

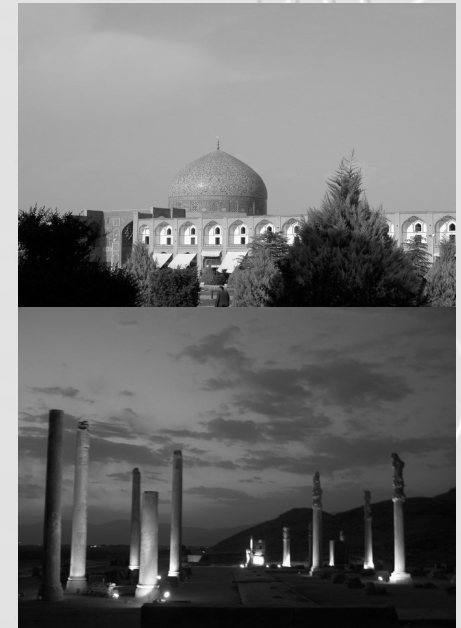


**In the Name of God,
The Compassionate,
The Merciful**



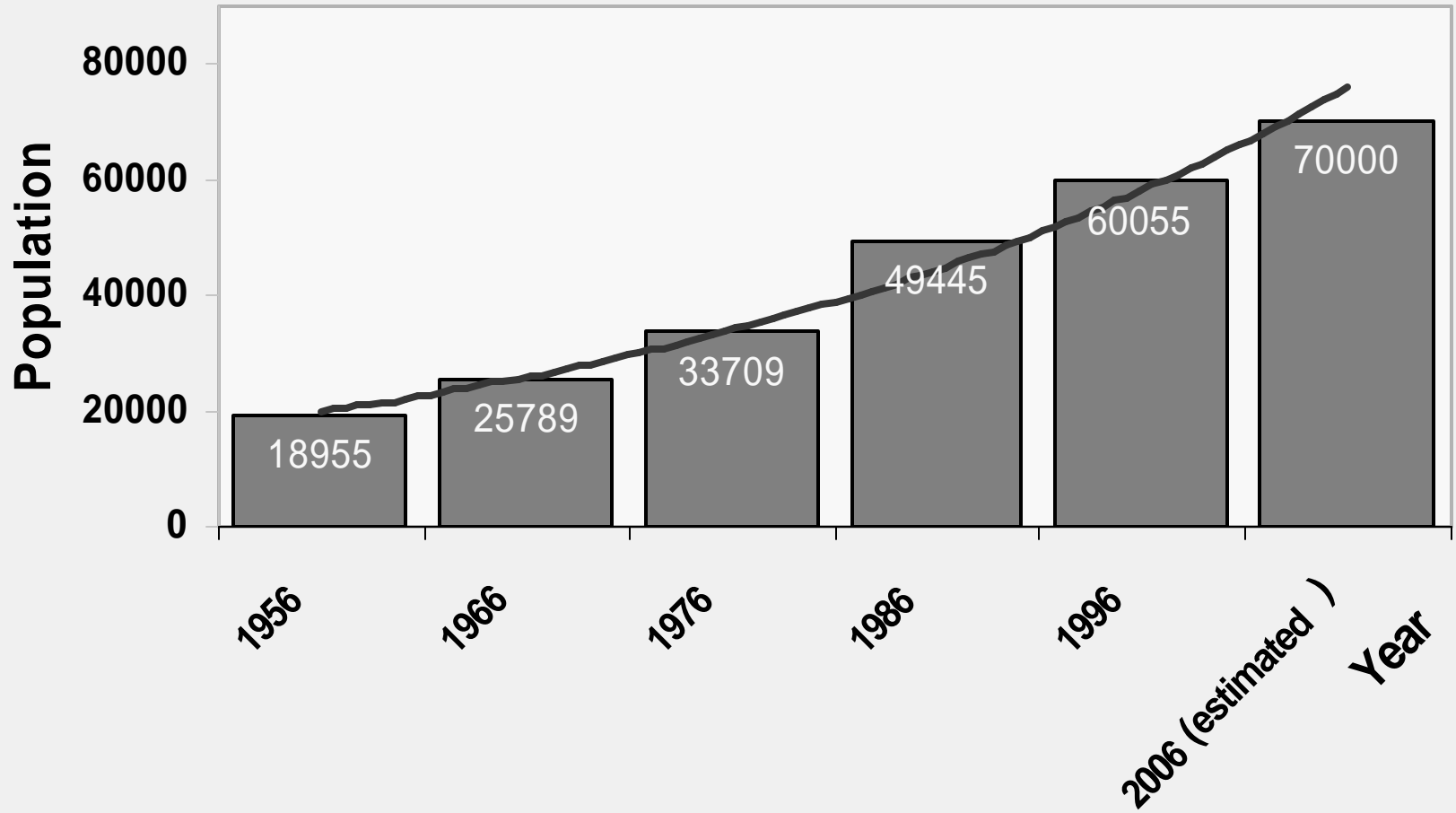
End Show

**5th Seminar for the Heads of National Statistical Offices
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**Population and Housing Census -2006
Islamic Republic of Iran**

Population of I. R. Iran (1000 Persons)



Main questions

- I. What do we want from Population Census, in short and long term ?
- II. What resources are available for use?
- III. How do we achieve Population census *goals/objectives* with what we have?
- IV. What will be the impact on various parties, including data users, the Statistical Office managing the population census, other government agencies and the general public on achieving the *goals/objectives*?



