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This inequality grows exponentially as we analyse the share of the super ultra rich in Indian national income – the top 1% of earners capture 22% of total income in 2014, up from a low of 6% in the early 1980s – this is –its highest level since the creation of the Indian income tax in 1922.

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The series for India has been constructed by Abhijit Banerjee and Thomas Piketty using tax returns published in the "All-India Income-Tax Statistics" (AIITS) series for the years 1922 to 1998 (and extrapolated to 1999). 1 Banerjee and Piketty (2005) present income shares of the top 1%, 0.5%, 0.1% and 0.01% of the income distribution in India from 1922 to 1999, and compare the trends to ...

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The paper titled 'Indian income inequality, 1922-2014: From British Raj to Billionaire Raj?' elucidates that 22 per cent of the total income in the country is being grossed by the top 1 per cent earners.

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Now, it is 22%, highest since 1922, when the income tax law was conceived NEW DELHI: Inequality in India may be at its highest level since 1922, when the country's income tax law was conceived, with 22% income accruing to the top 1% income earners, a new paper released by economists Thomas Piketty and Lucas Chancel showed.

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