

## SLOVAKIA

**Region:** Europe and Central Asia

**Income group:** High income

**Summary:** Slovakia has reported 7 metadata sources, which collect information on international labour migration statistics. There are six survey based sources such as *Population and Housing Census*, *Labour Force Survey*, *Household Budget Survey*, *European Health Interview Survey*, *EU-SILC*, and *Survey on Usage of Information and Communications Technology*. There is one administrative record of *Border/Admission Statistics*. All of the sources are carried out by the Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic.

Geographically all the sources cover whole country, however different population groups such as:

- *Nationals (citizens) in the country (covered by Population and Housing Census, Labour Force Survey, Household Budget Survey, European Health Interview Survey, EU-SILC, and Survey on Usage of Information and Communications Technology)*
- *Nationals (citizens) employed in the country (covered by Population and Housing Census, Labour Force Survey, Household Budget Survey, European Health Interview Survey, EU-SILC, and Survey on Usage of Information and Communications Technology)*
- *Foreigners (non-citizens) living in the country (covered by the Population and Housing Census)*
- *Foreign workers (non-citizens) living in the country (covered by the Population and Housing Census, Labour Force Survey, EU-SILC, and Survey on Usage of Information and Communications Technology)*
- *Entry nationals returning from residence abroad (covered by the Border/Admission Statistics)*
- *Exit nationals going abroad to live (covered by the Border/Admission Statistics)*
- *Foreigners entering country to live (covered by the Border/Admission Statistics)*

Periodicity of data collection varies depending on the type of sources. The *Population and Housing Census* was last processed in 2011; the *Labour Force Survey* is carried out on continuously basis starting from 1994; the *Household Budget Survey* is held irregularly, and the last was carried out in 2012, since 1956; the *European Health Interview Survey* is held every five years starting from 2009; the *EU-SILC* is held annually since 2005; the *Survey on Usage of Information and Communications Technology* is held annually starting from 2004; and finally the *Border/Admission Statistics* is carried out monthly since 1993.

Age coverage also varies depending on the type of sources. In the *Labour Force Survey* and the *European Health Interview Survey*, persons aged 15 years and older are examined. While the *EU-SILC* and the *Survey on Usage of Information and Communications Technology* cover persons aged 16 years and older, the *Household Budget Survey* collects persons of all ages.

The five essential demographic characteristics covered by all the survey based sources are age, sex, marital status, educational attainment, and household size. In the *Border/Admission Statistics*, the data on age, sex, marital status, and educational attainment can be found.

International migration characteristics covered by all the sources are country of birth and country of citizenship. The questions on country of previous residence for foreigners, country of previous residence for citizens who lived abroad but returned, and nationality are also very often asked in the survey based sources. Other international migration statistics that can be found in the sources include nationality, second country of citizenship, foreign workers in the country, immigrants and return migrants, remittances sent and remittances received, country of residence, country entering from, reason for departure, reason for coming to country, country of destination, and country of origin.

Labour related characteristics such as employment status, occupation, industry/economic sector, and status in employment are available in all the survey based sources. Questions on hours usually worked, individual earnings per month, household income, months worked in past year, whether person has had disability, whether person has had an occupational injury, and possible benefits are also asked often in the census and surveys.

Various agency adapted definitions of “*international migrant workers*”, “*nationals living abroad*”, “*employment*”, and “*country of residence*” are applied in the sources. The definition of “*employment*” used in the *Labour Force Survey* and *EU-SILC* is the standard ILO definition.

To classify occupation, industry, status in employment, and education internationally and nationally adapted classifications are used in the census and five household surveys. The *Border/Admission Statistics* National classifies only the status in education.

Micro data files from all the surveys and the administrative record are available for research and analysis outside the agency free of charge.

