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## SURVEY IN ESTONIA

The universe consists of persons aged 18-65, living in Estonia.
The sample size is 1499 .
The stratified random sample was used. The sample is stratified by region. The chosen places in the sample represent economically and socially different areas of Estonia as follows:

## A. Industrialized part of Estonia

1. Tallinn - the centre of economic and administrative activities
2. Kohtla-Järve and Ida-Viru - area of large-scale industry with population of great Russian majority
B. Rural part of Estonia
3. Pärnu - area at middle level of economic and social development in South-Western Estonia
4. Tartu and county of Tartu - remarkable cultural and university centre in Southern Estonia
5. Pölva - rural area in South-Eastern Estonia
6. Counties Lääne and Saare - poor rural area in Western Estonia
7. Viljandi-- wealthy rural area in Middle-Estonia
8. Rapla - typical area of middle level development of Middle-Estonia

The population of these chosen places represent over two thirds ( $69.2 \%$ ) of population of Estonia.

The names of the interviewees were drawn (Estonians and Russians separately) from inhabitant registers of towns and counties chosen in the sample. Nationality, sex and age were used as democraphic criteria in sampling.

Tables 1. - 4. describes various distributions of population and sample cahracteristics.

Table 1. Distribution by sex

|  | Pouplation (All) <br> Number (1 000) |  | \% | Sample <br> Number |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  | \% |  |
| 1. Male | 703.6 | 46.7 | 651 | 44.0 |
| 2. Female | 803.3 | 53.3 | 829 | 56.0 |
| Total | 1506.9 | 100.0 | 1480 | 100.0 |

Table 2. Distribution by age

Population (aged 20-64)
Number (1 000) Number (1000) \%

1. 20-29
2. $30-39$
209.2
23.5
24.9
3. 40-49
222.5
21.8
20.3
9.4
4. 60-64 181.0
84.0
890.8
100.0

Sample
Number \%

323
24,4
24.6
23.8
20.1
7.1
100.0

Table 3. Distribution by place of living: Tallinn - other country

| Population (All) <br> Number (1000) |  | \% | Sample <br> Number | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. Tallinn | 442.7 | 29.4 | 454 | 30.4 |
| 2. Other country | 1064.2 | 70.6 | 1039 | 69.6 |
| Total | 1506.9 | 100.0 | 1493 | 100.0 |

Table 4. Distribution by nationality

| Population (All) <br> Number (1 000) | $\%$ | Sample <br> Number |  |  |  | $\%$ |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 962.6 | 63.9 | 974 | 65.2 |  |  |  |
| 436.4 | 29.0 | 416 | 27.8 |  |  |  |
| 40.5 | 2.7 | 34 | 2.3 |  |  |  |
| 67.4 | 4.4 | 71 | 4.7 |  |  |  |
| 1506.9 | 100.0 | 1495 | 100.0 |  |  |  |

## Appendix

## SURVEY IN LATVIA

FIELDWORK REPORT

## December 1993

## SAMPLING

The survey had the target population of persons aged 15 and more, living in Latvia. The palanned sample size was 1600 persons.

Actual sample size - 1637.
The stratified random sample, based on a combined sampling method was used:
A. Proportional sampling - in stage of estimating the number of respondents for regions and for different types of populated points (urban / rural area).
B. Quota sampling in stage of selection of respondents for keeping sosio.-demographic proportions.

Calculations of sample characteristics were based on statistical data, valid for the beginning, of 1993 (source - Natural Increase and migration of the population in Latvia, 1992 /statistical bulletin/ Latvia State Statistical Committee, Riga 1993).

The respondents were chosen by a 'route' method (rendom starting address) according to the quota prescription.

Stratification parametres
a) Geographic grouping:

The country is divided into five regions (areas) -

1. Riga city

+ four traditional regions

2. Vidzeme (Centre and North)
3. Latgale (East)
4. Zemgale (South)
5. Kurzeme (West)

Riga city, consists of six administrative sub-districts. Regions contain cities and administrative districts. the latest consist of towns and rural communities.
b) Grouping by degree of urbanization:

The sample was stratified by four categories with respect of urbanization (size of populated point) -

1. Riga city ( 875000 residents)
2. Cities (towns with 40000 or more residents)
3. Towns (average small towns, less than 40000 residents)
4. Rural communities (villages, other small populated points, separately located farms).
c) Grouping by socio-demographic characteristics:

The quoting was based on the following parametres:

1. Gender
2. Age - five groups (15-24, 25-34, 35-49, 50-64, 65+)
3. Nationality-- three groups (Latvians, Russians, representatives of other nationalities)

The survey was carried out in 28 survey area and 69 survey points across the country.

