 30.7 |
| North-western | 43.0 | 15.7 | 47.5 | 36.1 | 55.5 | 27.8 |
| North-central | 36.1 | 7.4 | 38.9 | 26.9 | 56.4 | 31.5 |
| Uva | 30.0 | 6.2 | 23.8 | 17.8 | 27.3 | 51.7 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 38.0 | 10.1 | 38.1 | 29.0 | 43.3 | 38.8 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 55.8 | 42.2 | 74.7 | 79.2 | 89.8 | 4.7 |
| Gampaha | 54.6 | 29.5 | 65.2 | 67.5 | 71.8 | 12.3 |
| Kalutara | 47.9 | 19.5 | 56.9 | 52.9 | 74.6 | 16.8 |
| Kandy | 49.2 | 21.2 | 49.5 | 49.6 | 42.5 | 29.1 |
| Matale | 38.7 | 10.3 | 39.8 | 29.9 | 37.9 | 38.9 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 33.2 | 7.3 | 22.3 | 40.1 | 13.4 | 45.2 |
| Galle | 42.6 | 15.0 | 52.5 | 44.7 | 60.1 | 23.1 |
| Matara | 46.9 | 10.4 | 41.9 | 37.6 | 51.4 | 30.5 |
| Hambantota | 47.0 | 7.4 | 38.2 | 23.5 | 63.8 | 23.5 |
| Jaffna | 20.6 | 5.8 | 26.9 | 27.3 | 48.4 | 43.1 |
| Mannar | 24.8 | 3.0 | 15.2 | 15.4 | 36.5 | 47.8 |
| Vavunia | 21.9 | 6.1 | 24.8 | 31.6 | 50.0 | 41.4 |
| Mullaitivu | 8.6 | - | 3.4 | 4.5 | 14.7 | 78.2 |
| Kilinochchi | 4.9 | 0.4 | 3.2 | 2.8 | 4.7 | 90.6 |
| Batticaloa | 21.9 | 11.7 | 28.4 | 39.6 | 62.2 | 34.0 |
| Ampara | 29.7 | 11.1 | 30.6 | 33.5 | 63.0 | 26.9 |
| Trincomalee | 24.1 | 7.8 | 28.3 | 25.1 | 57.5 | 32.5 |
| Kurunegala | 46.4 | 15.3 | 47.2 | 32.8 | 52.5 | 28.2 |
| Puttalam | 35.6 | 16.6 | 48.0 | 43.0 | 61.9 | 27.0 |
| Anuradhapura | 34.6 | 7.7 | 38.7 | 27.8 | 55.4 | 33.0 |
| Polonnaruwa | 39.6 | 6.9 | 39.3 | 25.0 | 58.5 | 28.1 |
| Badulla | 32.9 | 7.7 | 24.9 | 22.9 | 26.2 | 49.5 |
| Moneragala | 25.0 | 3.7 | 22.0 | 8.9 | 29.2 | 55.5 |
| Ratnapura | 33.1 | 7.3 | 32.7 | 26.2 | 42.4 | 42.7 |
| Kegalle | 44.5 | 13.8 | 45.2 | 32.6 | 44.5 | 33.6 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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**Table A 24: Percentage distribution of households, which owned a vehicle or a bicycle for transport by sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Type of vehicle | | | | | |
| Sector/Province/  District | **Bicycle** | **Motor cycles/Scooters** | **Three wheelers** | **Motor cars/vans** | **Buses/lorries** | **No vehicle** |
|  | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **36.2** | **30.3** | **10.6** | **7.0** | **2.2** | **39.2** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 31.1 | 27.6 | 9.9 | 15.4 | 1.9 | 38.2 |
| Rural | 39.0 | 32.2 | 11.1 | 5.5 | 2.3 | 37.0 |
| Estate | 4.9 | 6.5 | 4.4 | 1.0 | 0.4 | 85.4 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 27.7 | 31.8 | 12.6 | 13.8 | 2.2 | 36.3 |
| Central | 11.4 | 12.5 | 10.1 | 4.9 | 2.1 | 67.5 |
| Southern | 41.1 | 32.4 | 12.0 | 5.1 | 2.1 | 34.8 |
| Northern | 81.6 | 34.4 | 5.1 | 1.8 | 0.3 | 13.1 |
| Eastern | 60.4 | 29.8 | 5.3 | 1.6 | 1.0 | 28.0 |
| North-western | 52.7 | 48.3 | 11.5 | 6.6 | 4.1 | 21.6 |
| North-central | 66.7 | 49.7 | 11.7 | 3.8 | 2.7 | 13.5 |
| Uva | 19.1 | 15.6 | 7.8 | 3.0 | 1.7 | 63.6 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 14.4 | 18.3 | 10.6 | 4.9 | 1.6 | 62.2 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 17.4 | 24.3 | 12.4 | 18.9 | 2.1 | 42.8 |
| Gampaha | 33.0 | 38.1 | 13.5 | 11.7 | 2.3 | 31.8 |
| Kalutara | 36.7 | 33.5 | 11.3 | 8.2 | 2.1 | 33.1 |
| Kandy | 9.4 | 11.9 | 10.8 | 5.6 | 2.2 | 67.5 |
| Matale | 26.0 | 24.0 | 15.9 | 4.7 | 2.4 | 44.7 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 4.5 | 4.9 | 4.4 | 3.5 | 1.4 | 84.8 |
| Galle | 39.5 | 31.8 | 11.0 | 5.0 | 1.7 | 35.0 |
| Matara | 37.2 | 28.2 | 13.2 | 6.3 | 1.9 | 41.5 |
| Hambantota | 49.3 | 39.3 | 12.1 | 3.7 | 3.2 | 25.2 |
| Jaffna | 86.2 | 40.4 | 6.3 | 2.2 | 0.3 | 10.5 |
| Mannar | 72.2 | 21.9 | 2.1 | 1.3 | 0.2 | 17.3 |
| Vavunia | 73.5 | 36.6 | 6.3 | 2.4 | 0.4 | 16.9 |
| Mullaitivu | 76.4 | 20.2 | 2.7 | 0.8 | 0.4 | 17.1 |
| Kilinochchi | 83.5 | 23.8 | 1.4 | 0.3 | - | 13.2 |
| Batticaloa | 67.0 | 30.2 | 3.1 | 1.3 | 0.6 | 23.8 |
| Ampara | 52.1 | 28.2 | 7.1 | 2.1 | 1.6 | 34.3 |
| Trincomalee | 65.6 | 31.7 | 5.4 | 1.0 | 0.7 | 23.0 |
| Kurunegala | 48.0 | 48.8 | 12.6 | 6.9 | 3.7 | 23.1 |
| Puttalam | 62.6 | 47.3 | 9.2 | 6.1 | 5.0 | 18.5 |
| Anuradhapura | 69.7 | 52.5 | 11.4 | 3.8 | 2.7 | 11.8 |
| Polonnaruwa | 60.3 | 43.6 | 12.6 | 3.8 | 2.8 | 17.1 |
| Badulla | 9.9 | 10.5 | 5.7 | 3.2 | 1.6 | 74.6 |
| Moneragala | 35.0 | 24.4 | 11.4 | 2.8 | 1.8 | 44.6 |
| Ratnapura | 17.9 | 20.6 | 11.1 | 5.0 | 1.2 | 58.7 |
| Kegalle | 9.8 | 15.1 | 10.0 | 4.8 | 2.2 | 67.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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**Housing**