#### 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	Population and Housing Census	Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic	-	-	2011
Q2. Household Survey	Q2.1. Labour Force Survey	Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic	Continuously	1994	-
	Q2.2. Household Budget Survey	Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic	Irregularly	1956	2012
	Q2.3. European Health Interview Survey	Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic	Every five years	2009	-
	Q2.4. EU-SILC	Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic	Annually	2005	-
	Q2.5. Survey on Usage of Information and Communications Technology	Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic	Annually	2004	-
Q3. Border/Admission Statistics	Border/Admission Statistics in the Statistical Report on Migration	Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic	Monthly	1993	-

## Findings:

The latest **Population and Housing Census** in Slovakia was processed in 2011 by the Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic, covering the whole country. There are five population groups examined in the Census:

- *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*

The **Population and Housing Census** obtains detailed data on demographic characteristics of these population groups, such as age, sex, marital status, educational attainment, and household size. The questions raised in the assessment on the topic of international migration related characteristics are:

- *Country of birth,*
- *Country of citizenship,*
- *Second country of citizenship,*
- *Country of previous residence for foreigners, and*
- *Country of previous residence for citizens who lived abroad but returned.*

The **Population and Housing Census** contains questions, which help to collect information on immigrants and return migrants such as "Have you ever lived outside the country?" and "when did you arrive in this country?" The **2011 Population and Housing Census** covers labour related characteristics of all current household members of all ages, such as:

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

In the **Population and Housing Census**, "**international migrant workers**" are measured by the number of persons who did not have the citizen of the Slovak Republic and worked in the Slovak Republic at the census date. "**Employment**" is assessed by current or last performed occupation of persons aged 16 years and over.

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

- ISCO-08 (where two digits are used to release the data)
- NACE rev. 2 (where four digits are used to release the data)
- National classification with 6 categories of status in employment
- National classification with 12 categories of the highest level of educational attainment

Micro data is available for research and analysis outside the agency free of charge.

The **Labour Force Survey** in Slovakia commenced in 1994, and is held continuously by the Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic. A completed sample size of the examination is 37,012 households and 97,937. It geographically measures the whole country and amasses information on the following three population groups aged 15 years and over.

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

The **Labour Force Survey** obtains detailed data on demographic characteristics of each person in a household, such as age, sex, marital status, educational attainment, and household size. Statistics on the following international migration related characteristics are presented through the source:

- Country of birth,
- Country of citizenship,
- Country of previous residence for foreigners,
- Country of previous residence for citizens who lived abroad but returned,
- Nationality, and
- Foreign workers in the country.

For the population groups assessed in the **Labour Force Survey**, the data on labour related characteristics is available, particularly for:

- Employment status,
- Occupation,
- Industry/economic sector,
- Status in employment,
- Hours usually worked, and
- Whether person has had disability.

In the **Labour Force Survey**, "*national living abroad*" refers to the persons who are the member of the households with the short-term working migration up to one year. "**Employment**" refers to persons aged 15 and over during the reference week were in one of the following categories: 1) worked at least one hour of work for pay or profit (full-time or part-time job, permanent, temporary, casual or seasonal job) It includes employed persons working abroad up to 1 year, cross-border commuters, persons working under agreements on work performed outside employment relationship, persons who performed activation works; 2) Had a job but did not work due to illness, holiday, maternity leave, training, bad weather conditions, strike and lock-out except persons on long-term unpaid leave from work and persons taking parental leave; 3) Unpaid contributing family workers.

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

- ISCO-08 (where three digits are used to release the data)
- NACE, NAICS (where one digit is used to release the data)
- ICSE-1993
- ISCED-2011
- Micro data is available for research and analysis outside the agency.

The **Household Budget Survey** in Slovakia commenced in 1956, and is held irregularly, the last was carried out in 2012 by the Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic. A completed sample size of the examination is 4,704 households. It geographically measures the whole country and amasses information on the following two population groups of all ages.

- *Nationals (citizens) in the country and*
- *Nationals (citizens) employed in the country.*

The **Household Budget Survey** obtains detailed data on demographic characteristics of each person in a household, such as age, sex, marital status, educational attainment, and household size. Statistics on the international migration related characteristics presented through the source are country of birth and country of citizenship. For the population groups assessed in the **Household Budget Survey**, the data on labour related characteristics of all household members of all ages is available, particularly for:

- Employment status,
- Occupation,
- Industry/Economic sector,
- Status in employment,
- Individual earnings per month, and
- Household income.

The survey also includes questions on the possible benefits received from the employer such as subsidized housing, free or subsidized food, subsidized phone, subsidized car for own use.

