

# Tuvalu - Agriculture and Fisheries Module of the Population and Housing Census 2017

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Division (CDS)**

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## Identification

### SURVEY ID NUMBER

TUV\_2017\_AFMPHC\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ESS

### TITLE

Agriculture and Fisheries Module of the Population and Housing Census 2017

### COUNTRY

Name	Country code
Tuvalu	TUV

### STUDY TYPE

Agricultural Census [ag/census]

### SERIES INFORMATION

Agricultural modules were incorporated into the Population and Houses Censuses (PHC) 2002, 2012 and 2017. Although, in the first two rounds the agricultural module was not processed, and the results were not published. The last round, conducted by the Central Statistics Division (CSD), was the fifth PHC since the country gained independence in 1978.

### ABSTRACT

The objective of the agricultural module of the Population and Housing Census 2017 was to gather information on the current state of the agriculture sector in Tuvalu, including information on the characteristics of the households engaged in the agriculture sectors and its subsectors.

### KIND OF DATA

Census/enumeration data [cen]

### UNIT OF ANALYSIS

Agricultural holdings

## Scope

### NOTES

Agricultural-related data were collected by including an agricultural module with 19 questions in the PHC 2017.

The agricultural module collected information on:

1. Crops
2. Livestock and pets
3. Fisheries
4. Handicrafts

### KEYWORDS

Keyword
Structure of Agriculture
Crops
Livestock and Poultry
Fishery

## Coverage

### GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

The PHC 2017 covered the entire country.

**UNIVERSE**

The statistical unit in the PHC 2017, and consequently of the agricultural module, was the household, defined as a social unit consisting of a person living alone or a group of persons who sleep in the same housing unit and have a common arrangement in the preparation and consumption of food.

Only the buildings which contain living quarters, whether occupied or vacant, were covered by the PHC 2017.

## Producers and sponsors

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**PRIMARY INVESTIGATORS**

Name
Ministry of Finance and Economic Development of Tuvalu, Central Statistics Division (CDS)

**PRODUCERS**

Name	Role
Pacific Community	Technical assistance
Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations	Technical assistance

**FUNDING AGENCY/SPONSOR**

Name	Role
Government of Tuvalu	Funding
Government of Australia	Funding

## Sampling

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**SAMPLING PROCEDURE**

For the PHC 2017, the country was divided into Enumeration Areas (EA), the smallest geographical unit in which complete enumeration of all households, including those with agricultural activities, was conducted.

## Data collection

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**DATES OF DATA COLLECTION**

Start	End
2017-11-13	2017-12-12

**DATA COLLECTION MODE**

Computer Assisted Personal Interview [capi]

**DATA COLLECTION NOTES**

The census personnel comprised 34 enumerators, 13 supervisors and 6 headquarters staff.

## Questionnaires

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**QUESTIONNAIRES**

One questionnaire was used in the PHC 2017 which included the agricultural module. The questionnaire covered 7 out of 23 essential items recommended in the WCA 2020.

## Data Processing

### DATA EDITING

The Central Statistics Division was responsible for the enumeration, coding, editing, verification, and processing of all household questionnaires collected during the Census. Technical assistance and support in questionnaire design, data processing and analysis was provided by the Pacific Community. The data items were encoded and processed using the Census and Survey Processing System (CSPro) software package. Data analysis was undertaken using the Statistical Package for Social Sciences (SPSS) software.

## Access policy

### CONTACTS

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### ACCESS CONDITIONS

For additional information on data access and use, please contact the Central Statistics Division of Tuvalu.

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Website: <https://stats.gov.tv/>

## Metadata production

### DDI DOCUMENT ID

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### PRODUCERS

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation	Role
Central Statistics Division	CSD	Ministry of Finance and Economic Development of Tuvalu	Metadata producer
Statistics Division	ESS	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations	Metadata adapted for FAM

## Data Dictionary

Data file	Cases	Variables
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