COVERAGE, UNIVERSE, METHODOLOGY

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| **Dates of fieldwork:** | Nov 2012 - Dec 2012 |
| **Country:** | China |
| **Spatial units:** | Ministry of Agriculture’s National Fixed Point (NFP) Survey villages |
| **Observation units:** | Individuals and Firms |
| **Kind of data:** | Numeric data  Individual (micro) level and Firm (micro) level |
| **Universe:** | National |
| **Time dimensions:** | Cross-sectional study |
| **Sampling procedures:** | NFP villages and households were selected for representativeness based on region, income, cropping pattern, population, and non-farm activities. Utilizing existing NFP dataset, we selected 21 provinces that have the most active renting behaviors and have large enough sampling households by NFP. Restricted to these 21 provinces, we first selected all households with any positive renting to firms in the past three years. Then oversample households in villages with positive renting to firms in the past three years. Additionally, a randomly sample of 500 households with any renting out (not just to firms) in the past three years. |
| **Number of units:** | 2399 households from 248 villages in 21 provinces in China  171 firms from 154 villages in 18 provinces |
| **Method of data collection:** | Face-to-face interview |
| **Weighting:** | No sample weight |