

Datasource:

Integrated Household Living Conditions Survey (EICV)

Period:

June, 2005 to September, 2005

By EICV2 the proportion had reduced to 71%, a reduction of some 14%. In contrast the proportion of people working as paid employees has increased between the datasources, as have the numbers running small non-farm enterprises. Increases in non-farm activities over the five year period are also marked, with a doubling of those working in waged non-farm jobs and a quadrupling of those working in non-farm family enterprises.

In proportionate terms the numbers are small, but given that the number of subsistence farmers has remained static, the increase in the rural workforce of some half a million has largely been absorbed by waged farm work and non-farm work.

Reference document (PDF)

- [Master Report Poverty Update.pdf \(pdf, 442.92 KB\)](#)
LAST UPDATED: 30 Jun 2025
- [EICV2005,LIVING STANDARD ANALYSIS,2006.pdf \(pdf, 351.9 KB\)](#)
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