

TABLE A 6

Guarantee levels and poverty lines by family unit size for 1967

Family unit size	F.S.E.P.s	Value of F.S.E.P. (1967)	Income guarantee level*	Poverty line†
		\$	(nearest \$10)	(nearest \$10)
1.....	3	432	1,300	1,860
2.....	5	432	2,160	3,090
3.....	6	432	2,600	3,710
4.....	7	432	3,020	4,310
5.....	8	432	3,460	4,940
6.....	9	432	3,890	5,560
7.....	10	432	4,320	6,170
10.....	13	432	5,630	8,030

\*Derived by multiplying the appropriate number of F.S.E.P.s by the value of one F.S.E.P., e.g. for a family of two,  $5 \times \$432 = \$2,160$ .

†Derived by considering the income guarantee level as 70 per cent of the poverty line, e.g., for a family of two,  $\frac{100}{70} \times \$2,160 = \$3,090$ .

SOURCE: Staff Study.

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Senate Committee poverty lines by family unit size for selected years, 1961-1970.

	1961	1965	1967	1969	1970	
			\$			
Value of average living standard*..	678	847	973	1,126	(1,215)†	
Adjusted value of F.S.E.P.‡.....	301	376	432	500§	(540)	
Family unit size	F.S.E.P.	Poverty lines (nearest \$10)				
1.....	3	1,290	1,610	1,850	2,140	(2,310)
2.....	5	2,150	2,690	3,090	3,570	(3,860)
3.....	6	2,580	3,220	3,700	4,290	(4,630)
4.....	7	3,010	3,760	4,320	5,000	(5,400)
5.....	8	3,440	4,300	4,940	5,710	(6,170)
6.....	9	3,870	4,830	5,550	6,430	(6,940)
7.....	10	4,300	5,370	6,170	7,140	(7,710)
10.....	13	5,590	6,980	8,020	9,290	(10,020)

\*Determined by dividing, for the year in question, the total disposable income by the total number of F.S.E.P.s.

†All figures for 1970 are estimates.

‡The ratio of that year's average living standard to the average living standard for 1969, multiplied by the 1969 F.S.E.P. of \$500. For example, for 1961, the adjusted value of the F.S.E.P. expressed as  $\frac{\$678}{\$1,126} \times \$500 = \$301$ .

§Value of F.S.E.P. in the base year 1969.

SOURCE: Staff Study.