

Chile - National Agricultural Census 1997

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TITLE

National Agricultural Census 1997

TRANSLATED TITLE

VI Censo Nacional Agropecuario - Año 1997

COUNTRY

Name	Country code
Chile	CHL

STUDY TYPE

Agricultural Census [ag/census]

SERIES INFORMATION

The first National Agricultural Census was conducted in the country in 1930, followed by the censuses in 1936, 1955, 1965, 1976. The National Agricultural Census 1997 is the sixth to be conducted in the country.

ABSTRACT

The National Agricultural Census collects comprehensive and detailed data on the structure of the agricultural sector comprising the number and area of existing agricultural holdings; information on the producer, their legal status, and forms of land tenure; the components of the fixed capital such as buildings and facilities; and the labor force involved in agricultural production. The agricultural census provides information down to the most disaggregated level of the political-administrative division, which is the municipality.

KIND OF DATA

Census/enumeration data [cen]

UNIT OF ANALYSIS

Agricultural holdings

Scope

NOTES

The census scope covered agricultural (crops and livestock production) activities.

The questionnaire collected information on:

1. General background
2. Crops
3. Vineyards and grape vines
4. Fruit orchards
5. Forest plantations
6. Irrigation
7. Land use
8. Livestock and poultry
9. Agricultural machinery
10. Buildings
11. Workers on the farm and members of the producer's household

KEYWORDS

Keyword
Structure of Agriculture

Land use
Crops
Livestock and Poultry
Labour in the Agricultural Sector
Forestry
Machinery and Equipment

Coverage

GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

The National Agricultural Census 1997 covered the whole country. It was divided into 12 statistical regions numbered I to XII. Information obtained from statistical regions I, XI, and XII during the previous year was used for preparing complete national estimates.

UNIVERSE

Agricultural holding was defined as an agricultural unit having at least one of the following:

- 0.1 ha of permanent pastures
- 0.1 ha under temporary or permanent crops
- 0.1 ha of wood plantations
- 5.0 ha of wood or forest land
- 2 large livestock with more than 2 years of age
- 4 large livestock with less than 2 years of age
- 10 small livestock
- 50 geese, ducks, rabbits
- 100 chickens
- 10 beehives

Producers and sponsors

PRIMARY INVESTIGATORS

Name
National Statistics Institute of Chile (INE, Instituto Nacional de Estadística)

Sampling

SAMPLING PROCEDURE

As in previous censuses, the Internal Revenue Service's (SII, Servicio de Impuestos Internos) lists of rural properties by municipality were used to construct the census frame. Since the lists dated back to 1995, they were supplemented with regional surveys to identify new parcels resulting from property subdivisions that would be registered in 1996. In addition, the District Land Registry Plans (Pianos Prediales) prepared by CIREN and CORFO were used, along with INE's cartography obtained from the Population and Housing Census 1992.

The census was conducted as a complete enumeration of the holdings in the frame that met the definition of agricultural holding.

Data collection

DATES OF DATA COLLECTION

Start	End	Cycle
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1996-01	1996-06	Data collection in Regions I, XI, and XII
1997-03-31	1997-05-30	Data collection in Regions II-X

DATA COLLECTION MODE

Pen and Paper Interview [papi]

DATA COLLECTION NOTES

For regions II to X, including the metropolitan region, 69 census area offices were established to conduct census operations. Census activities involved 59 area managers and a similar number of technical assistants, 261 supervisors, 1235 enumerators, and the data entry clerks who operated a network of computers distributed across the 10 regions.

Questionnaires

QUESTIONNAIRES

One questionnaire in paper form was used in the census.

Data Processing

DATA EDITING

After the census survey was conducted during the months of April and May 1997, the offices in each census area continued to operate throughout the month of June, to complete the registration of remaining households, the data entry of questionnaires, and the review of census coverage and preliminary census results at the district and municipal levels.

Access policy

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Data Dictionary

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