REGISTER-BASED POPULATION AND HOUSING CENSUS IN LITHUANIA

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Abstract

Statistics Lithuania, together with all EU countries, are constantly moving towards higher usage of administrative data sources while diminishing the reliance on traditional statistical data collection methods. Population and Housing Census is one of examples which moved from traditional approach in 2001 towards combined approach in 2011 and into completely Register-based approach in 2021. This transition was challenging but also very valuable experience which resulted in higher quality of the results with significant lower budget.

The main aspects of transition towards register-based census will be presented showing the sources and methods of the register-based census as well as the key results of Census 2021.

Keywords: census, register-based, administrative data sources.

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