CHAD

Region: Central Africa

Income group: Low income

Summary: Chad has reported 2 metadata sources, which collect information on international labour migration statistics. These are the *Second General Population and Housing Census* and *Third Consumption and Informal Sector Survey,* which are carried out by the National Institute of Statistics, Economics, and Demographics.

Geographically the *Second General Population and Housing Census* and the *Third Consumption and Informal Sector Survey* covers whole country population. Sources collect information on the following population groups aged six years and older:

- *Nationals (citizens) in the country,*
- *Nationals (citizens) employed in country,*
- *Foreigners (non-citizens) living in the country,*
- *Foreign workers (non-citizens) living in the country,*
- *Refugees, and*
- *Child workers (non-citizens) in country.*

The *Second General Population and Housing Census* in Chad was last processed in 2009 and the *Third Consumption and Informal Sector Survey* is carried out every five years starting from 1996.

The five essential demographic characteristics covered by the sources are age, gender, marital status, household size, and educational attainment. International migration related characteristics generated in the *Second General Population and Housing Census* comprise country of birth, country of citizenship, country of previous residence for foreigners, and country of previous residence for citizens who lived abroad but returned. In the *Third Consumption and Informal Sector Survey*, the question on nationality of persons is stated.

Labour related characteristics such as employment status, occupation, industry/economic sector, status in employment, disability, individual earnings/wages, household income, and hours usually worked are available depending on the source. Definitions of *"employment"* are prescribed in both sources.

To classify occupation, industry, status in employment, and status in education, the *Second General Population and Housing Census* uses nationally adapted classifications of international standard classifications. The *Third Consumption and Informal Sector Survey* applies Afristat classifications for occupation, industry, and status in employment.

Micro-data from the sources are unavailable for research or analysis outside the agency.

Metadata sources:

Type of source	Name of the source	Agency Responsible	Periodicity of data collection	Year the source started	Year of the last source
Q1. Population Census	The Second General Population and Housing Census (RGPH2)	National Institute of Statistics, Economics and Demographics (INSEED)	-	-	2009
Q2. Household Survey	The Third Consumption and Informal Sector Survey (ECOSIT3)	National Institute of Statistics, Economics and Demographics (INSEED)	Every 5 years	1996	-

Findings:

The *Second General Population and Housing Census* in Chad was carried out in 2009 by the National Institute of Statistics, Economics and Demographics covering the country's entire population. There are five population groups aged six years old and over such as:

- *Nationals (citizens) in the country,*
- *Nationals (citizens) employed in the country,*
- *Foreigners (non-citizens) living in the country,*
- *Foreign workers (non-citizens) living in the country, and*
- *Refugees.*

The *Second General Population and Housing Census* obtains detailed data on demographic characteristics of these population groups. The questions raised in the assessment on the topic of international migration related characteristics, comprise country of birth, country of citizenship, country of previous residence for foreigners, and country of previous residence for citizens who lived abroad but returned. In addition to demographic characteristics, the *Second General Population and Housing Census* covers labour related characteristics of all current household members aged six years and older such as:

- Employment status,
- Occupation,
- Industry/economic sector,
- Status in employment, and
- Disability.

"Employment" is defined as a gainful activity during the reference period or the exercise of an activity preceding the reference period and which is not exercised in the reference period due to leave, health reasons, etc.

To classify occupation, industry, status in employment, and education in Chad, nationally adapted classifications are applied. For example:

- National adaptation of ISCO;
- National adaptation of ISIC;
- National adaptation of ICSE; and

- National adaptation of ISCED.

Micro-data from the *Second General Population and Housing Census* are unavailable for research or analysis outside the agency.

The *Third Consumption and Informal Sector Survey* in Chad commenced in 1996, and is held every five years by the National Institute of Statistics, Economics and Demographics. The completed sample size of the survey is 10,080 households with 32,581 individuals. Geographically it measures the whole country and amasses information on the following five population groups aged six years old and over:

- *Nationals (citizens) in the country,*
- *Nationals (citizens) employed in the country,*
- *Foreigners (non-citizens) living in the country,*
- *Foreign workers (non-citizens) living in the country, and*
- *Child workers (non-citizens) in country.*

The *Third Consumption and Informal Sector Survey* retrieves the data on demographic characteristics, of each person in a household. Information on nationality of persons is asked. The data on labour related characteristics is available, particularly for:

- Employment status,
- Occupation,
- Industry/economic sector,
- Status in employment,
- Individual earnings per month,
- Household income,
- Wage or earnings rate per time period, and
- Hours usually worked.

The data on the following possible benefits from employer is collected:

- Retirement pension,
- Paid vacation,
- Housing allowances, water, electricity or transportation,
- Premium,
- Particular medical services.

The survey questionnaire includes questions on the remittances sent to anyone living abroad.

"Employment" is considered as any activity carried out for income in cash or in kind for at least an hour during the previous week. There are some cases when a person has a job but did not work during the reporting period due to holidays or paid leave, sick leave or maternity/parental leave, temporary strike at work, offseason, etc. that last less than a month.

To classify occupation, industry, and status in employment Afristat adapted classification is applied.

