

NATIONAL FAMILY INCOME DISTRIBUTION, 1992

MULTIPLES OF THE MINIMUM YEARLY WAGE

Minimum Wage Multiple	Percent of Total Families	Percent of Total Income
0.00-0.50	0.43	0.02
0.51-1.00	4.13	0.49
1.01-1.50	5.29	0.95
1.51-2.00	6.83	1.67
2.01-3.00	16.02	5.64
3.01-4.00	13.98	6.90
4.01-5.00	10.27	6.55
5.01-6.00	8.53	6.71
6.01-7.00	6.00	5.56
7.01-8.00	5.29	5.65
8.01- up	23.23	59.86
Total	100.00	100.00

Note: The minimum yearly wage varies by region. In July 1994, it averaged US \$ 1,690.

Source: United States Department of Commerce from the *Instituto Nacional de Estadística, Geografía e Informática (INEGI)*, National Institute for Statistics, Geography and Informatics.

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