# Best International Practices Translated into Local Context

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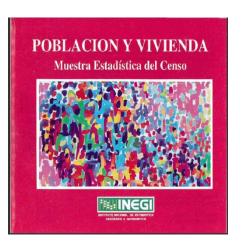
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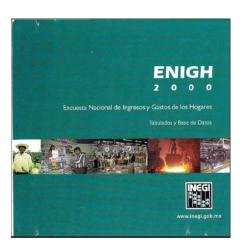


### Background

Access to microdata to household and population statistical projects through products using external memory devices with cost. Geographic location at municipal level.

1990





Forbidden from 2001 to 2005

Scienciometrics evidence of reduction academic production

Access to microdata of projects in establishments and agricultural units with remote processing

Ad - hoc

#### **New Statistical Law**

- April 2008 Ley del Sistema Nacional de información estadística y Geográfica
- Article 100

"Following best international practices the Institute will provide access to microdata..."

Silence of law provides wide spectrum of action

 October 2008 one of the first agreements of the Board of governors – conditions of how to provide microdata access

#### Acuerdo 1a/X/2008

Para dar cumplimiento a los plazos y términos establecidos en los artículos 100 y Transitorio Séptimo de la LSNIEG, la Junta de Gobierno aprobó los procedimientos y las condiciones para facilitar el acceso expedito a los microdatos de las últimas encuestas nacionales publicadas y muestras representativas de los operativos censales.

### Best international practices

#### Virtual Microdata Laboratory (VML)

The Virtual Microdata Laboratory (VML) is a facility within

Researchers from government and academia use the

 About the Virtual Microdata Labo What the VML is, the datasets available, past outputs

 Accessing the Virtual Microdata How to access the VML, including links to application

Contact the Virtual Microdata Lak

Postal address, email address and telephone numb





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#### Research Data Centers (RDCs)

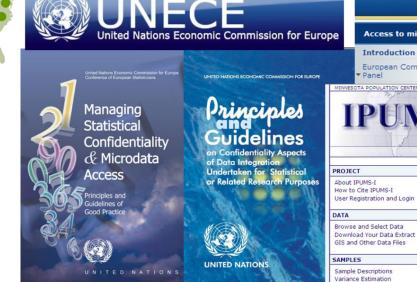
RDCs are secure Census Bureau facilities. RDCs provide secure access to restricted-use microdata for statistical purposes only. Qualified researchers with approved projects can conduct research that benefits Census Bureau programs.

Partner with leading research organizations

Currently operate in 15 locations

**OECD EXPERT GROUP** FOR INTERNATIONAL **COLLABORATION ON MICRODATA ACCESS** 

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eurostat Your key to European statistics

**European Commission** 

Integrated Public Use Microdata Series, International

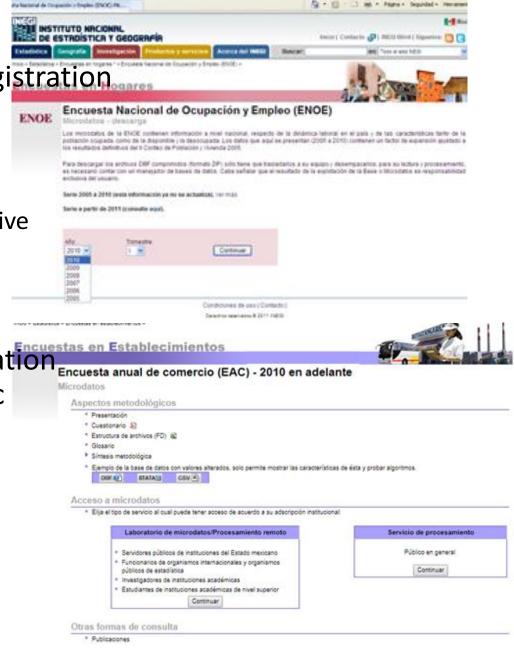
census microdata for social and economic research

IPUMS-International is a project dedicated to collecting and distributing census data from around the world. Its goals are to:

- · Collect and preserve data and documentation
- Harmonize data
- · Disseminate the data absolutely free!

