



HOUSEHOLD INCOME, EXPENDITURE AND CONSUMPTION DURING THE FOURTH QUARTER OF 2011

Household Income

The average quarterly total income average per household member during the fourth quarter of 2011 is 997 Levs or by 7.8% more compared to the same quarter of 2010. The main part of this income (80.0%) is received from wages and salaries and pensions.

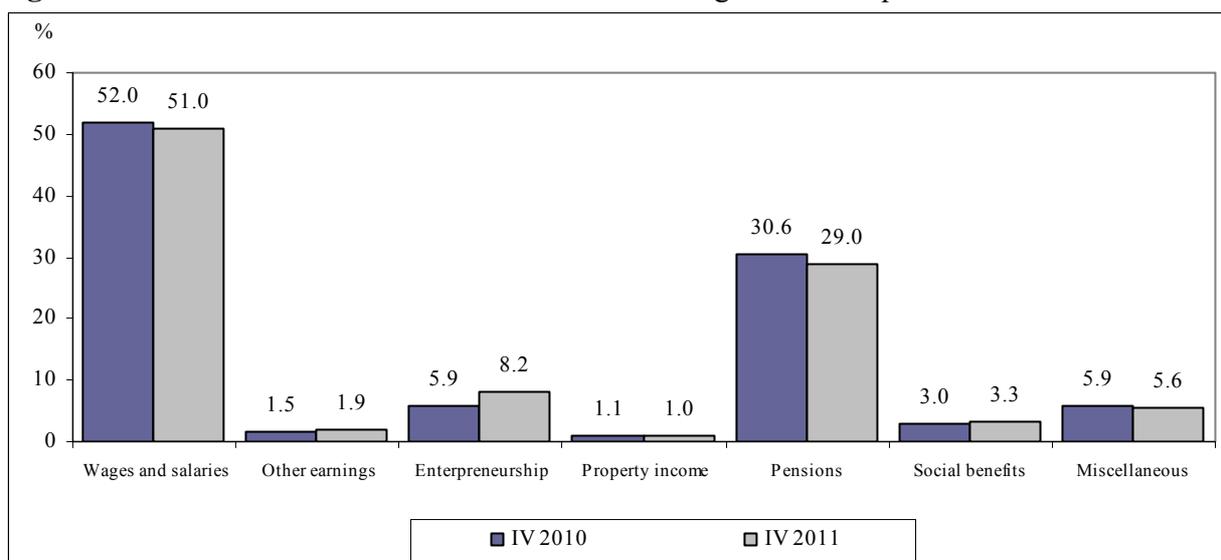
Wages and salaries continue to be the main source of household income. During the fourth quarter of 2011 it is 508 Levs per capita or by 5.7% more compared to the fourth quarter of 2010. The relative share of wages and salaries within the total income decreases from 52.0% to 51.0% or by 1.0 percentage points (pp) less compared to the fourth quarter of 2010.

The second important source of household income is the income from pensions. The relative share of pensions within the total income increases by 1.6% and becomes 29.0%. During the fourth quarter of 2011 it is 289 Levs per capita.

The income from entrepreneurship increases during the fourth quarter of 2011 is 82 Levs per capita. The relative share within the total income increases by 2.3 pp and it is 8.2%.

The weight of other social incomes during the fourth quarter of 2011 is relatively insignificant in the total household income. During the period this income increases from 28 to 33 Levs per capita, the relative share increases by 0.3 pp and becomes 3.3%.

Figure 1. Structure of the total household income during the fourth quarter of 2010 and 2011



The relative share of monetary income into the total income during the fourth quarter of 2011 is similar in comparison with the same quarter of 2010 and it is 98.3%.



Household Expenditure

The total expenditure per household member during the fourth quarter of 2011 is 933 Levs and it increases by 7.3% in relation to the same quarter of 2010. Expenditure on food and housing has the greatest share in forming the total expenditure and constitute 53.6% of total expenditure.

