

OTHER NOTES

13. The study presents data by administrative units according to territorial division taking into consideration the three-level administrative structure of the country (voivodships, powiats, gminas), being in force as of 31 XII in years for which information is given. An exception is made for years 2000-2001, for which the administrative division valid as of 31 XII 2002 is taken, in connection with the results of the Population and Housing Census 2002.

In tables following abbreviations are used:

- "m." - urban gmina,*
- "gm. w." - rural gmina,*
- "gm. m-w." - urban-rural gmina.*

The term “urban area” is understood as area located within the administrative borders of these units, while “rural area” is understood as the remaining territory of the country.

14. Since 1 I 2008 the Nomenclature of Territorial Units for Statistical Purposes has been changed within the level NTS 3 (subregions). It was introduced by a decree of the Council of Ministers dated 14 November 2007 (Journal of Laws No 214, item 1573), increasing the number of subregions in Małopolskie voivodship from 3 to 5: Krakowski (powiats: bocheński, krakowski, miechowski, myślenicki, proszowicki, wielicki), city of Kraków, Nowosądecki (powiats: gorlicki, limanowski, nowosądecki, nowotarski, tatrzański, city of Nowy Sącz), Oświęcimski (powiats: chrzanowski, olkuski, oświęcimski, suski, wadowicki) and Tarnowski (powiats: brzeski, dąbrowski, tarnowski, city of Tarnów).

15. Relative numbers (indices, percentages) are, as a rule, calculated on the basis of absolute data expressed with higher precision than that presented in the tables.

16. Due to the electronic method of data processing, in some cases sums of components can differ from the amount given in the item “total”.

17. Names “Małopolskie voivodship” and “Małopolska” are used interchangeably.