

**STUDY TITLE:** Economic Expectations and Attitudes 1 (1990)  
**Study No.:** 0059  
**Language:** English  
**DEPOSITOR:** Institute of Sociology, Academy of Sciences Czech Republic, Prague.  
**AVAILABILITY:** A – standard conditions  
**DATA SET AND DOCUMENTATION CONDITION:** 2 - standard conditions

## INFORMATION ON THE SURVEY

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The Economic Expectations and Attitudes is a semi-annual (1990-1992) and annual (1993-1997) survey organized by the Socio-economic team of the Institute of Sociology, Academy of Sciences Czech Republic, Prague. The data are collected by STEM - Center for Empirical Studies, Prague.

### Subject of the surveys:

The research focuses on attitudes concerning the central problems of economic transformation (speed of economic reforms, poverty, social justice, role of the state in the economy, privatization, etc.). Besides these attitudes, the financial situation of households and the occupation of household members are also regularly assessed. The survey also covers the most important political issues, such as voting preference, political identification (self-placement on a left-right scale), trust in institutions, satisfaction with the political regime, attitude towards the 'strong hand' of the government, and the openness of the economy in general. A large number of the questions are repeated every year to enable analyses of change in attitudes over time.

### Time and samples of EEA surveys:

Fieldwork dates		Czech	Slovak
		N	N
eea01	I. May, 1990	1107	544
eea02	II. December, 1990	1160	584
eea03	III. June, 1991	1092	597
eea04	IV. December, 1991	1126	583
eea05	V. July, 1992	1104	980
eea06	VI. January, 1993	1142	829
eea07	VII. November, 1993	1113	853
eea08	VIII. November, 1994	1307	816
eea09	IX. January, 1996	1459	-
eea10	X. January, 1997	1421	-

### Language versions:

Data file of EEA I. is in English. Variables and values in the data files of EEA II. - X. have labels only in Czech. The questionnaires of EEA II. - X. are translated into English language.

### Sample Type:

Two-step quota sampling procedure. The region and size of the locality are defined in the first step, age and education in the second.

**Fieldwork Methods:**

Standardized face-to-face interview.

**Weighting:**

Data are not weighted.

Selected characteristics of Czech population compared to EEA I.:

	Czech Rep.	EEA I.
	(older than 18) in %	(Czech R.) in %
<b>SEX:</b>		
male	48.1	47.5
female	51.9	52.5
<b>AGE:</b>		
18 - 29	22.4	22.9
30 - 44	29.5	33.7
45 - 59	24.2	29.5
60 and over	23.9	13.9
<b>EDUCATION:</b>		
primary	23.8	30.0
secondary without diploma	35.9	39.4
secondary with diploma	29.0	22.4
tertiary	11.3	8.2
<b>REGIONS:</b>		
Prague	11.8	11.7
Central Bohemia	10.8	11.5
South Bohemia	6.8	6.9
West Bohemia	8.3	8.7
North Bohemia	11.4	10.5
East Bohemia	12.0	11.4
South Moravia	19.9	19.9
North Moravia	19.0	19.5

Source of data for the Czech Rep.: Census 1991.

**References:**

**Related data files:**

Economic Expectations and Attitudes 1: Study No. 0048 (Czech), 0059 (English).  
 Economic Expectations and Attitudes 2: Study No. 0049 (Czech), 0060 (English).  
 Economic Expectations and Attitudes 3: Study No. 0050 (Czech), 0061 (English).  
 Economic Expectations and Attitudes 4: Study No. 0051 (Czech), 0062 (English).  
 Economic Expectations and Attitudes 5: Study No. 0052 (Czech), 0063 (English).  
 Economic Expectations and Attitudes 6: Study No. 0053 (Czech), 0064 (English).  
 Economic Expectations and Attitudes 7: Study No. 0054 (Czech), 0065 (English).

Economic Expectations and Attitudes 8: Study No. 0055 (Czech), 0066 (English).  
Economic Expectations and Attitudes 9: Study No. 0056 (Czech), 0067 (English).  
Economic Expectations and Attitudes 10: Study No. 0057 (Czech), 0068 (English).

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