



**CIS Interstate Statistical Committee
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Population Census of the 2020 round : new opportunities for the CIS region

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Resolution of the Council of the Heads of States of CIS countries “On 2020 population censuses in the CIS countries”:

1. The CIS countries shall conduct population censuses as close to the year 2020 as possible, preferably between October 2019 and October 2020.
2. In the first half of 2017, the Council of Heads of Statistical Services of CIS countries shall agree on and approve a list of socio-economic and demographic variables to be included in the programs of the national population censuses of the 2020 round to ensure cross-country comparability of the main results of the population censuses of the CIS region.
3. The Council of the Heads of States of CIS countries should review the implementation of this resolution annually.

September 16, 2016, Bishkek



Population censuses in the CIS region (2)



2019



AZERBAIJAN – 1-10 October



BELARUS – 4-30 October



KAZAKHSTAN – 1-30 November

2020



KYRGYZSTAN – 23 March- 1 April



ARMENIA – 8-17 October



RUSSIA – 1-31 October



TAJIKISTAN – Autumn



UKRAINE – October

2023



MOLDOVA – April



TURKMENISTAN



UZBEKISTAN





Main activities during the preparation period



To establish a regulatory base for censuses



To estimate the budget and to identify the sources of financing



To develop and harmonize the national census's program



To choose methods for collecting data from the population



To conduct pilot censuses





Pilot censuses



2017



BELARUS

2018



KAZAKHSTAN
(conducted)



2019



AZERBAIJAN



ARMENIA



RUSSIA



UKRAINE



TAJIKISTAN

2021



MOLDOVA



CIS-STAT jointly with the national statistical offices developed and approved:

- A list of variables to be included in the national population census programs;
- The wording of questions in the questionnaire and methodological guidelines;
- The layouts of the tables to be used for the interstate exchange of the 2020 population census data and short descriptions of the indicators



Data collection methods



	Round of 2010	Round of 2020		
	Personal interviews using paper questionnaires	Personal interviews using:		Self-report
		paper questionnaires	Electronic devices	On-line census
Azerbaijan	100%	100%	-	-
Armenia		50-60%	40-50%	-
Belarus		-	75%	25%
Kazakhstan		-	70%	30%
Kyrgyzstan		100%	-	-
Moldova		-	100%	planned
Russia		49%	41%	10%
Tajikistan		decision not taken yet		
Ukraine		-	planned	



Population censuses in the CIS region



Duration of population censuses

	Round of 2010		Round of 2020	
	Period	No of days	Period	No of days
Azerbaijan	Apr 13-22 2009	10	Oct 1-10 2019	10
Armenia	Oct 12-21 2011	10	Oct 8-17 2020	10
Belarus	Oct 14-24 2009	11	Oct 4-30 2019	27
Kazakhstan	Feb 25 – March 6 2009	10	Nov 1-30 2019	30
Kyrgyzstan	March 24.- Apr 2 2009	10	March 23- Apr 1 2020	10
Moldova	May 12-25 2014	14	2023	
Russia	Oct 14-25 2010	12	Oct 1-31 2020	31
Tajikistan	Sept 21-30 2010	10	Autumn 2020	
Turkmenistan	Dec 15-26 2012	12	NA	
Uzbekistan	-	-	NA	
Ukraine	-	-	2020	



The use of modern information and communication technologies will accelerate the results of population censuses

Estimation of migration size and flows between the CIS countries and within the total CIS labor market

New opportunities in the CIS region

Obtaining data for monitoring the SDG indicators

More precise national population estimates and the total CIS population estimate



Thank you for attention!

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