

POVERTY & SHARED PROSPERITY AT A GLANCE

KYRGYZ REPUBLIC

GDP per capita, PPP (current international \$) ¹	2,370 (2012)
GNI per capita, Atlas method (current US\$) ¹	990 (2012)
Rural population (% of total population) ¹	65 (2012)
National strategy for statistical development	2013-2017

POVERTY

Population living below national line (%) ¹	38.00 (2012)
Population living below US\$ 1.25 (%) ²	5.11 (2011)
Population living below US\$ 2.5 (%) ²	34.31 (2011)
Population living below US\$ 5.00 (%) ²	79.05 (2011)
Population living above US\$ 10.00 (%) ²	3.41 (2011)
Population living in multidimensional poverty (%) ³	4.90 (2005/2006)

INEQUALITY

Gini index ²	0.33 (2011)
Theil index ²	0.20 (2011)

SHARED PROSPERITY

Welfare definition	Consumption
Period of analysis	2006-2011
Income/consumption growth of bottom 40 ²	5.82%
Income/consumption growth total population ²	2.52%
Income/consumption growth of top 60 ²	1.78%
GDP growth ¹	3.85%
Growth of private consumption ¹	1.04%

Sources: ¹ WDI. ² ECATSD using ECAPOV. ³ UNDP.



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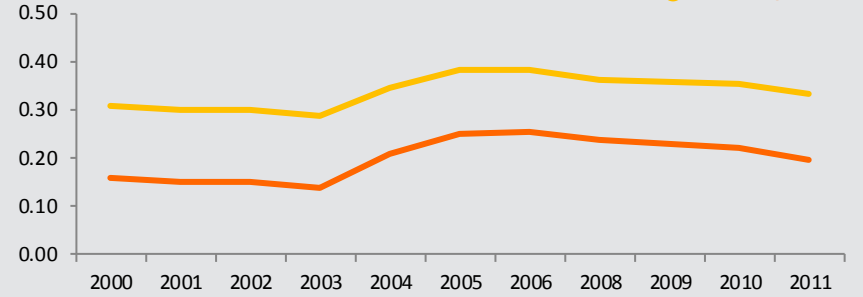
POVERTY HEADCOUNT RATIO, 2000-2011

Source: ECATSD using ECAPOV.



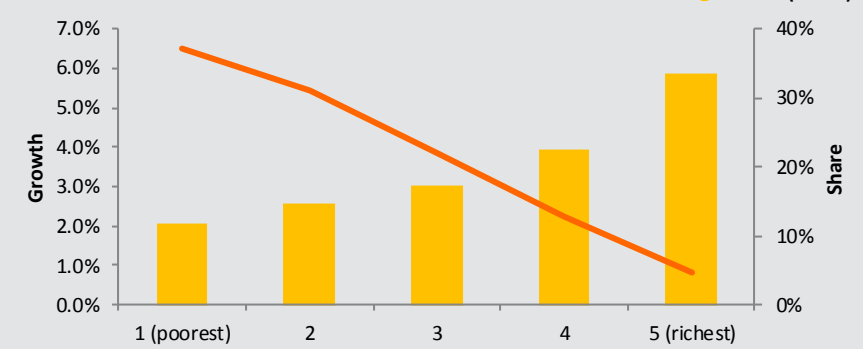
INEQUALITY INDICES, 2000-2011

Source: ECATSD using ECAPOV.



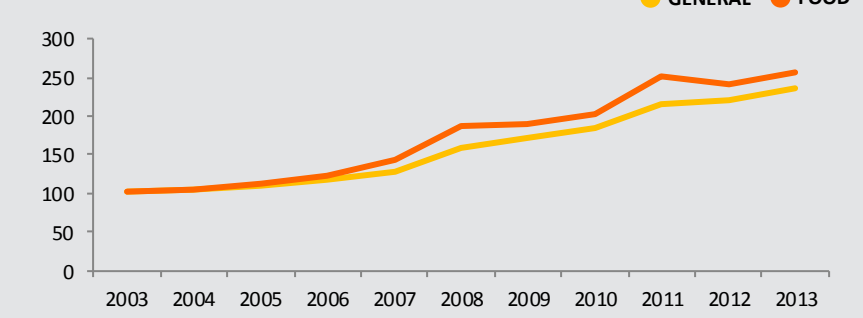
INCOME/CONSUMPTION GROWTH PER CAPITA BY QUINTILE, 2006-2011

Source: ECATSD using ECAPOV.



CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, 2003-2013

Source: National Statistical Committee. Note: 2003 = 100.



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PERFORMANCE

	Value	Global		ECA		Years
		Global	Conditional	ECA	Conditional	
Poverty change (US\$ 2.50)* ¹	-2.82%	88	80	82	2	2006-2011
Income/consumption growth of the bottom 40%** ¹	5.82%	75	99	79	51	2006-2011
UNDP Human Development Index ²	0.622	125/186	-	29/29	-	2012

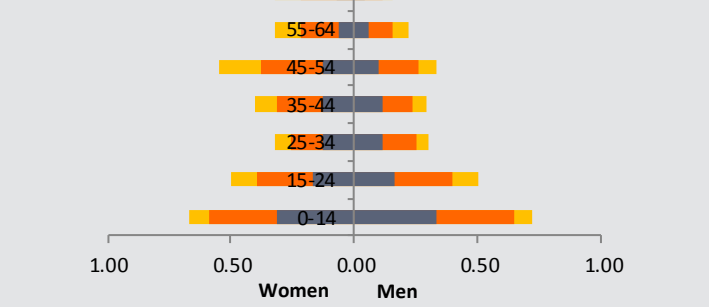
*Annualized. Benchmarking numbers present percentile performance among indicated distribution group.
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 "Conditional" refers to performance when controlling for type of welfare measure, GNI per capita 2011, Gini in first period, poverty head count in first period, and country growth rate.
 Sources: ¹ ECATSD using ECAPOV. Azevedo and Nguyen (2014). ² UNDP (2013).

