Transforming the composition of families and households in the 19th and 20th centuries in a selected area of the Czech Lands

Abstract

The aim of this work is to analyze changes in the size and composition of families and households in the 19th and 20th centuries in the South Bohemian town of Soběslav. The research is based on a comparison of data obtained excerption of census in 1869, 1880 and 1910. The first part of the demographic analysis focuses on the assessment of the size and structure of the population by age, sex, family status and nationality. In the second part the survey data from individual census are processed for individual households and families. The notion of family and household is based on the basis of cohabitation. The division of households by the P. Laslett was used.