**Table A 25: Percentage distribution of housing units by type of housing unit, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Sector/Province/District** |  | **Type of housing unit** | | | | | |
| **Total** | **Single house** | **Attached house/Annex** | **Flat/Condominium** | **Twin house/Line room/Row house** | **Slum/Shanty** | **Other** |
|  | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Sri Lanka** | **100.0** | **92.3** | **1.4** | **0.6** | **4.1** | **1.3** | **0.3** |
| **Sector** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 87.8 | 3.4 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 1.4 | 0.3 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 96.7 | 0.9 | - | 0.8 | 1.3 | 0.3 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 29.0 | 2.7 | 0.1 | 67.8 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| **Province** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 92.1 | 2.5 | 1.7 | 2.5 | 0.8 | 0.4 |
| Central | 100.0 | 82.9 | 1.8 | 0.3 | 14.8 | 0.1 | 0.2 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 97.8 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 1.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 87.1 | 0.2 | - | - | 10.8 | 1.9 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 92.2 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 1.7 | 4.0 | 0.4 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 97.7 | 0.8 | - | 0.8 | 0.6 | 0.1 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 99.6 | 0.1 | - | 0.1 | 0.2 | - |
| Uva | 100.0 | 87.1 | 2.0 | - | 10.2 | 0.7 | - |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 92.5 | 1.0 | 0.1 | 5.5 | 0.6 | 0.2 |
| **District** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 86.4 | 4.3 | 4.2 | 3.2 | 1.6 | 0.3 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 95.7 | 1.5 | 0.2 | 1.9 | 0.4 | 0.4 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 95.6 | 1.0 | 0.2 | 2.5 | 0.2 | 0.5 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 90.6 | 1.7 | 0.5 | 7.1 | - | 0.1 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 93.5 | 1.5 | - | 4.4 | 0.3 | 0.4 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 59.4 | 2.3 | - | 37.9 | 0.2 | 0.3 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 97.5 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 1.9 | 0.2 | - |
| Matara | 100.0 | 96.9 | 1.1 | 0.3 | 1.5 | - | 0.2 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 99.7 | 0.1 | - | - | 0.2 | - |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 90.6 | 0.1 | - | - | 7.5 | 1.8 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 91.0 | - | - | - | 9.0 | - |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 92.4 | 0.8 | - | - | 6.8 | - |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 77.3 | - | - | - | 22.7 | - |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 66.0 | - | - | - | 25.2 | 8.8 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 94.2 | 0.3 | - | - | 5.5 | - |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 92.8 | 0.3 | 2.1 | 2.0 | 2.8 | - |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 88.4 | 2.8 | - | 3.5 | 3.9 | 1.4 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 97.8 | 0.9 | - | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.1 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 97.6 | 0.6 | - | 1.1 | 0.7 | - |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 99.6 | - | - | - | 0.3 | - |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 99.5 | 0.2 | - | 0.2 | - | - |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 80.7 | 3.2 | - | 15.4 | 0.8 | - |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 98.2 | - | - | 1.3 | 0.5 | - |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 91.3 | 1.6 | 0.2 | 6.5 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 94.0 | 0.3 | - | 4.2 | 1.3 | 0.2 |

- Counts are not adequate to provide reliable estimates

**Table A 26: Percentage distribution of housing units by number of bed rooms in a housing unit, sector province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Number of bed rooms in a housing units | | | | | | |
| Sector/Province/  District | Total | No rooms | 1 room | 2 rooms | 3 rooms | 4 rooms | 5 rooms or more |
|  | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **1.9** | **18.9** | **35.4** | **30.5** | **10.5** | **2.9** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 2.0 | 18.6 | 35.9 | 28.1 | 11.5 | 4.0 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 1.6 | 17.5 | 35.3 | 32.2 | 10.7 | 2.7 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 6.5 | 45.2 | 33.9 | 8.7 | 3.4 | 2.4 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 2.3 | 17.4 | 37.2 | 30.4 | 10.1 | 2.6 |
| Central | 100.0 | 0.8 | 19.9 | 31.8 | 30.9 | 12.3 | 4.4 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 1.7 | 13.2 | 35.8 | 35.0 | 11.6 | 2.8 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 4.5 | 36.7 | 33.3 | 17.9 | 5.0 | 2.6 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 0.6 | 21.5 | 50.4 | 20.2 | 5.6 | 1.6 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 0.7 | 14.4 | 31.4 | 37.1 | 13.5 | 2.8 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 0.8 | 17.5 | 29.2 | 36.1 | 13.5 | 2.9 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 2.7 | 24.0 | 32.1 | 27.6 | 9.9 | 3.7 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 3.2 | 21.1 | 34.8 | 29.1 | 9.0 | 2.8 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 2.8 | 19.9 | 35.0 | 27.6 | 11.6 | 3.1 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 2.0 | 15.8 | 37.0 | 33.2 | 9.5 | 2.5 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 2.2 | 15.5 | 41.7 | 30.2 | 8.5 | 1.9 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 0.6 | 15.7 | 31.1 | 34.1 | 13.5 | 5.1 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 2.2 | 17.6 | 31.3 | 32.9 | 12.2 | 3.7 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 0.2 | 29.9 | 33.6 | 23.0 | 9.9 | 3.4 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 1.5 | 14.3 | 40.6 | 31.7 | 9.4 | 2.6 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 2.3 | 11.5 | 31.4 | 35.4 | 16.0 | 3.3 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 1.0 | 13.6 | 33.1 | 40.3 | 9.8 | 2.2 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 3.3 | 30.7 | 34.7 | 22.0 | 6.7 | 2.6 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 0.9 | 31.4 | 40.3 | 16.4 | 2.6 | 8.3 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 7.0 | 43.3 | 31.1 | 12.4 | 4.5 | 1.7 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 5.3 | 45.9 | 35.2 | 9.9 | 2.5 | 1.2 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 9.0 | 52.8 | 21.9 | 14.4 | 1.6 | 0.4 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 1.0 | 22.1 | 56.5 | 15.2 | 3.4 | 1.8 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 0.8 | 22.2 | 45.8 | 22.6 | 6.4 | 2.1 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | - | 19.4 | 50.0 | 22.7 | 7.4 | 0.5 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 0.7 | 11.5 | 27.5 | 39.9 | 16.8 | 3.6 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 0.7 | 20.7 | 39.6 | 31.3 | 6.6 | 1.1 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 0.5 | 16.2 | 27.5 | 39.0 | 13.8 | 2.9 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 1.5 | 20.2 | 32.9 | 29.7 | 12.8 | 2.9 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 3.7 | 24.2 | 31.9 | 25.7 | 9.6 | 4.9 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 1.0 | 23.6 | 32.5 | 30.9 | 10.3 | 1.7 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 2.9 | 25.5 | 36.0 | 26.6 | 6.4 | 2.6 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 3.7 | 15.3 | 33.2 | 32.4 | 12.4 | 3.0 |

