

- ❖ **Survey name: Econobus I, 2010 – an index for economic development**
- ❖ **Partners:**
 - Institute for Market Economics (IME)
- ❖ **Principal Investigator:** Alexey Pamporov
- ❖ **Fieldwork period: October 2010**
- ❖ **Population (main):** The companies with active registration status in the trade register in Bulgaria.
- ❖ **Main sample model:** 28 simple random samples – one for each region center (NUTS 3) and one for Botevgrad, a representative for region of Sofia. The size of each sample is 100 units.
- ❖ **Main sample realization:** Interviews planned – 2800, interviews realized - 2034. Data is collected for 2034 companies.
- ❖ **Maximal stochastic error:** varies between $\pm 9,8\%$ and $\pm 19\%$ for proportion 50% and 95% confidence interval for the different samples.
- ❖ **Population (booster):** The “Top 100” companies, according to the “Capital” newspaper’s rating
- ❖ **Booster sample model:** A comprehensive sample
- ❖ **Booster sample realization:** Interviews planned - 100, interviews realized - 35. Data is collected for 35 companies.
- ❖ **Registration method:** Face to face interview in a standardized questionnaire.
- ❖ **Main topics:**
 - Field of activity
 - Procedures and difficulties
 - Legal assistance
 - Attitudes for the financial system
 - Policy staff
- ❖ **Links publications/reports:**

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