The most significant part in the household budget is expenditure on food and non-alcoholic beverages. As absolute values it is 333 Levs average per household member during the fourth quarter of the year, represents 35.7% in total expenditure and decreases by 0.8 pp in comparison with the same quarter last year.

The expenditure on housing (water, electricity, heating and furnishing) increases from 145 to 167 Levs per capita; the relative increases by 1.1 pp and it is 17.9% in total expenditure.

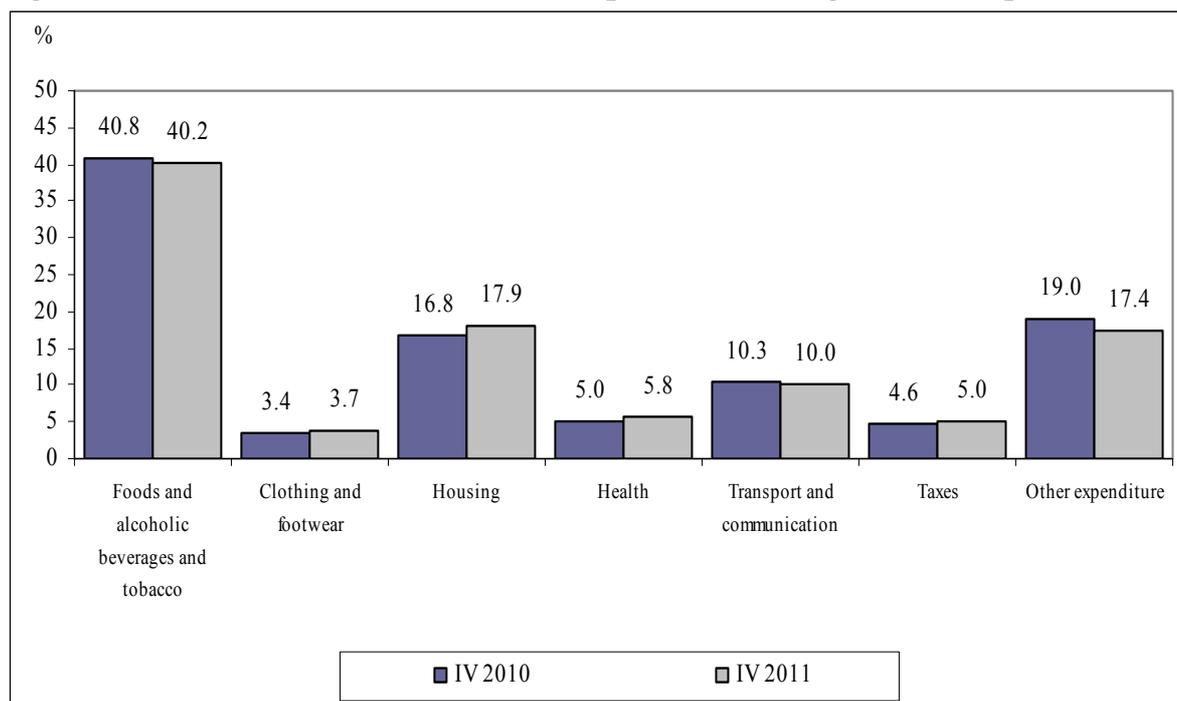
The expenditure on health increases by 12.5% during the fourth quarter of 2011 in comparison with the same quarter of 2010 and becomes 54 Levs per capita, which represents 5.8% in the total expenditure

The expenditure on transport and communication increases by 4.4%, it is 93 Levs per capita as absolute values during the fourth quarter of 2011, the relative share is 10.0%.

The expenditure on alcoholic beverages and tobacco is 42 Levs per capita during the fourth quarter of 2011, which relative share of the total expenditure is 4.5%.

The expenditure on clothing and footwear increases by 12.0% and it is 35 Levs per capita during the fourth quarter of 2011, which represents 3.7% of the total expenditure.

