United Nations Statistics Division: Demographic Yearbook

Questionnaire on Metadata for Population and Housing Census

Reporting country: Republic of Moldova

Population census date: 05 October 2004
Housing census date:

A. General population census information

1. Census information

Type of census	
(a) Traditional census	☒
(b) Register based census	☐
(c) Combination	☐
(d) Other, please specify	☐

2. Type of population count and coverage

Type of population count	
(a) De facto / population present	☐
(b) De jure / usual resident population	☒
(c) Other, please specify :non-resident, presents in country at time of Census	☒

Please specify whether the following population groups were enumerated in the census

Population group	Included	Excluded	Not applicable
(a) Nomads	☐	☐	☒
(b) Persons living in areas to which access is difficult	☐	☐	☒
(c) Military, naval and diplomatic personnel and their families located outside the country	☒	☐	☐
(d) Civilian residents temporarily absent from the country	☒	☐	☐
(e) Civilian residents who cross a frontier daily to	☒	☐	☐

work in another country	☐	☒	☐
(f) Foreign military, naval and diplomatic personnel and their families located in the country	☐	☒	☐
(g) Civilian foreigners who do not cross a frontier daily and are in the country temporarily, including undocumented persons, or transients on ships in harbour at the time of the census	☐	☒	☐
(h) Civilian foreigners who cross a frontier daily to work in the country	☐	☒	☐
(i) Refugees	☒	☐	☐
	☐	☐	☐
	☐	☐	☐

3. Estimated census completeness

Estimated completeness:	Both sexes	Male	Female
(a) Gross under-enumeration (specify unit: ___)			
(b) Gross over-enumeration (specify unit: ___)			
(c) Net error (specify unit: ___)			

Base denominator for this estimate is:	
(a) Enumerated population	☐
(b) Estimated "complete" population	☐
(c) Don't know	☐

Method(s) used in estimating completeness:	
(a) Post Enumeration Survey (PES)	☐
Date conducted: ___	
Size of sample (specify unit: ___):	
For total area: ___	
For urban areas: ___	
For rural areas: ___	

Population groups excluded: ▢	
(b) Demographic analysis, please specify: ▢	☐
(c) Other methods, please specify: comparison with curent statistics data	☒

4. Definition of urban/rural

The definition of urban areas for this census is:
includes all cities and towns

The definition of rural areas for this census is:
includes all villages - localities with rural status established by law on administrative-territorial organization

5. Definition of cities

The definition of a city proper for this census is:

The city is an administrative territorial unit is more developed than the village economically and socio-cultural, including the urban population, urban-household structures, commercial and industrial proper, whose population is largely framed in the industry, the publish serving and in different fields of intellectual, cultural and political life.
Municipality is an urban-type settlement with a important role in the economic, social, cultural, scientific, political and administrative to the country, with important industrial structures, commercial and institutions of education, health and culture.

The definition of urban agglomeration for this census is:
Urban agglomeration includes the cities and villages that are subordinate administrative of the city of residence and most having their own administration

6. Definition of locality

The definition of a locality for this census is:
The village is a administrative unit that includes the rural population united by territory, geographic, economic, social and cultural customs and traditions.
Two or more villages, depending on the economic, social, cultural, geographic and demographic can be merged to form a single administrative subdivision - common

7. Definition of literacy

The definition of "literate" and "illiterate" for this census is:
The "literate" persons are considered those persons who learn or graduated an educational institution. The "illiterate" persons are considered persons 6 years of age and over who do not know to read and write ▢

8. Educational attainment

Do you follow the International Standard Classification for Education (ISCED) for tabulating the population by educational attainment?

yes

If so, what revision?
ISCED 97

If any other classification is used, are you able to provide data in ISCED (specify revision number)?

If no, please point out the major deviations from ISCED (specify revision number).

B. Economic characteristics

1. Activity status

What is the lower age limit for the collection of information on activity status in this census?

At 15 years of age and over

Is there a maximum age limit for collection of information on activity status for this census?

No age limit

What reference period do you use to determine the economic activity of a person?

One week up to the Census

2. Definition of economically active population used in this census

Definition of economically active population	
(a) Usually active population	☐
(b) Currently active population	☒
(c) Other, please specify	☐

Are the following groups considered economically active in the national tabulations? If not, please indicate how they are classified:

Economic group	Yes	No
(a) contributing (unpaid) family workers	☒	☐
(b) unemployed persons including those never previously employed	☐	☒
(c) armed forces;	☒	☐

(d) part-time workers even though they may spend most time at non-gainful activities	☒	☐
(e) domestic servants	☐	☒

3. Status in Employment

Do you follow the International Standard Classification of Status in Employment (ICSE-93), for the classification of the Status in Employment in your country?

Yes

If any other classification is used, are you able to provide data in ICSE-93?

If no, please point out the major deviations from ICSE-93.

4. Occupation

Do you follow the International Standard Classification for Occupations (ISCO) for tabulating the employed population by occupation?

Yes

If yes, what revision? ISCO-88

If any other classification is used, are you able to provide data in ISCO (specify revision number)?

If no, point out the major deviations from ISCO (specify revision number).

5. Industry

Do you follow the International Standard Classification for International Standard Industrial Classification of All Economic Activities (ISIC) for tabulating the employed population by industry?

If so, what revision? NACE-1

If any other classification is used, are you able to provide data in ISIC (specify revision number).

If no, please point out the major deviations from ISIC (specify revision number)..

C. Household characteristics

1. Definitions

General definition of a <u>household</u> for this census is:

By houswhold we mean a person or a group person (two or more) who live and make common provision for food or other esentials for living, may pool their resources and have a common budget,they may be related or unrelated persons.

General definition of a <u>family nucleus</u> for this census is:
A family nucleus is considered the couples with or without unmaried children, or one parent (mother or father) with unmaried children

2. Head of household / reference member

Definition	
(a) Head of household, defined as follows: It was used the notion of person named first in households	☒
(b) Reference member of household, defined as follows: It was used the remaining members acourding to their relatoinship to thr referense first person in household (ex.: spouse; mother; son; grandson;... unrelated,)	☒
(c) Other (for example: Joint head of household):	☐

D. Housing census characteristics

1. Housing information

What definition did you apply in this census for <u>housing unit</u>?
Housing unit is considered to be furnished rooms used for permanent living, that consists of one or more rooms separated from other rooms by walls and that has a separate entry.

What definition did you apply in this census for <u>conventional dwelling</u>?
Conventional dwelling is an unlivable room used as a dwelling house.

Are vacant units included in the enumerated conventional dwellings?

No

What definition did you apply in this census for <u>room</u>?
Room is a space in the house for living purposes; separated from other rooms by walls. In the number of rooms, kitchens, halls, rest rooms and other auxiliary space is not included.

2. Definition of cities
(as referred to in the Housing Census Questionnaire: City Data)

General definition of a city in the reporting country for this census

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City 1 (Capital City) – Territory refers to:

City 2 – Territory refers to:

City 3 – Territory refers to:

City 4 – Territory refers to:

E. Bibliography of Population and Housing Statistics

Please list publications that contain results of your latest population census and your latest housing census:

1. Demographic, national, linguistic and cultural characteristics, vol. 1;
2. Population migration, vol. 2;
3. Households, social-economics characteristics, vol. 3;
4. Population living conditions, vol. 4

The publications is available (vol. 2, 3, 4 - parts) on our website at www.statistica.md.