Socio-economic information: Employment and incomes

Employment and income
- Limit the harm – seize the opportunities
- Vulnerability of the poor: = Working poor
- Understanding of economic and social systems

Livelihoods + incomes
- LIVELIHOODS = SUM OF WAYS PEOPLE MAKE A LIVING
- IMPORTANT LIVELIHOOD OUTCOME: SOCIO-ECONOMIC SECURITY, RESILIENCE

Employment/income – adaptation
Transmission mechanisms
- Resilience
- Coping strategies
- ‘Second round’: e.g. migration
- Response to planned adaptation
- Diversification

Data required: employment
- By sector (ISIC)
- by gender
- Status (formal/informal)
- Income quintile
- Skilled/unskilled

Data required: households
- Household income/expenditure:
  - By income quintile
  - Urban/rural
  - Indigenous/non-indigenous
  - Female headed
- Main source of household income
- Household assets (savings)
- Organizations

Data required: enterprises
- Location
- Sector of activity
- Size distribution (no employees)
- Assets

Data sources
- Census
- National accounts
- Living standards surveys
- Labour force surveys
- Establishment surveys
- ... Key informants: communities, employers’ organizations, trade unions ...

Assessments & planning
- Macro + micro (local)
- Social accounting matrices (SAM) + employment series
- Computable models IOE
- Regional/local assessments
- Local economic development

Thank you