In the *Household Budget Survey*, “*employment*” is defined as persons who were in one of the following categories: 1) work for pay as employees under an employment contract or agreement including professional soldiers; 2) work for profit (self-employed, with a free employment or employer); 3) looks after dependent persons on the base of contract with local authority or other public administration; 4) had a job but temporarily out of work due to illness, study leave, maternity leave.

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

- ISCO-08 (where two digits are used to release the data)
- NACE, NAICS (where one digit is used to release the data)
- ICSE-1993
- ISCED-2011

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The *EHIS* in Slovakia commenced in 2009, and is held every five years by the Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic. A completed sample size of the examination is 5,490 households. It geographically measures the whole country and amasses information on the following two population groups aged 15 years and over.

- *Nationals (citizens) in the country and*
- *Nationals (citizens) employed in the country.*

The *EHIS* obtains detailed data on demographic characteristics of each person in a household, such as age, sex, marital status, educational attainment, and household size. Statistics on the international migration related characteristics presented through the source are country of birth and country of citizenship. For the population groups assessed in the *EHIS*, the data on labour related characteristics is available, particularly for:

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

The *EHIS* defines “*employment*” as persons who works for a public or private employer, receive compensation in the form of wages, salaries, fees, gratuities and payment in kind. It includes as following persons: 1) work in a parent’s firm on the base of proper labour contract if they receive regular monetary wages; 2) looks after children, elderly persons and dependent persons on the base of contract with local authority or other public administration; 3) are priests of any kind of religion.

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

- ISCO-08 (where two digits are used to release the data)
- NACE, NAICS (where one digit is used to release the data)

- ICSE-1993
- ISCED-2011

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

The *EU-SILC* in Slovakia commenced in 2005, and is held on annual basis by the Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic. A completed sample size of the examination is 5,490 households and 13,433 individuals in 2014. It geographically measures the whole country and amasses information on the following three population groups aged 16 years and over.

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

The *EU-SILC* obtains detailed data on demographic characteristics of each person in a household, such as age, sex, marital status, educational attainment, and household size. Statistics on the following international migration related characteristics are presented through the source:

- Country of birth,
- Country of citizenship,
- Second country of citizenship,
- Country of previous residence for foreigners,
- Country of previous residence for citizens who lived abroad but returned,
- Nationality, and
- Foreign workers in the country.

The *EU-SILC* includes questions about remittances sent and remittances received by the household from someone living abroad. For the population groups assessed in the *EU-SILC*, the data on labour related characteristics of all household members aged 16 years and over is available, particularly for:

- Employment status,
- Occupation,
- Industry/economic sector,
- Status in employment,
- Individual earnings per month,
- Household income,
- Hours usually worked,
- Months worked in past year,
- Whether person has had an occupational injury, and
- Whether person has had disability.

The *EU-SILC* also includes questions on the possible benefits received from the employer such as unemployment benefits, retirement pension, subsidized housing, free or subsidized food, survivor's benefits, sickness benefits and disability benefits.

In the *EU-SILC*, "*national living abroad*" is defined as persons who are members of the households with short-term working migration up to one year. "*Employment*" covers all persons who work at least 1 hour during a week for a public or private employer and receive compensation in the form of wages, salaries, fees, gratuities and payment in kind. It includes as following persons: 1) work in a parent's firm on the base of proper labour contract if they receive regular monetary wages; 2) look after children, elderly persons and dependent persons on the base of contract with local authority or other public administration; 3) are priests of any kind of religion.

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

- ISCO-08 (where two digits are used to release the data)
- NACE, NAICS (where two digits are used to release the data)
- ICSE-1993
- ISCED-2011

Micro data is available for research and analysis outside the agency free of charge.

The *Survey on Usage of Information and Communications Technology* commenced in 2004, and is held annually by the Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic. A completed sample size of the examination is 4,500 and 4,013 individuals in 2014. It geographically measures the whole country and amasses information on the following three population groups aged 16 years and over.

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

The *Survey on Usage of Information and Communications Technology* obtains detailed data on demographic characteristics of each person in a household, such as age, sex, marital status, educational attainment, and household size. Statistics on the following international migration related characteristics are presented through the source:

- Country of birth,
- Country of citizenship,
- Country of previous residence for citizens who lived abroad but returned, and
- Nationality.

