

GIS Edition  
**COLOMBIA**  
**2005 CENSUS**

- 90.7% population coverage
- 50,685,022 data points
- ADM 6 for 261,263 census units
- 194 census variables

**More than numbers.** Census data provides unparalleled insight into the lives of individuals. East View presents the Colombia 2005 Census as part of the East View Global Census Archive® (GCA). The Colombia 2005 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 first-hand how the data was gathered.

**Note:** The Colombia 2018 Census (GIS Edition) is also available through GCA

**CENSUS OVERVIEW**

<b>Year:</b> 2005	<b>Polygons at ADM:</b> 261,263
<b>Population Coverage %:</b> 90.7	<b>Number of Questions:</b> 42
<b>Geography Coverage %:</b> 0.3	<b>Number of Answers:</b> 194
<b>Smallest Geography Name:</b> Manzanas	<b>Data Points:</b> 50,685,022
<b>ADM Level:</b> 6	<b>Urban/FG:</b> Urban

- 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 Colombia 2005 Census has 90.7% population coverage, over 50 million data points, and consists of:

**Geodatabase**

- Intuitive organization of census data
- Administrative boundary vector data at ADM 6 (Manzanas) for 261,263 census units
- Vector and aggregated tabular data at the Country and Manzana levels

**Shapefiles**

- All vector and census data in ESRI Shapefile format

**Census Guide**

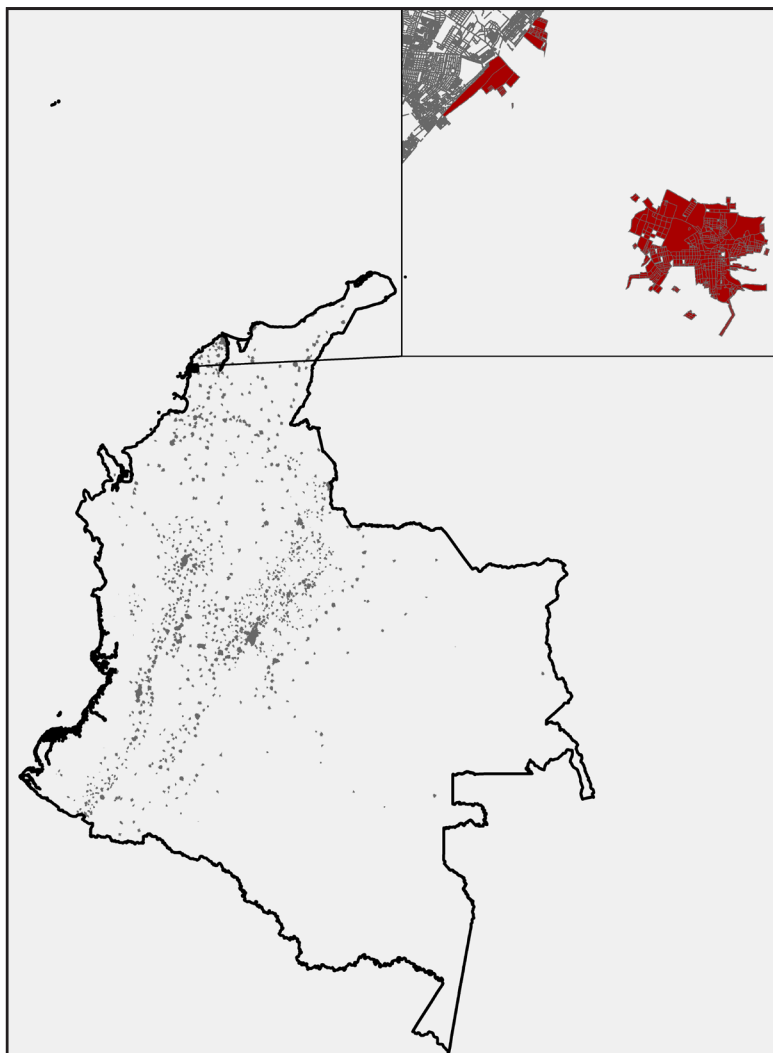
- Detailed descriptions for 194 census variables

**Original Census Documentation and Database**

- Delivered in native format
- Census questionnaires

**Metadata**

- Full attribute level metadata in FGDC ISO format



ADM 6/0 boundaries for all of Colombia;  
inset detail over Turbaco with area in red  
available as sample data

## CENSUS QUESTIONS

Below is a representative sample of census questions included in the Colombia 2005 Census:

### 1. Demographic

Sex / Marital status / Fertility

### 2. Migration

Place of birth / Place of previous residence

### 3. Social

Literacy / School attendance / Educational attainment / Field of education / Disability

### 4. Economic

Activity status / Industry / Status in employment / Income / Institutional sector / Place of work

### 5. Housing

Living quarters / Occupancy status / Ownership / Bathing facilities / Kitchen / Fuel used for cooking / Lighting and/or electricity / Heating / Hot water / Gas / Use of housing unit / Building type

### 6. Transportation

Vehicles owned / Primary transportation type

For more information about the Colombia 2005 Census, including the availability of corresponding non-GIS materials (published results, supporting questionnaires, other census ephemera, etc.), please contact [info@eastview.com](mailto:info@eastview.com)