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Armenia experience

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Official statistics for users

- Guided by the UN Fundamental principles of official statistics and EU Code of Practice, NSS of RA has developed the number of documents and published them on the first page of its official web-site www.armstat.am:
  - The value, fundamental and organizational principles of official statistics, accounting and information systems features for statistical and administrative purposes.
  - What is the administrative register?
  - Objective causes of the deficit of trust in relation to official statistics.
Armenian statistics support through Twining (2011-2013) based on the global assessment 2009, jointly undertaken by Eurostat, UNECE, EFTA

- **Main objective was to harmonize Armenian statistics according to EC standards.**

- **6 components:**
  - quality management, business statistics improvement, improvement in the GDP completeness, agricultural census, Harmonised Index of Consumer Prices, information and communication society statistics.

- **“Quality management” component**

  One of the result of the “Forwarding Armenian Statistics through Twinning” project was focused on quality improvement and increasing the role of statistics in Armenia.

  The objective of the “Quality management” component: documentation, collection, systematisation, and publishing of the metadata and quality indicators for all core datasets on the NSS RA web-site [www.armstat.am](http://www.armstat.am) (page “Documentation” has been launched).
Quality declarations

- List of NSS RA statistical products has been developed
- Quality declarations for 134 products have been developed and organized by following areas:
  - Economics and finance
  - Population and social processes
  - Transport and tourism
  - Foreign trade
  - Agriculture, fisheries and fishing
  - Food supply
  - Environment and energy
- PC Axis/PX Web dissemination tool was implemented and ARMSTATBANK.AM was established, which provides users with fast easy access to statistical information, allows to download data into MS Excel, xml or other formats, and to produce graphs and tables according to their needs. NSS RA is the first statistical service in the world which started to use the new 2012 version.
1. Economy and finances
2. Population and social processes
3. Industry, construction, trade and services
4. Transport and tourism
5. Foreign trade
6. Agriculture, forestry and fishing
7. Food Security
8. Environment and energy
POPULATION (DE JURE) by years and indicators

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**Footnotes**

1According to the Population Census
2According to the 2011 Population Census

**Information**

Unit: thousands and %

Link: Quality declaration NUMBER OF POPULATION

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| **0.3**  | **Responsible Authority, Office, Person, etc** | Mrs. Karine Kuyumjian  
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| **0.4**  | **Purpose and History** | To provide users with quarterly and annual information on the demographic situation, i.e. births, deaths, marriages and divorces by RA marzes (regions, provinces), as well as the births according to the main demographic characteristics of the mother or father, mortality data by sex, age, causes, as well as information on the marriages and divorces by age groups as well as other indicators. The calculation of indicators has a long history and has been maintained since the beginning of the 20th century. It has been regularly improved throughout the years to ensure the comparability with international classifications, composition of indicators and other standards. |
| **0.5**  | **Users and Application** | The main users of the statistical information are the state government and local self-government bodies, public, scientific-educational, financial organizations, business society, mass media, international organizations, etc. |
Thank you for attention

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