Methodological notes

The administrative territories of municipalities with extended powers (AT MEP) were stipulated by the Decree of the Ministry of the Interior, already mentioned in Preface.

Act No. 387/2004 Coll. of 10 June 2004 stipulated adjustments to the territorial delimitation of regions Vysočina, Jihomoravský, Olomoucký and Moravskoslezský. All these changes, including related changes in the delimitation of territories under municipalities with extended powers, are included in the follow-up Decree No. 388/2004 Coll. of 24 June 2004. Act No. 387 and Decree No. 388 are published in the Collection of Laws, Chapter No. 127/2004 Coll., of 29 June 2004.

The publication contains data recalculated to territories of AT MEP effective on 1 January 2008. There are 205 AT MEP, Prague is not included. The numbers given behind the names of AT MEP are taken from the Nomenclature of Municipalities with Extended Powers. The code given behind the name of the district is the code of the district according to CZ-LAU1. The code behind the name of the region is the code of the region according to CZ-NUTS3.

Changes in the numbers of municipalities among AT MEP result from merging or separating of municipalities. All data refer to the resident population of AT MEP, irrespective of citizenship. Since 2001, the figures include (in accordance with the Population and Housing Census 2001) foreigners with long-term stay (i.e., the stay based on visa over 90 days, as stipulated by Act No. 326/1999 Coll.) and foreigners with granted asylum status (in compliance with Act No. 325/1999 Coll.). Since 1st May 2004, in accordance with amendment No. 326/1999 Coll., the figures include citizens of the European Union with temporary stay on the territory of the Czech Republic, and citizens of other countries with long-term stay. The data contain also information on events (marriages, births and deaths) of permanent residents of CR that occurred abroad.

The population as of 31 December of the given year is computed as the population as of 1 January of the given year. plus natural increase (live births minus deaths) and net migration (immigrants minus emigrants). The population as of 31 December of the given year equals the population as of 1 January of the next year with the exception of the years in which the population census was done. Here it refers to the stock as of 31 December 2001 that follows the Population and Housing Census (1 March 2001) results and that is why the population as of 1 January 2001 differs from the population as of 31 December 2000.

The disagreement between the population as of 31 December and of 1 January by AT MEP could also be due to the shifts of municipalities between the districts as well as to the extraordinary adjustments of the municipality population stocks. In the following overview the adjustments of AT MEP population between 31 December of the given year and 1 January of the next year are listed:

Year 1998

Čáslav–2104 + 1 person, Kutná Hora – 2112 – 1 person, Prachatice–3109 –1 person, Soběslav–3110 +1 person, Tábor–3112 –5 persons, Týn nad Vltavou–3115 + 4 persons, Vimperk–3116 +1 person, Lovosice–4208 +1 person, Roudnice nad Labem–4211 –1 person, Holice–5303 –137 persons, Pardubice–5309 +159 persons, Přelouč–5311 –22 persons.

Year 1999

Milevsko—3107 +3 persons, Písek—3108 -4 persons, Týn nad Vltavou—3115 +1 person, Litoměřice—4205 -1 person, Roudnice nad Labem—4211 +1 person, Dobruška—5202 - 6 persons, Kostelec nad Orlicí—5208 +6 persons, Česká Třebová—5301 -3 persons, Holice—5303 -3 persons, Lanškroun—5306 +5 persons, Litomyšl—5307 -5 persons, Moravská Třebová—5308 -16 persons, Pardubice—5309 +6 persons, Polička—5310 - 4 persons, Přelouč—5311 -3 persons, Vysoké Svitavy—5312 +24 persons, Vysoké Mýto—5314 -1 person, Pohořelice—6213 -1 person, Rosice—6214 +1 person.

Year 2002

Valašské Meziříčí–7210 –11 persons, Vsetín–7212 +11 persons.

Havlíčkův Brod-6102 -2 persons, Světlá nad Sázavou-6111 +2 persons.

All data concerning 'age' always refers to completed age. The dependency ratio is the number of persons aged 65 and over per 100 persons aged 0-14.

Marriages are included into AT MEP according to the permanent residency of the groom, **divorces** are included according to the last common residency of spouses, **births** according to the permanent residency of mother and **abortions** according to the permanent residency of woman.

Deaths are included into AT MEP according to the permanent residency of the deceased. Infant mortality is the number of children who died within 1 year of age per 1 000 live births. Data on causes of death are classified according to the International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision (ICD-10).

Migration is the change in a municipality of residence within the territory of the Czech Republic or across the borders of the Czech Republic (external migration).

The statistics measures the number of moves, not the number of migrants – one person could move twice or more times. Internal migration refers to the migration between municipalities within one AT MEP (i.e. not cross AT MEP line).

Internal migration is considered to be the change in a municipality of residence within the AT MEP (that is not across the borders of AT MEP). There is no internal migration in AT MEP 6203 Brno, as only one municipality forms this AT MEP.

Natural increase is the difference between the numbers of live birth and deaths; net migration is the difference between the numbers of immigrants and emigrants. Total increase is the aggregate of the natural increase and the net migration.

Symbols used in tables

- The symbol of dash in place of a figure indicates that the phenomenon did not occur.
- . The symbol of dot shows that the figure is not available or cannot be relied on.
- **x** The symbol of small cross shows that the figure is not applicable.
- **0** The symbol of zero in a table designates figures smaller than half of the unit of measure chosen.