For the population groups assessed in the *Survey on Usage of Information and Communications Technology*, the data on labour related characteristics is available, particularly for:

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

In the *Survey on Usage of Information and Communications Technology*, "*national living abroad*" is defined as persons who are members of the households with short-term working migration up to one year. "*Employment*" covers all persons aged from 16 to 74 provide the estimate of income for the last three months of the calendar year. To classify occupation, industry, status in employment, and education, internationally adapted classifications are applied. For example:

- ISCO-08 (where two digits are used to release the data)
- NACE, NAICS (where two digits are used to release the data)
- ICSE-1993
- ISCED-2011

Micro data is available for research and analysis outside the agency free of charge.

*Border/Admission Statistics* are covered by the *Statistical Report on Migration* and obtained from the Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic. In 1993, this category of source originated in Slovakia where the data collection is carried out monthly. It processes the following three population groups of all ages.

- *Entry nationals returning from residence abroad,*

- *Exit nationals going abroad to live, and*
- *Foreigners entering country to live.*

The Statistics cover data on demographic characteristics such as age, sex, marital status, and educational attainment. Statistics on the following international migration related characteristics are presented through the source:

- Country of birth,
- Country of citizenship,
- Country of residence,
- Country entering from,
- Reason for departure,
- Reason for coming to country,
- Country of destination, and
- Country of origin.

In the *Statistical Report on Migration, "country of residence"* is legal residence with intention to live there long-term. To classify education, national classification of status in education (4 basic groups) is applied.

Micro data is available for research and analysis outside the agency free of charge.

## Q1. Population Census

### *SOURCE*

**Title of sources:** The 2011 Population and Housing Census

**Year of last census:** 2011

**Agency responsible:** Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic

### *COVERAGE*

**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, foreign workers (non-citizens) living in the country

- **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, foreign workers (non-citizens) living in the country

### *TOPIC COVERED*

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

**International migration related characteristics:** Country of birth, country of citizenship, second 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:** Country of birth, country of citizenship, country of previous residence for foreigners, and country of previous residence for citizens who lived abroad but returned
- **Exceptions for international migration related characteristics:** Second country of citizenship(Only for persons with multiple citizenship if one of them is the Slovak Republic)



**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

- **Age coverage:** All ages

**Remittances related characteristics:** N.A.

**Information on immigrants and return migrants:** Yes (Questions like "Have you ever lived outside the country?" and "when did you arrive in this country?")

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

**Data collected and not published/disseminated:** Yes

- **Number and name of question not published:** N.A.
- **Reason not published:** All processed census data are prepared for dissemination. The Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic focuses on public dissemination of census data on whole population. The census data on specific groups are processed on basis of user request.

### *CONCEPTS AND DEFINITIONS*

**Definition of international migrant workers:** They are measured by the number of persons who did not have the citizen of the Slovak Republic and worked in the Slovak Republic at the census date.

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

**Definition of employment:** It is assessed by current or last performed occupation of persons aged 16 years and over.

### *CLASSIFICATION*

**Classification used for occupation:** ISCO-08

- **Number of digits used to release occupation data:** 2

**Classification used for industry:** NACE rev. 2

- **Number of digits used to release industry data:** 4

**Classification used for status in employment:** National classification with 6 categories of status in employment

**Classification used for status in education:** National classification with 12 categories of the highest level of educational attainment

### *DATA COLLECTION AND DISSEMINATION*

**Data collection method:** self-administered online (web) census questionnaire /Computer Assisted Web Interview (CAWI), paper forms filled out by persons themselves

**Compulsory participation of households:** Yes

**Official estimate of under-coverage rate:** Yes

- **Under-coverage rate of total population:** 1%

**Dissemination of results:** Printed publications, brochures with census results, Web site

**Metadata has been prepared and disseminated:** Yes

**Micro-data availability outside NSO/responsible agency:** Yes

- **Limitations:** Due to the increased interest in micro-data from the 2011 Population and Housing Census, an anonymised micro-data was processed. Micro-data are available exclusively to the professionals and experts based at their request for research.
- **Cost of obtaining micro-data:** Micro-data files for research purposes are free of charge.

