

## Business and Consumer Surveys

Metadata Overview

Contact data		
Country	Lithuania	
Survey	Consumer	
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Methodology		
Population & frame list	Population unit	Only individuals older than 16 and younger than 85 are surveyed.
	Population size	2289712
	Survey sampling frame	Other
	<i>If other, specify</i>	Population register of the Republic of Lithuania
	Size of sampling frame	2289712
	Frequency of update of the sampling frame	At least every year
Sampling & accuracy	Sampling method	Stratified sampling (e.g. age, gender, socio-economic group etc.)
	<i>If applicable: variables used for strata/quota definition</i>	The entire Lithuanian territory will be divided into 25 non-overlapping groups – strata. The population of the 5 largest cities of Lithuania, population of other cities in each of 10 counties and rural population in each of the 10 counties will form separate strata. From every stratum, a simple random sample of individuals aged 16 –84 will be drawn from the Population Register.
	<i>Comments, if any</i>	
	<i>Do you use sample weights to correct for sample bias?</i>	Yes
	<i>If yes, weighting variables used</i>	Population in strata, population by sex, and certain age groups
	Panel sampling	No
	<i>if yes, describe the process for panel refreshment</i>	
	Number of units contacted (per month)	1490
Number of units replying to the survey (per month)	1277	
Response rate (per month)	86%	
Data collection	Survey method	Mixed mode
	<i>If mixed mode, specify the distribution between modes</i>	CAWI-14.4%, CATI-67.2%, CAPI-18.4%
	Fieldwork period - usual start date	The first day of the month
	Fieldwork period - usual end date	17th day of the month
	Does the fieldwork period include weekends / public holidays?	Yes
Additional remarks on the methodology		
Last update	June 2023	