## Health, Nutrition, Population and Poverty Gabon 2000 - ANNEX B: ASSETS AND FACTOR SCORES

						Quintiles			Factor	Househo	ld score if:
Asset Variable	Ur	weighted	Lowest	2nd	3rd	4th	Highest	Average	Score	has asset	no asset
	Mean	Std. Deviation		Percenta	ige of Popul	lation					
Has electricity	0.624	0.484	12.6%	69.1%	95.6%	98.5%	99.8%	75.1%	0.08973	0.06966	-0.11555
Has radio	0.668	0.471	45.9%	66.8%	81.4%	87.8%	97.5%	75.9%	0.05725	0.04033	-0.08128
Has television	0.396	0.489	1.4%	27.9%	68.7%	88.7%	98.6%	57.1%	0.09212	0.11377	-0.07457
Has refrigerator	0.384	0.486	1.0%	26.1%	63.8%	86.9%	98.3%	55.2%	0.09095	0.11522	-0.07178
Has bicycle	0.029	0.169	0.8%	2.8%	2.4%	3.2%	13.8%	4.6%	0.02132	0.12259	-0.00371
Has motorcycle	0.008	0.091	0.1%	1.3%	0.7%	0.7%	2.0%	1.0%	0.00845	0.09185	-0.00078
Has car	0.098	0.297	0.3%	4.0%	7.8%	17.3%	53.0%	16.5%	0.05637	0.17147	-0.01853
Has telephone	0.090	0.287	0.0%	1.1%	4.1%	14.3%	56.8%	15.2%	0.06120	0.19406	-0.01930
Distance between house and toilets	1.525	0.443	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	-0.01468	0.01739	0.05051
Latrine depth	1.464	0.934	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.5	0.01605	-0.00798	-0.02516
Has video	0.146	0.353	0.1%	2.0%	13.2%	35.4%	68.3%	23.8%	0.07016	0.16975	-0.02900
Boat without engine	0.040	0.196	8.7%	5.2%	3.1%	1.6%	3.1%	4.4%	-0.00810	-0.03976	0.00165
Powered boat	0.017	0.129	1.4%	2.9%	1.4%	1.6%	3.1%	2.1%	0.00569	0.04337	-0.00075
If household works own or family's agric. land	0.124	0.330	39.9%	15.3%	4.8%	2.6%	1.9%	12.9%	-0.03763	-0.09980	0.01419
Number of members per sleeping room	1.611	1.336	1.8	2.1	2.6	2.3	2.3	2.2	0.01981	-0.00906	-0.02390
if piped drinking water in residence	0.312	0.463	1.7%	12.3%	37.2%	67.0%	96.8%	43.0%	0.08743	0.12973	-0.05891
if uses a public faucet (piped)	0.283	0.450	13.9%	48.9%	55.0%	31.2%	2.8%	30.4%	0.00353	0.00562	-0.00222
if has a covered well in residence	0.009	0.092	1.5%	1.0%	0.3%	0.1%	0.0%	0.6%	-0.00666	-0.07173	0.00062
if uses a covered public well	0.070	0.256	14.6%	5.5%	1.3%	0.1%	0.0%	4.3%	-0.02936	-0.10677	0.00807
if has a open well in residence	0.007	0.085	1.3%	2.1%	0.8%	0.1%	0.0%	0.8%	-0.00547	-0.06397	0.00047
if uses an open public well	0.024	0.152	4.7%	4.4%	0.7%	0.3%	0.1%	2.1%	-0.01324	-0.08525	0.00205
if uses river, canal or surface water for drinking	0.173	0.378	39.5%	11.7%	1.7%	0.2%	0.0%	10.6%	-0.05283	-0.11551	0.02416
if gets drinking water from a spring	0.107	0.309	21.6%	12.7%	2.0%	0.7%	0.1%	7.4%	-0.03417	-0.09876	0.01182
if rain for drinking water	0.013	0.111	1.2%	1.0%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.6%	-0.01032	-0.09143	0.00116
if uses bottled water	0.001	0.025	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.00505	0.19859	-0.00013
Other source of drinking water	0.001	0.036	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	0.00225	0.06268	-0.00008
if uses a flush toilet	0.149	0.356	0.0%	0.2%	3.4%	22.5%	84.3%	22.1%	0.07963	0.19045	-0.03329
if uses a VIP latrine	0.052	0.222	1.1%	5.2%	12.7%	18.2%	3.6%	8.2%	0.01263	0.05386	-0.00296
if uses a pit latrine	0.270	0.444	52.6%	33.2%	18.2%	7.2%	1.1%	22.5%	-0.05311	-0.08735	0.03229
if uses a shared flush toilet	0.026	0.159	0.0%	0.6%	2.5%	4.6%	4.2%	2.4%	0.01997	0.12196	-0.00327
if uses a shared VIP latrine	0.114	0.318	0.5%	10.2%	24.4%	29.4%	4.6%	13.8%	0.02260	0.06292	-0.00812
if uses a shared pit latrine	0.346	0.476	40.0%	45.7%	36.5%	17.0%	1.9%	28.2%	-0.03146	-0.04326	0.02288
if uses bush, field as latrine	0.033	0.179	5.0%	3.3%	1.7%	0.4%	0.0%	2.1%	-0.01510	-0.08146	0.00280
if other type of latrine	0.002	0.040	0.1%	0.4%	0.2%	0.0%	0.1%	0.2%	-0.00033	-0.00829	0.00001
if has dirt, sand, dung as principal floor in dwelling	0.327	0.469	81.9%	22.9%	2.1%	0.3%	0.0%	21.4%	-0.08696	-0.12471	0.06062
if has wood, plank principal floor in dwelling	0.016	0.125	1.4%	2.8%	1.5%	0.1%	0.0%	1.2%	-0.00375	-0.02941	0.00048
if has parquet or polished wood floors	0.001	0.031	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	0.00146	0.04694	-0.00005
if has tiles for main flooring material	0.105	0.307	0.0%	1.0%	4.2%	13.1%	68.8%	17.4%	0.06567	0.19175	-0.02248
if has LINO, GERFLEX as flooring material	0.050	0.218	0.0%	1.0%	6.2%	11.4%	13.6%	6.5%	0.03079	0.13447	-0.00705
if has cement principal floor	0.495	0.500	16.0%	71.7%	85.6%	74.3%	17.3%	53.0%	0.02871	0.02899	-0.02842

