

METADATA

DESCRIPTION

The research of vehicles is a census one. The primary data derive from the Department of Informatics of the Ministry of Transport and Communications and arise from the issuing of new licences of circulation of vehicles.

Automobile vehicle is any vehicle that, independently of the number of wheels, is moved by a motor and is intended to transport persons or things or both of them, either by the same single vehicle or by a trailer carried by the main motor vehicle. Vehicles that move on rails, trolley - busses, agricultural tractors and machinery are excluded. Also all vehicles of Armed Forces, Police, Fire Brigade, State Services, Diplomatic Body, Foreign Missions and Invalids of War as well as motorcycles under 50 cc are excluded from the following tables.

The latest available annual data of the research refer, in prefecture level, to year 2006. Monthly data, based on the make and the type of the vehicle are released, in country level, in the Press Releases of the National Statistical Service of Greece 4 - 5 days after each corresponding month.

TYPE

Census Survey

CATEGORY

Transports

LOWER LEVEL OF ANALYSIS

Geographical

Prefecture

FREQUENCY

Annual

VARIABLES

1.Type of Vehicle 2. Public or private use 3. New or used abroad

AVAILABILITY OF RESULTS

3 months after the reference year - annual data

4 - 5 years after the reference month - monthly data (Press Release)

LEGAL BASIS

D.L 3627/56 (concerning the role of National Statistical Service of Greece)

L. 2392/96 (concerning the access of the General Secretary of National Statistical Service of Greece to administrative sources and archives and the regulation of issues regarding census surveys and statistical works)

STARTING YEAR

1954