

2023 NAMIBIA POPULATION AND HOUSING CENSUS

FORM A: CONVENTIONAL HOUSEHOLDS



SECTION A

Identification Information:

Region : _____

Code:

Constituency : _____

Code:

EA Code :

EA Rural/Urban:

Locality Name : _____

Structure Number:

Household Number :

Dwelling Unit Number:

Date of Interview : Time started:
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Particulars of the Household

Physical Address of the household : _____

Telephone/Mobile Number of the Household (If any),
add the neighbours contacts if possible : _____

Name of Head/ acting head of Household (Include well-known name if any), the Head being
recorded here is one that spent the Census Reference Night in the household : _____

Name of Primary Respondent : _____

Form _____ of _____

Total number of questionnaires
for this household:

Questionnaire number of this
household (for persons Number 01
-10=1, Numbers 11-20=2, etc.) :

Household Type

100 Conventional households

My name is _____ I am a representative of the Namibia Statistics Agency (NSA). The NSA is conducting the 2023 Namibia Population and Housing Census. All persons who spent the census reference night (i.e. 24 September 2023) in this household including babies, old people, persons with disabilities, visitors and those who were on night shift e.g. nurses, security guards etc. must be counted.

The Statistics Act (Act no. 9 of 2011) requires that all persons in Namibia participate in the census. Please be assured that all information to be collected will be kept confidential. The information collected will only be used for statistical purposes. People who misuse the data collected can be prosecuted. I would now like to ask you the following questions, which I will record in this Tablet.

STATISTICS ACT, Act No. 9, 2011 (CONFIDENTIALITY)

- 44 A document, information, or a record provided to the Agency that relates to an individual and household, may not be disclosed to a third party; admitted as evidence in legal proceedings, or disclosed to a government body for non-statistical purposes.
- 45 A person employed in carrying out data collection must take the Oath of Office and Secrecy prior to commencing the data collection exercise.

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B		SECTION B: FOR ALL PERSONS																										
B1		B2a				B2b		B2c		B3			B4		B5		B6			B7		B8		B9		B10		
PERSON LINE NUMBER		What are the names of all the persons who spent the census reference night (i.e. 24 September 2023) in this household?				Apart from the listed names, are there any babies, small children, persons with disability, persons that passed on/died, visitors or elderly persons who spent the census reference night (i.e. 24 September 2023) in this household?		Is [NAME] a usual member of this household?		Relationship			Sex		Age		Marital Status: For persons aged 8 years and above			Age at first marriage/ consensual union		Ethnicity		Citizenship		Type of Citizenship		
										What is [NAME]'s relationship to the head/acting head of the household?			Is [NAME] male or female?		How old was [NAME] on his/her last birthday?		What is [NAME]'s marital status?			What was [NAME]'s age at first marriage/ consensual union?		Which ethnic group does (NAME) belong to?		What is [NAME]'s Country of Citizenship?		Is [NAME] a Namibian citizen by...		
		Start with the head/acting head of household.				If yes go back to B2a and record all the names. If no, continue.		Usual member: Refers to persons who have been living in the household for 6 months or more, or intend to stay in the household for the next 6 months.		Head/Acting Head			01		Age referred to is age as per last birthday before or on the census reference night (i.e. 24 September 2023) If < 1 year, enter 000 If > 120 years, enter 120 If unknown, probe and estimate					For those coded 2,3,4,5,6 & 7 in B6 If age is not known enter 999 If > 120 years, enter 120			The respondent should provide the ethnic group they strongly associate themselves with. Write down the ethnic group If respondent doesn't know, write don't know		Write down the Country of Citizenship If not Namibian go to B11 If respondent does not have a citizenship, write No Country of Citizenship		Read out the categories and record the appropriate response	
		The head or acting head is the person who is 12 years or older and is the main decision-maker in the household.								Spouse			02															
		List the names and surnames of all persons including those who were on night shift (security guards, nurses, domestic workers) and all members who were absent overnight, for example working or attending events/ gatherings (entertainment venue or at a religious gathering, attending funerals or weddings etc.) must be included								Partner			03															
										Daughter/Son			04															
										Daughter/ Son-In-Law			05															
										Grandchild			06															
										Parent			07															
										Parent-in-Law			08															
	Sister/ Brother									09																		
	Sister/ Brother-In-Law									10																		
	Persons who died on or after the Census night, must be counted as alive				Other Relative			11																				
	Interviewer: make a complete list of everyone and fill in questions B3 -B5 before going on to B6 - B24				Yes		1		Yes		1		Domestic Worker			12		Male		1					Birth		1	
					No		2		No		2		Other Non-Relative			13		Female		2					Descent		2	
		NAME				CODE		CODE		CODE			CODE		YEARS		CODE			YEARS		ETHNIC GROUP		COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP		CODE		

