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Question **1**
Correct
Mark 1.0 out of 1.0

Census errors can only occur during enumeration.

Select one:

- True
- False ✓

Census errors may occur at the various stages of the census operation such as of the enumeration, data processing
The correct answer is 'False'.



Question **2**

Partially correct

Mark 0.5 out of 1.0

Which of the following are sources of coverage errors?

Select one or more:

a.

Incomplete or inaccurate maps/ lists of enumeration areas ✓

b.

Housing units in a given enumeration area not located due to geographical barriers ✓

c.

Woman's age at last birthday is recorded as 20 and his age at birth of first child born alive is 25

d.

Head of household refuses to be interviewed and tells the enumerator that some people had collected data from them in the past but they have never seen the benefits

e.

Enumerator errors in phrasing questions

f.

Head of household refuses to be interviewed and tells the enumerator that he does not understand why the government wants to get information on him and his family

Your answer is partially correct.

You have correctly selected 2.

The correct answers are:

Incomplete or inaccurate maps/ lists of enumeration areas,

Housing units in a given enumeration area not located due to geographical barriers,

Head of household refuses to be interviewed and tells the enumerator that some people had collected data from them in the past but they have never seen the benefits, Head of household refuses to be interviewed and tells the enumerator that he does not understand why the government wants to get information on him and his family

Question **3**

Correct

Mark 1.0 out of 1.0

Which of the following statements are not correct about the post enumeration survey?

Select one or more:

a. All persons enumerated during the census are enumerated ✓

b. A sample of enumeration areas in the country are selected

c. All the households in all enumeration areas in the country are enumerated ✓

d. All enumeration areas in the country are selected ✓

e. Checks for coverage and content errors in census data

Your answer is correct.

The correct answers are: All persons enumerated during the census are enumerated, All the households in all enumeration areas in the country are enumerated, All enumeration areas in the country are selected



Question 4

Partially correct

Mark 0.7 out of 1.0

Which of the following are true about the canvasser method of enumeration?

Select one or more:

- a. In a housing unit being enumerated, the head of the household is given the responsibility of entering information in the census questionnaire.
- b. Census officials are recruited and go round the assigned enumeration area to collect and enter information in the census questionnaire for each individual and for each household ✓
- c. Most effective only if a high percentage of the population is literate and education attainment is relatively high
- d. Allows for consultations among family members when they complete the census form
- e. Enumerators are thoroughly trained in census procedures and instructions, this may increase the quality and consistency of the data ✓
- f. Misapplication of the rules by one enumerator can lead to misreporting in an entire enumeration area

Your answer is partially correct.

You have correctly selected 2.

The correct answers are:

Census officials are recruited and go round the assigned enumeration area to collect and enter information in the census questionnaire for each individual and for each household,
Enumerators are thoroughly trained in census procedures and instructions, this may increase the quality and consistency of the data,
Misapplication of the rules by one enumerator can lead to misreporting in an entire enumeration area

Question 5

Correct

Mark 1.0 out of 1.0

Which of the following are true about simultaneity as a feature of the census?

Select one or more:

- a. Enumeration of each person and each set of living quarters in the country should be at different reference point in time
- b. Enumeration of each person and each set of living quarters in the country should be at the same defined reference point in time ✓
- c. All data collected should have the same well-defined reference period
- d. Data collected should have a well-defined reference period ✓

Your answer is correct.

The correct answers are: Enumeration of each person and each set of living quarters in the country should be at the same defined reference point in time, Data collected should have a well-defined reference period



Question **6**

Partially correct

Mark 0.7 out of 1.0

Which of the following are true about the householder method of enumeration?

Select one or more:

- a. In a housing unit being enumerated, the head of the household is given the responsibility of entering information in the census questionnaire. ✓
- b. Census officials are recruited and go round the assigned enumeration area to collect and enter information in the census questionnaire for each individual and for each household.
- c. Most effective only if a high percentage of the population is literate and education attainment is relatively high. ✓
- d. Allows for consultations among family members when they complete the census form
- e. Enumerators are thoroughly trained in census procedures and instructions, thus may increase the quality and consistency of the data.
- f. Misapplication of the rules by one enumerator can lead to misreporting in an entire enumeration area

Your answer is partially correct.

