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**Researchers access to Statistical PT data:**

- Legal Framework
- Procedures and arrangements
- “Statistics”

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**LEGAL FRAMEWORK**

**Law nº 22/2008, 13 May**  
(principles, rules and structure of National Statistical System - NSS)

**Art. 6**  
**Statistical confidentiality**

(...)  
**2** — All individual statistical data collected by statistical authorities are confidential  
(...)



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**LEGAL FRAMEWORK:**

(...)7 — ... shall only be supplied for **SCIENTIFIC PURPOSES**, if **ANONYMISED**, upon an **AGREEMENT** signed between the statistical authority supplying the data and the entity requesting them. ..

**8** — Requests ...a **SPECIFIC SCIENTIFIC PROJECT**, by **researchers** in universities or other **LEGALLY RECOGNIZED HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS AND SCIENTIFIC INVESTIGATION ORGANIZATIONS**, ...considered as targeting scientific purposes.



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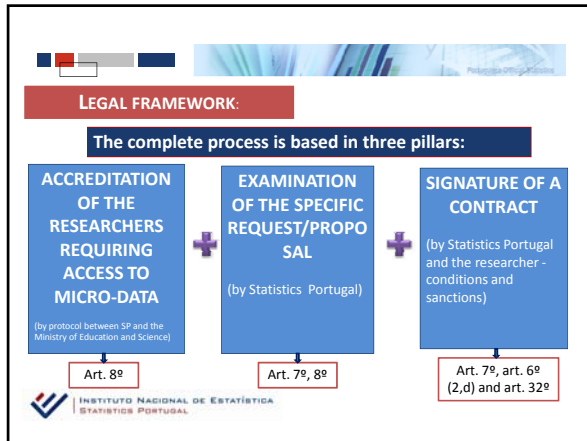
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**HIGHLIGHT:**

**THE PROTOCOL:**

**SUBJECT** - Establish the ways of cooperation between INE and MEC namely concerning access CONDITIONS to statistical individual anonymised data in respect to nº 7 and 8 of Law 22/2008

**SCOPE** - CONDITIONS are applicable to researchers from universities or other higher education institutions legally recognized and organizations, institutions or departments of scientific research recognized by the MEC.

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**HIGHLIGHT:**

Access to individual data shall be made in **ANONYMISED** form - according to paragraph d) of Article 2 of Law 22/2008 :

*d) ... data modified to minimize the possibility of identifying the statistical units to which they refer, in accordance with the best methodological practice and with no disproportionate effort and costs involved.*

**"anonymised microdata" shall mean individual statistical records which have been modified in order to minimise, in accordance with current best practice, the risk of identification of the statistical units to which they relate" (art. 2º, Reg. 831/2002)**

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**HIGHLIGHT** **Access modes**

- 1 – Statistical databases (anonymized)
- 2 – Specific sets of anonymized data
- 3 – Safe access facilities (directly on the individual databases without direct identification of statistical units – the researcher must observe professional secrecy according to NSS Law (d.2, art. 6º); all outputs are checked before release and final information does not contain any direct or indirect identification of the units referred to.
- 4 – Remote access to individual databases is not yet implemented

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**Procedures and arrangements**

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Gabinete de Planeamento, Estratégia, Avaliação e Relações Internacionais  
Instituto Nacional de Estatística

Accreditation Request → GPEARI → Accreditation granted → Availability and support

FCT  
Fundação para a Ciência e a Tecnologia

Accreditation Request = Form + statement of commitment ( 1/researcher)

The Accreditation Request should be fully filled, signed and stamped, presented to GPEARI. Submission by webform will be available soon.

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(Each researcher involved in the request - requesting researcher and other researchers will have access to data - must sign a statement of commitment)

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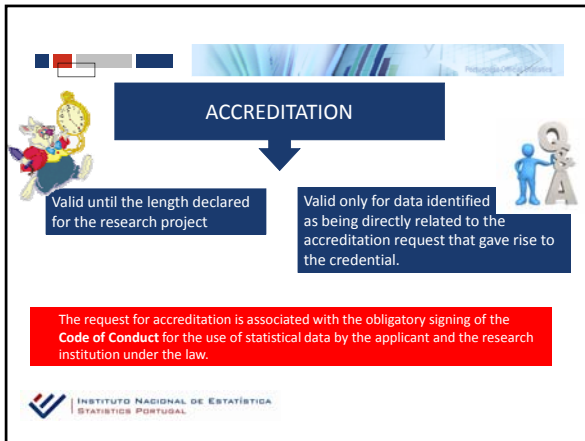
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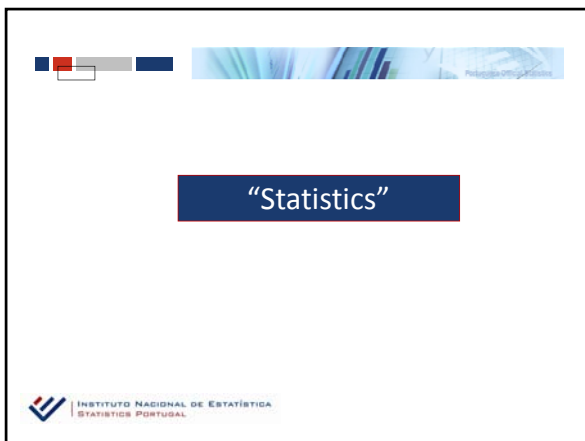
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### Available Databases

