

# POVERTY & SHARED PROSPERITY AT A GLANCE

## CYPRUS

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GDP per capita, PPP (current international \$) <sup>1</sup>	30,768 (2012)
GDP per capita, Atlas method (current US\$) <sup>1</sup>	26,110 (2012)
Total population (% of total population) <sup>1</sup>	29 (2012)
National strategy for statistical development	After 2009

### POVERTY

Population living below national line (%) <sup>1</sup>	
Population living below 30% median income (US\$ 9.75)* <sup>2</sup>	1.28 (2011)
Population living below 60% median income (US\$19.51)* <sup>2</sup>	14.96 (2011)
Population living below 80% median income (US\$26.02)* <sup>2</sup>	35.20 (2011)
Population living above US\$ 50.00 (%) <sup>2</sup>	20.47 (2011)
Population living in multidimensional poverty (%) <sup>3</sup>	

### INEQUALITY

Gini index <sup>2</sup>	0.33 (2011)
Theil index <sup>2</sup>	0.21 (2011)

### SHARED PROSPERITY

Welfare definition	Income
Period of analysis	2006-2011
Income/consumption growth of bottom 40 <sup>2</sup>	-1.14%
Income/consumption growth total population <sup>2</sup>	-0.41%
Income/consumption growth of top 60 <sup>2</sup>	-0.22%
GDP growth <sup>1</sup>	-0.22%
Growth of private consumption <sup>1</sup>	

Sources: <sup>1</sup> WDI. <sup>2</sup> ECATSD using EUSILC. <sup>3</sup> UNDP.  
 \*Note: Refers to median income in 2008, 2005 PPP.

### PERFORMANCE

	Value	Global	Global Conditional	ECA	ECA Conditional	Years
Poverty change (US\$ 2.50)* <sup>1</sup>						
Income/consumption growth of the bottom 40%** <sup>1</sup>	-1.14%					2006-2011
UNDP Human Development Index <sup>2</sup>						2012

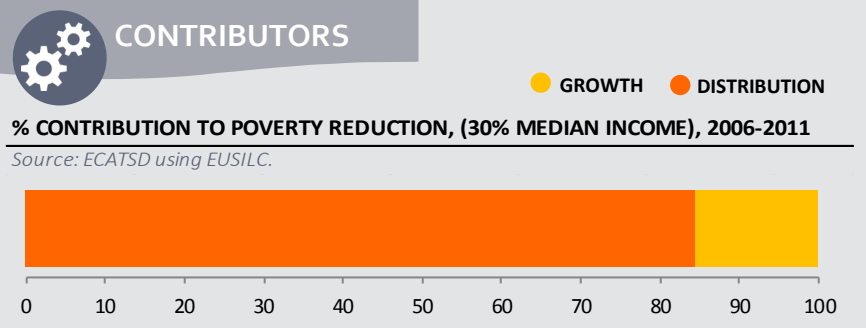
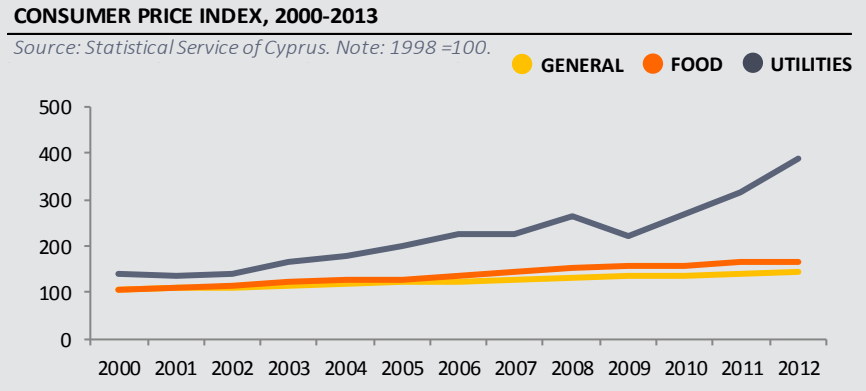
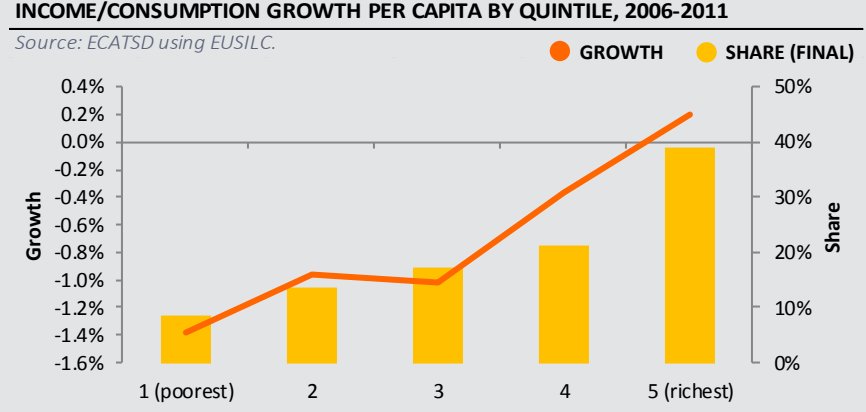
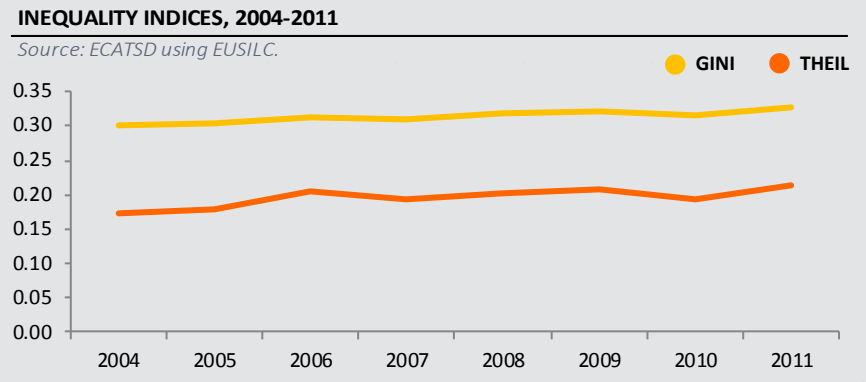
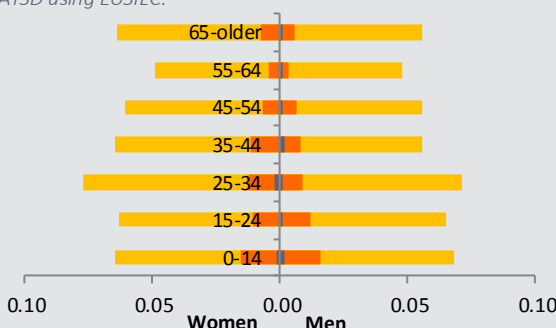
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 \*Conditional\* refer to performance when controlling for type of welfare measure, GNI per capita 2012, Gini in first period, poverty head count in first period, and country growth rate.  
 Sources: <sup>1</sup> ECATSD using EUSILC. Azevedo and Nguyen (2014). <sup>2</sup> UNDP (2013).