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B		PART B: FOR ALL PERSONS				MIGRATION QUESTIONS (B13 - B16): FOR ALL PERSONS																							
B1		B11		B12		B13a			B13b			B14a			B14b			B15			B16a			B16b			B17		
PERSON NUMBER	Birth Certificate		Identification Card (ID): For persons aged 16 years and above		Birth Place Region			Birth Place Country			Usual Residence Region			Usual Residence Country			Duration at the place of Usual Residence			Previous Residence: 12 months ago			Previous Residence: 12 months ago			Main Reason for Moving: For persons aged 8 years and above and B14 ≠ B16 and B15 < 1 year			
	Has [NAME] ever been issued with a Birth Certificate?		Has [NAME] ever been issued with a Namibian Identification Card (ID)?		In which region was [NAME]'s mother usually living when [NAME] was born?			In which country was [NAME]'s mother usually living when [NAME] was born?			In which region does [NAME] usually live?			In which country does [NAME] usually live?			For how long has [NAME] been living at the Place of Usual Residence in completed years?			In which region did [NAME] usually live 12 months ago (i.e. October 2022)?			In which country did [NAME] usually live 12 months ago (i.e. October 2022)?			What was the main reason [NAME] moved to the place where he/she usually lives/resides?			
					//Kharas 01 ► B14						//Kharas 01 ► B15									//Kharas 01 ► B17									
					Erongo 02 ► B14						Erongo 02 ► B15									Erongo 02 ► B17									
					Hardap 03 ► B14						Hardap 03 ► B15									Hardap 03 ► B17									
					Kavango East 04 ► B14						Kavango East 04 ► B15									Kavango East 04 ► B17			To take up a job 01						
					Kavango West 05 ► B14						Kavango West 05 ► B15									Kavango West 05 ► B17			Job transfer 02						
					Khomas 06 ► B14						Khomas 06 ► B15									Khomas 06 ► B17			To look for work, clients 03						
					Kunene 07 ► B14						Kunene 07 ► B15									Kunene 07 ► B17			Education (e.g. studying, schooling, training) 04						
					Ohangwena 08 ► B14						Ohangwena 08 ► B15									Ohangwena 08 ► B17			Marriage 05						
					Omaheke 09 ► B14						Omaheke 09 ► B15									Omaheke 09 ► B17			Divorce/seperation 06						
					Omusati 10 ► B14						Omusati 10 ► B15									Omusati 10 ► B17			Family moved/ Joining family 07						
					Oshana 11 ► B14						Oshana 11 ► B15									Oshana 11 ► B17			Medical treatment, Health 08						
					Oshikoto 12 ► B14						Oshikoto 12 ► B15									Oshikoto 12 ► B17			Conflict, Insecurity, Natural disaster 09						
	Yes, Birth certificate issued by Namibian Government 1		Yes, New ID 1		Otjozondjupa 13 ► B14						Otjozondjupa 13 ► B15									Otjozondjupa 13 ► B17			Lifestyle, cost-of-living 10						
Yes, Birth certificate issued by Foreign Government 2		Yes, South West Africa (SWA) ID 2		Zambezi 14 ► B14						Zambezi 14 ► B15									Zambezi 14 ► B17			Job loss/retrenchment/contract ended 11							
No 3		No 3		Outside Namibia 15						Outside Namibia 15									Outside Namibia 15			Other (Specify_____) 12							
Don't know 9		Don't know 9		Don't Know 99 ► B14						Don't Know 99 ► B15									Don't Know 99 ► B17			Don't Know 99							
CODE		CODE		REGION CODE			COUNTRY NAME			REGION CODE			COUNTRY NAME			NUMBER			REGION CODE			COUNTRY NAME			CODE				