## Q2.1. Household Survey: Labour Force Survey

### *SOURCE*

**Title of survey:** Labour Force Survey

**Agency responsible:** SO SR

### *PERIODICITY AND COVERAGE*

**Periodicity of data collection:** Continuously

**Year the survey first started:** 1994

**Geographical coverage:** Whole country

**Population groups covered:** Nationals (citizens) in the country, nationals (citizens) employed in the country, foreign workers (non-citizens) living in the country

- **Publication/dissemination of data on population groups covered:** Nationals (citizens) in the country, nationals (citizens) employed in the country, foreign workers (non-citizens) living in the country

**Age coverage:** 15 years old and over

### *TOPIC COVERED*

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

**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, nationality, foreign workers in the country

- **Coverage for international migration related characteristics:**
  - Country of birth, Country of citizenship, and Country of previous residence for foreigners: All persons
  - Country of previous residence for citizens who lived abroad but returned: Not for all
- **Exceptions for international migration related characteristics:**
  - Exceptions for country of previous residence for citizens who lived abroad but returned: Only situation one year before

**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, 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:** Yes

- **Number and name of question not published:** Marital status, household size, country of birth, country of citizenship, country of previous residence
- **Reason not published:** The LFS is survey focused on employment and unemployment

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

### **CONCEPTS AND DEFINITIONS**

**Definition of international migrant workers:** N.A.

**Definition of national (citizen) living abroad:** It refers to persons who are the member of the households with the short-term working migration up to one year.

**Definition of employment:** It refers to persons aged 15 and over during the reference week were in one of the following categories: 1) worked at least one hour of work for pay or profit (full-time or part-time job, permanent, temporary, casual or seasonal job) It includes employed persons working abroad up to 1 year, cross-border commuters, persons working under agreements on work performed outside employment relationship, persons who performed activation works; 2) Had a job but did not work due to illness, holiday, maternity leave, training, bad weather conditions, strike and lock-out except persons on long-term unpaid leave from work and persons taking parental leave; 3) Unpaid contributing family workers.

### **CLASSIFICATION**

**Classification used for occupation:** ISCO-08

- **Number of digits used to release occupation data:** 3

**Classification used for industry:** NACE, NAICS

- **Number of digits used to release industry data:** 1

**Classification used for status in employment:** ICSE-1993

**Classification used for status in education:** ISCED-2011

### **DATA COLLECTION AND DISSEMINATION**

**Data collection method:** Face-to-face interview by census enumerator using paper questionnaire (PAPI), face-to-face computer assisted interview by census enumerator (CAPI), telephone interview by enumerator (caller completes paper questionnaire), computer assisted telephone interview by enumerator with data recorded on computer (CATI)

**Compulsory participation of households:** Yes

**Dissemination of results:** Printed publication, Web site ([www.statistics.sk](http://www.statistics.sk))

**Metadata has been prepared and disseminated:** Yes

**Micro-data availability outside NSO/responsible agency:** Yes

- **Limitations:** Anonymised data
- **Cost of obtaining micro-data:** N.A.

### *SAMPLE DESIGN*

**Sample frame used:** Population census

**Completed sample size:**

- Total households: 37,012 (2014)
- Total individuals: 97,937 (2014)

**Evaluation of the overall response rate or refusal rate:** Yes

## **Q2.2. Household Survey: Household Budget Survey**

### *SOURCE*

**Title of survey:** Household Budget Survey

**Agency responsible:** Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic

### *PERIODICITY AND COVERAGE*

**Periodicity of data collection:** Irregularly, the last was carried out in 2012

**Year the survey first started:** 1956

**Geographical coverage:** Whole country

**Population groups covered:** Nationals (citizens) in the country, nationals (citizens) employed in the country

- **Publication/dissemination of data on population groups covered:** Nationals (citizens) in the country, nationals (citizens) employed in the country

**Age coverage:** All ages

### *TOPIC COVERED*

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

**International migration related characteristics:** Country of birth, country of citizenship

- **Coverage for international migration related characteristics:** All persons
- **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 status, Occupation, Industry/Economic sector, Status in employment, Individual earnings per month, Household income

**Benefits received from the employer:** Subsidized housing, free or subsidized food, subsidized phone, subsidized car for own use

**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:** Yes

- **Number and name of question not published:** C1. Age, marital status, sex, educational attainment; C2. Country of birth, country of citizenship; C3. Industry/economic sector, occupation
- **Reason not published:** The survey only focused on income, expenditures and consumption of private households in the Slovak republic

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

### *CONCEPTS AND DEFINITIONS*

**Definition of international migrant workers:** N.A.

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

**Definition of employment:** It is defined as persons who were in one of the following categories: 1) work for pay as employees under an employment contract or agreement including professional soldiers; 2) work for profit (self-employed, with a free employment or employer); 3) looks after dependent persons on the base of contract with local authority or other public administration; 4) had a job but temporarily out of work due to illness, study leave, maternity leave.