- Counts are not adequate to provide reliable estimates

**Table A 27: Percentage distribution of housing units by total floor area, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District |  | | | Floor Area | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  | | **Total** | **< 100 sq.ft** | | **100-<250sq.ft** | | | **250-<500sq.ft** | | | **500-<750sq.ft** | | | **750-<1000sq.ft** | | | | **>=1000sq.ft** | |
|  | | **(%)** | **(%)** | | **(%)** | | | **(%)** | | | **(%)** | | | **(%)** | | | | **(%)** | |
|  | |  |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | | |  |
| Sri Lanka | | **100.0** | **3.7** | | | **11.1** | | | **17.2** | | | **20.7** | | | **20.9** | | | | **26.4** |
| Sector | |  |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | | |  |
| Urban | | 100.0 | 2.0 | | | 7.8 | | | 16.2 | | | 21.3 | | | 22.7 | | | | 30.0 |
| Rural | | 100.0 | 4.0 | | | 10.7 | | | 16.4 | | | 20.7 | | | 21.3 | | | | 26.9 |
| Estate | | 100.0 | 3.9 | | | 33.0 | | | 36.7 | | | 18.3 | | | 5.6 | | | | 2.4 |
| Province | |  |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | | |  |
| Western | | 100.0 | 1.5 | | | 5.6 | | | 11.7 | | | 18.6 | | | 24.7 | | | | 38.0 |
| Central | | 100.0 | 1.5 | | | 13.6 | | | 23.0 | | | 19.8 | | | 18.0 | | | | 24.1 |
| Southern | | 100.0 | 5.0 | | | 14.4 | | | 14.4 | | | 20.4 | | | 21.2 | | | | 24.7 |
| Northern | | 100.0 | 15.6 | | | 16.9 | | | 16.5 | | | 21.4 | | | 17.4 | | | | 12.2 |
| Eastern | | 100.0 | 9.7 | | | 17.7 | | | 28.1 | | | 26.2 | | | 11.3 | | | | 6.9 |
| North-western | | 100.0 | 3.3 | | | 10.7 | | | 18.3 | | | 21.4 | | | 20.1 | | | | 26.1 |
| North-central | | 100.0 | 2.4 | | | 11.8 | | | 18.1 | | | 20.8 | | | 20.4 | | | | 26.5 |
| Uva | | 100.0 | 3.8 | | | 13.4 | | | 16.0 | | | 20.4 | | | 21.5 | | | | 24.9 |
| Sabaragamuwa | | 100.0 | 1.4 | | | 10.2 | | | 20.2 | | | 23.1 | | | 23.7 | | | | 21.3 |
| District | |  |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | | |  |
| Colombo | | 100.0 | 1.2 | | | 5.7 | | | 14.5 | | | 20.8 | | | 24.0 | | | | 33.8 |
| Gampaha | | 100.0 | 1.9 | | | 5.1 | | | 9.5 | | | 17.5 | | | 24.7 | | | | 41.2 |
| Kalutara | | 100.0 | 1.2 | | | 6.2 | | | 10.6 | | | 16.5 | | | 25.9 | | | | 39.5 |
| Kandy | | 100.0 | 1.1 | | | 11.1 | | | 18.6 | | | 19.9 | | | 20.9 | | | | 28.4 |
| Matale | | 100.0 | 1.8 | | | 8.6 | | | 16.6 | | | 17.5 | | | 23.6 | | | | 31.8 |
| Nuwara Eliya | | 100.0 | 2.1 | | | 22.3 | | | 36.7 | | | 21.3 | | | 7.7 | | | | 9.8 |
| Galle | | 100.0 | 7.6 | | | 16.0 | | | 16.1 | | | 20.5 | | | 18.0 | | | | 21.7 |
| Matara | | 100.0 | 2.4 | | | 13.6 | | | 12.5 | | | 18.5 | | | 23.8 | | | | 29.1 |
| Hambantota | | 100.0 | 3.8 | | | 12.6 | | | 13.6 | | | 22.6 | | | 23.6 | | | | 23.7 |
| Jaffna | | 100.0 | 11.2 | | | 12.1 | | | 9.0 | | | 22.7 | | | 24.6 | | | | 20.3 |
| Mannar | | 100.0 | 2.6 | | | 20.2 | | | 27.0 | | | 27.5 | | | 17.3 | | | | 5.4 |
| Vavunia | | 100.0 | 9.1 | | | 30.3 | | | 34.4 | | | 16.3 | | | 8.2 | | | | 1.8 |
| Mullaitivu | | 100.0 | 28.3 | | | 18.4 | | | 20.5 | | | 22.0 | | | 8.3 | | | | 2.6 |
| Kilinochchi | | 100.0 | 47.7 | | | 16.0 | | | 13.5 | | | 17.4 | | | 3.6 | | | | 1.7 |
| Batticaloa | | 100.0 | 14.8 | | | 20.2 | | | 35.1 | | | 19.8 | | | 7.9 | | | | 2.2 |
| Ampara | | 100.0 | 7.6 | | | 15.6 | | | 27.5 | | | 30.6 | | | 11.4 | | | | 7.3 |
| Trincomalee | | 100.0 | 6.1 | | | 17.9 | | | 19.9 | | | 27.8 | | | 15.7 | | | | 12.6 |
| Kurunegala | | 100.0 | 3.6 | | | 9.8 | | | 18.6 | | | 20.4 | | | 20.3 | | | | 27.4 |
| Puttalam | | 100.0 | 2.8 | | | 12.7 | | | 17.7 | | | 23.7 | | | 19.8 | | | | 23.3 |
| Anuradhapura | | 100.0 | 2.8 | | | 12.6 | | | 17.7 | | | 18.8 | | | 22.1 | | | | 25.9 |
| Polonnaruwa | | 100.0 | 1.3 | | | 9.8 | | | 19.1 | | | 25.2 | | | 16.5 | | | | 28.0 |
| Badulla | | 100.0 | 3.2 | | | 11.9 | | | 14.5 | | | 21.8 | | | 21.1 | | | | 27.4 |
| Moneragala | | 100.0 | 4.7 | | | 16.1 | | | 18.5 | | | 18.0 | | | 22.2 | | | | 20.6 |
| Ratnapura | | 100.0 | 1.6 | | | 11.6 | | | 24.2 | | | 26.3 | | | 21.3 | | | | 15.0 |
| Kegalle | | 100.0 | 1.2 | | | 8.3 | | | 15.0 | | | 19.0 | | | 26.8 | | | | 29.8 |
|  | |  |  | | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  |  | | |

