

**A New Role for Statistics:  
The Joint Special Issue of "Statistics in Transition New Series" (SiTns)  
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On behalf of the SiTns' Editorial Board and myself, and of Professor Oleksandr Osaulenko – Editor-in-Chief of the SU – I would like to invite interested researchers and practitioners to submit manuscripts on statistical production under war conditions and the role of statistics in describing the effects of foreign aggression on the functioning of the economy and society – with particular emphasis on humanitarian crisis and the degradation of people's well-being.

Inspired by the tragedy of the heroic Ukrainian nation currently experiencing war devastation, the interest in new challenges and tasks posed for statistics matches the demand for knowledge about consequences of barbarism that already seemed to be excluded from the civilized space, forever. It is not only about the European area but also about every other region or country that has similar experiences to Ukraine.

Wishing in this way to demonstrate the contribution of statistics to such knowledge, we would also like to not only record the horrors of the outrageous aggression, but also to provide statistical evidence on the human empathy and cross-border or transnational solidarity, as well as concern for the common values of all societies which want to live in peace.

Manuscripts should be submitted by May 15, 2022 electronically to the Editorial Office: [sit@stat.gov.pl](mailto:sit@stat.gov.pl)

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