

2015 POVERTY IN THE PHILIPPINES

POVERTY INCIDENCE

The proportion of families/ individuals with per capita income less than the per capita Poverty Threshold to the total number of families/individuals.

Poverty Threshold is the minimum income required

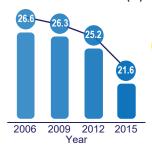
for a family/ individual to meet the basic food and non-food requirements, also known as the **POVERTY LINE**



21 9 million Filipinos were poor in 2015.



POVERTY INCIDENCE AMONG POPULATION (%)



Millenium **Development** Goal for 2015



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Filipino familes



3.8 million

poor Filipino familes

POVERTY INCIDENCE **AMONG FAMILIES (%)**



were poor in 2015.



Poverty Threshold

In 2015, a family of 5 needed at least

PhP 9,064 on average
monthly
to meet both basic food and non-food needs.

SUBSISTENCE INCIDENCE



The proportion of families/ individuals with per capita income less than the per capita Food Threshold to the total number of families/individuals

Food Threshold is the minimum income required for a family/ individual to meet the basic food needs, which satisfies the nutritional requirements for economically necessary and

socially desirable physical activities.



8.1% Filipinos were not able to meet

their basic food needs.





PhP 1,266 on average monthly to meet basic food needs.

SUBSISTENCE INCIDENCE **AMONG POPULATION (%)**

2009 2012 2015

million

Filipinos were food poor.

SUBSISTENCE INCIDENCE **AMONG FAMILIES (%)**

7.9 7.5 5.7

2006 2009 2012 2015 Year

Food Threshold

In 2015, a family of 5 needed at least

PhP 6,329 on average monthly to meet basic food needs.

Filipino families were not able to meet their basic food needs.



2015 Poverty Incidence Cluster 1 (Poorest) 2 3 5 (Least Poor) Provinces with coefficients of variation equal to 0 or >20%

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