Figure 2. Structure of the total household expenditure during the fourth quarter of 2010 and 2011

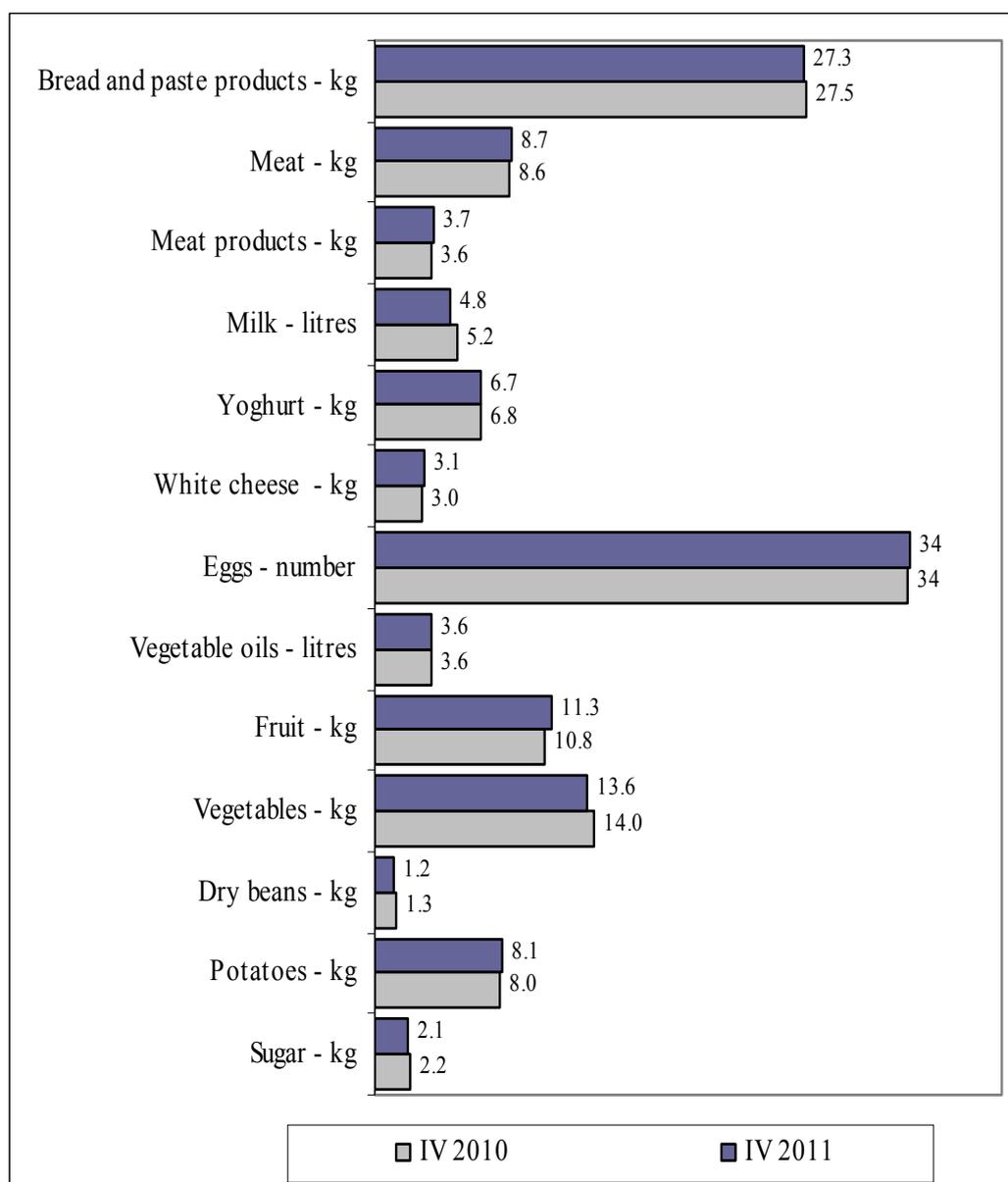




Household Consumption

The consumption of main food products average per capita doesn't change during the fourth quarter of 2011 compared to the same quarter of 2010. The most visible is the increase in the consumption of fruit by 0.5 kg and becomes 11.3 kg. The consumption of vegetables decreases by 0.4 kg or 13.6 kg average per household member. The consumption of milk also decreases by 0.4 l and it is 4.8 l average per household member.