DEMOGRAPHICS

● LIVING BELOW US\$ 2.50
 ● LIVING BETWEEN US\$ 2.50- 5.00
 ● LIVING ABOVE US\$ 5.00

POPULATION BY AGE AND POVERTY STATUS, 2011 (MILLIONS)

Source: ECATSD using ECAPOV.

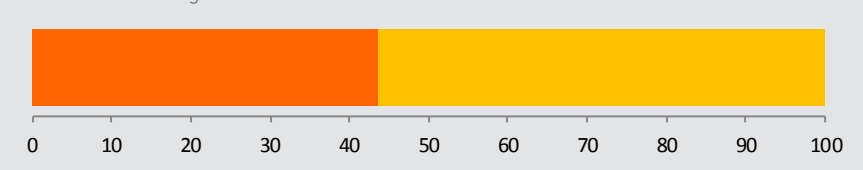


CONTRIBUTORS

● GROWTH ● DISTRIBUTION

% CONTRIBUTION TO POVERTY REDUCTION, (US\$ 2.50), 2006-2011

Source: ECATSD using ECAPOV.





NATIONAL DATA

Poverty estimates in the Kyrgyz Republic are produced by the National Statistical Committee in the Kyrgyz Republic based on the Integrated Household Budget Survey (HBS). The absolute poverty figures are based on the "Cost of Basic Needs (CBN)"

approach and include two poverty lines: (1) an "extreme poverty" line based on a minimum required level of calories- 2,100 calories per capita per day and (2) an "overall poverty line" that is considered adequate to meet basic needs. Consumption per capita is used as the welfare aggregate. In 2013, the most recent year of published figures, 37% of the population lived in poverty, and 2.8% lived in extreme poverty.* The most recent national strategy for statistical development is the Strategy of Statistics Development of the Kyrgyz Republic for the period 2013-2017. The most recent HBS available for the Kyrgyz Republic in the World Bank's regional internal microdata catalog, the ECA Data Portal, is for the year 2012.

*Source: National Statistical Committee of the Kyrgyz Republic. Methods of poverty measurement in the Kyrgyz Republic.

KEY INDICATORS

	Total	US\$2.50		US\$5.00		Relative Group		Year
		Poor	Non-Poor	Poor	Non-Poor	Bottom 40%	Top 60%	
Demographics								
Share of total population (%)	100%	34%	66%	79%	21%	40%	60%	2011
% of group living in rural areas	58%	73%	50%	63%	41%	72%	49%	2011
% of group living in urban areas	42%	27%	50%	37%	59%	28%	51%	2011
% of households with 4+ members	34%	66%	24%	46%	9%	64%	22%	2011
Dependency Ratio: Children (0-14)/all HH members	0.37	0.55	0.29	0.43	0.17	0.54	0.28	2011
Dependency Ratio: Elderly 65+/all HH members	0.13	0.10	0.14	0.11	0.17	0.10	0.14	2011
Share of households with Female Head (%)	48%	34%	52%	42%	60%	35%	53%	2011
Average HH size	2.95	4.30	2.53	3.45	1.89	4.21	2.46	2011
Education								
Proportion of group with None/<Primary (%)	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2011
Proportion of group with Basic (%)	18%	22%	17%	20%	14%	22%	17%	2011
Proportion of group with Gen sec (%)	41%	48%	38%	44%	32%	47%	38%	2011
Proportion of group with Spec sec (%)	25%	21%	26%	23%	29%	21%	26%	2011
Proportion of group with Tertiary sec (%)	15%	8%	18%	12%	23%	9%	18%	2011
Access to Economic Opportunities								
Labor force participation rate (% of population aged 15-64)	68%	67%	68%	67%	71%	67%	68%	2011
Unemployment (% of population aged 15-64)	5%	7%	5%	6%	4%	6%	5%	2011
Self-employed (% of population aged 15-64)	17%	29%	12%	21%	7%	28%	11%	2011
Income								
Share of income from pensions (%)	26%	23%	26%	25%	26%	23%	27%	2011
Share of income from labor (%)	60%	61%	60%	61%	58%	62%	59%	2011
Access to Basic Services								
Central heating (% of HHs)	12%	4%	18%	8%	27%	4%	19%	2010
Access to gas (% of HHs)	22%	9%	30%	17%	40%	10%	31%	2010
Access to piped water in house (% of HHs)	28%	11%	39%	21%	54%	12%	41%	2010
Access to sewerage in house (% of HHs)	15%	5%	20%	10%	30%	6%	21%	2010
Access to toilet in house (% of HHs)	17%	6%	24%	12%	35%	7%	25%	2010
Access to electricity (% of HHs)	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	2010
Refrigerator (% of HHs)	63%	49%	70%	58%	78%	50%	72%	2010
Home phone (% of HHs)	34%	21%	42%	29%	55%	21%	44%	2010
Cell phone (% of HHs)	76%	75%	76%	76%	75%	75%	76%	2010
Personal computer (% of HHs)	4%	1%	6%	3%	10%	1%	6%	2010
Less than 1.5 people per room (% of HHs)	59%	45%	68%	55%	76%	47%	69%	2010

Source: ECATSD using ECAPOV.

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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