Themes	DB (No.)
Income and Living Conditions	7
Enterprises	3
International trade	1
Construction and Housing	1
Demography	6
Labour market	1
Agriculture and Forestry	2
Industrial Production	2
Information Society	4
Health	2
Education	1

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### Examples

**Income and Living Conditions**

Theme	Periodicity	Available years
Household Budget Survey (IOF / IDEF)	Five-year	1980/81 1989/90 1994/95 2000 2005/2006
Well-being indicators	Annual	1990, ..., 1997
Survey on Income and Living Conditions (Eu-SILC)	Annual	2004 a 2009
Time use survey	Irregular	1999

**etc....**

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**ANEX**  
 Tipo de dados

Nome	Descrição	Periodicidade	Disponibilidade	Metadados	Metadados - links
1.1 Inquérito sobre o Orçamento das Famílias (IOF)	Instituto Nacional de Estatística	quinzenal	1980/81	...	...
1.2 Estatísticas de Salários	Instituto Nacional de Estatística	anual	1990/91	...	...
1.3 Inquérito sobre o Emprego e o Salário (IESE)	Instituto Nacional de Estatística	anual	1990/91	...	...
1.4 Inquérito sobre as Condições de Vida das Famílias (IOF)	Instituto Nacional de Estatística	quinzenal	1980/81	...	...

*(Note: The above table is a simplified representation of the content in the image, which contains detailed descriptions and links for each database entry.)*

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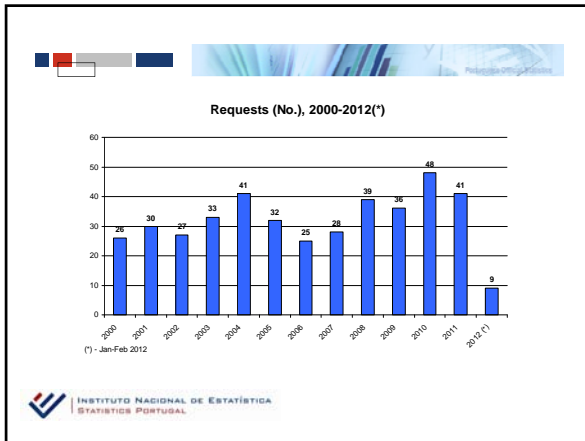
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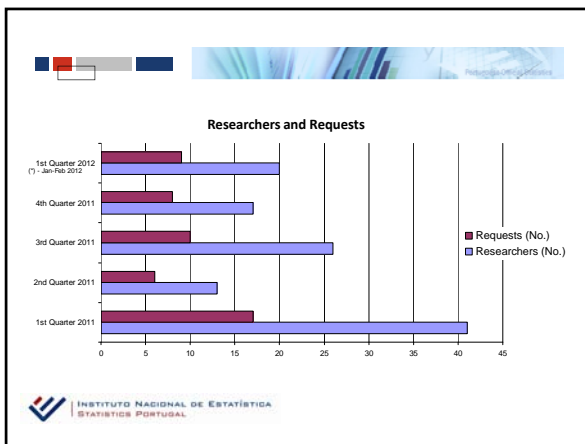
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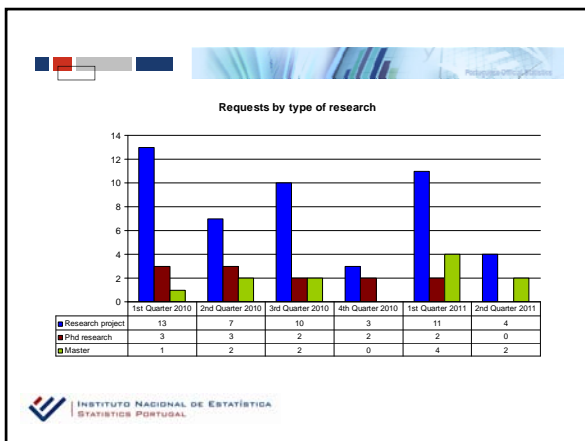
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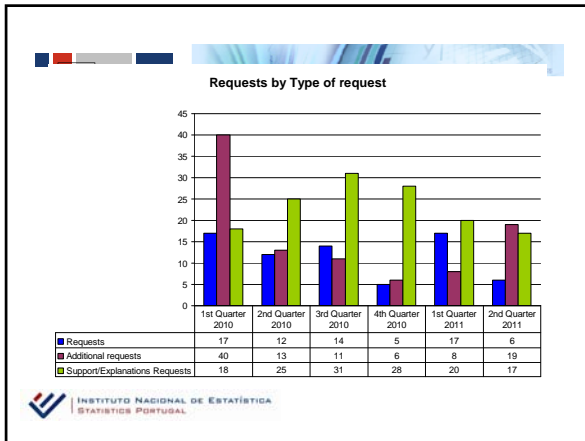
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Thank you for your time.  
 Any questions?

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