More than numbers. Census data provides unparalleled insight into the lives of individuals. East View presents the Japan 2005 Census as part of the East View Global Census Archive® (GCA). The Japan 2005 Census addresses a wide range of topics at the highest level of detail possible.

Making information available. When initially acquired, the census data is stored in a complex database structure, with attribute descriptions in Japanese, limiting access to those with significant database management and programming experience. East View simplifies access, formatting the collection into an easy-to-use geodatabase which can be visualized using any GIS software and providing a comprehensive guide. Additionally, East View provides the original census documentation, allowing researchers to see firsthand how the data was gathered.

Note: The Japan 1995 and 2015 censuses (GIS editions) are also available through GCA.

CENSUS OVERVIEW

| Year | 2005 |
| Population Coverage | 100% |
| Geography Coverage | 90.7% |
| Smallest Geography Name | Chome |
| ADM Level | 5 |
| Polygons at ADM | 206,770 |
| Number of Questions | 153 |
| Number of Answers | 304 |
| Data Points | 62,858,080 |
| Urban/FG | FG |

Notes:
- Population Coverage % indicates the percentage of total population of the country during the census year that this census covers.
- Geography Coverage % indicates the percentage of the total area of the country covered by the ADM polygons in this census.
- Urban/FG indicates if this census provides Full Geographic (FG) coverage or if coverage is limited to Urban (U) or populated places.

DELIVERABLES

The Japan 2005 Census has 100% population coverage, over 62 million data points, and consists of:

Geodatabase
- Intuitive organization of census data
- Administrative boundary vector data at ADM 5 (Chome) for 206,770 census units
- Vector and aggregated tabular data at the Chome level

Shapefiles
- All vector and census data in ESRI Shapefile format

Census Guide
- Detailed descriptions for 304 census variables

Original Census Documentation and Database
- Delivered in native format
- Census questionnaires

Metadata
- Full attribute level metadata in FGDC ISO format
Below is a representative sample of census questions included in the Japan 2005 Census.

1. Demographic
   - Sex / Birth data and age / Marital status

2. Migration
   - Place of birth / Citizenship

3. Housing
   - Occupancy status / Ownership / Useful floor space / Number of occupants / Building type

For more information about the Japan 2005 Census, including the availability of corresponding non-GIS materials (published results, supporting questionnaires, other census ephemera, etc.), please contact geospatial@eastview.com