



## “Managing outlying consumption data in the field”



### Tanzanian President's Office

The Tanzanian President's Office needed consumption data to evaluate its Cash Transfer Programme and wanted to avoid wasting time on collecting outlier data that would just be thrown away during analysis

#### The Tanzanian President's Office

The Mission of the Presidency is to administer the country in accordance with the constitution, improve the quality of life and social economic welfare of all Tanzanians.

#### CWEST, brought to you by EDI Ltd

Building on years of large-scale survey success, CWEST delivers your surveys onto mobile technology in the form of **cquestionnaires**; enabling you to manage and collect cleaner, faster analysis-ready data straight from the field.

#### CWEST

- Eliminates data entry
- Stops mistakes at source
- Delivers daily analysis-ready data

#### The Tanzanian President's Office wanted relevant consumption data without the expense of lengthy data cleansing

While almost all data on poverty prevalence and trends worldwide is based on consumption modules, they are notorious for being difficult to collect and contain more outliers than any other module

The interviewer needs to concentrate on the questions, while being warned when unreasonable estimates for specific items or for the whole aggregate are given. Outliers need to be queried and corrected at the point of collection

#### CWEST built in intelligence with consumption data in mind

Pre-loaded unit conversion and price matrices automatically calculate rough estimated values as raw consumption data is filled in.

CWEST then automatically highlights outlying data (for line items or aggregate) to be instantly checked during the interview.

At the click of a button, supervisors can check for, and enter, local prices and units before leaving the field.

#### CWEST is working with the President's Office in Tanzania to rapidly evaluate its Conditional Cash Transfer Programme

No more inputting values from other clusters, no more unrealistic assumptions.

No more waste of survey resources by collecting outlier data that would otherwise need to be dropped during analysis.

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