Micro data from the source are not available for research and analysis outside the National Institute of Statistics, Economics, and Demographics.

Q1. Population Census

SOURCE

Title of source: The Second General Population and Housing Census (RGPH2)

Year of last census: 2009

Agency responsible: National Institute of Statistics, Economics and Demographics (INSEED)

COVERAGE

Geographical coverage: Commune Zouar in Tibesti region; Under-Prefecture Moudeina in the Sila region due to inaccessibility and insecurity of the times.

Population groups covered: Nationals *(citizens)* in the country, nationals *(citizens)* employed in the country, foreigners *(non-citizens)* living in the country, foreigners *(non-citizens)* working and living in the country, refugees, other foreigners.

- **Publication/dissemination of data on population groups covered:** Nationals *(citizens)* in the country, nationals *(citizens)* employed in the country, foreigners *(non-citizens)* living in the country, foreigners *(non-citizens)* working and living in the country, refugees, other foreigners.

TOPICS COVERED

Demographic characteristics: Age, marital status, household size, sex, educational attainment.

International migration related characteristics: Country of birth, country of citizenship, country of previous residence for foreigners, country of previous residence for citizens who lived abroad but returned.

- **Coverage for international migration related characteristics:** All persons
- **Exceptions for international migration related characteristics:** No

Information about household members left to live abroad: No

Labour related characteristics of all current household members: Employment status, occupation, industry/economic sector, status in employment, disability.

- **Age coverage:** 6 years and older

Remittances related characteristics: N.A.

Information on immigrants and return migrants: No

- **Information on the situation of the person prior to leaving the household last time is obtained:** N.A.

Data collected and not published/disseminated: No

CONCEPTS AND DEFINITIONS

Definition of international migrant workers: N.A.

Definition of national (citizen) living abroad: N.A.

Definition of employment: It refers to a gainful activity during the reference period or the exercise of an activity preceding the reference period and which is not exercised in the reference period due to leave, health reasons, etc.

CLASSIFICATION

Classification used for occupation: National adaptation of ISCO

- **Number of digits used to release occupation data:** N.A.

Classification used for industry: National adaptation of ISIC

- **Number of digits used to release industry data:** N.A.

Classification used for status in employment: National adaptation of ICSE

Classification used for status in education: National adaptation of ISCED

DATA COLLECTION AND DISSEMINATION

Data collection method: Face-to-face interview by census enumerator using paper questionnaire (PAPI)

Compulsory participation of households: No

Official estimate of under-coverage rate: No

Dissemination of results: Printed publications; Electronic format; Web site – www.inseedtchad.com

Metadata has been prepared and disseminated: No

Micro-data is available outside NSO/responsible agency: No

Q2. Household Survey

SOURCE

Title of survey: The Third Consumption and Informal Sector Survey (ECOSIT3)

Agency responsible: National Institute of Statistics, Economics and Demographics (INSEED)

PERIODICITY AND COVERAGE

Periodicity of data collection: Every five years

Year the survey first started: 1996

Geographical coverage: Whole country

Population groups covered: Nationals *(citizens)* in the country, nationals *(citizens)* employed in the country, foreigners *(non-citizens)* living in the country, foreigners *(non-citizens)* working and living in the country, child workers *(non-citizens)* in country, other foreigners.

- **Publication/dissemination of data on population groups covered:** Nationals *(citizens)* in the country, nationals *(citizens)* employed in the country, foreigners *(non-citizens)* living in the country, foreigners *(non-citizens)* working and living in the country, child workers *(non-citizens)* in country, other foreigners.

Age coverage: Six years and older

TOPICS COVERED

Demographic characteristics: Age, marital status, household size, sex, educational attainment.

International migration related characteristics: Nationality

- **Coverage for international migration related characteristics:** N.A.
- **Exceptions for international migration related characteristics:** N.A.

Information about household members left to live abroad: No

Labour related characteristics of all current household members: Employment situation, occupation, industry/economic sector, status in employment, individual earnings per month, household income, wage or earnings rate per time period, hours usually worked.

Benefits received from the employer: Retirement pension; paid vacation; housing allowances, water, electricity or transportation; premium; particular medical services.

Remittances related characteristics: Remittances sent

Information on immigrants and return migrants: No

- **Information on the situation of the person prior to leaving the country of residence is obtained:** N.A.

Data collected and not published/disseminated: No

Information on persons who left to live or work abroad *(recruitment, communication, assistance etc.)***:** No

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CLASSIFICATION

Classification used for occupation: NAEMA (AFRISTAT)

- **Number of digits used to release occupation data:** N.A.

Classification used for industry: NAEMA (AFRISTAT)

- **Number of digits used to release industry data:** N.A.

Classification used for status in employment: NAEMA (AFRISTAT)

Classification used for status in education: N.A.

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Metadata has been prepared and disseminated: Yes

Micro-data is available outside NSO/responsible agency: No

SAMPLE DESIGN

Sample frame used: Population census

Completed sample size:

- Total households – 10,080.
- Total individuals – 32,581.

Evaluation of the overall response rate or refusal rate: Yes