**Table A 28: Percentage distribution of housing units by principal materials of construction, sector, and province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/  Province/  District | Principal materials of wall, floor and roof | | | | | | | | |
| **Wall[[1]](#footnote-1)** | | | **Floor[[2]](#footnote-2)** | | | **Roof[[3]](#footnote-3)** | | |
| **Total** | **Permanent** | **Semi-permanent** | **Total** | **Permanent** | **Semi-permanent** | **Total** | **Permanent** | **Semi-permanent** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | **93.5** | **6.5** | **100.0** | **92.4** | **7.6** | **100.0** | **89.6** | **10.4** |
| Sector |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 96.0 | 4.0 | 100.0 | 98.4 | 1.6 | 100.0 | 95.5 | 4.5 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 92.8 | 7.2 | 100.0 | 91.6 | 8.4 | 100.0 | 91.5 | 8.5 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 95.0 | 5.0 | 100.0 | 84.9 | 15.1 | 100.0 | 32.3 | 67.7 |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  | 100.0 |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 95.2 | 4.8 | 100.0 | 98.3 | 1.7 | 100.0 | 96.1 | 3.9 |
| Central | 100.0 | 95.3 | 4.7 | 100.0 | 89.0 | 11.0 | 100.0 | 75.7 | 24.3 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 93.7 | 6.3 | 100.0 | 93.9 | 6.1 | 100.0 | 95.7 | 4.3 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 82.1 | 17.9 | 100.0 | 88.4 | 11.6 | 100.0 | 80.4 | 19.6 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 91.2 | 8.8 | 100.0 | 92.5 | 7.5 | 100.0 | 90.0 | 10.0 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 94.0 | 6.0 | 100.0 | 93.5 | 6.5 | 100.0 | 90.8 | 9.2 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 94.6 | 5.4 | 100.0 | 86.2 | 13.8 | 100.0 | 92.4 | 7.6 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 91.8 | 8.2 | 100.0 | 78.8 | 21.2 | 100.0 | 81.5 | 18.5 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 93.3 | 6.7 | 100.0 | 91.7 | 8.3 | 100.0 | 87.5 | 12.5 |
| District |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 95.8 | 4.2 | 100.0 | 98.7 | 1.3 | 100.0 | 96.3 | 3.7 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 94.7 | 5.3 | 100.0 | 98.3 | 1.7 | 100.0 | 96.7 | 3.3 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 95.1 | 4.9 | 100.0 | 97.6 | 2.4 | 100.0 | 94.7 | 5.3 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 95.8 | 4.2 | 100.0 | 91.0 | 9.0 | 100.0 | 85.1 | 14.9 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 92.0 | 8.0 | 100.0 | 86.9 | 13.1 | 100.0 | 82.6 | 17.4 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 96.6 | 3.4 | 100.0 | 86.7 | 13.3 | 100.0 | 51.8 | 48.2 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 94.1 | 5.9 | 100.0 | 96.5 | 3.5 | 100.0 | 96.4 | 3.6 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 93.2 | 6.8 | 100.0 | 92.8 | 7.2 | 100.0 | 95.5 | 4.5 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 93.6 | 6.4 | 100.0 | 90.9 | 9.1 | 100.0 | 94.6 | 5.4 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 88.8 | 11.2 | 100.0 | 92.0 | 8.0 | 100.0 | 90.7 | 9.3 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 81.5 | 18.5 | 100.0 | 96.4 | 3.6 | 100.0 | 64.6 | 35.4 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 78.3 | 21.7 | 100.0 | 77.9 | 22.1 | 100.0 | 73.6 | 26.4 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 65.6 | 34.4 | 100.0 | 83.7 | 16.3 | 100.0 | 70.8 | 29.2 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 68.9 | 31.1 | 100.0 | 84.8 | 15.2 | 100.0 | 60.5 | 39.5 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 89.2 | 10.8 | 100.0 | 92.5 | 7.5 | 100.0 | 89.0 | 11.0 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 93.0 | 7.0 | 100.0 | 91.7 | 8.3 | 100.0 | 91.2 | 8.8 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 90.9 | 9.1 | 100.0 | 93.9 | 6.1 | 100.0 | 89.3 | 10.7 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 94.8 | 5.2 | 100.0 | 93.2 | 6.8 | 100.0 | 91.4 | 8.6 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 92.2 | 7.8 | 100.0 | 94.1 | 5.9 | 100.0 | 89.5 | 10.5 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 94.8 | 5.2 | 100.0 | 84.4 | 15.6 | 100.0 | 93.6 | 6.4 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 94.3 | 5.7 | 100.0 | 90.2 | 9.8 | 100.0 | 89.8 | 10.2 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 93.1 | 6.9 | 100.0 | 79.2 | 20.8 | 100.0 | 76.0 | 24.0 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 89.4 | 10.6 | 100.0 | 78.2 | 21.8 | 100.0 | 91.0 | 9.0 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 92.5 | 7.5 | 100.0 | 90.8 | 9.2 | 100.0 | 87.2 | 12.8 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 94.3 | 5.7 | 100.0 | 93.0 | 7.0 | 100.0 | 87.9 | 12.1 |

