Business and Consumer Survey
Metadata Overview

Contact data

Country	**Lithuania**
Survey	**Retail Trade**

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Methodology

Population & frame list	Population unit	Firm/enterprise
	Do you apply a cut-off?	yes
	If yes, specify	firms with ≥5 employees and ≥10000 eur turnover are surveyed
	Population size (before cut-off)	16351
	Survey sampling frame	Business register
	If other, specify	
	Size of sampling frame	3405
	Weighted frame coverage	100.0%
	Frequency of update of the sampling frame	At least every year
Sampling & accuracy	Sampling method	Stratified sampling (e.g. branch, firm size etc.)
	If applicable: variables used for strata/quota definition	Enterprises are assigned to strata according to the kind of activity and the number of employees. In each stratum a random sample of enterprises is drawn using the Neyman (optimum) allocation.
	Comments, if any	
	Weighting scheme	yes
	If yes, weights applied at firm level	Turnover
	If yes, weights applied at branch level	Employment
	If other, specify	
	Panel sampling	no
	if yes, describe the process for panel refreshment	
	Number of units contacted (per month)	484
	Number of units replying to the survey (per month)	481
	Response rate	99.4%
	Weighted sample coverage	65.3%
	Treatment of unit non-response	None
	Remarks	
	Treatment of item non-response	None
	Remarks	All statistical survey indicators are filled in, there are no blank values.
Data collection	Survey method	Mixed mode
	If mixed mode, specify the distribution between modes	Statistical data are collected via the electronic statistical data preparation and transmission system e-Statistics - 99%, by phone - 1%
	Fieldwork period - usual start date	The first day of the month
	Fieldwork period - usual end date	20th day of the month

Additional remarks on the methodology	
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