The Nicaragua 2005 Census has 100% population coverage, over 2.8 million data points, and consists of:

- Geodatabase
  - Intuitive organization of census data
  - Administrative boundary vector data at ADM 4 (Barrios) for 8,136 census units
  - Vector and aggregated tabular data at the Barrios level

- Shapefiles
  - All vector and census data in ESRI Shapefile format

- Census Guide
  - Detailed descriptions for 352 census variables

- Original Census Documentation and Database
  - Delivered in native format
  - Census questionnaires

- Metadata
  - Full attribute level metadata in FGDC ISO format

More than numbers. Census data provides unparalleled insight into the lives of individuals. East View presents the Nicaragua 2005 Census as part of the East View Global Census Archive® (GCA). The Nicaragua 2005 Census addresses a wide range of topics at the highest level of detail possible.

Making information available. When initially acquired, the census data is stored in a complex database structure, with attribute descriptions in English and Spanish, limiting access to those with significant database management and programming experience. East View simplifies access, formatting the collection into an easy-to-use geodatabase which can be visualized using any GIS software and providing a comprehensive guide. Additionally, East View provides the original census documentation, allowing researchers to see firsthand how the data was gathered.

Note: The Nicaragua 1995 Census (GIS Edition) is also available through GCA.
Below is a representative sample of census questions included in the Nicaragua 2005 Census:

1. Demographic
   Relationship / Sex / Marital status / Fertility / Mortality

2. Migration
   Place of previous residence

3. Social
   Literacy / School attendance / Educational attainment

4. Economic
   Activity status / Occupation / Industry / Status in employment

5. Housing
   Living quarters / Location of living quarters / Occupancy status / Ownership / Rooms / Bedrooms / Useful floor space / Water supply system / Drinking water / Toilet / Sewage disposal / Bathing facilities / Kitchen / Fuel used for cooking / Lighting and/or electricity / Solid waste disposal / Heating / Hot water / Piped gas / Building type / State of repair / Information and communications technology devices / Durable household appliances

6. Transportation
   Vehicles owned

For more information about the Nicaragua 2005 Census, including the availability of corresponding non-GIS materials (published results, supporting questionnaires, other census ephemera, etc.), please contact geospatial@eastview.com