

Kazakhstan - Living Standards Measurement Survey 1996

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Overview

Identification

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ABSTRACT

The aim of this study was to select objective, representative and as far as possible, total information which would enable users to draw up a picture of the actual status of living standards of the population of the Republic of Kazakhstan. This information should be the basis for the assessment of efficiency of Governmental Economic and Social Reforms and should assist in the application of specific levels of social protection. The Kazakhstan LSMS created a basis for the permanent living standards measurement survey in the Republic of Kazakhstan. The LSM 1996 could be regarded as the "starting point" based on which further surveys can be carried out and this will allow comparative analysis of the data, and thus supervision and assessment of the dynamics of social status of the population in the country can be performed.

KIND OF DATA

Sample survey data [ssd]

UNITS OF ANALYSIS

Households

Scope

NOTES

The scope of the study includes:

- Household roster
- Housing conditions
- Durable goods
- Agriculture and livestock
- Consumption
- Food purchases
- Home production
- Expenditures in last 12 months
- Income
- Migration
- Education
- Caring for children
- Occupation, employment
- Time budget

- Health, medical care, women's health

- Anthropometrics

TOPICS

Topic	Vocabulary	URI
Agriculture & Rural Development	FAO	
Migration & Remittances	FAO	
Access to Finance	FAO	
Health	FAO	
Nutrition	FAO	
Population & Reproductive Health	FAO	
Social protection	FAO	
Poverty	FAO	
Fragile & Conflict-affected States	FAO	
Animal health	FAO	

Coverage

GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

National

Producers and Sponsors

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Name	Affiliation	Role
The World Bank		Technical assistance

Metadata Production

METADATA PRODUCED BY

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation	Role
Office of Chief Statistician	OCS	Food and Agriculture Organization	Adoption of metadata for FAM
Development Data Group	DECDG	The World Bank	Generation of DDI documentation

DDI DOCUMENT VERSION

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Sampling

Sampling Procedure

A sample designed for LSMS had to assist to:

- reflect the realistic picture of social and territorial distribution of the population in the Republic of Kazakhstan (representativeness)
- compare the outcome of LSMS in Kazakhstan with the results of LSMS on other countries , which were performed based on possible sample principals (comparability)

To create a basis to design a probability sample, GOSCOMSTAT and its oblast branches in May 1996 have delivered the most actual numerical material concerning population as of 01-01-1996. in the end, Sample size selected was 1,996 households

Weighting

Refer to World Bank data

Questionnaires

No content available

Data Collection

Data Collection Dates

Start	End	Cycle
1996-06	1996-08	N/A

Data Collection Mode

Face-to-face [f2f]

Data Processing

Data Editing

Data entry:

Special software has been created for data entry which was based on CLIPPER software with both Russian and English indicators. Data entry Program complied to the design of Questionnaires which assure maximum similarity of the screen to physical layout of questionnaire. This eased the data entry significantly and assisted the avoidance of serious mistakes along with signals which when the entry errors or entry of illogical and non-acceptable questions was made.

Data processing:

At this labour-intensive stage of the project, the data has been initially checked for completeness and logical consistence. The major part of any revealed errors and discrepancies has been corrected without any loss of information and distortion of the results. Some questionnaires were entered once again due to the errors which could not be corrected directly after the first entry

Data Appraisal

No content available