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Teaching Material 1 (TM1)

Study this exhibit and guess the percentages of total income earned by the highest- income and the lowest-income groups in the US and Hong Kong with a partner.

The percentages of total income earned by different income groups in the US and Hong Kong

Income group	Graphic representation	Percentage of total income earned in the US (2007)	Percentage of total income earned in Hong Kong (2006)
Lowest 20%			
Second 20%			
Third 20%			
Fourth 20%			
Highest 20%			

Sources:

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