## FIELDWORK

The survey was carried out between Nowember 15 and December 12, 1993.
All interviews were made using face-to-face interviewing by 101 Latvia Social Research Centre's part-time interviewers.

Interviews were held at respondent's dwellings, which were chosen by 'route' method according to the randomly chosen starting address provided by supervisor.

Interviewers were provided with the quota sheet, which contained necessary demographic proportions of respondents (by nationality, gender, age) and route instructions for (every fourth dwelling in multistage buildings, odd numbers in districts of individual. houses).

After the fieldwork 132 interviews were checked by repeated visiting of the respondents.

Tables 1. - 4. describes various distributions of population and sample characteristics.

Table 1. Distribution by sex

|  | Population (Aged 18+) <br> Number (1000) | $\%$ | Sample <br> Number | $\%$ |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1. Male | \% |  |  |  |
| 2. Female | 1073.2 | 45.0 | 708 | 43.8 |
| Total | 1950.0 | 55.0 | 909 | 56.2 |
|  |  | 100.0 | 1617 | 100.0 |

Table 2. Distribution by age

Population (Aged 18+ Number (1000)
\%

1. 18-24
2. 25-34
3. 35-49
4. 50-64
5. 65 -

Total
249.7
12.8

205
341
424
414
241
100.0
1950.0
19.6
25.9
24.7
17.0

1625
12.6
21.0
26.1
25.5
14.8
100.0

Table 3. Distribution by place of living: Riga - other country

Population (Aged 18+)
Number (1000)
\%

| 1. Riga | 677.3 | 34.7 |  | 567 | 34.7 |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2. Other country | 1272.7 |  | 65.3 |  | 1069 | 65.3 |
| Total | 1950.0 |  | 100.0 |  | 1636 | 100.0 |

Table 4. Distribution by nationality

|  | Population (All) <br> Number (1 000) | $\%$ | Sample |  |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| 1. Latvians | 1391.5 | 54.2 | 906 | 55.6 |
| 2. Russians | 849.3 | 33.1 | 520 | 31.9 |
| 3. Belorussians | 150.1 | 4.1 | 52 | 3.2 |
| 4. Other | 220.0 | 8.6 | 151 | 9.3 |
| Total |  | 100.0 | 1636 | 100.0 |

## APPENDIX

## LITHUANIAN SAMPLE '93

Respondents'names surnames, dates of birth genders and places of' living (adress) are known from the election list (1992). More detail information such as education, or especially, present occupation is unknown. It is possible to add such information acording to the latest list of population census (1989), but it would be out-of-date for a great number of cases: about education - less, about present occupation and work - too often.

The theoretical sample was constructed acording to the folowing statistical data 1) of living, 2) age, 3) gender, 4) nationality, 5) education. Each interviewer received distribution of his respondents by those sample characteristics. First of all they tried to find the concrete person by the known adress. If they had failed to find the concrete person, they had the right to find another respondent with the same characteristics of sample.

1500 respondents were chosen. The theoretical sample was constructed for this number respondents. 1483 interviews were held. So the percent of participation in the survey is $99 \%$. 17 respondents didn't participate in the sample for variuos reasons:

| Reason | N |
| :--- | :---: |
| 1.Respondent's refuse | 3 |
| 2.Interviewer's refuse | 2 intervievers=6 respondents. |
| 3.impossibility to find respondent by the variables of the theoretical sample | 7 |
| 4.Incomplete questionairie 1 <br> TOTAL 17 |  |

Interviewers found this questionairie too difficult, which required a lot of time, Two interviewers didn't finish their work. As the resul - 6 respondents were lost.

Some respondents changed their mind during the interview. 3 respondents refused to continue the participation in the interview: they answered only some questions and then interrupted the interview: two of them - women, one, - man, all from the small towns. 1 questionnairie was not completed = spoilage.

The most difficult for the interviewers was to find find of 30-39 years old group in some centers of the districts (small towns) with "other" nationality. Sonic interviewers had difficulties to find people with the special secondary and primary education. The concept of the primary education_has been changing in course. of many years: some people who treated themseselves as with primary education - didn't have it in fact.

