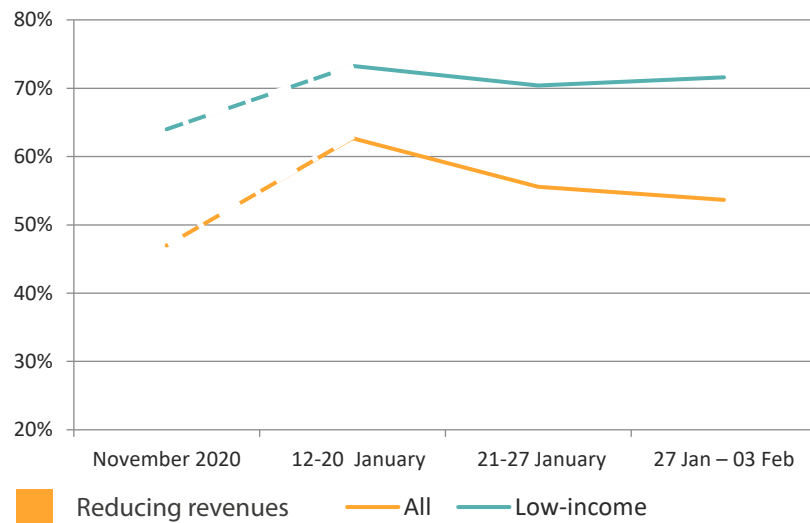


# SOCIO-ECONOMIC IMPACTS OF THE COVID-19 CRISIS ON HOUSEHOLDS IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO

Percentage of Households experiencing a fall in income and increased costs



## Weekly report of Household survey conducted from January 23 to 03 February 2021

- Compared to the beginning of the month, the economic shock triggered by the second wave seems to have stabilized at the end of January.
- However, the number of households experiencing negative economic effects remains high.
  - 72% of low-income households have experienced a decline in income compared to the pre-pandemic period.
  - 10 percentage points higher than the proportion in November 2020.
- Although the number of officially confirmed cases remains low, 56% of people report that they believe the level of Covid-19 continues to increase in their area.
  - 114 new cases were confirmed on Friday, and 43 more were recorded over the weekend (Acualite CD).

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