

JERSEY

Region: Europe and Central Asia

Income group: High income

Summary: Jersey has reported 3 metadata sources, which collect information on international labour migration statistics. There are two survey based sources such as the *Jersey Census* and *Annual Social Survey* carried out by the States of Jersey Statistics Unit and one administrative record of the *Work and Housing Registration Database* held by the Population office.

Geographically all the sources cover whole country. The statistics on the following two population groups are available only in the *Work and Housing Registration Database*:

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

Periodicity of data collection varies depending on the type of sources. The *Jersey Census* was last processed in 2011; the *Annual Social Survey* is carried out annually; and the *Work and Housing Registration Database* starts from 2014 and is not yet released.

In the *Work and Housing Registration Database* persons aged 16 years and older are recorded.

The two essential demographic characteristics such as age and sex are covered by both the *Jersey Census* and the *Work and Housing Registration Database*. Questions on marital status, educational attainment, and household size are also asked in the *Jersey Census*. In the *Annual Social Survey* the data on the characteristics cannot be found.

International migration characteristic covered by all the sources is country of birth. Other international migration statistics that can be found in the sources include foreign workers in the country, year of arrival, nationality, and time period allowed to stay.

Labour related characteristics that can be found in the two survey based sources include employment status, occupation, industry/economic sector, and hours usually worked. Data on disability and household income is also asked in the *Annual Social Survey*.

Definitions of “*international migrant workers*” and “*employment*” are applied in the census and the household survey.

To classify occupation and industry the *Jersey Census* applies internationally and nationally adapted classifications, whereas in the other sources the classifications are not used.

Micro data files from all the sources are unavailable for research and 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	Jersey Census	States of Jersey Statistics Unit	-	-	2011
Q2. Household Survey	Annual Social Survey	States of Jersey Statistics Unit	Annually	-	-
Q6. Administrative Sources	Work and Housing Registration Database	Population office	Not released yet	2013	-

Findings:

The latest *Jersey Census* was processed in 2011 by the States of Jersey Statistics Unit, covering the whole country. The Census obtains detailed data on demographic characteristics, such as:

- Age,
- Sex,
- Marital status,
- Educational attainment, and
- Household size.

The question raised in the assessment on the topic of international migration related characteristics is country of birth. The *Jersey Census* covers labour related characteristics of all current household members of all ages, such as:

- Employment status,
- Occupation,
- Industry/economic sector, and
- Hours usually worked.

"*International migrant workers*" refer to foreign-born workers. "*Employment*" refers to working for employer (or self-employed) in last week. To classify occupation and industry, both internationally and nationally adapted classifications are applied. For example:

- SOC 2010; and
- NACE, NAICS.

Micro data is unavailable for research and analysis outside the agency.

The *Annual Social Survey* is held annually by the States of Jersey Statistics unit. It geographically measures the whole country and statistics on the following international migration related characteristics are presented through the source:

- Country of birth, and

- Foreign workers in the country.

In the *Annual Social Survey*, the data on labour related characteristics is available, particularly for:

- Employment status,
- Occupation,
- Industry/economic sector,
- Household income,
- Hours usually worked, and
- Whether person has had disability.

In the source, "*international migrant workers*" refer to foreign-born workers. "*Employment*" refers to working for employer (or self-employed) in last week.

Micro data is unavailable for research and analysis outside the agency.

The *Work and Housing Registration Database* (register of names and addresses) is a register of work and housing permits (registration cards) and Social Security (For new workers and people moving house). It is carried out by the Population Office and is not yet released, starting from 2013. The source appraises whole country and collects data on the following two population groups aged 16 years and over.

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

In the register, data can be found on demographic characteristics such as age and sex. International migration related characteristics accessible through the source are:

- Country of birth,
- Year of arrival,
- Nationality, and
- Time period allowed to stay.

Micro data is unavailable for research and analysis outside the agency.

Q1. Population Census

SOURCE

Title of source: Jersey Census

Year of last census: 2011

Agency responsible: States of Jersey Statistics Unit

COVERAGE

Geographical coverage: Whole country

Population groups covered: No

- **Publication/dissemination of data on population groups covered:** N.A.