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F		FERTILITY: FOR ALL FEMALES AGED 12 TO 54 YEARS																			
B1		F1		F2		F3		F4		F5		F6		F7		F8		F9		F10	
BEFORE STARTING WITH SECTION F, TRANSFER FROM SECTION B THE PERSON NUMBER FOR ALL FEMALES AGED 12 TO 54 YEARS		How many live births has [NAME] ever had?		How many of [NAME]'s biological children were with you on the census reference night (i.e. 24 September 2023)?		How many of [NAME]'s biological children were elsewhere on the night (i.e. 24 September 2023)?		How many of [NAME]'s biological children are no longer alive?		How old was [NAME] when she had her first live birth?		<i>These questions refer to the last live birth</i> What was the month and year of [NAME]'s last live birth? Record using this format "YYYYMM" If don't know enter 9999 for year & 99 for month,		Was [NAME]'s last live birth single or a multiple?		Was [NAME]'s last live birth male or female?		Is [NAME]'s last live birth still alive?		Who assisted with the delivery of [NAME]'s last live birth?	
		Enter number of live births by sex																			
PERSON NUMBER		If none enter 00, If don't know enter 99, Else go to next person or section G		If none enter 00, Else go to next person or section G		If none enter 00, Else go to next person or section G		If none enter 00, Else go to next person or section G		Enter Age in complete years, if don't know enter 99											
		NUMBER		NUMBER		NUMBER		NUMBER		Age in complete years		YEAR		MONTH		CODE		NUMBER		NUMBER	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female					Male	Female	Male	Female	CODE	

G MORTALITY: Deaths in the household (Last 12 months)																				
G1				G2		G3		G4		G5		G6			G7a		G7b		G7c	
(Deaths in the last 12 months)																				
How many deaths have occurred in this household from October 2022 to September 2023?		DECEASED PERSON LINE NUMBER		What is/are the name(s) of the deceased household member(s)? <i>List all names and surnames of persons who died in this household</i>		Was [NAME] male or female? Male 1 Female 2		How old was [NAME] when he/she died? <i>If < 1 years, enter 000</i> <i>If > 120 years, enter 120</i> <i>Enter 999 for don't know</i> <i>Record the age in complete years</i>		Was the death of [NAME] registered? Yes 1 No 2 Don't know 9		Did [NAME] die due to...? <i>Read out all categories and select the appropriate cause of death.</i> <i>For females aged 12 -54 go to G7a, else end individual interview.</i> Cancer 01 Covid 19/ Covid19 related 02 Diabetes (High/low Blood Sugar) 03 Heart Disease 04 Hypertension/High blood pressure (Stroke) 05 Lung Disease 06 Vomiting/diarrhea 07 Other illness 08 Accident 09 Murder 10			Did [NAME] die while pregnant?		Did [NAME] die while giving birth?		Did [NAME] die within 6 weeks of the end of a pregnancy or child birth?	
This refers to persons who died after having spent, or had an intention to stay for 6 months or more in this household, including deceased newborns and newlyweds. The deaths should not include person who died on or after the census reference night (i.e. 24 September 2023).																				
Enter number of deaths, if none enter 00 and go to section H																				
NUMBER				NAME		CODE		NUMBER		CODE		CODE			CODE		CODE		CODE	

H HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS

H1 What is the type of Housing Unit?

Formal dwelling/house or brick/concrete block structure on a separate stand or yard or on farm	01	
Traditional dwelling/hut/structure made of traditional materials	02	
Flat or apartment in a block of flats/flat or apartment in a block of flats in a complex	03	
Cluster house in complex	04	
Town house (semi-detached house in complex)	05	
Semi-detached house	06	
Formal dwelling/house/flat/room/servant quarters/granny flat/cottage in the backyard	07	
Informal dwelling/shack in backyard	08	
Informal dwelling/shack not in backyard, e.g. in an informal/squatter settlement or on farm	09	
Caravan/tent	10	
Single Quaters	11	
Other (Specify_____)	12	

H2 What is the ownership status of this Housing/Dwelling Unit?

Owned and fully paid off (without Mortgage)	1	
Owned, but not yet fully paid off (with Mortgage)	2	
Rented (Individual)	3	
Rented from other (Government, Local Authority, Parastatal, Private firms)	4	
Occupied rent free	5	
Other (Specify_____)	6	

H3 What is the main material used for the roof?

Corrugated iron/zinc sheet	01	
Asbestos sheet	02	
Brick tiles	03	
Concrete	04	
Thatch, grass	05	
Slate	06	
Wood covered with melthoid	07	
Sticks with mud and cow-dung	08	
Tin	09	
Wood/board/plastic/Canvas	10	
Other (Specify_____)	11	

H4 What is the main material used for the outer walls?

