

**Uruguay**  
**ISSP 2006 – Role of Government IV**  
**Study Description**

## ISSP Study Description Form – Uruguay (UY)

*Study title:* Role of Government - (ISSP 2006 Module)

*Fieldwork dates:* From November 6 to December 23, 2006

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*Sample type:* The sampling frame was the 2004 Population Census (First Phase). The Universe population are adults (aged 18 year-old or more) living in urban areas (5000 or more inhabitants cities).

The design is stratified multistage. In the first stage two major regions are represented: Montevideo and Metropolitan Area (Strata 1-7) and 12 cities in the Rest of the country (Strata 11-13)

In strata 1 to 7, Census Zones (usually one block) will be selected by a systematic probability proportional to size (PPS) scheme (“size” being the number of population living in each block). Four households will be selected in each block, and at the final sampling stage only one respondent per household will be selected using the “next birthday” random rule.

In strata 11 to 13, four cities will be selected per stratum via systematic PPS sampling. Size being the number of population living in each city. Census Zones, households and the final respondent will be selected in the same way as in strata 1 to 7

*Fieldwork institute:* Department of Economics – Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Uruguay

*Fieldwork methods:* Face-to-face interviews

*N. of respondents:* 1031

*Details about issued sample:*

1. Total number of starting or issued names/addresses (gross sample size) *	1414
2. Interviews (1.0)	1031
3. Eligible, Non-Interview	
A. Refusal/Break-off (2.10)	211
B. Non-Contact (2.20)	142
C. Other	30
i. Language Problems (2.33)	2
ii. Miscellaneous Other (2.31, 2.32, 2.35)	28
3. Unknown Eligibility, Non-Interview (3.0)	0
4. Not Eligible	
A. Not a Residence (4.50)	.....
B. Vacant Residence (4.60)	.....
C. No Eligible Respondent (4.70)	.....
D. Other (4.10,4.90)	.....

\* When new sample units are added during the field period via a new dwelling units list or other standard updating procedure, these additional issued units are added to the starting number of units to make up the total gross sample size. Also, when substitution is used, the total must include the originally drawn cases plus all substitute cases. See AAPOR/WAPOR Standard Definitions , pp 9-10 for further clarification.

*Language(s):* Spanish

*Weight present:* Yes

*Weighting procedure:* The weight is computed as the inverse of the selection probability for each person. The steps concerning the household selection are done with pps sampling, so the household weights are equal to the number of households on stratum divided by the number of households selected on each stratum. The household weight is then expanded by the person weight, which corresponds to the number of adults in the household. In some households the number of adults goes up to 10, as a conservative measure we reduced these weights considering a maximum number of 5 for the person weight. Since we estimated the number of household per stratum, we finally adjusted the weights in order to match the number of people per stratum.

*Known systematic properties of sample:* None that we are aware.

*Deviations from ISSP questionnaire:*