TOPIC COVERED

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

International migration related characteristics: Country of birth

- **Coverage for international migration related characteristics:** Not for all
- **Exceptions for international migration related characteristics:** Temporary visitors

Information about household members left to live abroad: No

Labour related characteristics of all current household members: Employment status, occupation, industry/economic sector, hours usually worked

- **Age coverage:** All ages

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: It refers to foreign-born workers

Definition of national (citizen) living abroad: No

Definition of employment: It refers to working for employer (or self-employed) in last week.

CLASSIFICATION

Classification used for occupation: SOC 2010

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

Classification used for industry: NACE, NAICS

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

Classification used for status in employment: N.A.

Classification used for status in education: N.A.

DATA COLLECTION AND DISSEMINATION

Data collection method: Self-administered mail questionnaire (household receives census questionnaire by mail, returns by mail)

Compulsory participation of households: Yes

Official estimate of under-coverage rate: Yes

- **Under-coverage rate of total population:** 0.5%

Dissemination of results: Printed publications, Web site (www.gov.je/census)

Metadata has been prepared and disseminated: No

Micro-data availability outside NSO/responsible agency: No

Q2. Household Survey

SOURCE

Title of survey: Annual Social Survey

Agency responsible: States of Jersey Statistics unit

PERIODICITY AND COVERAGE

Periodicity of data collection: Every year

Year the survey first started: N.A.

Geographical coverage: Whole country

Population groups covered: No

- **Publication/dissemination of data on population groups covered:** N.A.

Age coverage: All ages

TOPIC COVERED

Demographic characteristics: N.A.

International migration related characteristics: Country of birth, foreign workers in the country

- **Coverage for international migration related characteristics:** Not for all
- **Exceptions for international migration related characteristics:** One adult in the household (randomly selected)

Information about household members left to live abroad: No

Labour related characteristics of all current household members: Employment status, occupation, industry/economic sector, household income, hours usually worked, whether person has had disability

Benefits received from the employer: N.A.

Remittances related characteristics: No

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

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

CONCEPTS AND DEFINITIONS

Definition of international migrant workers: It refer foreign-born workers

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

Definition of employment: It refers to working for employer (or self-employed) in last week.

CLASSIFICATION

Classification used for occupation: N.A.

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

Classification used for industry: N.A.

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

Classification used for status in employment: N.A.

Classification used for status in education: N.A.

DATA COLLECTION AND DISSEMINATION

Data collection method: N.A.

Compulsory participation of households: N.A.

Dissemination of results: No

Metadata has been prepared and disseminated: N.A.

Micro-data availability outside NSO/responsible agency: N.A.

SAMPLE DESIGN

Sample frame used: N.A.

Completed sample size: N.A.

Evaluation of the overall response rate or refusal rate: N.A.

Q6. Administrative Sources

SOURCE

Title of source: Work and Housing Registration Database (register of names and addresses)

Agency responsible: Population office

Kind of source: Register of work and housing permits (registration cards) and Social Security (For new workers and people moving house)

PERIODICITY AND COVERAGE

Periodicity of data release: New data source, not published

Year the source first started: 2013

Geographical coverage: Whole country

Population coverage: Nationals (citizens) employed in the country, foreign workers (non-citizens) living in the country

- **Publication/dissemination of data on population groups covered:** No

Age coverage: 16 years old and over

DATA COLLECTED ON PERSONS IN THE ADMINISTRATIVE SOURCE

Demographic characteristics: Age, sex

Migration related characteristics: Country of birth, year of arrival, nationality, time period allowed to stay

Labour related characteristics: N.A.

Data collected and not published/disseminated: Yes

- **Number and name of question not published:** C4
- **Reason not published:** New data source

CONCEPTS AND DEFINITIONS

Definition of international migrant workers: N.A.

Definition of short-term migrant workers: N.A.

Definition of a national living abroad: N.A.

Definition of employment: N.A.

Definition of individual earnings: N.A.

CLASSIFICATION

Classification used for occupation: N.A.

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

Classification used for industry: N.A.

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

Classification used for status in employment: N.A.

Classification used for status in education: N.A.

DATA COLLECTION AND DISSEMINATION

Compulsory registration for the population groups covered: Yes

Official estimate of coverage rate: N.A.

Dissemination of results: None to date (Expected time of availability: Not known)

Metadata has been prepared and disseminated: No

Micro-data availability outside NSO/responsible agency: No