Cement blocks/Bricks/Stones	01	
Burnt bricks/Face bricks	02	
Mud/Clay bricks	03	
Corrugated iron/Zinc	04	
Prefabricated materials	05	
Wood poles/Sticks or Grass/Reeds	06	
Sticks with mud/Clay/Cow dung	07	
Tin	08	
Wood/board/plastic/Canvas	09	
Other (Specify_____)	10	

H5 What is the main material used for the floor?

Sand/Earth	01	
Cement	02	
Mud/Clay	03	
Wood	04	
Concrete	05	
Tiles (Ceramic/Wood/Plastic)	06	
Interlocks/Bricks	07	
Other (Specify_____)	08	

H6 How many rooms are used for sleeping?

Include living rooms, dining rooms, study rooms, kitchens and garages if used for sleeping purposes but exclude bathrooms, passageways, hallways, verandas, stoops, lobbies and toilets	
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H HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS

H7	What is the household's MAIN source of water for cooking and drinking? Mark "X" in appropriate box	Cooking	Drinking
	Piped water inside from Local water scheme (operated by service provider)		
	Piped water outside from Local water scheme (operated by service provider)		
	Public Pipe water from Local water scheme (operated by service provider)		
	Boreholes/Boreholes with tank covered		
	Boreholes with open tank		
	River/Dam/Stream		
	Canal		
	Well Protected		
	Well Unprotected		
	Bottled /filtered/purified water		
	None/Do not cook		
	Other (Specify _____)		

H8	What is the MAIN source of energy this household uses for cooking?	
	Electricity from mains	01
	Electricity from generator	02
	Gas	03
	Paraffin/Kerosene	04
	Wood/ Firewood	05
	Charcoal	06
	Coal	07
	Solar energy	08
	Animal dung	09
	None/Do not cook	00
	Other (Specify _____)	10

H9	What is the MAIN source of energy this household uses for lighting?	
	Electricity from mains	01
	Electricity from generator	02
	Gas	03
	Paraffin/Kerosene	04
	Wood	05
	Candles	06
	Animal Dung	07
	Solar Energy	08
	Battery Lamp / Torch/ Cellphone	09
	None	00
	Other (Specify _____)	10

H10	What is the household's MAIN type of toilet facility?	
	Private Flush connected to main sewer	01
	Private flush connected to septic cesspool	02
	Private flush not connected main sewer/ septic cesspool	03
	Public Flush connected to main sewer.	04
	Public Flush connected to the septic cesspool.	05
	Public Flush not connected to main sewer /septic cesspool.	06
	Chemical toilet (mobile toilet)	07
	Pit latrine with ventilation pipe	08
	Covered pit latrine without ventilation pipe	09
	Uncovered pit latrine without ventilation pipe	10
	Bucket toilet (manually removed)	11
	No toilet facility/Open defecation (bush, riverbed, fields, plastic bag)	12
	Other, specify	13

H11	What MAIN means of waste disposal for this household?	
	Record only the MAIN	
	Regularly collected	01
	Irregularly collected	02
	Burning	03
	Roadside dumping	04
	Rubbish Pit	05
	Burying	06
	Dump in the field/bush	07
	Other (Specify _____)	08

H12	What is the MAIN language spoken in this household?	
	Write the language in the space provided. If sign language is used by the household, write Sign Language	

H13	What is the household's MAIN source of income/ livelihood/survival? Record MAIN source only	
	Salaries and / or wages	01
	Subsistence farming	02
	Commercial farming	03
	Business activities, non-farming	04
	Cash remittances domestic (not including alimony/child support)	05
	Cash remittances international (not including alimony/child support)	06
	Rental income	07
	Interest from savings/investments	08
	Old age pension	09
	War veterans/ex-combatants grants	10
	Disability grants	11
	State maintenance grants	12
	Foster parent grant	13
	Vulnerable grant	14
	From workmen's compensation unemployment insurance, social security	15
	Motor Vehicle Accident (MVA) Funds	16
	Pensions from employment and/or annuity funds	17
	GIPF	18
	Alimony	19
	Drought relief assistance	20
	Harambee/Food bank	21
	In kind receipts	22
	Child support (Parents)	23
	Other (Specify _____)	24

