A. Poverty Incidence among Population (%) | 2006: 47.1% | 2009: 47.4% | 2012: 55.8% | 2015: 53.7%

1 in 2 persons in ARMM was poor in 2015

2 million people in ARMM were poor in 2015

Poverty Threshold
In 2015, a person in ARMM needed at least ₱1,797 on average monthly to meet both basic food and non-food needs

B. Poverty Incidence among Families (%) | 2006: 40.5% | 2009: 39.9% | 2012: 48.7% | 2015: 48.2%

48.2% families in ARMM were poor in 2015

300,000 poor families in ARMM in 2015

Poverty Threshold
In 2015, a family of 5 in ARMM needed at least ₱8,985 on average monthly to meet both basic food and non-food needs


21.1% people in ARMM were not able to meet their basic food needs

0.8 million people in ARMM were food poor

Food Threshold
In 2015, a person in ARMM needed at least ₱1,285 on average monthly to meet basic food needs

D. Subsistence Incidence among Families (%) | 2006: 14.0% | 2009: 10.8% | 2012: 19.5% | 2015: 17.0%

17% families in ARMM were not able to meet their basic food needs

100,000 families in ARMM were food poor in 2015

Food Threshold
In 2015, a family of 5 in ARMM needed at least ₱6,425 on average monthly to meet basic food needs

Millenium Development Goals (MDGs) for 2015

1. 38.4% Short in achieving the MDG target of 15.3%

ARMM was the poorest region in the Philippines in 2015

Lanao del Sur was the poorest province in the entire country in 2015

7 in 10 persons in Lanao del Sur were poor in 2015

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