

Census Workstation of PRC

The Centre has established a census workstation for research and data for micro level studies in collaboration with the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (MoHFW), Govt., of India. The Census workstation is housed in a well established single room of the PRC with all the required and basis facilities like server, Online UPS, computers, chairs, electricity and drinking water. In order to make the workstation operational, the PRC had to make a memorandum of understanding for the setting up of workstation for research on sample micro data from Census with the Office of the Registrar General, Ministry of Home Affairs India. The main objective of Census workstation is:

1. to permit qualified researchers for the optimum use of anonymized micro data from Census for in-depth research by allowing access for generating cross tabulation not published by the census. The facility will be open to all including those who are not enrolled or part of the university.
2. such research would not only allow greater utilization of data by way of generating cross tabulation from confidential micro data not otherwise possible by using aggregate level data available in public domain and in depth study might also contribute towards using improving methodology of the data collection during census as well as identify strengths and weaknesses of micro data.



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