**Table A 29: Percentage distribution of households by main source of drinking water (safe or not safe), sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Source of drinking water | | | | |
| **Total** | | **Safe[[4]](#footnote-4)** | | **Not safe[[5]](#footnote-5)** |
| **(%)** | | **(%)** | | **(%)** |
|  |  | |  | |  |
| Sri Lanka | **100.0** | | **89.7** | | **10.3** |
| Sector |  | |  | |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | | 98.8 | | 1.2 |
| Rural | 100.0 | | 90.0 | | 10.0 |
| Estate | 100.0 | | 46.3 | | 53.7 |
| Province |  | |  | |  |
| Western | 100.0 | | 97.1 | | 2.9 |
| Central | 100.0 | | 77.6 | | 22.4 |
| Southern | 100.0 | | 88.2 | | 11.8 |
| Northern | 100.0 | | 95.1 | | 4.9 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | | 97.2 | | 2.8 |
| North-western | 100.0 | | 92.9 | | 7.1 |
| North-central | 100.0 | | 93.4 | | 6.6 |
| Uva | 100.0 | | 74.8 | | 25.2 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | | 80.3 | | 19.7 |
| District |  | |  | |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | | 99.5 | | 0.5 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | | 97.9 | | 2.1 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | | 91.1 | | 8.9 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | | 81.6 | | 18.4 |
| Matale | 100.0 | | 88.5 | | 11.5 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | | 61.4 | | 38.6 |
| Galle | 100.0 | | 89.2 | | 10.8 |
| Matara | 100.0 | | 81.3 | | 18.7 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | | 95.9 | | 4.1 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | | 99.0 | | 1.0 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | | 99.3 | | 0.7 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | | 96.4 | | 3.6 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | | 88.0 | | 12.0 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | | 76.1 | | 23.9 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | | 97.6 | | 2.4 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | | 97.7 | | 2.3 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | | 95.8 | | 4.2 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | | 94.0 | | 6.0 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | | 90.6 | | 9.4 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | | 93.1 | | 6.9 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | | 94.0 | | 6.0 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | | 63.8 | | 36.2 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | | 94.0 | | 6.0 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | | 81.4 | | 18.6 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | | 78.9 | | 21.1 |
|  |  |  | |  | |

**Table A 30: Percentage distribution of households by distance to travel to get drinking water, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/  District | Distance | | | | | | |
|  |  |  | **Outside premises** | | | |
| **Total** | **Within premises** | **Outside premises** | **<=100 meters** | **101-200 meters** | **201-500 meters** | **>500 meters** |
|  | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Sri Lanka** | **100.0** | **79.9** | **20.1** | **13.3** | **2.8** | **2.9** | **1.2** |
| **Sector** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 92.2 | 7.8 | 6.0 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 0.4 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 77.9 | 22.1 | 14.2 | 3.3 | 3.3 | 1.4 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 68.5 | 31.5 | 25.0 | 2.5 | 3.4 | 0.6 |
| **Province** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 91.5 | 8.5 | 7.6 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Central | 100.0 | 79.4 | 20.6 | 15.9 | 2.5 | 2.1 | 0.1 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 84.6 | 15.4 | 11.2 | 2.3 | 1.6 | 0.4 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 52.4 | 47.6 | 27.5 | 7.7 | 9.1 | 3.2 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 73.2 | 26.8 | 18.4 | 2.8 | 4.2 | 1.4 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 73.2 | 26.8 | 15.5 | 3.4 | 4.6 | 3.3 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 65.4 | 34.6 | 14.7 | 5.5 | 9.4 | 5.0 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 78.2 | 21.7 | 11.5 | 5.2 | 4.3 | 0.7 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 80.3 | 19.7 | 14.7 | 3.2 | 1.6 | 0.2 |
| **District** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 95.9 | 4.1 | 3.9 | 0.1 | - | - |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 91.6 | 8.3 | 7.3 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.2 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 83.0 | 17.0 | 14.6 | 1.9 | 0.3 | 0.2 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 83.4 | 16.6 | 12.6 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 0.1 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 70.4 | 29.6 | 21.6 | 4.8 | 3.2 | - |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 78.2 | 21.8 | 18.1 | 2.0 | 1.7 | 0.1 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 84.4 | 15.6 | 12.0 | 2.3 | 1.2 | 0.1 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 84.7 | 15.3 | 13.3 | 1.0 | 1.0 | - |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 84.6 | 15.4 | 6.8 | 4.0 | 3.2 | 1.4 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 50.5 | 49.5 | 27.5 | 7.5 | 9.5 | 4.9 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 47.0 | 53.0 | 34.0 | 9.6 | 8.6 | 0.8 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 46.0 | 54.0 | 32.9 | 7.9 | 11.2 | 2.0 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 62.6 | 37.4 | 22.7 | 9.9 | 4.1 | 0.7 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 67.6 | 32.4 | 17.9 | 4.9 | 8.4 | 1.2 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 74.5 | 25.5 | 16.2 | 2.6 | 5.3 | 1.3 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 77.3 | 22.7 | 14.3 | 3.1 | 3.9 | 1.4 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 64.5 | 35.5 | 28.3 | 2.7 | 3.2 | 1.3 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 73.2 | 26.7 | 17.1 | 3.3 | 3.8 | 2.5 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 73.0 | 26.9 | 12.2 | 3.7 | 6.1 | 5.0 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 63.1 | 36.9 | 14.8 | 5.7 | 10.5 | 5.8 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 70.2 | 29.8 | 14.5 | 5.2 | 7.0 | 3.0 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 81.4 | 18.6 | 11.0 | 3.5 | 3.9 | 0.2 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 72.9 | 27.1 | 12.3 | 8.2 | 5.0 | 1.7 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 83.6 | 16.4 | 11.9 | 2.8 | 1.4 | 0.3 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 75.8 | 24.2 | 18.4 | 3.6 | 2.0 | 0.2 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