### DEMOGRAPHICS

- LIVING BELOW 30% MEDIAN INCOME
- LIVING BETWEEN 30-60% MEDIAN INCOME
- LIVING ABOVE 60% MEDIAN INCOME

#### POPULATION BY AGE AND POVERTY STATUS, 2011 (MILLIONS)

Source: ECATSD using EUSILC.





\*Source: Statistical Service of Cyprus (CYSTAT).

## KEY INDICATORS

	Total	30% Median Income		60% Median Income		Relative Group		Year
		Poor	Non-Poor	Poor	Non-Poor	Bottom 40%	Top 60%	
<b>Demographics</b>								
Share of total population (%)	100%	15%	85%	35%	65%	40%	60%	2012
% of group living in rural areas	28%	25%	29%	28%	29%	35%	24%	2012
% of group living in urban areas	72%	75%	71%	72%	71%	65%	76%	2012
% of households with 4+ members	30%	33%	30%	41%	29%	37%	26%	2012
Dependency Ratio: Children (0-14)/all HH members	0.22	0.46	0.21	0.37	0.19	0.31	0.16	2012
Dependency Ratio: Elderly 65+/all HH members	0.20	0.04	0.20	0.15	0.20	0.25	0.16	2012
Share of households with Female Head (%)	22%	31%	22%	26%	22%	25%	21%	2012
Average HH size	2.79	2.83	2.79	3.24	2.72	3.07	2.63	2012
<b>Education</b>								
Proportion of group with None/<Primary (%)	17%	26%	16%	24%	15%	23%	12%	2012
Proportion of group with Basic (%)	13%	21%	13%	21%	12%	18%	10%	2012
Proportion of group with Gen sec (%)	41%	32%	41%	41%	41%	44%	40%	2012
Proportion of group with Spec sec (%)	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2012
Proportion of group with Tertiary sec (%)	27%	18%	27%	12%	30%	13%	37%	2012
<b>Access to Economic Opportunities</b>								
Labor force participation rate (% of population aged 15-64)	72%	67%	72%	64%	73%	66%	76%	2012
Unemployment (% of population aged 15-64)	15%	31%	15%	31%	12%	23%	10%	2012
Self-employed (% of population aged 15-64)	10%	17%	10%	16%	10%	14%	9%	2012
<b>Income</b>								
Share of income from pensions (%)	23%	6%	23%	20%	23%	30%	19%	2011
Share of income from labor (%)	63%	54%	63%	55%	64%	50%	70%	2011
<b>Access to Basic Services</b>								
Central heating (% of HHs)								
Access to gas (% of HHs)								
Access to piped water in house (% of HHs)								
Access to sewerage in house (% of HHs)								
Access to toilet in house (% of HHs)	98%		98%		98%	97%	99%	2012
Access to electricity (% of HHs)								
Refrigerator (% of HHs)								
Home phone (% of HHs)								
Cell phone (% of HHs)	100%		100%		100%	99%	100%	2012
Personal computer (% of HHs)	67%		67%		67%	58%	72%	2012
Less than 1.5 people per room (% of HHs)	100%		100%		100%	99%	100%	2012

Source: ECATSD using EUSILC.

Note: Income data collected in the survey year (t) refers to income in year (t-1). Poverty and Shared Prosperity indicators are reported using the income reference year (t-1). Poverty profiling data presented in the Key Indicators table is based on poverty status in the income year (t-1) and characteristics in the survey year (t).

### ABOUT THE DATA

Where possible, data is from harmonized regionally comparable sources. All numbers in this document are produced using the 2005 PPPs, as the use of the 2011 PPPs in the calculation of global poverty estimates still requires additional analysis. This note was produced by the ECA Team for Statistical Development in the Poverty Global Practice at the World Bank Group. All indicators are as of 09/08/14.

### QUESTIONS?

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