UK Data Service

National Survey of Sexual Attitudes and Lifestyles, 2010-2012
Teaching Dataset

Codebook

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Survey Methodology

sin2

Standard Attributes	Position	1
	Label	Scrambled serial number
	Type	Numeric
	Measurement	Scale
N	Valid	15162
	Missing	0

dateyoi

Standard Attributes	Position	2
	Label	Year of interview
	Type	Numeric
	Measurement	Scale
N	Valid	15162
	Missing	0

total_wt

Standard Attributes	Position	3
	Label	Total weight for Natsal 2010(core and boost samples)
	Type	Numeric
	Measurement	Scale
N	Valid	15162
	Missing	0

psu_scrm

Standard Attributes	Position	4
	Label	Scrambled psu identifier
	Type	Numeric
	Measurement	Scale
N	Valid	15162
	Missing	0

strata

Standard Attributes	Position	5
	Label	Strata
	Type	Numeric
	Measurement	Scale
N	Valid	15162
	Missing	0

stratagrp

Standard Attributes	Position	6
	Label	Grouped strata, combining adjacent strata
	Type	Numeric
	Measurement	Scale
N	Valid	15162
	Missing	0

stratagrp2

Standard Attributes	Position	7
	Label	Grouped strata, combining 3 adjacent strata
	Type	Numeric
	Measurement	Scale
N	Valid	15162
	Missing	0

stratagrp3

Standard Attributes	Position	8
	Label	Grouped strata, combining 34 adjacent strata
	Type	Numeric
	Measurement	Scale
N	Valid	15162
	Missing	0

Demographic

dage

Standard Attributes	Position	9
	Label	Respondent's age at interview,years
	Type	Numeric
	Measurement	Scale
N	Valid	15162
	Missing	0

rdoby

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	10	
	Label	Respondent's year of birth	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Scale	
N	Valid	15162	
	Missing	0	
Labeled Values	9999	Not answered	0

rsex

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	11	
	Label	Respondent's sex	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Male	6293
	2	Female	8869
Missing Values	-9	Refusal	0
	-8	Don't Know	0
	-1	Item not applicable	0

ethnicgrp

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	12	
	Label	Ethnic group that respondent considers themselves belonging to, grouped	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	White	13351
	2	Mixed	317
	3	Asian/Asian British	768
	4	Black/Black British	486
	5	Chinese	78
	6	Other	115
Missing Values	9	Not answered	47

sexid

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	13	
	Label	Sexual identity	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Heterosexual/straight	14617
	2	Gay/lesbian	213
	3	Bisexual	226
	4	Other	53
	9	Not answered	53

Health and Disability

health

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	14	
	Label	respondent's opinion of own health	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Very good	6041
	2	Good	6357
	3	Fair	2116
	4	Bad	522
	5	Very bad	124
Missing Values	9	Not answered	2

disabil2

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	15	
	Label	Longstanding illness, disability or infirmity	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	None	10536
	2	Non-limiting	2037
	3	Limiting	2586
Missing Values	9	Not answered	3

Body measurement

bodymass

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	16	
	Label	BMI (Body Mass Index)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Scale	
N	Valid	14260	
	Missing	902	
Labeled Values	99.00	Not answered / not known	902

Alcohol and smoking

drink

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	17	
	Label	Ever drink alcohol nowadays	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Yes	12340
	2	No	2822
Missing Values	9	Not answered	0

alcohol2

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	18	
	Label	Average alcoholic consumption per week	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Ordinal	
Valid Values	0	None	4375
	1	Not more than recommended	9210
	2	More than recommended	1514
Missing Values	9	Not answered	63

smoking

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	19	
	Label	Current smoking status	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Ordinal	
Valid Values	1	Non-smoker	7650
	2	Ex-smoker	3282
	3	Light smoker	2759
	4	Heavy smoker	1464
Missing Values	9	Not answered	7