**Table A 31: Percentage distribution of households by availability of sufficient water for drinking, bathing**

**and washing , sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/  District | For drinking | | | For bathing/washing | | |
| **Total** | **Sufficient** | **Not sufficient** | **Total** | **Sufficient** | **Not sufficient** |
|  | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Sri Lanka** | **100.0** | **92.8** | **7.2** | **100.0** | **88.8** | **11.3** |
| **Sector** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 98.2 | 1.8 | 100.0 | 97.8 | 2.2 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 91.8 | 8.2 | 100.0 | 86.8 | 13.1 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 89.6 | 10.3 | 100.0 | 86.5 | 13.5 |
| **Province** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 97.8 | 2.3 | 100.0 | 96.8 | 3.1 |
| Central | 100.0 | 88.9 | 11.1 | 100.0 | 84.3 | 15.7 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 94.3 | 5.7 | 100.0 | 91.7 | 8.3 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 94.2 | 5.8 | 100.0 | 90.0 | 10.0 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 92.0 | 8.0 | 100.0 | 89.4 | 10.6 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 87.0 | 13.0 | 100.0 | 82.9 | 17.1 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 88.9 | 11.1 | 100.0 | 83.8 | 16.2 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 87.7 | 12.3 | 100.0 | 72.7 | 27.4 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 95.0 | 5.0 | 100.0 | 87.5 | 12.5 |
| **District** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 97.0 | 3.0 | 100.0 | 96.8 | 3.2 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 97.8 | 2.2 | 100.0 | 96.3 | 3.6 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 99.0 | 1.0 | 100.0 | 97.9 | 2.1 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 88.6 | 11.4 | 100.0 | 83.3 | 16.7 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 87.6 | 12.4 | 100.0 | 79.2 | 20.8 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 90.6 | 9.4 | 100.0 | 90.3 | 9.7 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 92.6 | 7.4 | 100.0 | 92.0 | 8.0 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 96.9 | 3.1 | 100.0 | 92.8 | 7.2 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 93.7 | 6.3 | 100.0 | 89.4 | 10.6 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 98.0 | 2.0 | 100.0 | 98.3 | 1.7 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 90.1 | 9.9 | 100.0 | 82.9 | 17.1 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 92.3 | 7.7 | 100.0 | 71.3 | 28.7 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 99.4 | 0.6 | 100.0 | 97.3 | 2.7 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 76.9 | 23.1 | 100.0 | 76.7 | 23.3 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 95.6 | 4.4 | 100.0 | 93.1 | 6.9 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 90.8 | 9.2 | 100.0 | 86.4 | 13.6 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 89.1 | 10.9 | 100.0 | 89.4 | 10.6 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 86.3 | 13.7 | 100.0 | 80.3 | 19.7 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 88.4 | 11.6 | 100.0 | 88.3 | 11.7 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 91.6 | 8.4 | 100.0 | 87.8 | 12.2 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 82.9 | 17.1 | 100.0 | 74.9 | 25.1 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 92.5 | 7.5 | 100.0 | 79.6 | 20.4 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 79.5 | 20.5 | 100.0 | 60.4 | 39.6 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 93.3 | 6.7 | 100.0 | 88.0 | 12.0 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 97.3 | 2.7 | 100.0 | 86.9 | 13.1 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

**Toilet facilities**

**Table A 32: Percentage distribution of households by availability of toilet facility, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/  District | Toilet facility | | | | |
| **Total** | **Exclusive for the household** | **Sharing with another household** | **Public toilet facilities** | **No toilet facilities** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Sri Lanka** | **100.0** | **89.9** | **8.4** | **0.7** | **0.9** |
| **Sector** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 90.0 | 7.3 | 2.7 | - |
| Rural | 100.0 | 90.7 | 7.8 | 0.2 | 1.2 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 76.2 | 21.1 | 2.1 | 0.7 |
| **Province** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 91.0 | 7.4 | 1.6 | 0.1 |
| Central | 100.0 | 89.3 | 10.0 | 0.6 | 0.1 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 93.1 | 6.7 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 83.9 | 9.8 | 0.3 | 5.9 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 82.5 | 11.5 | 1.1 | 4.9 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 91.4 | 7.4 | 0.1 | 1.1 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 90.4 | 8.2 | 0.3 | 1.1 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 89.3 | 9.7 | 0.6 | 0.5 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 91.2 | 8.8 | - | - |
| **District** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 90.6 | 5.3 | 4.1 | - |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 90.3 | 9.6 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 93.1 | 6.8 | - | 0.1 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 93.1 | 6.4 | 0.4 | 0.1 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 87.3 | 12.7 | - | - |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 83.1 | 15.1 | 1.5 | 0.3 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 92.3 | 7.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 94.2 | 5.6 | - | 0.1 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 93.0 | 6.9 | - | - |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 87.6 | 9.4 | 0.6 | 2.4 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 82.3 | 14.5 | - | 3.2 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 77.1 | 8.5 | - | 14.3 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 82.3 | 8.8 | - | 8.8 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 78.9 | 11.1 | - | 10.1 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 77.3 | 11.4 | - | 11.2 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 88.9 | 9.7 | 0.6 | 0.7 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 78.4 | 14.9 | 3.5 | 3.2 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 92.9 | 6.8 | - | 0.4 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 88.6 | 8.7 | 0.2 | 2.5 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 90.4 | 8.0 | 0.1 | 1.5 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 90.4 | 8.9 | 0.5 | 0.2 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 88.7 | 10.2 | 0.4 | 0.7 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 90.3 | 8.8 | 0.7 | 0.2 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 89.7 | 10.2 | - | - |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 93.1 | 6.9 | - | - |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

- Counts are not adequate to provide reliable estimates

**Disposal of garbage**

**Table A 33: Percentage distribution of households by type of disposal of garbage, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/  District | Type of disposal of garbage | | | | | | |
| **Total** | **Collected by local authorities** | **Buried/burned** | **Process for fertilizer** | **Dumped within premises** | **Thrown away outside premises** | **Other** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Sri Lanka** | **100.0** | **20.4** | **41.5** | **5.6** | **30.5** | **0.8** | **1.2** |
| **Sector** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 74.8 | 16.1 | 2.0 | 5.9 | 0.4 | 0.8 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 9.4 | 47.7 | 6.5 | 35.1 | 0.5 | 0.8 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 4.4 | 29.9 | 3.2 | 43.6 | 7.5 | 11.3 |
| **Province** | 100.0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 40.2 | 35.6 | 4.2 | 18.7 | 0.5 | 0.8 |
| Central | 100.0 | 12.2 | 35.5 | 6.8 | 37.9 | 2.3 | 5.3 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 11.6 | 38.1 | 8.0 | 41.1 | 0.6 | 0.5 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 12.4 | 54.2 | 9.3 | 23.1 | 0.8 | 0.1 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 43.0 | 35.0 | 0.7 | 20.3 | 1.1 | - |
| North-western | 100.0 | 6.7 | 55.5 | 5.8 | 31.4 | 0.3 | 0.3 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 4.9 | 74.3 | 3.1 | 17.6 | - | 0.1 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 6.9 | 37.6 | 8.4 | 44.5 | 0.7 | 1.7 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 8.8 | 32.4 | 6.1 | 50.8 | 0.7 | 1.3 |
| **District** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 68.2 | 16.9 | 2.6 | 11.1 | 0.3 | 0.9 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 26.2 | 51.8 | 5.1 | 15.4 | 0.4 | 1.0 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 15.2 | 39.3 | 5.4 | 38.9 | 0.9 | 0.3 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 13.7 | 35.2 | 8.8 | 38.2 | 1.4 | 2.7 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 8.3 | 58.2 | 4.4 | 27.9 | 0.3 | 1.0 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 12.1 | 18.8 | 4.7 | 44.8 | 5.7 | 13.9 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 14.7 | 32.7 | 7.6 | 43.5 | 0.5 | 0.9 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 12.4 | 33.7 | 5.5 | 46.8 | 1.2 | 0.3 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 4.8 | 54.0 | 11.9 | 29.0 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 16.3 | 35.9 | 16.8 | 29.6 | 1.2 | 0.2 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 11.0 | 76.5 | - | 11.2 | 1.3 | - |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 14.4 | 80.4 | 0.4 | 4.9 | - | - |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 0.7 | 72.8 | 0.8 | 25.7 | - | - |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 1.2 | 70.6 | 0.6 | 27.3 | 0.2 | - |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 44.9 | 20.9 | 0.3 | 32.9 | 1.0 | - |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 44.2 | 42.9 | 1.3 | 11.1 | 0.6 | - |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 38.4 | 40.7 | 0.2 | 18.6 | 2.0 | 0.1 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 4.7 | 55.2 | 7.0 | 32.9 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 10.9 | 56.1 | 3.4 | 28.5 | 0.6 | 0.6 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 5.4 | 71.4 | 2.8 | 20.1 | - | 0.1 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 3.7 | 80.6 | 3.6 | 12.1 | - | - |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 8.7 | 27.5 | 12.6 | 47.6 | 1.0 | 2.5 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 3.8 | 55.4 | 1.2 | 39.3 | - | 0.3 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 6.0 | 36.8 | 6.3 | 47.8 | 1.0 | 2.0 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 12.5 | 26.5 | 5.8 | 54.7 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

