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**The 2000–2020 population census rounds in CIS countries:  
transforming programmes to meet the changing needs of the  
community**

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# Population censuses in the CIS region



**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





The list of questions to be put to the population is being compiled so as

- to ensure continuity with previous population censuses,
- meet countries' current information needs and
- follow international recommendations.



One important feature of the round 2020 is the fact that the NSS of the CIS countries have agreed on a methodology for obtaining the core questions on migration and the labour force.

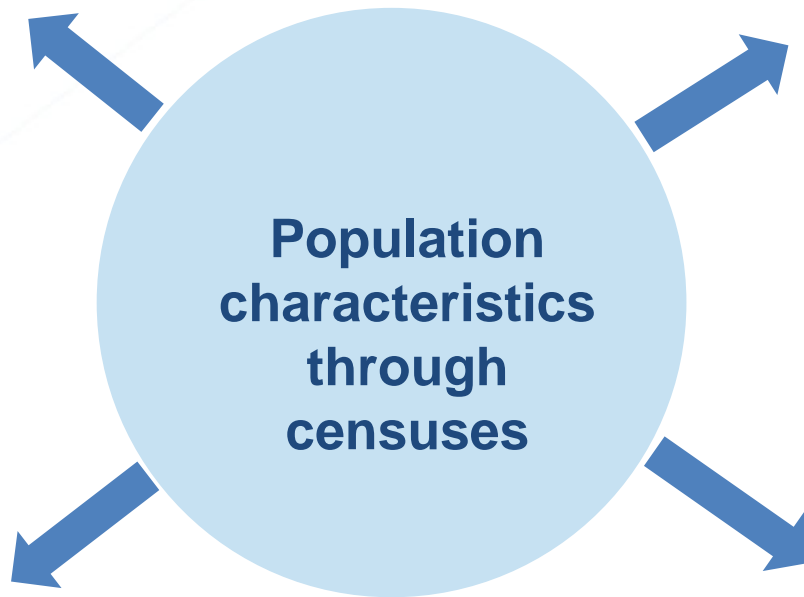


## KEY TOPICS



**Demographic,  
ethnocultural,  
geographic and  
migration  
characteristics**

**Educational and  
economic  
characteristics**



**Characteristics of  
living quarters and  
housing  
arrangements**

**Other  
population and  
household  
characteristics**



### Demographic and ethnocultural characteristics

**“Religion”** - Armenia, Kazakhstan, Moldova and Tajikistan

### Marriage and fertility

**“The age and date of first marriage of women aged 15 years and over”** - Azerbaijan and Kazakhstan

**“The date of birth of first child”** – Kazakhstan, Russia and Tajikistan

**“The planned number of children”** – Belarus and Kazakhstan



*Geographic and migration characteristics*

***“Do you plan to leave the country?”  
and “If so, for how long?”.***

} Belarus, Kazakhstan  
and Moldova

***“Residence abroad for a year or longer”  
and “Country and year of arrival”***

} Azerbaijan, Belarus,  
Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan,  
Moldova, Russia  
and Tajikistan



Characteristics of persons temporarily present in the territory of the State

*“Whether the person was an arriving refugee or forcibly displaced person”*

**Round 2000**

Azerbaijan  
Armenia  
Kazakhstan  
Kyrgyzstan  
Tajikistan  
Ukraine

**Round 2010**

Azerbaijan  
Armenia  
Belarus  
Kazakhstan

**Round 2020**

Azerbaijan  
Belarus  
Kazakhstan





Educational characteristics

***“Children’s attendance of a preschool institution”*** – from round 2010  
almost countries of CIS

Economic characteristics

***“Does the household receive money from relatives living abroad?”*** -  
Azerbaijan, Armenia, Kazakhstan and Tajikistan

***“Secondary work”***

**Round 2000**

Kazakhstan

**Round 2010**

Kazakhstan  
Russia

**Round 2020**

Azerbaijan  
Kazakhstan  
Russia



## Incapacity/disability

<u>Round 2010</u>	<u>Round 2020</u>
Armenia	Azerbaijan
Kazakhstan	Armenia
Moldova	Kazakhstan
	Moldova
	Tajikistan

## Agriculture

***“Household involvement in agricultural production”***

***“Agricultural land and involvement in agricultural production”***



- Armenia, Belarus and Moldova



## Data collection methods



	Round 2010	Round 2020		
	Personal interviews using paper questionnaires	Personal interviews using:		Self-report
		paper questionnaires	Electronic devices	On-line census
Azerbaijan	<b>100%</b>	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	



***Thank you for attention!***

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