

## The National Research University Higher School of Economics (HSE) – The RUSSIAN LONGITUDINAL MONITORING SURVEY (RLMS-HSE)

The **RUSSIAN LONGITUDINAL MONITORING SURVEY (RLMS-HSE)** is a series of nationally representative surveys designed to monitor the effects of Russian reforms on the health and economic welfare of households and individuals in the Russian Federation. These effects are measured by a variety of means: detailed monitoring of individuals' health status and dietary intake, precise measurement of household-level expenditures and service utilization, and collection of relevant community-level data, including region-specific prices and community infrastructure data.

Data have been collected 25 times since 1992 till now.

The RLMS-HSE is conducted by the National Research University Higher School of Economics and OOO “Demoscope” together with Carolina Population Center, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and the Federal Center of Theoretical and Applied Sociology of the Russian Academy of Sciences.

The RLMS-HSE is the only representative microeconomic survey in Russia with a significant panel component that boosts the quality of forecasts based on RLMS-HSE data. One of the Facility's uniqueness is the comprehensive structure of the survey's questionnaires which is in line with best global practice, thus allowing for clear results and cross-country comparisons.

The main users of the RLMS-HSE are researchers across the Globe: in 2014 – 2020 the HSE registered **10 119 users**, of which **9 054 from Russia** and **1 065** from foreign countries. In 2016 – 2020 the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill registered **30 036 users** from more than **15 countries**, including 5 601 from Russia and the former Soviet Union.

Citing RLMS-HSE: 1994 – 2017: 2023 scientific articles, of which 951 in foreign languages; 2018: over 90 scientific articles, of which 42 in foreign languages.

Since 2010, the RLMS-HSE data is open and available online for analysis. To download the data users are asked to register online and accept [Data Use Agreement](#).

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Collections (Databases)	Domain and object of research : SSH Domain
<a href="#">Survey data</a>	The longitude population survey since 1992 including 25+ datasets and necessary supportive instructions (all tables unpacked and ready for analysis at microlevel)
<a href="#">Indicators</a>	Datasets include more than 1000 indicators on economic welfare of households and individuals including structure of income and expenditures, material welfare, investment behavior, employment structure, migration behavior, health and nutrition structure, family planning and educational behavior, the values system of population, their perception of the ongoing changes in the country, etc.