

Recent Publications and Events

New Publications of the Czech Statistical Office

DUBSKÁ, D., FERENC, J., KAMENICKÝ, J., MLÁDEK, T. *Tendence a faktory makroekonomického vývoje a kvality života v České republice v roce 2011* (Trends and Factors of the Macroeconomic Development and Quality of Life in the Czech Republic in 2011) [online]. Prague: CZSO, 2012. <<http://www.czso.cz/csu/2012edicniplan.nsf/p/1101-12>>.

Inovační aktivity podniků v České republice v letech 2008–2010 (Innovative Activities of Enterprises in the Czech Republic 2008–2010). Prague: CZSO, 2012.

Other Selected Publications

CES VSEM. *Konkurenční schopnost České republiky 2010–2011* (Competitiveness of the Czech Republic 2010–2011). Prague: Linde, 2011.

DEY, D. K., RAO, C. R. *Essential Bayesian Models*. Amsterdam, New York, Oxford: Elsevier, 2011.

FRANKE, A. *Statistiky cestovního ruchu* (Tourism Statistics). Prague: Wolters Kluwer CR, 2012.

FRANKE, A. *Zmírňování regionálních disparit prostřednictvím rozvoje cestovního ruchu* (Reducing of Regional Disparities through the Development of Tourism). Prague: Wolters Kluwer CR, 2012.

International Yearbook of Industrial Statistics 2012. Vienna: UNIDO, 2012.

UN. *National Accounts Statistics: Analysis of Main Aggregates*, 2010. New York: UN, 2011.

WTO. *A Practical Guide to Trade Policy Analysis*. Geneva: WTO, 2012.

Conferences

The **20th International Conference on Computational Statistics (COMPSTAT 2012)** took place *from 27 to 31 August 2012 in Limassol, Cyprus*. The conference aimed to bring together researchers and practitioners to discuss recent developments in computational methods, methodology for data analysis and applications in statistics. More information available at: <http://www.compstat2012.org>.

As usually during the last holiday week (this year *from 30 to 31 August 2012*) the **15th International Scientific Conference AMSE 2012 (Applications of Mathematics and Statistics in Economy)** was held in the campus of the **Technical University in Liberec, Czech Republic**. The conference, attended by 60 experts from three countries (Poland, Slovakia, the Czech Republic), was organized by the University of Economics in Prague. In the rich programme of the conference, organized in two sections, 40 contributions were presented from the fields of applications of statistics and mathematics (problems of poverty measurement, analysis, wages and employment, measuring the effectiveness of social services, input-output analysis, models of risk and insurance, etc.) as well as from the theory of statistics (cluster analysis, Bayesian approach, Conjoint analyse, etc.). The introductory lecture was delivered by prof. Rudolf Zimka: *"Is it possible to secure intergenerational equity in an economy with exhaustible resources?"* The next international conference AMSE 2013 will take place from 29 to 30 August 2013 in the High Tatras, Slovakia. More information available at: <http://amse2012.vse.cz>.

The **ROBUST 2012 Conference** was held *from 9 to 14 September 2012 in NĚmčičky, Czech Republic*, organized by the Czech Statistical Society, the Group for Computational Statistics of the Czech Mathematical Society, the Union of Czech Mathematicians and Physicists and the Department of Probability and Mathematical Statistics, Faculty of Mathematics and Physics, Charles University in Prague. The conference was devoted to selected trends in mathematical statistics, probability theory and data analysis. More information available at: www.robust.nipax.cz.

6th International Days of Statistics and Economics took place *from 13 to 15 September 2012* in the building of the **University of Economics in Prague, Czech Republic**, organized by the Department of Statistics and Probability and the Department of Microeconomics of the University of Economics, Prague, Czech Republic, Faculty of Business Economics, University of Economics with seat in Košice, Slovakia and the ESC Rennes International School of Business. The aim of the Conference was to present and discuss current problems of Statistics, Demography, Economics and Management and their mutual interconnection. More information available at: <http://msed.vse.cz/conference>.

The **Statistical Week 2012** took place *from 18 to 21 September 2012* at the **Vienna University of Technology, Austria**, organized by the German and Austrian Statistical Societies and the Association of German Municipal Statisticians. More information available at: <http://www.statistische-woche.de/en>.

5th International Scientific Conference – Quality of Life and Sustainable Development was held *from 20 to 21 September 2012 in Wrocław, Poland*, organized by the Wrocław University of Economics. More information available at: <http://www.qol2012.ue.wroc.pl/en/index.htm>.

The **Applied Statistics 2012 International Conference** took place *from 23 to 26 September 2012 in Ribno, Slovenia*, organized by the Statistical Society of Slovenia and the University of Ljubljana in cooperation with the Statistical Office of Slovenia. More information available at: <http://conferences.nib.si/AS2012>.

98th DGINS (Directors General of the National Statistical Institutes) Conference and 14th ESSC (Conference and the Meeting of the European Statistical System Committee) were held **from 24 to 26 September 2012 in Prague, Czech Republic**. The topics of this year's event were "Meeting new needs on statistics for green economy" and "Coordination of statistics and geospatial information". The conference was organised by the Czech Statistical Office. More information available at: www.czso.cz/dgins2012.

The Czech Statistical Office (CZSO) has also the honour to host the **5th EFGS (European Forum for Geostatistics) 2012 Conference**, which will take place **from 24 to 26 October 2012** in the Czech Association of Scientific and Technical Societies Headquarters in the historical centre of **Prague, Czech Republic**. The conference is organised by the European Forum for Geostatistics and the Czech Statistical Office. The European Forum for Geostatistics (EFGS) represents a professional network of experts contributing within the framework of the European Statistical System to creation of a common geostatistical data infrastructure and to best practices in collecting, producing and disseminating georeferenced statistics. More information available at: <http://www.czso.cz/efgs/efgs2012.nsf/i/home>.