You have correctly selected 2.

The correct answers are:

In a housing unit being enumerated, the head of the household is given the responsibility of entering information in the census questionnaire.

, Most effective only if a high percentage of the population is literate and education attainment is relatively high., Allows for consultations among family members when they complete the census form

Question **7**

Correct

Mark 1.0 out of 1.0

When individuals are enumerated where they are found at the census date, regardless of one's usual place of residence, it is terms as a population

Select one:

- a. De facto ✓
- b. De jure

Your answer is correct.

The correct answer is: De facto



Question **8**

Correct

Mark 1.0 out of 1.0

Which of the following population census topics under the Demographic and Social Characteristics are considered sensitive in some countries?

Select one or more:

- a. Age
- b. Ethnicity ✓
- c. Sex
- d. Marital status
- e. Religion ✓

Your answer is correct.

The correct answers are: Ethnicity, Religion

Question **9**

Correct

Mark 1.0 out of 1.0

Which of the following topics under the Economic Characteristics were not covered in Zambia's 2010 population census?

Select one or more:

- a. Occupation
- b. Number of hours worked ✓
- c. Industry ✗
- d. Status in employment
- e. Income ✓

Your answer is correct.

The correct answers are: Number of hours worked, Income

Question **10**

Correct

Mark 1.0 out of 1.0

A population is when individuals are enumerated at their usual place of residence, regardless of where they stayed on the census date.

Select one:

- a. De facto
- b. De jure ✓

Your answer is correct.

The correct answer is: De jure



Question **11**

Incorrect

Mark 0.0 out of 1.0

In the population census, detailed cross-tabulations are not subject to sampling errors because of its:

Select one:

- a. Simultaneity feature
- b. Individual enumeration feature ✘
- c. Universality feature
- d. None of the above

Your answer is incorrect.

The correct answer is: Universality feature

Question **12**

Correct

Mark 1.0 out of 1.0

A census provides a 'snapshot in time' of the population of interest.

Select one:

- True ✔
- False

A census enumerates the population and collects information about each individual, such as age and sex. This gives information on population stock. It is done at a particular point in time, which gives us a snapshot of the population (although multiple censuses can be compared, giving an idea of how a population is changing).

The correct answer is 'True'.

Question **13**

Correct

Mark 1.0 out of 1.0

A decennial census is conducted every years.

Note: The answer should be numerical form, e.g. 1 and not in word, e.g. "one"

Answer: ✔

The correct answer is: 10



Question **14**

Partially correct

Mark 0.5 out of 1.0

Which of the following are sources of content errors?

Select one or more:

a.

Incomplete or inaccurate maps/ lists of enumeration areas

b.

Housing units not located due to geographical barriers

c.

Woman's age at last birthday is recorded as 20 and her age at birth of first child born alive is 25 ✓

d.

Head of household refuses to be interviewed and tells the enumerator that some people had collected data from them in the past but they have never seen the benefits ✗

e.

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f.

Head of household refuses to be interviewed and tells the enumerator that he does not understand why the government wants to get information on him and his family ✗

Your answer is partially correct.

You have selected too many options.

The correct answers are:

Woman's age at last birthday is recorded as 20 and her age at birth of first child born alive is 25,

Enumerator errors in phrasing questions

Question **15**

Correct

Mark 1.0 out of 1.0

In what year was Zambia's first population census after the country gained independence?

Note: The answer should be numerical (e.g. 2021)

Answer: ✓

Other population censuses conducted were in 1980, 1990, 2000 and 2010

The correct answer is: 1969



Question **16**

Correct

Mark 1.0 out of 1.0

Which method of enumeration is used in Zambia's census?

Select one:

- a. Canvasser method ✓
- b. Householder method

Your answer is correct.