if has other type of flooring	0.005	0.071	0.5%	0.4%	0.3%	0.5%	0.3%	0.4%	0.00094	0.01326	-0.00007
if has cane, palm, trunks for walls	0.012	0.108	3.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.7%	-0.01647	-0.15092	0.00180
Walls from plastic/carton/used metal sheet	0.003	0.057	0.8%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	-0.00778	-0.13676	0.00044
Walls from COB/DAUB/MUD/CLAY	0.137	0.344	35.7%	7.0%	1.1%	0.1%	0.0%	8.8%	-0.05060	-0.12706	0.02015
if has wood, BRANCHES for walls	0.415	0.493	47.7%	59.8%	58.6%	26.5%	3.8%	39.3%	-0.03235	-0.03842	0.02723
Semihard/semifinished walls	0.136	0.343	2.8%	12.3%	18.3%	25.1%	25.1%	16.7%	0.03072	0.07751	-0.01217
Walls from breeze blocks/parpens/stones/cement	0.228	0.420	0.4%	13.0%	17.4%	44.7%	70.2%	29.1%	0.06907	0.12693	-0.03758
if has other material for walls	0.034	0.180	3.5%	3.6%	4.2%	3.1%	1.0%	3.1%	-0.00496	-0.02654	0.00093
if has natural material roofing	0.027	0.163	7.5%	0.4%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	1.6%	-0.02329	-0.13872	0.00391
if has plastic/carton/used metal sheet roofing	0.003	0.051	0.6%	0.4%	0.3%	0.1%	0.0%	0.3%	-0.00323	-0.06346	0.00016
if has corrigated iron sheet roofing	0.614	0.487	91.3%	85.2%	66.1%	23.6%	0.6%	53.4%	-0.08417	-0.06675	0.10613
if has corrigated iron sheet + ceiling roofing	0.334	0.472	0.5%	13.6%	32.2%	73.0%	90.8%	42.0%	0.08831	0.12482	-0.06247
if has ceramic/slate tiles for roof	0.002	0.044	0.0%	0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.8%	0.2%	0.00572	0.12991	-0.00025
if roof from concrete	0.014	0.116	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%	1.8%	7.4%	2.0%	0.02167	0.18386	-0.00255
if has other roofing	0.004	0.066	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%	0.9%	0.2%	0.3%	0.00592	0.08946	-0.00039
if uses electricity as cooking fuel	0.007	0.086	0.0%	0.4%	0.3%	0.5%	1.6%	0.5%	0.01569	0.18153	-0.00136
if uses gas as cooking fuel	0.459	0.498	0.3%	37.3%	82.5%	93.8%	97.4%	62.2%	0.09272	0.10073	-0.08534
if uses oil/kerosene as cooking fuel	0.028	0.166	0.1%	3.1%	3.9%	2.3%	0.9%	2.1%	0.00429	0.02509	-0.00073
if uses coal/charcoal as cooking fuel	0.050	0.218	8.3%	7.9%	2.6%	1.5%	0.0%	4.1%	-0.01755	-0.07653	0.00403
if uses wood/straw as cooking fuel	0.427	0.495	91.2%	49.3%	8.5%	1.1%	0.2%	30.0%	-0.09125	-0.10566	0.07880
if uses other cooking fuel	0.028	0.165	0.2%	2.0%	2.2%	0.9%	0.1%	1.1%	0.00443	0.02609	-0.00075

## Notes:

- 1. Household score for number of members per sleeping room is calculated as follows:
  - ( (# people per room unweighted mean) / unweighted standard deviation ) \* factor score; see Annex C.
- 2. Household score for size of land (irrigated or non-irrigated) is calculated as follows:

( (acres of land - unweighted mean) / unweighted standard deviation ) \* factor score; see Annex C.

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## **Annex B: Assets and Factor Scores**

Wealth	Asset Index Value				
Quintile	Lowest	Highest			
poorest	lowest	-0.75913			

second	-0.75913	0.14742
middle	0.14742	0.73803
fourth	0.73803	1.36534
richest	1.36534	highest