POPULATION AND HOUSING CENSUS STATISTICS

TOPICS	ELEMENTS	SUBJECT: POPULATION DISTRIBUTION BY LOCAL AUTHORITY AREAS AND MUKIMS INFORMATION
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	Data sources used:	Census
	Name of collection / source used:	The Population and Housing Census
	Direct source:	Department of Statistics, Malaysia
	Source periodicity:	Every 10 years
	Source metadata:	Under development
	Date last input received from source:	May 2001
2. Data Characteristic and Collection	Variables collected:	Persons and households with a wide range of their demographic, social and geographic characteristics and number of living quarters.
	Sampling:	n.a.
	Periodicity:	Every 10 years
	Reference period:	Census Day – 5 July 2000
	Base period:	2000

	Date last updated:	2000
	Link to release calendar:	n.a.
	Other data characteristics and collection:	n.a.
3. Statistical Population and Scope of the Data	Statistical population:	All Households
	Geographical coverage:	Malaysia
	Sector coverage:	n.a.
	Institutional coverage:	n.a.
	Item coverage	n.a.
	Population coverage:	All Households
	Product coverage:	n.a.
	Other coverage:	n.a.
4. Statistical Concepts and	Key statistical concepts used:	Demography and Household concepts based on Principles and Recommendations for Population and Housing Census, Revision 1 United Nation guidelines.
Classifications Used	Classifications used:	n.a.
5. Statistical	Aggregation and consolidation:	n.a.
Computation and Dissemination	Estimation:	n.a.
	Imputation:	Imputation base on HOT DECK and COLD DECK method.
	Transformations:	n.a.
	Validation:	Structure check – To ensure codes are valid, reduce number of blanks in questionnaire ("unknown"), to make data consistent and to enable credible tabulation.
	Index type:	n.a.
	Weights:	n.a.
	Seasonal adjustment:	n.a.
	Other computation and adjustments:	n.a.
	Dissemination formats:	Printed and digital

6. Other Aspects	Recommended uses and limitations:	Provides planners and users for the purposes:
		 Census data at national level serve useful inputs (demographic and social) for the planning, formulation and implementation of policies and programs.
		- Data at sub-national level (states, districts, mukims, and local authority areas) serves as input for decision makers and researchers/firms or organizations.
		- Thematic map indicating mukim, town and local authority area.
	History :	a) Census before formation of Malaysia
		i) Malaya - since 1891 (Federated Malay States)
		ii) All states - since 1911, 1921, 1931, 1947 and 1957
		iii) Sabah (North Borneo) - since 1921
		iv) Sarawak - since 1939
		b) After formation of Malaysia (1963) (Region Peninsular Malaysia, Sabah and Sarawak) - 1970, 1980, 1991 and 2000
	Time series data available :	1) 1970 – The Community Group Report includes information on mukim.
		2) 1980 – Mukim and Local Authority Areas Report respectively. (There is no thematic map)
		 1980 – A Report by Local Authority Areas (Population, Household and Living Quarters) provides data based on field count summaries.
		4) 1991 – Mukim and Local Authority Areas Report respectively (There is thematic map).
		5) 2000 - Population Distribution By Local Authority Areas And Mukims
		(Information in this publication pertains to data at the state, administrative district, local authority and mukim levels)