The correct answer is: Canvasser method

Question **17**

Incorrect

Mark 0.0 out of 1.0

The sole purpose of conducting census pre-test is to enable interviewers to practice what they learnt during the training

Select one:

- True ✗
- False

The correct answer is 'False'.

Question **18**

Correct

Mark 1.0 out of 1.0

In what month will Zambia have its 2021 Census of Population and Housing?

Select one:

- a. August
- b. September
- c. October
- d. November ✓

Your answer is correct.

News on 9th April 2021 was that Cabinet had approved the census exercise in November 2021. The country's first E-Census to be conducted digitally and it was expected to gobble K846 million

The correct answer is: November



Question **19**

Incorrect

Mark 0.0 out of 1.0

In countries that have large numbers of guest workers from other countries, the de jure population is larger than the de facto population.

Select one:

True ✘

False

The correct answer is 'False'.

Question **20**

Correct

Mark 1.0 out of 1.0

A quinquennial census is conducted every years.

Note: The answer should be numerical, e.g. 1 and not in word, e.g. "one"

Answer:



Quinquennial census is conducted every 5 years. A decennial census is conducted every 10 years.

The correct answer is: 5



Question **21**

Partially correct

Mark 0.3 out of 1.0

National Statistical Offices put in place measures to maintain confidentiality of unit record data collected census and surveys to avoid violation and abuse of population data. Which of the following are included in these measures?

Select one or more:

- a. Anonymizing unit record data by removing obvious identifiers: names and addresses ✓
- b. Anonymizing unit record data by removing obvious identifiers: age, sex
- c. Providing spatial detail to limited degree
- d. Release only a small sample of the census data to the general public for analytical purposes
- e. All of the above

Your answer is partially correct.

You have correctly selected 1.

Protecting confidentiality of personal information on each individual is very important. Census or survey results including datasets that are shared with the public should not have any personal identifiers (e.g. names and addresses) that people could use to trace anyone.

Only a sample of census data is given to the public for analytical purposes.

Age and sex are important demographic characteristics used to understand variations of characteristics of the population such as occupation, educational attainment, educational qualifications, status in employment, etc.

The correct answers are:

Anonymizing unit record data by removing obvious identifiers: names and addresses,

Providing spatial detail to limited degree,

Release only a small sample of the census data to the general public for analytical purposes

Question **22**

Correct

Mark 1.0 out of 1.0

A census is simply the collection of information about the population.

Select one:

- True
- False ✓

Recall UN definition of population census. Collection of information is only a small part of the census process. This information must also be compiled, evaluated, analysed, published and disseminated.

The correct answer is 'False'.



Question **23**

Correct

Mark 1.0 out of 1.0

How many population censuses have been conducted in Zambia since independence?

Note: The answer should be numerical and a single digit, e.g. 1 and not 01 or one

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Answer: 5

Zambia since independence has had five population censuses in 1969, 1980, 1990, 2000 and 2010

The correct answer is: 5

Question **24**

Correct

Mark 1.0 out of 1.0

Which one of the following census methodological approach is used in Zambia?

Select one:

- a. Traditional census approach ✓
- b. Traditional enumeration with yearly updates of characteristics
- c. Register-based approach
- d. Rolling census approach

Your answer is correct.

The correct answer is: Traditional census approach

Question **25**

Partially correct

Mark 0.3 out of 1.0

Which of the following statements are not true about the census?

Select one or more:

- a. Coverage errors are not inevitable ✓
- b. Detailed investigation on subject matter
- c. Primary source of data on the population and its characteristics in many developing countries
- d. It gives information on population stock rather than population flow. ✗
- e. Investigates topics such as family planning, nutritional status of children and women
- f. Prone to sampling errors

Your answer is partially correct.

You have correctly selected 1.

The correct answers are: Coverage errors are not inevitable, Detailed investigation on subject matter, Investigates topics such as family planning, nutritional status of children and women , Prone to sampling errors



