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#### Preface

The main purpose of this publication is to provide the producers of population and housing censuses with guidance on the use of registers and administrative data for censuses, including operational, practical, technical and legal aspects. The publication primarily targets national statistical offices and other agencies responsible for census taking, and is also expected to be valuable for users of census results.

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