### *CLASSIFICATION*

**Classification used for occupation:** ISCO-08

- **Number of digits used to release occupation data:** 2

**Classification used for industry:** NACE, NAICS

- **Number of digits used to release industry data:** 1

**Classification used for status in employment:** ICSE-1993

**Classification used for status in education:** ISCED-2011

### *DATA COLLECTION AND DISSEMINATION*

**Data collection method:** Face-to-face interview by census enumerator using paper questionnaire (PAPI), face-to-face computer assisted interview by census enumerator (CAPI), household record expenditures in questionnaire during one month

**Compulsory participation of households:** No

**Dissemination of results:** Printed publication (Income, expenditures and consumption of private households in the Slovak republic, 2012), Web site ([www.statistics.sk](http://www.statistics.sk)), the database Slovstat, publication Statistical Yearbook of the Slovak Republic

**Metadata has been prepared and disseminated:** No

**Micro-data availability outside NSO/responsible agency:** Yes

- **Limitations:** Anonymised data
- **Cost of obtaining micro-data:** The micro-data files are provided free of charge for research purposes

## *SAMPLE DESIGN*

**Sample frame used:** Population census

**Completed sample size:**

- **Total households:** 4,704

**Evaluation of the overall response rate or refusal rate:** No

## **Q2.3. Household Survey: EHIS**

### *SOURCE*

**Title of survey:** EHIS

**Agency responsible:** Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic

### *PERIODICITY AND COVERAGE*

**Periodicity of data collection:** Every five years

**Year the survey first started:** 2009

**Geographical coverage:** Whole country

**Population groups covered:** Nationals (citizens) in the country, nationals (citizens) employed in the country

- **Publication/dissemination of data on population groups covered:** Nationals (citizens) in the country, nationals (citizens) employed in the country

**Age coverage:** 15 years old and over

### *TOPIC COVERED*

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

**International migration related characteristics:** Country of birth, country of citizenship

- **Coverage for international migration related characteristics:** All persons
- **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 status, occupation, industry/economic sector, status in employment, household income

**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:** Yes

- **Number and name of question not published:** Marital status, household size, country of birth, country of citizenship, country of previous residence
- **Reason not published:** The EHIS focuses on health covering 4 basic modules.

**Information on persons who left to live or work abroad (recruitment, communication, assistance etc.):** 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 persons who work for a public or private employer and receive compensation in the form of wages, salaries, fees, gratuities and payment in kind. It includes as following persons: 1) work in a parent's firm on the base of proper labour contract if they receive regular monetary wages; 2) look after children, elderly persons and dependent persons on the base of contract with local authority or other public administration; 3) are priests of any kind of religion.

### *CLASSIFICATION*

**Classification used for occupation:** ISCO-08

- **Number of digits used to release occupation data:** 2

**Classification used for industry:** NACE, NAICS

- **Number of digits used to release industry data:** 1

**Classification used for status in employment:** ICSE-1993

**Classification used for status in education:** ISCED-2011

### *DATA COLLECTION AND DISSEMINATION*

**Data collection method:** Face-to-face interview by census enumerator using paper questionnaire (PAPI), face-to-face computer assisted interview by census enumerator (CAPI), self-administered by respondent, as part of the questionnaire is also separate questionnaire for smoking and alcoholic consumption, which respondent has to fill personally himself (do not asked by interviewer)

**Compulsory participation of households:** Yes

**Dissemination of results:** Printed publication, Web site ([www.statistics.sk](http://www.statistics.sk))

**Metadata has been prepared and disseminated:** Yes

**Micro-data availability outside NSO/responsible agency:** Yes

- **Limitations:** Anonymised data
- **Cost of obtaining micro-data:** N.A.

