

# Lao Expenditure and Consumption Survey - LECS 1997/98

## Social and village indicators

### *Village Questionnaire*

Sheet number (NSC only)	a				
Province	b				
District	c				
Village	d				
Month	f				
Day	g				
Region	h			1	
Urban				2	
Rural					

Number of households in the village	i	.....
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Name of person interviewed		
Enumerator		
Supervisor		

*Strictly confidential*

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1	How far is it from this village to the main road?		aa	km
2	Is it possible to reach this village by truck from the main road in the dry season?	Yes=1 No=2	ab	1 2
3	Is it possible to reach this village by truck from the main road in the rainy season?	Yes=1 No=2	ac	1 2
4	Is this village connected to a public or collectively owned electrical network?	Yes=1 No=2	ad	1 2
5	Is there any permanent market in this village?	Yes=1 No=2	ae	1 2
6	<u>If "no" on Q 5</u> Is there any periodical market in this village?	Permanent=1 Periodical=2	af	1 2
7	Is there any scheduled passenger transport stopping in this village?	Yes=1 No=2	ag	1 2
8	Is there piped water or any protected well in this village?	Yes=1 No=2	ah	1 2
9	Is there any primary school in this village?	Yes=1 No=2	ai	1 2
10	<u>If "YES" on Q 9:</u> Is this a complete primary school?	Yes=1 No=2	aj	
11	How many permanent teachers (do not include head of school) are working in the primary school?	Number of teachers	ak	.....
12	How many pupils are enrolled in primary school?	Number of pupils	al	.....
13	Are any textbooks available in primary school classes?	Yes=1 No=2	am	1 2
14	What is the <u>highest</u> grade taught in schools located in this village?	Primary=1 Low secondary=2 Upper secondary=3 Technical collage=4 Vocational training=5 University=6 No school in the village=7	an	1 2 3 4 5 6 7
15	Is there a pharmacy or drugstore located in this village?	Yes=1 No=2	ao	1 2
16	<u>If "YES" on Q 15:</u> Is it licensed?	Yes=1 No=2	ap	
17	Is there a medical practitioner living in this village?	Yes=1 No=2	aq	1 2

18	Is there a trained nurse living in this village?	Yes=1 No=0	ar	1 2
19	Is there a Community health worker in this village?	Yes=1 No=2	as	1 2
20	Is there a traditional healer?	Yes=1 No=2	at	1 2
21	Is there a traditional Birth attendant?	Yes=1 No=2	au	1 2
22	How long does it take to reach the nearest hospital (even abroad) the <u>fastest way possible</u> ?	Days Hours Minutes	av	..... ..... .....
23	Has it been any immunisation programme in this village during the last three years?	Yes=1 No=2	aw	1 2
24	How much rice does the village have in stock and for how long will it last?	quantity duration from now	ax ay	.....kg .....month s
25	How many months has this village suffered from lack of rice during the last 12 month?	number of months	az	..... months
26	Note the fees for the following services available in this village	Public primary school (1 year) Public low secondary school(1year) Public upper secondary (1year) Bus fare to common market(1 way)	ba bb bc bd	..... KIP ..... KIP ..... KIP .....KIP
27	Note the following actual sticky rice prices per kg	Sold to village market Bought in village market Sold to common market Bought in common market	be bf bg bh	..... KIP ..... KIP ..... KIP ..... KIP
28	Which are the main restrictions in this village for not earning more money?	Lack of jobs Lack of savings Lack of credits Lack of land Lack of seeds Lack of natural water resource to irrigate land Poor fertility of soil Insecure land due to mines/bombs Storage facilities Lack of knowledge Lack of manpower Lack of transports Lack of market Draught Flooding Insects Vermin	bi bj bk bl bm bn bo bp bq br bs bt bu bv bw bx by	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1

29	Is slash and burn practised in this village?	Yes=1 No=2	ca	1 2
30	If "YES" on Q 29: How many households practise slash and burn?	Number of households	cb	..... households
31	Is shifting cultivation practised in this village?	Yes=1 No=2	cc	1 2
32	Is this village fetching more firewood or cutting down trees for other purposes than the re-growth?	Yes=1 No or Not applicable=2	cd	1 2
33	How big is the total land area in this village and how much is cultivated?	Total area Cultivated area	ce	.....ha .....ha
34	How much land is irrigated?	Irrigated area	cf	.....ha
35	Are there any current development projects in the village?	Yes=1 No=2	cg	1 2
36	If "YES" on Q 35: What kind of development projects?	Crops Irrigation Forestry Commerce Transport Handicraft Education Health Water and Sanitation Other (specify) ..... .....	ch ci cj ck cl cm cn co cp cq	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
37	How is this/are these projects funded?	Funded by the village without any loans=1 Bank loans=1 Government loans/grants=1 Lao org. loans/grants=1 Internat. Org. loans/grants=1 Other=1 Specify:..... .....	cr cs ct cu cv cw	1 1 1 1 1 1