- Counts are not adequate to provide reliable estimates

**Lighting**

**Table A 34: Percentage distribution of households by principle type of lighting, sector, province and**

**district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Type of lighting | | | | |
| **Total** | **Electricity** | **Kerosene** | **Solar Energy** | **Other** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Sri Lanka** | **100.0** | **90.2** | **9.0** | **0.7** | **0.2** |
| **Sector** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 98.0 | 1.8 | 0.2 | - |
| Rural | 100.0 | 88.8 | 10.2 | 0.9 | 0.2 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 83.0 | 16.5 | 0.3 | 0.2 |
| **Province** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 97.6 | 2.2 | 0.2 | - |
| Central | 100.0 | 92.5 | 7.1 | 0.4 | - |
| Southern | 100.0 | 94.4 | 5.2 | 0.3 | 0.1 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 66.0 | 31.9 | 2.0 | 0.1 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 79.9 | 19.6 | 0.5 | 0.2 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 89.1 | 9.4 | 1.5 | - |
| North-central | 100.0 | 87.4 | 11.1 | 1.0 | 1.0 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 83.7 | 14.1 | 2.0 | 0.2 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 88.2 | 11.1 | 0.8 | - |
| **District** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 98.7 | 1.2 | 0.1 | - |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 97.6 | 2.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 95.5 | 4.2 | 0.3 | - |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 95.1 | 4.5 | 0.4 | - |
| Matale | 100.0 | 90.0 | 9.3 | 0.8 | - |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 89.3 | 10.5 | - | 0.4 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 94.9 | 4.7 | 0.4 | - |
| Matara | 100.0 | 94.8 | 4.8 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 93.0 | 6.7 | 0.3 | - |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 77.2 | 21.5 | 1.3 | - |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 70.5 | 27.3 | 2.2 | - |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 70.2 | 29.0 | 0.8 | - |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 36.0 | 59.6 | 4.4 | - |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 24.9 | 69.1 | 5.3 | 0.6 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 73.0 | 26.5 | 0.1 | 0.5 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 86.6 | 13.1 | 0.3 | - |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 77.8 | 21.0 | 1.3 | - |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 90.4 | 8.1 | 1.5 | - |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 86.4 | 12.0 | 1.6 | - |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 86.5 | 11.6 | 1.3 | 1.4 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 89.7 | 10.1 | 0.2 | - |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 87.2 | 12.4 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 77.6 | 17.1 | 5.1 | 0.2 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 87.7 | 11.1 | 1.3 | - |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 88.9 | 11.1 | 0.1 | - |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

- Counts are not adequate to provide reliable estimates

**Cooking fuel**

**Table A 35: Percentage distribution of households by principle type of cooking fuel, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/  District | Type of cooking fuel | | | | |
| **Total** | **Fire wood** | **Gas** | **Kerosene** | **other** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Sri Lanka** | **100.0** | **78.5** | **18.5** | **1.9** | **1.1** |
| **Sector** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 36.7 | 54.7 | 6.5 | 2.2 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 86.7 | 11.4 | 1.0 | 1.0 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 95.7 | 2.4 | 1.1 | 0.6 |
| **Province** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 53.0 | 41.0 | 4.4 | 1.6 |
| Central | 100.0 | 84.3 | 13.8 | 1.0 | 0.7 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 85.3 | 13.0 | 0.3 | 1.4 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 87.3 | 8.9 | 3.3 | 0.5 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 77.5 | 16.3 | 4.2 | 1.9 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 92.5 | 6.2 | 0.2 | 1.2 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 94.8 | 4.6 | - | 0.6 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 95.2 | 4.2 | 0.1 | 0.5 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 91.6 | 7.7 | 0.2 | 0.5 |
| **District** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 30.0 | 60.5 | 7.5 | 1.9 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 62.6 | 32.4 | 3.5 | 1.6 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 77.6 | 21.1 | 0.4 | 0.8 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 81.0 | 17.5 | 0.8 | 0.7 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 89.7 | 8.8 | 0.2 | 1.3 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 87.3 | 10.2 | 2.0 | 0.5 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 81.7 | 16.0 | 0.4 | 1.9 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 84.3 | 14.2 | 0.3 | 1.1 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 93.0 | 6.1 | 0.1 | 0.9 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 85.9 | 9.3 | 4.4 | 0.4 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 87.4 | 11.3 | 0.7 | 0.6 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 81.0 | 15.3 | 3.5 | 0.2 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 93.9 | 1.4 | 2.5 | 2.1 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 98.5 | 1.5 | - | - |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 70.0 | 25.2 | 2.5 | 2.2 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 77.8 | 13.8 | 6.5 | 2.0 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 87.1 | 8.6 | 2.7 | 1.6 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 94.9 | 4.4 | 0.1 | 0.6 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 87.4 | 9.9 | 0.4 | 2.3 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 94.4 | 5.1 | - | 0.4 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 95.8 | 3.4 | - | 0.7 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 94.1 | 5.6 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 97.2 | 1.8 | - | 1.0 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 91.5 | 7.6 | 0.2 | 0.7 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 91.7 | 7.7 | 0.2 | 0.3 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