Drugs

drcannabis

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	20	
	Label	Ever taken cannabis (non-injected)(orig: DrugUse, SC Drugs)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	9723
	1	Yes	4750
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	292
	9	Not answered	397

drampheta

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	21	
	Label	Ever taken amphetamines (non-injected)(orig: DrugUse, SC Drugs)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13142
	1	Yes	1331
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	292
	9	Not answered	397

drcocaine

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	22	
	Label	Ever taken cocaine (non-injected)(orig: DrugUse, SC Drugs)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	

	Value		Count
Valid Values	0	No	12748
	1	Yes	1725
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	292
	9	Not answered	397

drcrack

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	23	
	Label	Ever taken crack (non-injected)(orig: DrugUse, SC Drugs)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	14300
	1	Yes	173
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	292
	9	Not answered	397

drecstasy

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	24	
	Label	Ever taken ecstasy (non-injected)(orig: DrugUse, SC Drugs)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13028
	1	Yes	1445
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	292
	9	Not answered	397

drnonihero

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	25	

		Label	Ever taken non-injected heroine (non-injected)(orig: DrugUse, SC Drugs)	
		Type	Numeric	
		Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values		0	No	14337
		1	Yes	136
Missing Values		-1	Not applicable	292
		9	Not answered	397

dracidlsd

			Value	Count
Standard Attributes		Position	26	
		Label	Ever taken acid/LSD (non-injected)(orig: DrugUse, SC Drugs)	
		Type	Numeric	
		Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values		0	No	13648
		1	Yes	825
Missing Values		-1	Not applicable	292
		9	Not answered	397

drcrysmeth

			Value	Count
Standard Attributes		Position	27	
		Label	Ever taken crystal meth (non-injected)(orig: DrugUse, SC Drugs)	
		Type	Numeric	
		Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values		0	No	14415
		1	Yes	58

Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	292
	9	Not answered	397

dramylnit

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	28	
	Label	Ever taken amyl nitrates (non-injected)(orig: DrugUse, SC Drugs)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13786
	1	Yes	687
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	292
	9	Not answered	397

drothnonpre

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	29	
	Label	Ever taken other non-prescribed drugs (non-injected)(orig: DrugUse, SC Drugs)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	14119
	1	Yes	354
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	292
	9	Not answered	397

inject2

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	30	
	Label	Ever injected non-prescribed drugs/other substances	

		Value	Count
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Yes	118
	2	No	14381
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	292
	9	Not answered	371

drugsyr2

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	31	
	Label	drug use in last year	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	12497
	1	Yes, cannabis only	1119
	2	Yes, drugs other than cannabis	857
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	292
	9	Not answered	397

Depression

mscore

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	32	
	Label	Total score on PHQ-2 (mood)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Scale	
N	Valid	14481	
	Missing	681	
Labeled Values	-1	Not applicable	292
	9	Not answered	389

depscr

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	33	

	Label	Screen positive for current depression(based on PHQ-2, mood)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	12821
	1	Yes	1660
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	292
	9	Not answered	389

Sexual attraction

attscale

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	34	
	Label	Sexual attraction	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Opposite sex only	13405
	2	More often opposite sex, and at least once same sex	1186
	3	About equally often to opposite sex and same sex	168
	4	More often same sex, and at least once opposite sex	150
	5	Same sex only	104
	6	Never felt sexually attracted to anyone at all	114
Missing Values	7	Refused	34
	9	Not answered	1

expscale

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	35	
	Label	Heterosexual/homosexual sexual experience	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Opposite sex only	13218
	2	More often opposite sex, and at least once same sex	1296
	3	About equally often to opposite sex and same sex	82
	4	More often same sex, and at least once opposite sex	142
	5	Same sex only	72
	6	Never had sexual experience with anyone at all	296
Missing Values	7	Refused	54
	9	Not answered	2

Number of partners

hetlife

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	36	
	Label	No. of het. sex partners, life	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Scale	
N	Valid	14558	
	Missing	604	

Labeled Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9995	At least one	251
	9996	At least two	0
	9997	At least three	0
	9999	Not answered	353

samlife

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	37	
	Label	No. of same sex partners, life	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Scale	
N	Valid	15106	
	Missing	56	
Labeled Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9995	At least one	9
	9996	At least two	0
	9997	At least three	0
	9999	Not answered	47

