REPUBLIC OF COSTA RICA

NINTH NATIONAL POPULATION AND FIFTH HOUSING CENSUS

CENSUS 2000

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LOCATION

PROVINCE: ADDRESS:
CANTON: DISTRICT:
TELEPHONE:

SEGMENT:
DWELLING:
HOUSEHOLD:

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE DWELLING

1. TYPE OF DWELLING

INDIVIDUAL

Independent house
In a building
Hut (tugurio)
Other

[illegible] Dwelling
Collective (name)

SKIP TO IDENTIFICATION OF HOUSEHOLDS AND PERSONS

2. OCCUPATION POSSESSION

This dwelling is...

Owner occupied and fully paid
Owner occupied and being paid in instalments (monthly instalment: ___)
Rented (monthly rent: ____)
Squatting
Other (ceded, lent)
Unoccupied
For sale or rent
Under construction or repair
Seasonal (vacation, workers)
Other

3. What is the predominant material used in the outside walls?
   - Block or brick
   - Baseboard (zócalo) – lined
   - Baseboard (zócalo) – unlined
   - Wood – lined
   - Wood – unlined
   - Prefabricated
   - Other
   - Waste material

4. What is the predominant material used for roofing?
   - Iron or zinc panel
   - Fibre-cement
   - Other
   - Waste material

5. Does the dwelling have a ceiling?
   - Yes
   - No

6. What is the predominant material used for flooring?
   - Terrace, mosaic, ceramic, etc
   - Cement (smoothed or otherwise)
   - Wood
   - Other
   - None (dirt floor)

7. What is the state of the . . .
   - Bad
   - Regular
   - Good
   - Outside walls
   - Roof
   - Floor

8. How many rooms does this dwelling have just for sleeping in?
   Number: ______

9. Excluding bathrooms, corridors and garage, how many rooms does this dwelling have altogether?
   Number: ______

10. Water supply for this dwelling is:
    - Piped inside the dwelling
    - Piped outside the dwelling but inside the property
Piped outside the property or building
Dwelling does not have piped water

11. The water consumed by the household comes from

Mains supply from A y A.
Rural or municipal mains supply
Well
River, stream, or spring
Rainfall or other

12. The dwelling has sanitary facilities …

Connected to public sewerage system
Connected to a septic tank
Closed pit or latrine
Another system
None

13. The sanitary facility is…

For this dwelling only
For this and other dwellings

14. This dwelling obtains electric light …

From CNFL or ICE?
Other
None

15. What is the main fuel used for cooking?

Electricity
Firewood or coal
Gas
Other
None (household does not cook)

16. Does this dwelling have …

(Yes/No)

Colour television
Telephone
Refrigerator
Microwave oven
Hot water shower
Hot water tank
Washing machine
Microcomputer
Automobile (not pertaining to work)
Observations

Census Enumerator: Supervisor:

POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS
IDENTIFICATION OF HOUSEHOLDS AND PERSONS

How many persons live most of the time in this dwelling?
(Do not forget children and old people, and include domestic servants who usually reside in the dwelling)

NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS
In this dwelling, how many families or groups of people purchase and cook food separately? (Mark the circle indicating the number of households)

1 (Continue with list of persons)  2  3 or more ( Enumerator: use one form for each additional household. Fill in location and continue with “List of Persons”. Do not complete characteristics of the dwelling for additional households)

LIST OF PERSONS

What are the names and surnames of each member of this household, starting with the head of household?
(The head of household is the person recognized as such by household members, or the person that makes the largest economic contribution, or the oldest person).

Person No.  Name and Surnames  Sex (Man/Woman)

01
02
...
10

Enumerator: Enter the head of household on the first line and continue with other members according to the relationship with the head of household, if possible in the following order: spouse, unmarried children, married children and their children, other family relatives, domestic servants and their relatives, other non-family members. Copy each person number and name on to the respective population questionnaire.

If there are more than 10 persons use another form, repeat [... illegible …]

SUMMARY OF HOUSEHOLD

Enter the total number of persons in the household, by sex.
Person No. __ Name: ________________

FOR ALL PERSONS

1. What is ___’s relationship to the head of household?

Head of household
Spouse or companion
Child or stepchild
Son/daughter-in-law
Grandchild
Father, mother or parents-in-law
Other family member
Domestic servant or family relative thereof
Other non-relative

2. Is the person a man or a woman?
Man    Woman

3. How old is ___?
Under one year old    Years: ___

4. When ___ was born, where was his/her mother living?

In this same Canton
In another Canton
Canton or place:    Province:

In another country (specify: ___)

4. In what year did ___ come to live in Costa Rica?

5. What is ___’s nationality?

Costa Rican by birth
Costa Rican by naturalization
Other (specify)

6. Does ___ belong to any of the following cultures?

Indigenous
Afro-Costa Rican or Negro
Chinese
None of the above

7. What type of social security does the person have?

Wage earning
On own account or by agreement
Pension
Family
State
Other
None

8. Does ___ have any permanent disability such as…
Partial or total blindness
Partial or total deafness
Mental retardation
Paralysis/amputation
Mental trauma
Other (specified)
None

FOR PERSONS OF 5 YEARS OLD OR MORE

9. Where was ___ living in June 1995?

In this same Canton
In another Canton
Canton or place:
Province:

In another country (specify: ___)

10. Is ___ attending preparatory, school, college or university?

Yes    No

11. What is highest grade or year that ___ has completed in regular education?

Level       Year passed
No grade
Preparatory or kindergarten
Primary
Academic secondary
Technical secondary
Para-University
University

12. Can ___ to read and write?

Yes    No

13. At the present time ___ is

Cohabiting
Married
Separated
Divorced
Widow/widower
Single

14. Last week ____

Worked
Worked for or helped a family member without payment
Had a job but was absent from work
Looked for work having worked before
Look for work for the first time
Is a pensioner or lives from investments and did not work
Is a student and did not work
Undertook household chores only
Other

IN RELATION TO THE PERSON'S MAIN JOB

15. What is the name of the place for which ____ works? (business, institution, farm)

16. What does ____ mainly do in that place of work?

17. What occupation or trade does ____ have in that job
What are the main tasks ____ undertakes?

18. In that job, ____ is
Boss (hires employees)
Self-employed
Wage earner
Unpaid family worker

FOR WOMEN OF 12 YEARS OLD OR MORE

19. How many live-born children has ____ had?
None Number Total

20. Of these, how many are currently living?
None Number Total

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