- Counts are not adequate to provide reliable estimates

**Firewood**

**Table A 36: Percentage distribution of households, which use firewood as cooking fuel by whether they collect firewood , sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province/District | Total | Collected firewood | Not collected firewood |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Sri Lanka** | **100.0** | **70.4** | **29.6** |
| **Sector** |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 24.8 | 75.2 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 79.0 | 21.0 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 95.2 | 4.8 |
| **Province** |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 44.7 | 55.2 |
| Central | 100.0 | 78.2 | 21.9 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 80.3 | 19.7 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 65.5 | 34.5 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 54.6 | 45.3 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 84.7 | 15.3 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 91.3 | 8.7 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 94.1 | 5.9 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 88.5 | 11.5 |
| **District** |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 24.2 | 75.7 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 51.9 | 48.1 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 68.9 | 31.1 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 72.4 | 27.6 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 84.7 | 15.3 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 84.7 | 15.3 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 73.6 | 26.4 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 81.6 | 18.4 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 90.5 | 9.5 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 56.9 | 43.1 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 71.8 | 28.2 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 68.4 | 31.6 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 84.0 | 16.0 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 83.1 | 16.9 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 55.8 | 44.2 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 57.2 | 42.8 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 48.7 | 51.3 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 88.4 | 11.6 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 76.8 | 23.2 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 90.8 | 9.2 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 92.3 | 7.7 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 92.5 | 7.5 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 96.9 | 3.1 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 89.9 | 10.1 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 86.7 | 13.3 |
|  |  |  |  |

**Tenure**

**Table A 37: Percentage distribution of households by tenure, sector, province and district - 2012/13**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sector/Province  /District | Tenure | | | | |
| **Total** | **Constructed/Purchased/ Inherited** | **Rent free** | **Rent/Lease** | **Other** |
| **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** | **(%)** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Sri Lanka** | **100.0** | **82.4** | **5.4** | **4.1** | **8.1** |
| **Sector** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Urban | 100.0 | 76.4 | 2.8 | 11.2 | 9.6 |
| Rural | 100.0 | 87.6 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 7.3 |
| Estate | 100.0 | 10.5 | 71.4 | 0.5 | 17.7 |
| **Province** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Western | 100.0 | 81.6 | 2.1 | 9.2 | 7.3 |
| Central | 100.0 | 73.2 | 13.9 | 2.2 | 10.7 |
| Southern | 100.0 | 87.1 | 2.4 | 1.6 | 8.7 |
| Northern | 100.0 | 62.8 | 11.7 | 7.5 | 18.0 |
| Eastern | 100.0 | 76.7 | 4.5 | 1.9 | 16.9 |
| North-western | 100.0 | 90.1 | 2.5 | 2.2 | 5.2 |
| North-central | 100.0 | 94.5 | 0.2 | 1.9 | 3.6 |
| Uva | 100.0 | 82.5 | 12.8 | 1.1 | 3.5 |
| Sabaragamuwa | 100.0 | 87.1 | 7.4 | 1.3 | 4.1 |
| **District** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colombo | 100.0 | 78.0 | 1.6 | 11.9 | 8.4 |
| Gampaha | 100.0 | 83.1 | 1.3 | 9.2 | 6.5 |
| Kalutara | 100.0 | 85.3 | 4.5 | 3.9 | 6.2 |
| Kandy | 100.0 | 82.0 | 6.3 | 2.8 | 9.0 |
| Matale | 100.0 | 87.1 | 7.4 | 2.0 | 3.5 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 100.0 | 45.3 | 34.1 | 0.9 | 19.7 |
| Galle | 100.0 | 83.8 | 2.7 | 1.4 | 12.2 |
| Matara | 100.0 | 89.8 | 3.5 | 2.2 | 4.4 |
| Hambantota | 100.0 | 89.5 | 0.5 | 1.1 | 9.0 |
| Jaffna | 100.0 | 62.7 | 16.7 | 9.4 | 11.0 |
| Mannar | 100.0 | 68.7 | 10.9 | 4.4 | 16.0 |
| Vavunia | 100.0 | 54.2 | 6.4 | 11.2 | 28.3 |
| Mullaitivu | 100.0 | 65.0 | 2.3 | 0.8 | 32.0 |
| Kilinochchi | 100.0 | 69.4 | 3.9 | 0.6 | 26.1 |
| Batticaloa | 100.0 | 73.4 | 4.4 | 1.2 | 21.1 |
| Ampara | 100.0 | 81.8 | 3.5 | 1.1 | 13.6 |
| Trincomalee | 100.0 | 72.5 | 6.4 | 4.4 | 16.9 |
| Kurunegala | 100.0 | 90.6 | 2.2 | 1.8 | 5.4 |
| Puttalam | 100.0 | 89.0 | 3.3 | 3.0 | 4.7 |
| Anuradhapura | 100.0 | 96.4 | 0.2 | 1.6 | 1.8 |
| Polonnaruwa | 100.0 | 90.1 | 0.2 | 2.4 | 7.4 |
| Badulla | 100.0 | 76.3 | 18.6 | 1.1 | 4.1 |
| Moneragala | 100.0 | 93.4 | 2.6 | 1.0 | 2.9 |
| Ratnapura | 100.0 | 85.3 | 8.2 | 1.5 | 4.9 |
| Kegalle | 100.0 | 89.5 | 6.3 | 1.1 | 3.0 |
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1. **NOTES**

   **Permanent** - Brick,Cabok,Cement block,Pressed soil block **Semi permanent** - Mud, Plank/Takaran, Cadjan/Palmyrah, Other [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. **Permanent** - Cement, Teraso/Tile, Concrete **Semi Permanent** - Mud, Wood, Sand, Other [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
3. **Permanent** - Tile, Asbestos, Concrete, Metal sheet **Semi Permanent** - Takaran, Cadjan/ Palmyrah, Straw, Other [↑](#footnote-ref-3)
4. **NOTES**

   **Safe drinking water** - Protected well within premises, Protected well outside premises, Tap inside home, Tap within unit/premises (main line),Tap outside premises (main line), Water project in village, Tube well ,Bowser and Bottled water [↑](#footnote-ref-4)
5. **Not safe drinking** -Unprotected well, River/Tank/Streams,Rainy water and other [↑](#footnote-ref-5)