Marital and Relationship status

marstat

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	38	
	Label	Marital status at present	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Single & never married	7348
	2	Married & living with spouse	5298
	3	In registered same-sex civil partnership & living with partner	48
	4	Separated but still legally married	445

	5	Divorced	1424
	6	Widowed	554
	7	Separated but still legally in same-sex civil partnership	2
	8	Formerly a same-sex civil partner but now legally dissolved	0
	9	Surviving civil partner, partner having died	3
Missing Values	99	Not answered	40

relstat

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	39	
	Label	Relationship status at the time of interview	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Married and living with spouse	5298
	2	In registered same-sex civil partnership & living with partner	48
	3	Living with partner	2206
	4	In a 'steady' & ongoing relationship but not living with a partner in last year	2336

	5	Widowed and not in a 'steady' & ongoing relationship in last year	438
	6	Divorced/Separated and not in a 'steady' & ongoing relationship in last year	1022
	7	Previously lived with partner as a non-married couple but not now in a 'steady' & ongoing relationship in last year	968
	8	Never married, or lived with partner and not in a 'steady' & ongoing relationship in last year	2550
Missing Values	9	Not answered	296

relstatgp

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	40	
	Label	Relationship status, grouped	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Living with partner (includes married/civil partnership)	7552
	2	In a steady relationship, not living together	2336

	3	Not in a steady relationship, but previously cohabited (includes previously married/civil partner)	2428
	4	Not in a steady relationship, never cohabited	2550
Missing Values	9	Not answered	296

relstatgp2

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	41	
	Label	Relationship status (grouped)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Married/civil partnership	5346
	2	Living with partner	2206
	3	In a 'steady' ongoing relationship but not living together	2336
	4	Not in a 'steady' relationship	4978
Missing Values	9	Not answered	296

relsat

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	42	
	Label	How happy in relationship with partner	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Happy	3244

	2		1447
	3		673
	4		314
	5		559
	6		556
	7	Unhappy	533
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	7265
	9	Not answered	571

Fertility

nochall

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	43	
	Label	Number of natural children (excl stillborn),All respondents	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Scale	
N	Valid	14726	
	Missing	436	
Labeled Values	999	Not answered	436

dage1ch

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	44	
	Label	'Age of respondent at birth of 1st child (no top or bottom coding)'	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Scale	
N	Valid	7801	
	Missing	7361	
Labeled Values	-1.00	Not applicable including top coded	6909
	99.00	Not answered	452

This variable is a recoded version of age1ch, with bottom and top-coded values removed.

age1ch

Standard Attributes		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	45	
	Label	Age of respondent at birth of 1st child	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Scale	
N	Valid	7929	
	Missing	7233	
Labeled Values	-1	Not applicable	6781
	14	Under 15	20
	41	Over 40	108
	99	Not answered	452

child18

Standard Attributes		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	46	
	Label	Respondent had their first child before the age of 18 years	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13123
	1	Yes	480
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1113
	9	Not answered	446

nochb435

Standard Attributes		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	47	
	Label	Did not have any natural children by the age of 35 (those aged 35+ only)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	

Valid Values	0	Hd children before age 35	4890
	1	Did not have children before age 35	2062
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable (aged under 35)	7881
	9	Not answered	329

adopchld

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	48	
	Label	Has adopted children	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Yes	204
	2	No	13699
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	879
	9	Not answered	380

stepchld

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	49	
	Label	Has Step-children	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Yes	1215
	2	No	12689
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	879
	9	Not answered	379

Contraception

fpsorcg

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	50	

		Label	Source of contraceptive supplies, grouped	
		Type	Numeric	
		Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1		Clinical	4237
	2		Retail only	1847
	3		Other only	56
	4		Education only	64
	5		2+ sources (excl. clinical)	107
	6		Not got contraceptive supplies in the last year	2719
Missing Values	-1		Not applicable	6119
	9		Not answered	13

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and respondent indicated they have used some form of contraception previously. Question is 'Have you got contraception from any of these sources in the last year?'

