

# WHO EARNS THE MOST AND THE LEAST?

Earning rank	Occupation category (OC)	% share of rural households in each OC	% share of rural income in each OC	[earning weight**]
<b>1</b>	Regular salary/wages	<b>11%</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>[1.80]</b>
<b>2</b>	Others	<b>2%</b>	<b>3%</b>	<b>[1.50]</b>
<b>3</b>	Non-agri self-employed	<b>12%</b>	<b>15%</b>	<b>[1.25]</b>
<b>4</b>	Self-employed in agriculture	<b>41%</b>	<b>43%</b>	<b>[1.07]</b>
<b>5</b>	Piece work labour (casual and agriculture)	<b>36%</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>[0.60]</b>

\*\*earning weight = [share of income ÷ share of households] i.e., the extent to which the category controls income beyond its "natural share" in the population