

# How to access and use Consumer Pyramids dx



## Consumer Pyramids Household Survey & Consumer Pyramids<sub>dx</sub>

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Centre for Monitoring Indian Economy Pvt Ltd.

Surveyed over  
**236,000**  
households

## Consumer Pyramids Household Survey

*A continuous survey to measure household well-being in India*

Wave in progress

**24th**

Sep-Dec  
2021

Response rate (%)

**76.20**

3-wave avg.  
69.89

Updated on: Sep 23 2021 6:00AM

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A fast-frequency

Indian households

#### People of India<sub>dx</sub>

The People of India database provides a moving kaleidoscope of the attributes and peculiarities of the Indian people.

Explore household assets and amenities, household sentiments, their perceptions and decisions regarding purchase of assets or to make investments.

Enables the study of seasonality of household incomes, volatility of incomes, growth in incomes, changing composition of household incomes and a lot more.

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*A continuous survey to measure household well-being in India*

**A longitudinal survey**

*large panel of sample households surveyed repeatedly over time*

**A fast-frequency survey**

*survey conducted comprehensively thrice every year*

Wave in progress

**25th**

Jan-Apr  
2022

Response rate (%)

**75.24**

3-wave avg.  
71.44

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## A fast-frequency portrayal of living standards of Indian households

### People of India<sub>dx</sub>

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### Aspirational India<sub>dx</sub>

Explore household assets and amenities, household sentiments, their perceptions and decisions regarding purchase of assets or to make investments.

### Income Pyramids<sub>dx</sub>

Enables the study of seasonality of household incomes, volatility of incomes, growth in incomes, changing composition of household incomes and a lot more.

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Data on  
1.25 mln  
people  
since 2014

## People of India<sub>dx</sub>

*Delivers record-level data on over a million people*

## Fast-frequency longitudinal survey

*Three comprehensive surveys of same sample every year*

## Tracks attributes over time

*Every person in database uniquely identified across surveys*

Unemployment rate (%)

7.5

Labour participation rate (%)

40.6

30-day moving average as of Jan 11 2022

## A moving kaleidoscope of the attributes of Indian people

### Identity

The People of India database provides information on individual members of the sample households. It includes for each member, identity information such as gender, age, marital status, relation with household head, education, state-of-origin, religion and caste. It also

### Employment

The database provides detailed data on occupation, nature of occupation and industry of operation. It provides data on employment / unemployment status, duration of employment / unemployment status, type of employment in terms of being full-time or part-time,

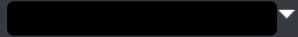
### Time-use

People of India offers a fairly detailed view of the way Indians spend their time in terms of work and leisure. Time spent on work is distinguished between work for family and work for employer, as an unpaid trainee or as a volunteer. Time on leisure is captured in

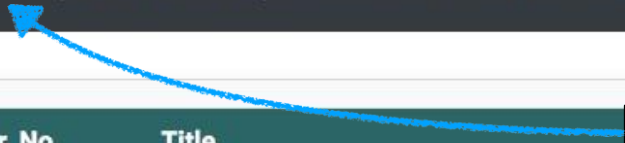
### Health and finance

This database captures self-declared health status, medication and hospitalisation of individual members of the sample households. It provides information on whether members of the households have access to bank accounts, demat accounts,

Wave	Click on desired Wave and Format to Download	Sample	Responses
Sep-Dec 2021	<a href="#">CSV   TXT</a>	877,049	669,103
May-Aug 2021	<a href="#">CSV   TXT</a>	876,006	584,287
Jan-Apr 2021	<a href="#">CSV   TXT</a>	867,822	645,938
Sep-Dec 2020	<a href="#">CSV   TXT</a>	859,608	616,485
May-Aug 2020	<a href="#">CSV   TXT</a>	855,808	383,592
Jan-Apr 2020	<a href="#">CSV   TXT</a>	854,355	557,729
Sep-Dec 2019	<a href="#">CSV   TXT</a>	851,786	724,904
May-Aug 2019	<a href="#">CSV   TXT</a>	848,874	723,458
Jan-Apr 2018	<a href="#">CSV   TXT</a>	809,128	688,712
Sep-Dec 2017	<a href="#">CSV   TXT</a>	797,626	646,249
May-Aug 2017	<a href="#">CSV   TXT</a>	758,511	632,453



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