What do we want from Population Census, in short and long term ?

All wants and queries of the census are based on Goals/Objectives as in the following:

- **Gathering data about total Population And its Housing characteristics for the purpose of preparing National socio-economic as well as cultural development planning documents.**
- **Preparation of good frames for statistical purposes in the next decade.**

What do we want ...

- **Gathering and Compiling all needs and expectations of Governmental organizations and Higher education centers. About 800 data item needs received. Considering the following factors, data items formed in 5 type of questionnaires in *long* and *short* forms both for normal and institutional households as well as a form gathering data about Villages' potentialities.**

What do we want ...

- Form no. 1) Listing form of all households – 15 questions
- Form no. 2) Normal households' General Data Items including 27 questions – short form Questionnaire
- Form no. 3) Normal households' General & Detailed Data Items, including 56 questions– long form for 10% of households
- Form no. 4) Institutional households questionnaires including 39 Questions.
- Form no. 5) Villages' questionnaire with 11 Questions.

What do we want ...

- Additional expectations for S.C.I. also defined as:
 - Upgrading NSO (SCI) and NSS prestige, roles and expertise; the essential role of the statistical data in national and local planning to the decision makers as well as the general public.
 - Introducing the Census data as the most reliable *real fact* data which can be used in different types of socio-economic and cultural studies.



What resources are available for use?

☐ Main resources in all nationally great achievements are:

I. Tangibles resources such as providing sufficient budget , equipments and machineries as well as buildings (necessary provisional locations) for the provincial (regional) and township (local) headquarters all over the nation.

What resources ...

II. Intangible resources: Intangible resources are not physical, budget or monetary resources. On the contrary they are more of moral, supportive, propagative nature. These resources are sometimes more effective than the tangible ones. As an example support of the Leader of the nation as well as Heads of executive, legislative and judiciary powers to prepare a calm, safe and secure environment (during the census period) can be mentioned.



Census Budget

- All the operational budget necessary for good conduction of the census is provided by the government.
 - Allocated budget for the coming Census is about \$ 85.49 million.



Equipments and Buildings

- With regard to census and according to the President's Command submitted to all public organizations and agencies all the necessary equipments, machineries, buildings and other needs (except for the budget) of the SCI such as Cars (15000), headquarter buildings (500), IT and ICT needs (512 Kb. Internet band width), etc. should be provided by them.



How do we achieve Population census goals/objectives with what we have?

- National Census-2006 Headquarter convened in Feb. 2004 with the aim of :
 - Organizing, studying and adopting new techniques and methods in
 - Achieving field data gathering
 - Achieving modern and best suited training programs.
 - Achieving well designed monitoring program
 - Adopting new data extraction, data dissemination and publications techniques.

How do we *achieve* ...

Organizational Chart of Census-2006

The census headquarters



How do we achieve ...

Actions Taken:

- 50 innovations and newly adopted changes (in all aspects) of the coming census is observed. Some of the major innovations are:
 - Rolling census
 - Use of ICR method for data extraction
 - Use of digitized maps with aim of creating GIS database and GIS ready maps.
 - Design of special Census website.
 - Preparing “technical Report”.

How do we achieve ...

- **Estimating the net undercount with dual system estimator.**
- **Use of a special forum for online question and/or answer as well as gathering “action reports” from responsible staffs in 30 provinces.**
- **Preparing a comprehensive advertising plan**
- **Preparing a well designed (multi-level) monitoring and supervision plan.**



The impact on various parties

- Population and Housing census is considered as a large national mission that happens once in every decade. Therefore, all High officials and politicians try to do their best to help the census by every possible means.**
- Use of large number of census staff (about 85000) takes the census to the smallest geographic areas and resident households in urban and rural areas.**

The impact on ...

- **Fast dissemination of finalized data on SCI's website on March 2007 and high accuracy as well as quality of data has made the end users eagerly looking forward to that date.**



Detailed Estimated budget for Population and Housing Census -2006

Filed operations	49,000,000
Preparation of maps and delineation of E.A.s	300,000
Supplies	2,000,000
Printing forms and manuals	7,000,000
Publicity	2,000,000
Training	9,000,000
Supervision	890,000
Post Enumeration	300,000
Data Processing	4,000,000
Publication and data dissemination	8,000,000
Other	3,000,000
Total	85,490,000



**Thank
you**