Figure 3. Consumption of main food products average per household member during the fourth quarter of 2010 and 2011





Annex

Total households income by source for fourth quarter of 2010 and 2011

Table 1

Sources	Fourth quarter of 2010			Fourth quarter of 2011		
	Structure - %	Average per household - Levs	Average per capita - Levs	Structure - %	Average per household - Levs	Average per capita - Levs
Total income	100.0	2273.48	924.28	100.0	2419.92	996.59
Total gross income	95.0	2159.23	877.84	95.3	2306.58	949.91
Wages and salaries	52.0	1181.69	480.42	51.0	1233.18	507.86
Other earnings	1.5	33.18	13.49	1.9	45.51	18.74
Self-employment income	5.9	134.2	54.56	8.2	197.94	81.52
Property income	1.1	24.76	10.06	1.0	23.55	9.70
Pensions	30.6	694.94	282.53	29.0	701.39	288.85
Unemployment benefits	0.6	13.65	5.55	0.7	17.17	7.07
Family allowances	1.0	23.76	9.66	0.8	20.43	8.41
Other social benefits	1.4	32.57	13.24	1.8	43.41	17.88
Regular inter-household transfers	0.9	20.49	8.33	1.0	24.00	9.89
Receipt sale	0.8	18.97	7.71	0.5	13.04	5.37
Miscellaneous	4.2	95.28	38.74	4.1	100.30	41.31
Drawn savings	x	97.37	39.59	x	93.39	38.46
Loans and credits	x	31.36	12.75	x	29.69	12.23

Total household expenditure by group for fourth quarter of 2010 and 2011

Table 2

Expenditure groups	Fourth quarter of 2010			Fourth quarter of 2011		
	Structure - %	Average per household - Levs	Average per capita - Levs	Structure - %	Average per household - Levs	Average per capita - Levs
Total expenditure	100.0	2129.21	865.63	100.0	2266.36	933.35
Consumer monetary expenditure	83.4	1775.34	721.76	84.4	1913.57	788.06
Foods and non-alcoholic beverages	36.5	777.71	316.18	35.7	809.20	333.25
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	4.3	92.49	37.6	4.5	101.91	41.97
Clothing and footwear	3.4	71.46	29.05	3.7	84.63	34.85
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	13.5	288.23	117.18	14.8	334.91	137.93
Furnishing and maintenance of the house	3.3	69.37	28.2	3.1	69.67	28.69
Health	5.0	106.73	43.39	5.8	131.43	54.13
Transport	6.0	128.38	52.19	5.6	126.78	52.21
Communication	4.3	91.81	37.33	4.4	100.15	41.25
Recreation, culture and education	3.6	75.99	30.89	3.2	73.20	30.14
Miscellaneous goods and services	3.4	73.18	29.75	3.6	81.69	33.64
Taxes	4.6	97.87	39.79	5.0	113.21	46.62
Social insurance contributions	5.6	119.04	48.39	5.6	126.45	52.07
Regular inter-household transfers	1.7	36.73	14.93	1.7	38.34	15.79
Other expenditure	4.7	100.24	40.75	3.3	74.80	30.80
Saving deposits	x	23.66	9.62	x	26.87	11.07
Purchase of currency and securities	x	-	-	x	-	-
Debt paid out and loan granted	x	60.89	24.75	x	108.94	44.87