

Regional Training Workshop on Linking Population and Housing Censuses with Agricultural Censuses
Noumea, New Caledonia

28 May - 1 June 2012

Practical A: Concepts used in linked census - In country practices and linkage methods

Learning Objective

To identify country practices in defining the concepts involved in a linked population and housing and agriculture census, how to link households to holdings and implications for data users of both population and housing and agriculture censuses.

Output

A 10 minute presentation discussing the concepts used in countries and how the links between household and holding are made when there are special cases of multiple relationships between households and holdings.

Activities

1. Discuss the definitions currently used for the household, farm household and agricultural holding in your countries. Give specifics.
 - *What are the implications of the definitions for the data users?*
 - *Do the definitions proposed in the Guidelines apply to your country? Why or why not?*
2. Consider how households are linked to holdings when there are special cases, such as more than one household managing one holding or one household managing more than one holding.
 - *How are the special cases (where there are multiple relationships) of linked households to holdings treated? What are the situations in which these occur?*
 - *On a practical note how are these cases dealt with during enumeration? How are households linked to holdings during data analysis/in the database?*