



# Field Experience of Pilot Survey of Nepal Economic Census 2018

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### Field Problems

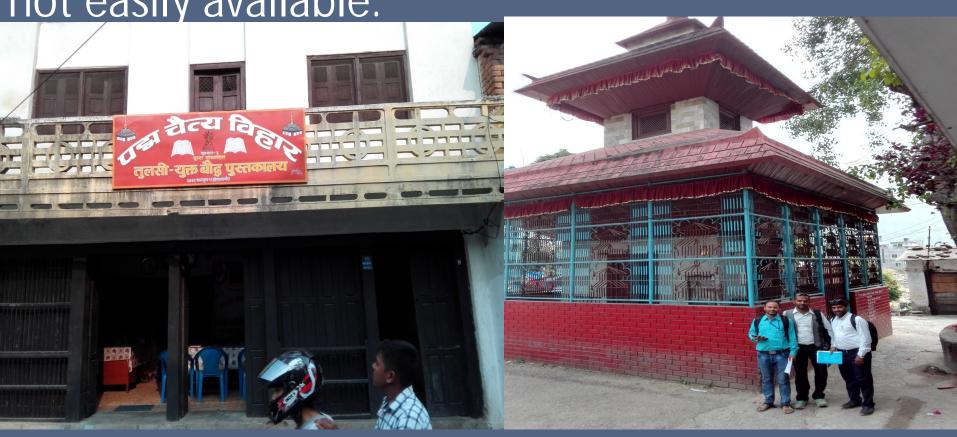


- Technical problems: Tablets are slow and being hang regularly.
- Respondents reaction: No pre-Information about this pilot survey, and in case of schools they respond only after taking the permission with the district education office/resource person.
- Statistical problems: Respondents didn't response easily because of financial data although enumerators had made them clear about the objective of this survey.





It is very difficult to collect data from religious organizations, as their corresponding officials are not easily available.





# Questionnaire Problems



- ► It is difficult to recall the starting month of business. (Q10)
- There should be a skip option in Q12.
- Legally registered by one type of trade, but in practical doing also another type of trade for example:







- ➤ Confusion about the registration for e-Census since we couldn't tell about its registration process exactly.
- ➤If managers, directors, family members, and owners are disable or technical, there is no answer box to respond.

  (Q12)
- Some people are interested in e-census but due to internet access they can't take part in e-census.



### Access of Equipment



#### Available Equipment in Kapilbastu Statistics Office

S.N.	Name Of Equipment	Number	Condition
1	Desktop Computer	2	Only one of them is running well for survey purpose like GIS Software For digitizing.
2	Laptop	2	Not running well as they are very old and being hang regularly
3	Printer (Black and white)	1	Very old and not functioning well.
4	Fax Machine	1	Very old not functioning
5	Tablet	2	New but very slow and being hang regularly
6	Motorbike	1	Old





# Suggestions

- Training on data entry program and other software like GIS, SPSS, and CSpro should be held to all district statistical staff who are interested in so that the pilot survey can be performed well and on schedule.
- Advertisement on the pilot survey should be done well for the awareness of respondents so that its data collection will become easy and effective.