### *SAMPLE DESIGN*

**Sample frame used:** Population census

**Completed sample size:**

- **Total households:** 5,490

**Evaluation of the overall response rate or refusal rate:** Yes

## Q2.4. Household Survey: EU-SILC

### *SOURCE*

**Title of survey:** EU-SILC

**Agency responsible:** Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic

### *PERIODICITY AND COVERAGE*

**Periodicity of data collection:** Every one year

**Year the survey first started:** 2005

**Geographical coverage:** Whole country

**Population groups covered:** Nationals (citizens) in the country, nationals (citizens) employed in the country, foreign workers (non-citizens) living in the country

- **Publication/dissemination of data on population groups covered:** Nationals (citizens) in the country, nationals (citizens) employed in the country

**Age coverage:** 16 years old and over

### *TOPIC COVERED*

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

**International migration related characteristics:** Country of birth, country of citizenship, second country of citizenship, country of previous residence for foreigners, country of previous residence for citizens who lived abroad but returned, nationality, foreign workers in the country

- **Coverage for international migration related characteristics:**
  - Country of birth, country of citizenship, second country of citizenship, and country of previous residence for foreigners: All persons
  - Country of previous residence for citizens who lived abroad but returned: Not for all
- **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 status, occupation, industry/economic sector, status in employment, individual earnings per month, household income, hours usually worked, months worked in past year, whether person has had an occupational injury, whether person has had disability

- **Benefits received from the employer:** Unemployment benefits, retirement pension, subsidized housing, free or subsidized food, survivor's benefits, sickness benefits, disability benefits
- **Age coverage:** 16 years old and over

**Remittances related characteristics:** Remittances sent, the total amount sent in the previous 12 months; remittances received, the total amount received in the previous 12 months

**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:** Yes



- **Number and name of question not published:** marital status, country of birth, country of citizenship, country of previous residence for foreigners, country of previous residence for citizens who lived abroad but returned
- **Reason not published:** The EU SILC's goal is to produce regular data on income, poverty and social exclusion.

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

### *CONCEPTS AND DEFINITIONS*

**Definition of international migrant workers:** N.A.

**Definition of national (citizen) living abroad:** It refers to persons who are members of the households with short-term working migration up to one year.

**Definition of employment:** It refers to persons who work at least 1 hour during a week for a public or private employer and receive compensation in the form of wages, salaries, fees, gratuities and payment in kind. It includes as following persons: 1) work in a parent's firm on the base of proper labour contract if they receive regular monetary wages; 2) look after children, elderly persons and dependent persons on the base of contract with local authority or other public administration; 3) are priests of any kind of religion.

### *CLASSIFICATION*

**Classification used for occupation:** ISCO-08

- **Number of digits used to release occupation data:** 2

**Classification used for industry:** NACE, NAICS

- **Number of digits used to release industry data:** 2

**Classification used for status in employment:** ICSE-1993

**Classification used for status in education:** ISCED-2011

### *DATA COLLECTION AND DISSEMINATION*

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

**Compulsory participation of households:** No

**Dissemination of results:** Printed publication (SILC 2014- The Statistics on Income and Living Conditions of Households in the Slovak Republic, June 2015, EU SILC EU SILC - Poverty Indicators and Social Exclusion, October 2015), electronic format (CD-ROM, DVD-ROM, diskettes, etc.), Web site ([www.statistics.sk](http://www.statistics.sk))

**Metadata has been prepared and disseminated:** Yes

**Micro-data availability outside NSO/responsible agency:** Yes

- **Limitations:** Anonymised data
- **Cost of obtaining micro-data:** The micro-data files are provided free of charge for research purposes.