### Policy for Microdata access

- Download from INEGI web site, free of charge no registration needed
  - Household survey (probabistic)
  - Household and population census samples (probabistic)
  - Statistics of mortality, birth and marrriage from administrative registers
    - 120 000 000 inhabitants
    - 32 000 000 households
- Remote processing and Microdata Laboratory application and acreditation needed, free of charge only for public servants, students and researchers and analyst from internacional organizations
  - Household and population census (context risk)
  - Economic census
  - Agriculture census
  - Surveys in establishments
  - Surveys in agricultural units
  - Economic statistics from administrative registers



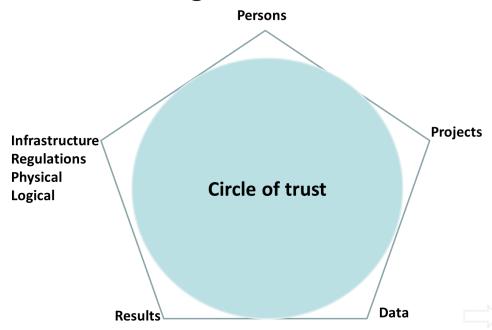
### Microdata Laboratory

• Main challgenge -cultural change with areas that generate information

#### Advantages

- Holistic perspective of the Project
- INEGI President's commitment
- Reuse of resources available (Citrix) very low investment
- IT personnel commitment
- Leveraging knowhow of areas that generate information for confidentiality checking
- Training users
- Delegating tousers everthing they can do
- Special section for microdata access in INEGI Web site as one sole point entry
- Now is an institutional service provided through microdatos@inegi.org.mx

#### Risk management model, secure:

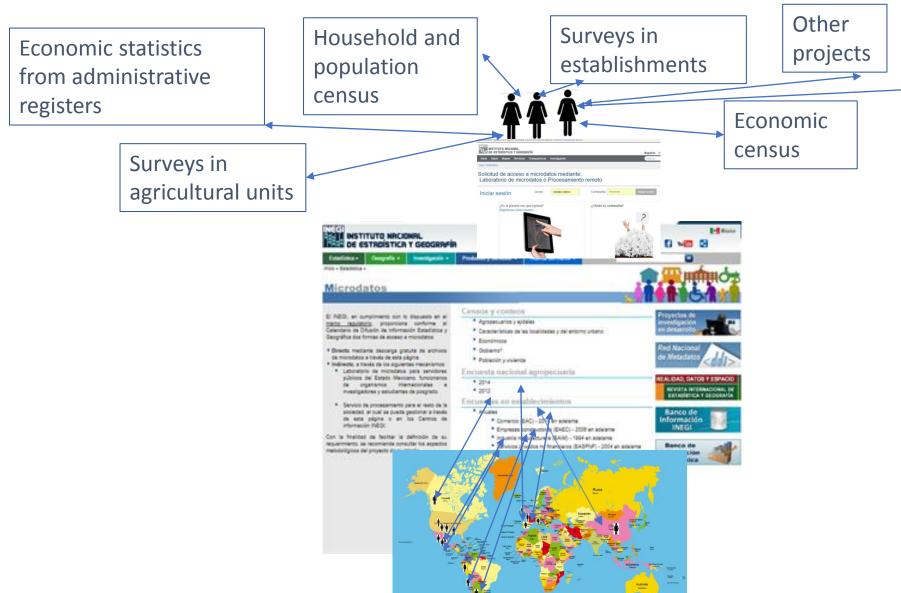


#### Registered August 31, 2017

	Year	Research projects	Remote Processing	Micordata Laboratory	
	2011	6	6	-	1
	2012	41	41	-	4
>	2013	138	127	11	4
	2014	164	143	21	1
	2015	147	102	45	4
	2016	158	88	70	4
	2017	101	42	59	
	Total	755	549	206	

Microdata Laboratory & publication of microdata section in INEGI web site (April)

### Institutional service



Agricultural

census

### Challenges

- Data architecture so microdata use is more efficiently
- Include access to microdata or administrative registers of other institutions
- Recuperate historical geographic frameworks
- Link household and establishment data

## Thank you

