

South Africa - Census 2001 - IPUMS Subset

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Sampling

Sampling Procedure

MICRODATA SOURCE: Statistics South Africa

SAMPLE DESIGN: Systematic stratified sample drawn by Statistics South Africa.

SAMPLE UNIT: Households

SAMPLE FRACTION: 10%

SAMPLE SIZE (person records): 3,725,655

Response Rate

UNDERCOUNT: Varies by province: 14.07% to 22.51% for individuals; 15.55% to 26.21% for households.

Weighting

Computed by census agency and should be used for most types of analysis.

Questionnaires

Overview

Three different census questionnaires were developed – one for households (the A questionnaire), one for individuals in institutions (the B questionnaire), and one for the institutions themselves (the C questionnaire). The A questionnaire was also used in workers' hostels, student hostels, residential hotels and homes for the independent aged, whilst the B and C questionnaires were also used in tourist hotels and for the homeless.

Data Collection

Data Collection Dates

Start	End	Cycle
2001-10-10	2001-10-10	N/A

Time Periods

Start	End	Cycle
2001-10-10	2001-10-10	N/A

Data Collection Mode

Face-to-face [f2f]

DATA COLLECTION NOTES

De facto, CENSUS DAY: October 10, 2001

SUPERVISION

Each enumerator was required to produce one or more completed questionnaires for each dwelling visited. Households were encouraged to be interviewed by the enumerator if possible. Alternatively, a respondent could complete the questionnaire for collection later, where circumstances allowed. Enumerators carried translations of the questions into the other ten official languages, to refer to where necessary.

Data Processing

No content available

Data Appraisal

No content available

Related Materials

Questionnaires

Census 2001. Household Questionnaire

Title	Census 2001. Household Questionnaire
Author(s)	Statistics South Africa
Date	2001-10-10
Country	South Africa
Language	English
Publisher(s)	Statistics South Africa
Filename	enum_form_za2001.pdf

Technical documents

Census 2001. Enumerator's Manual

Title	Census 2001. Enumerator's Manual
Author(s)	Statistics South Africa
Date	2001-10-10
Country	South Africa
Language	English
Publisher(s)	Statistics South Africa
Filename	enum_instruct_za2001.pdf