Some people of russian nationality in small town again (in Mazeikiai - the center of the oil industry of Lithuania), refused po participate In the survey. As the result 5 russians according to their other sample characteristics wrere aditionaly interviewed in Vilnius

Tables 1-9 describe various distributions of population and sample.characteristics.
TABLE 1. Sample distribution by urban-rural population.
Estimate at January 1, 1993.

| Place of living | Population <br> (thousands) | $\%$ | Sample (N) |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  | theoretical | in fact | $\%$ |  |  |
| Urban | 2570.9 | 68 | 1020 | 1014 | 68 |  |
| Rural | 1180.5 | 32 | 480 | 469 | 32 |  |
| TOTAL | 3751.4 | 100 | 1500 | 1483 | 100 |  |

TABLE 2. Sample distribution by sex (average in 1992)

| Sex | Population |  | Sample |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Total number | $\%$ | theoretical | in fact | $\%$ |
| 1. Male | 1771413 | 47 | 690 | 692 | 47 |
| 2. Female | 1970258 | 53 | 810 | 791 | 53 |
| TOTAL |  |  |  |  |  |

TABLE 3. Resident population (urban - rural) by sex. Estimate at January 1, 1993.

|  | Urban |  | Rural |  | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Male | Female | Male | Female |  |
| Population | 910.287 | 1.066 .312 | 431.379 | 491.371 | 2.899 .349 |
| per cent | 31 | 37 | 15 | 17 | 100 |
| Sample: |  |  |  |  |  |
| theoretical | 465 | 555 | 225 | 255 | 1500 |
| in fact | 471 | 543 | 221 | 248 | 1483 |
| per cent | 31 | 37 | 15 | 17 | 100 |

TABLE 4. Sample distributian by age.
Estimate at January 1, 1993.

| Age | Total number | Population <br> $\%$ | theoretical | Sample <br> in fact | $\%$ |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $1.15-19$ | 266.422 | 9 | 120 | 137 | 9 |
| $2.20-29$ | 580.241 | 20 | 315 | 294 | 20 |
| $3.30-39$ | 561.424 | 19 | 285 | 272 | 19 |
| $4.40-49$ | 443.726 | 15 | 240 | 242 | 16 |
| $5.50-59$ | 430.606 | 16 | 225 | 225 | 15 |
| $6.60 \&>$ | 616.930 | 21 | 325 | 313 | 21 |
| TOTAL | 2.899 .349 | 100 | 1500 | 1483 | 100 |

TABLE 5. Resident population (urban-rural) by sex and age.
Estimate at January 1, 1993.


THO. - theoreical
INF. - in fact

TABLE 6. Sample distribution by place of living.
Estimate at January 1, 1993.


TABLE 7. Sample distribution by nationality
(1989 population census data)

| Nationality | Population |  |  | Sample |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total number | \% | Theoretical | In fact | \% |
| 1. Lithuanians | 2.230 .905 | 80 | 1200 | 1187 | 80 |
| 2. Russia | 250.977 | 9 | 135 | 150 | 10 |
| 3, Polish | 195.204 | 7 | 105 | 97 | 7 |
| 4. Other | 111.545 | 4 | 60 | 49 | 3 |
| TOTAL | 2.788.631 | 100 | 1500 | 1483 | 100 |

TABLE 8. Sample distribution by education (1989 population census data)

| Education Total | Population |  | Sample |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | number |  | Theoretical |  | \% |
| 1. High | 301.394 | 11 | 165 | 188 | 12 |
| 2. Not completed high | 52.697 | 2 | 30 | 37 | 3 |
| 3. Special secondary | 554.389 | 20 | 300 | 282 | 19 |
| 4. Secondary | 718.364 | 26 | 390 | 374 | 25 |
| 5. Not completed secondary | 463.174 | 17 | 255 | 255 | 17 |
| 6. Primary | 488.810 | 17 | 255 | 233 | 16 |
| 7. Not completed primary | 209.711 | 7 | 105 | 114 | 8 |
| TOTAL | 2.788.539 | 100 | 1500 | 1483 | 100 |

TABLE 9. Pensioners (average 1992)

|  | Population | Sample in |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Fact $^{*}$ |  |  |
| $>16$ years | 2850800 | 1483 |
| Pensioners | 911000 | -553 |
| $\%$ of working age population | 32 | 37 |

*32 \% of pensioniers of working age of population was the reality in Lithuania in 1992. In 1993 the their number only increased, but we'll receive the new data only in the begining of this summer. Thecategory pensioners includes all kinds of pensions. So our data, and this endependent variable of sampling, shows the
great social problem of Lithuanian society and, we hope, we have a good posibility to deal it.

