Preface

This special issue of the Austrian Journal of Statistics consists of five contributions covering methods and applications from the field of *Official Statistics and Survey Methodology*.

Albacete describes the theory and the application of multiple imputation in the Austrian household survey on housing wealth.

Mushkudiani, Daalmans and Pannekoek suggest to use macro-integration for reconciliation of census data and of business statistics.

Karner, Weninger and Scharl estimate the transport performance of non-Austrian European vehicles operating in Austria on the basis of the European consolidated road freight transport statistics.

Hudec introduces linguistic summaries based on fuzzy logic to the field of official statistics.

Rechta, Schwerer and Waldner develop techniques to generate family statistics in the Austrian register-based census 2011.

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