### *SAMPLE DESIGN*

**Sample frame used:** Population census

**Completed sample size:**

- **Total households:** 5 490 (2014)
- **Total individuals:** 13433 (2014)

**Evaluation of the overall response rate or refusal rate:** Yes

## Q2.5. Household Survey: Survey on Usage of Information and Communications Technology

### *SOURCE*

**Title of survey:** Survey on Usage of Information and Communications Technology

**Agency responsible:** Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic

### *PERIODICITY AND COVERAGE*

**Periodicity of data collection:** Every one year

**Year the survey first started:** 2004

**Geographical coverage:** Whole country

**Population groups covered:** Nationals (citizens) in the country, nationals (citizens) employed in the country, foreign workers (non-citizens) living in the country

- **Publication/dissemination of data on population groups covered:** Nationals (citizens) in the country, nationals (citizens) employed in the country, foreign workers (non-citizens) living in the country

**Age coverage:** 16 years old and over

### *TOPIC COVERED*

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

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

- **Coverage for international migration related characteristics:** Not for all
- **Exceptions for international migration related characteristics:**
  - **Exceptions for country of birth and for country of citizenship:** 16 to 74 years old
  - **Exceptions for country of previous residence for citizens who lived abroad but returned:** Only situation one year before

**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, household income, wage or earnings rate per time period

**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:** Yes

- **Number and name of question not published:** Marital status, household size, country of birth, country of citizenship, country of previous residence
- **Reason not published:** ICT is survey on ICT usage in households and by individuals

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

### *CONCEPTS AND DEFINITIONS*

**Definition of international migrant workers:** N.A.

**Definition of national (citizen) living abroad:** It refers to persons who are members of the households with short-term working migration up to one year.

**Definition of employment:** It is defined as persons aged from 16 to 74 provide the estimate of income for the last three months of the calendar year.

### *CLASSIFICATION*

**Classification used for occupation:** ISCO-08

- **Number of digits used to release occupation data:** 2

**Classification used for industry:** NACE, NAICS

- **Number of digits used to release industry data:** 2

**Classification used for status in employment:** ICSE-1993

**Classification used for status in education:** ISCED-2011

### *DATA COLLECTION AND DISSEMINATION*

**Data collection method:** Face-to-face interview by census enumerator using paper questionnaire (PAPI), face-to-face computer assisted interview by census enumerator (CAPI)

**Compulsory participation of households:** Yes

**Dissemination of results:** Printed publication (Survey on usage of information and communications technology in households 2014), Web site ([www.statistics.sk](http://www.statistics.sk))

**Metadata has been prepared and disseminated:** Yes

**Micro-data availability outside NSO/responsible agency:** Yes

- **Limitations:** Anonymised data
- **Cost of obtaining micro-data:** Micro-data file are provided free.

### *SAMPLE DESIGN*

**Sample frame used:** Population census

**Completed sample size:**

- **Total household:** 4,500 (2014)
- **Total individuals:** 4,013 (2014)

**Evaluation of the overall response rate or refusal rate:** Yes

### Q3. Border/Admission Statistics: Statistical Report on Migration

#### *SOURCE*

**Title of source:** Statistical Report on Migration

**Agency responsible:** Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic

#### *PERIODICITY AND COVERAGE*

**Periodicity of data collection:** Every month

**Year the statistics first started:** 1993

**Population coverage:** Entry nationals returning from residence abroad, exit nationals going abroad to live, foreigners entering country to live

- **Publication/dissemination of data on population groups covered:** Entry nationals returning from residence abroad, exit nationals going abroad to live, foreigners entering country to live

**Age coverage:** All ages

#### *CHARACTERISTICS OF PERSONS COVERED*

**Demographic characteristics:** Age, sex, marital status, educational attainment

**Migration related characteristics:** Country of birth, country of citizenship, country of residence, country entering from, reason for departure, reason for coming to country, country of destination, country of origin

**Labour related characteristics:** N.A.

**Data collected and not published/disseminated:** No

#### *CONCEPTS AND DEFINITIONS*

**Definition of overseas visitor:** N.A.

**Definition of country of residence:** It refers to legal residence with intention to live there long-term.

**Definition of international migrant workers:** 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:** National classification (4 basic groups)

#### *DATA COLLECTION AND DISSEMINATION*

**Data collection method:** State statistical survey

**Dissemination of results:** Web site  
(Pre-defined tables: <http://datacube.statistics.sk/TM1Web/TM1WebLogin.aspx>)

**Metadata has been prepared and disseminated:** Yes

**Micro-data availability outside NSO/responsible agency:** Yes

- **Limitations:** With respect to the confidentiality of personal data.
- **Cost of obtaining micro-data:** Micro-data files for research purposes are free of charge.