H14	Does the household own or have access to any of the following assets?			
	READ ALL RESPONSES AND SELECT ALL THAT APPLY			
	Mark "X" in all the appropriate boxes. Mark either own, access or none only. For Home fixed internet connectivity and Mobile internet connectivity, only select between access and none.			
	Assets	Own	Access	None
	Transportation assets			
	Motor car			
	Motorbike/cycle			
	Bicycle			
	Animal-drawn cart			
	Boat/Canoe			
	Communication assets			
	Computer/Laptop			
	Smartphone			
	Radio			
	Television			
	TV decoder (e.g. DSTV, GoTV)			
	Telephone (fixed)			
	Telephone (mobile)			
	Home fixed internet connectivity			
	Mobile internet connectivity			
	Housing assets			
	Refrigerator/Freezer			
	Electrical/gas stove			
	Air conditioner			
	Generator			
	Microwave			
	Washing machine			
	Sewing/knitting machine			
	Vacuum cleaner			

H HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS

H15 Does this household own/ have the rights over the land where this dwelling is built?

Only for those coded 1, 2 & 8 in H2

Yes	1	
No	2	► H17
Don't know	9	► H17

H16 What legal right does this household have over the ownership of this land where your dwelling is built?

Record only MAIN.

Customary Land Rights - Registered	01	
Customary land rights - Unregistered	02	
Occupational Land rights	03	
Leasehold / Contracts - Urban and declared settlements	04	
Leasehold / Contracts - Agricultural (Commercial)	05	
Leasehold / Contracts - Communal	06	
Starter Title	07	
Landhold Title	08	
Freehold Title	09	
Other (Specify _____)	10	
Don't know	99	

H17 Has any usual member of this household engaged in the following production activities in the past 12 months (October 2022 to September 2023)?

Read out all categories and mark "X" for all applicable responses

If yes in crops, then go to H18

If yes in livestock, then go to H19

If Yes/No for Aquaculture, Fishing and forestry and if No for crop/livestock end interview

Production Activity	Yes	No
Aquaculture		
Fishing		
Forestry		
Crop farming		
Livestock farming		

If No for all, then End Interview

H18 If Yes on crops in H17, what type of crop is the household engaged in? Mark "X" for all that apply

Cereals	Type	Number of plots	Size (Hectares)
Mahangu/millet (pure stand)	01		
Maize (pure stand)	02		
Sorghum (pure stand)	03		
Wheat (pure stand)	04		
Mixed cropping	05		
Vegetables and melons (pure stand)	Type	Number of plots	Size (Hectares)
Melons	06		
Pumpkins	07		
Cabbages	08		
Spinach	09		
Carrots	10		
Tomatoes	11		
Onions	12		
Leguminous crops (pure stand)	Type	Number of plots	Size (Hectares)
Beans	13		
Cow Peas	14		
Bambara Beans	15		
Fruits trees (pure stand)	Type	Number of plots	Number of trees
Mangoes	16		
Paw-Paws	17		
Lemons	18		
Guavas	19		
Oranges	20		
Other Fruit and nuts (pure stand)	Type	Number of plots	Size (Hectares)
Grapes	21		
Dates	22		
Berries	23		
Nuts	24		
Other specify	25		

H19 If Yes on livestock in H17, what type of livestock is the household raising? Enter the appropriate code from codelist 5.1 or 5.2

Cattle, small stock and equine	Type	Number (as at the reference night)
Cattle	01	
Goats	02	
Sheep	03	
Pigs	04	
Donkeys	05	
Horses	06	
Poultry		
Chickens	07	
Ducks	08	
Geese	09	
Other specify	10	

H20 What is the MAIN purpose of production of this/these agricultural activity/activities?

Producing mainly for sale	1	
Producing mainly for sale with some for own consumption	2	
Producing mainly for own consumption with some for sale	3	
Producing mainly for own consumption	4	

Field Administrative Information

Final Results

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RESULT CODES

- 1 = Completed
 2 = Partially completed
 3 = Refusal
 4 = Non- contact - Temporarily out
 5 = Moved out / Vacant / Unoccupied / Under construction
 6 = Non-accessible
 7 = Demolished, Non existent
 8 = Disregard

Comments on any result code 2 to 8:

Number of persons in the Household

Female

Male

Total

Date of Interview

Ended on

D D M M

Time ended

H H M M

Field Staff

Enumerator:

Name :

Signature :

Supervisor:
Name

Signature :

Staff code :

Date :

D D M M

Staff code :

Date :

D D M M