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Census dates for 2010 round of population and housing censuses
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This is a revision of Annex I of the report of the Secretary General on Population and Housing Censuses (E/CN.3/2011/21).

Since the issuance of the report, the United Nations Statistics Division has received updated information on censuses that were conducted in 2010 as well as those that were postponed. Also, based on more recent information, the Division has changed information on the type of census for some countries or areas. Updated information upon which this table is based is available at <http://unstats.un.org/unsd/census2010.htm>.

Countries are encouraged to provide information on their census taking activities or corrections on the content of this table to the United Nations Statistics Division at [*globalcensus2010@un.org*](mailto:globalcensus2010@un.org).

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Annex I: Census dates for 2010 round of population and housing censuses

Country or area	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
AFRICA										
Algeria				X						
Angola									XX	
Benin								XX		
Botswana							XX			
Burkina Faso		X								
Burundi				X						
Cameroon	X									
Cape Verde						X				
Central African Republic									XX	
Chad					X					
Comoros									XX	
Congo			X							
Côte d'Ivoire							XX			
Democratic Republic of the Congo							XX			
Djibouti					X					
Egypt		X								
Equatorial Guinea										
Eritrea							XX			
Ethiopia			X							
Gabon									XX	
Gambia									XX	
Ghana						X				
Guinea							XX			
Guinea Bissau					X					
Kenya					X					
Lesotho		X								
Liberia				X						
Libya Arab Jamahiriya		X								
Madagascar							XX			
Malawi				X						
Mali					X					
Mauritania							XX			
Mauritius							XX			
Mayotte			X							
Morocco										XX
Mozambique			X							
Namibia							XX			
Niger							XX			
Nigeria		X								
Réunion		X								
Rwanda								XX		
Saint Helena ex. dep.				X						

Country or area	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Sao Tomé and Príncipe							XX			
Senegal							XX			
Seychelles						X				
Sierra Leone										XX
Somalia										
South Africa							XX			
Sudan				X						
Swaziland			X							
Togo						X				
Tunisia										XX
Uganda								XX		
United Republic of Tanzania								XX		
Western Sahara										
Zambia						X				
Zimbabwe								XX		
ASIA										
Afghanistan										
Armenia							XX			
Azerbaijan					X					
Bahrain ^a						X				
Bangladesh							XX			
Bhutan	X									
Brunei Darussalam							XX			
Cambodia				X						
China						X				
China - Hong Kong SAR		X					XX			
China - Macao SAR		X					XX			
Cyprus							XX			
Georgia								XX		
India							XX			
Indonesia						X				
Iran, Islamic Republic of		X					XX			
Iraq							XX			
Israel ^b				X						
Japan	X					X				
Jordan										XX
Kazakhstan					X					
Korea, Democratic People's Republic				X						
Korea, Republic of	X					X				
Kuwait	X					X				
Kyrgyzstan					X					
Lao People's Democratic Republic	X									
Lebanon										
Malaysia						X				
Maldives		X					XX			

Country or area	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Mongolia						X				
Myanmar										
Nepal							XX			
Occupied Palestinian Territory			X							
Oman						XX				
Pakistan							XX			
Philippines			X			X				
Qatar						X				
Saudi Arabia						X				
Singapore ^a						X				
Sri Lanka							XX			
Syrian Arab Republic										XX
Tajikistan						X				
Thailand						X				
Timor-Leste						X				
Turkey ^b							XX			
Turkmenistan								XX		
United Arab Emirates	X					X				
Uzbekistan										
Viet Nam					X					
Yemen										XX
EUROPE										
Albania							XX			
Andorra ^a							XX			
Austria ^a							XX			
Belarus					X					
Belgium ^b							XX			
Bosnia Herzegovina							XX			
Bulgaria							XX			
Channel Islands - Guernsey							XX			
Channel Islands - Jersey							XX			
Croatia							XX			
Czech Republic ^b							XX			
Denmark ^a							XX			
Estonia ^b							XX			
Faeroe Islands ^a							XX			
Finland ^a						XX				
France ^c		X								
Germany ^d							XX			
Gibraltar									XX	
Greece							XX			
Holy See ^a					X					
Hungary							XX			
Iceland ^b							XX			
Ireland		X					XX			
Isle of Man		X								

Country or area	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Italy ^b							XX			
Latvia ^b							XX			
Liechtenstein ^b						XX				
Lithuania ^b							XX			
Luxembourg							XX			
Malta	X						XX			
Monaco				X						
Montenegro							XX			
Netherlands ^b							XX			
Norway ^a							XX			
Poland ^b							XX			
Portugal							XX			
Republic of Moldova								XX		
Romania							XX			
Russian Federation						X				
San Marino						X				
Serbia							XX			
Slovakia							XX			
Slovenia ^b							XX			
Spain ^b							XX			
Svalbard and Jan Mayen Islands ^a							XX			
Sweden ^a							XX			
Switzerland ^b						XX				
The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia							XX			
Ukraine							XX			
United Kingdom							XX			
- England and Wales							XX			
- Scotland							XX			
- Northern Ireland							XX			
NORTHERN AMERICA										
Bermuda						X				
Canada		X					XX			
Greenland ^a						XX				
St. Pierre and Miquelon		X								
United States of America ^c						X				
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN										
Anguilla							XX			
Antigua and Barbuda							XX			
Argentina						X				
Aruba						X				
Bahamas						X				
Barbados						X				
Belize						X				
Bolivia									XX	

Country or area	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Brazil						X				
British Virgin Is.						X				
Cayman Islands						X				
Chile								XX		
Colombia	X									XX
Costa Rica							XX			
Cuba								XX		
Dominica							XX			
Dominican Republic						X				
Ecuador						X				
El Salvador			X							
Falkland Islands (Malvinas)		X								
French Guiana		X								
Grenada							XX			
Guadeloupe		X								
Guatemala								XX		
Guyana								XX		
Haiti									XX	
Honduras								XX		
Jamaica							XX			
Martinique		X								
Mexico	X					X				
Montserrat							XX			
Netherlands Antilles							XX			
Nicaragua	X									
Panama						X				
Paraguay								XX		
Peru			X							
Puerto Rico						X				
St. Kitts and Nevis							XX			
St. Lucia						X				
St. Vincent and the Grenadines							XX			
Suriname							XX			
Trinidad and Tobago							XX			
Turks and Caicos Islands							XX			
United States Virgin Islands						X				
Uruguay							XX			
Venezuela							XX			
OCEANIA										
American Samoa						X				
Australia		X					XX			
Cook Islands		X					XX			
Fiji			X							
French Polynesia			X							
Guam						X				
Kiribati	X					X				

Country or area	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Marshall Islands							XX			
Micronesia, Federated States of						X				
Nauru								XX		
New Caledonia					X					
New Zealand		X					XX			
Niue		X					XX			
Norfolk Island		X					XX			
Northern Mariana Islands						X				
Palau	X					X				
Papua New Guinea							XX			
Pitcairn	X									
Samoa		X					XX			
Solomon Islands					X					
Tokelau		X					XX			
Tonga		X								
Tuvalu								XX		
Vanuatu					X					
Wallis and Futuna Islands				X						

X: census already taken.

XX: census scheduled.

^a Population figures compiled from administrative registers.

^b Population figures compiled from administrative registers in combination with other sources of data, such as sample surveys.

^c Rolling Census based on continuous sample survey.

^d Population figures compiled from administrative registers and sample surveys while data on housing characteristics are collected through full field enumeration.

^e Traditional decennial census with full field enumeration, and a continuous sample survey.