Government Child labor Certification Survey

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NATIONAL REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

- National frame with unit to satisfy the demands of the sampling design
- National Frame must include all non-zero probability units of the design and exclude all zero-probability units
- Types of households: All households with at least one member working on a cocoa farm
- Cocoa frame excludes all households without at least one member working on the coca farm

Multi-stage cluster sampling

- Cocoa sampling was designed to go through 3stages:
 - Stage1- District sampling
 - Stage 2-Cluster (EA) sampling
 - Stage 3-Household sampling
- This design was to satisfy the certification protocol of satisfying at least 50% of cocoa growing areas

STAGE ONE

- Sampling of Districts using the systematic method with probability proportion to size (level of cocoa produced in district)
- A total of 15 districts out of 46 districts were selected
- Sampling was done within regions to ensure that each region had enough sample to be a domain of the study

STAGE TWO

 Sampling of clusters using simple systematic random sampling to have an even distribution of cluster within the districts

 A total 120 clusters were selected within the 15 districts

STAGE THREE

- Sampling of households within the cluster with simple systematic method of sampling
- Selected a fixed number of households in each cluster
- In each cluster, 15 households were selected from the 120 clusters to make a total of 1,800 households nationwide
- Each child aged 5-17years was eligible for interview

COVERAGE

Completed interview in 15 districts as planned

Completed interview in 119 out of 120 clusters. One cluster was inaccessible

Interviewed 1,735 households and 3,452 children nationwide

STATISTICAL SIGNIFICANCE

 Sample size was determined on the basis of the relative error of p and multiplied by the design effect

The sample size was then estimated with 5% significance level as follows:

- $n = \{(1-p)/p\}x \{deft/RE(p)\}2$
- p= proportion
- deft= design effect
- Re(p)= relative error of p

LISTING OF SELECTED CLUSTERS

- Listing of structures and households in all selected clusters. The following variables were included:
 - Name of households
 - Address of household head
 - Household size
 - Number of households working on cocoa farm
 - Type of cocoa operation
 - Number of children in household

Construction of Frame

At least one member grows cocoa in the household

At least one child aged between 5-17years in household

WEIGHTING

First Stage Probability:
Probability of selecting a district

- $P_1 = (M_{r,d} \times n_r)/M_r$
- M_{r.d} =Cocoa Production level in each district
- n_r =Number of districts sampled in each Region
- M_r=Cocoa Production level in each region

Second Stage Probability:
Probability of selecting a cluster

- $n_{r,d,e}$ = Number of clusters sampled from selected district
- $N_{r,d,e}$ = Total number of clusters in the selected district

Third Stage Probability

Probability of selecting a household

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$$P_3 = n_{r,d,e,h} / N_{r,d,e,h}$$

- n_{r,d,e,h} = Number of cocoa producing household selected in each selected cluster
- $N_{r,d,e,h}$ = Total number of cocoa producing households in each selected cluster

Overall Probability

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$$P_t = P_1 \times P_2 \times P_3$$

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$$W_t = 1/P_t$$