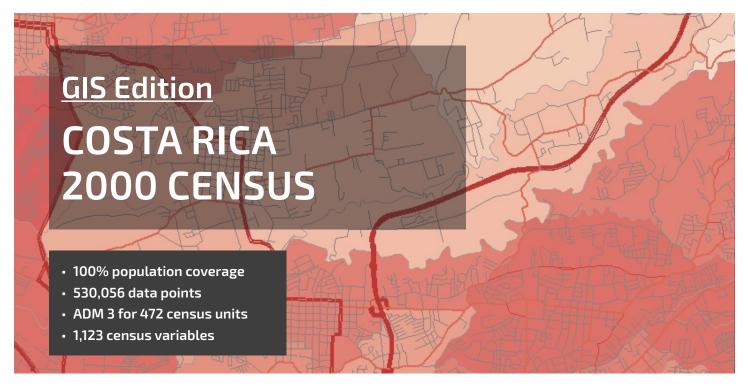
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More than numbers. Census data provides unparalleled insight into the lives of individuals. East View presents the Costa Rica 2000 Census as part of the East View Global Census Archive® (GCA). The Costa Rica 2000 Census addresses a wide range of topics at the highest level of detail possible.

Making information available. When initially acquired, the census data is stored in a complex database structure, with attribute descriptions in Spanish, limiting access to those with significant database management and programming experience. East View simplifies access, formatting the collection into an easy-to-use geodatabase which can be visualized using any GIS software and providing a comprehensive guide. Additionally, East View provides the original census documentation, allowing researchers to see firsthand how the data was gathered.

Note: The Costa Rica 2011 Census (GIS Edition) is also available through GCA

# **CENSUS OVERVIEW**

Year: 2000 Population Coverage %: 100

Geography Coverage %: 100

Smallest Geography Name: Distritos

ADM Level: 3

Polygons at ADM: 472

Number of Ouestions: 37 Number of Answers: 1.123

**Data Points: 530,056** 

Urban/FG: FG

#### Notes

- · Population Coverage % indicates the percentage of total population of the country during the census year that this census covers
- Geography Coverage % indicates the percentage of the total area of the country covered by the ADM polygons in this census
  Urban/FG indicates if this census provides Full Geographic (FG) coverage or if coverage is limited to Urban (U) or populated places

## **DELIVERABLES**

The Costa Rica 2000 Census has 100% population coverage, over 530,000 data points, and consists of:

### Geodatabase

- · Intuitive organization of census data
- Administrative boundary vector data at ADM 3 (Distritos) for 472 census units
- · Vector and aggregated tabular data at the Distritos level

## **Shapefiles**

· All vector and census data in ESRI Shapefile format

### Census Guide

 Detailed descriptions for 1.123 census variables

### **Original Census Documentation** and Database

- · Delivered in native format
- · Census questionnaires

## Metadata

· Full attribute level metadata in FGDC ISO format



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ADM 3/0 boundaries for all of Costa Rica; area in red, over Cartago Costa Rica, available as sample data

## **CENSUS QUESTIONS**

## Below is a representative sample of census questions included in the Costa Rica 2000 Census:

### 1. Demographic

Relationship / Age / Fertility

### 2. Migration

Duration of residence / Relationship of duration of residence to year of arrival

#### 3. Social

Literacy / School attendance / Educational attainment / Language / Ethnicity and indigenous peoples / Disability

## 4. Economic

Activity status / Occupation / Industry / Status in employment

### 5. Housing

Living quarters / Location of living quarters / Occupancy status / Ownership / Rooms / Bedrooms / Useful floor space / Water supply system / Drinking water / Toilet / Sewage disposal / Bathing facilities / Kitchen / Fuel used for cooking / Lighting and/or electricity / Solid waste disposal / Heating / Hot water / Piped

gas / Use of housing unit / Occupancy by one or more households / Number of occupants / Building type / Construction material of outer walls / Construction material of floor, roof / Characteristics of head or other reference member of household / Information and communications technology devices / Cars / Durable household appliances

### 6. Transportation

Vehicles owned

For more information about the Costa Rica 2000 Census, including the availability of corresponding non-GIS materials (published results, supporting questionnaires, other census ephemera, etc.), please contact info@eastview.com

