

STUDY TITLE:

Strategies and Actors of Social Transformation and Modernisation (1995) - Czech Republic

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AVAILABILITY: category A - standard conditions

DATA SET AND DOCUMENTATION CONDITION:

category 2 - standard

INFORMATION ON THE SURVEY**Focus of the survey:**

The survey was conducted as a part of the System Change and Modernization project (France, the Czech Republic, Poland, Slovakia) which was focused on exploration of the dynamic of the change of the system and of modernization in the course of so called "transition" after the collapse of communist regimes at East to the recent period. The main objective of the survey is to bring an empirical evidence on the dynamic of change at the macro level on the basis of a comparison between Poland, the Czech Republic, and Slovakia.

The data allow to identify:

1. the most influential social and institutional actors, their interests and strategies, participation in relation to the processes of transformation and modernization
2. perception of national authorities, political and economical strategies of transformation and modernization, and social polities offered to different groups affected by these strategies.

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National Data Files:

Country	N	Date of Fieldwork
Czech Republic	1235	June 1995
Slovakia	959	summer 1995
Poland	2000	fall 1995

CZECH REPUBLIC:**FIELDWORK DATES:**

from 20-th June to 3-rd July 1995

INVESTIGATORS:

The Czech survey was carried out by the Research team on transformation and modernization, Institute of Sociology, Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic, Prague. The fieldwork was carried out by STEM - Center for Empirical Studies, Prague.

General Population:

Population of the Czech Republic 20 - 59 years of age.

Sampling Procedure:

Random stratified sample, random walk.

Fieldwork Methods:

Standardized face-to-face interview. Trained interviewers of STEM and STEM/MARK. Before the interviewer's visit, all respondents (or their households) were notified by a letter asking for their cooperation.

Sample Size:

1 235

Response Rates:

response rate 37,8%

total sample 3 261

total received 1 235

total non-responce	2 026
inquirer refused co-op.	1 739
other non-responce	287

Weighting:

Data should be weighted. The weight (WFILE) is based on age, sex, education and community size.

Comparison to Characteristic of Population (in %):

	Czech Rep.	Data File (not weighted)
SEX:		
male	50.1	45.5
female	49.9	54.5
AGE:		
20 - 29	26.3	18.8
30 - 44	39.8	39.7
45 - 59	33.9	41.5
EDUCATION:		
primary	23.6	9.2
secondary without diploma	39.9	39.0
secondary with diploma	27.0	39.0
tertiary	9.5	12.7
SIZE OF COMMUNITY:		
- 999	13.8	16.6
1000-1999	8.9	9.4
2000-4999	11.3	11.6
5000-19999	20.0	21.7
20000-99999	20.1	18.1
100000 +	26.9	22.5
REGIONS:		
Prague	11.8	8.4
Central Bohemia	10.7	11.8
South Bohemia	6.8	7.1
West Bohemia	8.5	9.4
North Bohemia	11.6	10.6
East Bohemia	11.8	12.6
South Moravia	19.6	20.0
North Moravia	19.3	19.9

Source of data for the Czech Republic: Census 1991.

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