fppref2

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	51	
	Label	Preferred source of contraception	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Doctor/nurse at GP's surgery	3146
	2	GUM clinic	703
	3	FP/Contraceptive/reproductive health clinic	1243
	4	Youth advisory clinic	187
	5	Pharmacy/Chemist	2550
	6	NHS/DH Website	237
	7	None of these	150

	8	Not needed	794
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	6119
	9	Not answered	33

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and respondent indicated they have used some form of contraception previously. Question is 'Have you got contraception from any of these sources in the last year?'

usfsteril

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	52	
	Label	Usually use female sterilisation(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13321
	1	Yes	558
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	26

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

usmsteril

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	53	
	Label	Usually use male sterilisation(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13090
	1	Yes	794
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	21

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

usconpill

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	54	
	Label	Usually use a contraceptive pill(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	10943
	1	Yes	2921
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	41

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

uscondom

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	55	
	Label	Usually use male condom(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	10805
	1	Yes	3053
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	47

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

usfemidom

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	56	
	Label	Usually use femidom(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	

		Value	Count
Valid Values	0	No	13874
	1	Yes	14
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	17

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

usemcypill

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	57	
	Label	Usually use morning after pill(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13874
	1	Yes	11
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	20

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

usemcyiud

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	58	
	Label	Usually use emergency IUD(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13887
	1	Yes	1
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	17

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

uscoil

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	59	
	Label	Usually use IUD(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13416
	1	Yes	464
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	25

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

usmirena

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	60	
	Label	Usually use mirena(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13713
	1	Yes	175
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	17

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

uscap

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	61	
	Label	Usually use cap(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13875
	1	Yes	9

Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	21

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

usinjectn

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	62	
	Label	Usually use contraceptive injections(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13588
	1	Yes	296
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	21

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

usgels

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	63	
	Label	Usually use foams/gels/sprays/pessaries(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13878
	1	Yes	9
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	18

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

usrhythm

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	64	

		Value	Count
	Label	Usually use rhythm method(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13827
	1	Yes	58
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	20

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

uswithdrw

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	65	
	Label	Usually use withdrawal(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13652
	1	Yes	229
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	24

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

usimplant

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	66	
	Label	Usually use contraceptive implants(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13375
	1	Yes	511

Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	19

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

usother

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	67	
	Label	Usually use other contraception(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13878
	1	Yes	8
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	19

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

usconptch

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	68	
	Label	Usually use Contraceptive patch(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13882
	1	Yes	6
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1257
	9	Not answered	17

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

usnotused

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	69	

		Value	Count
	Label	Not had a usual contraceptive method in the last year(orig: Usualco2, Contraception)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	Using contraceptive methods at the moment	8575
	1	Not using contraceptive methods at the moment	5267
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	1307
	9	Not answered	13

Asked if age at first intercourse >or=13 and have used contraception in that last year. Question is 'Which would you say is your most usual method these days?'

Family structure

parents4

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	70	
	Label	Family structure when aged 14, (5 groups)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Natural/adoptive parents	11544
	2	One natural/one step	1263
	3	Single parent	1942
	4	In care	124
	5	Other	287
Missing Values	9	Not answered	2

sibpos2

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	71	
	Label	position in family when growing up	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	-1	Not applicable	1701
	1	Oldest	5050
	2	Youngest	4710
	3	Inbetween	3694
Missing Values	9	Not answered	7

Asked to those who have at least one sibling (i.e. those who did not answer 'Yes = 1' or 'didn't answer = 9' to sibany9 any brothers or sisters: none) and those who lived with a sibling at any time while growing up (i.e those who did not answer 'No = 2' to siblive).

siblive

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	72	
	Label	live with siblings (natural,half,adopted or step) at any time when growing up	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	-1	Not applicable	985
	1	Yes	13456
	2	No	716
	9	Not answered	5

Asked to those who have at least one sibling (i.e. those who did not answer 'Yes = 1' or 'didn't answer = 9' to sibany9 any brothers or sisters: none).

Sex education

talkmapa

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	73	
	Label	Ease with which discussed sex with parents around age 14	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Easy with one/both	2904
	2	Difficult	1542
	3	Didn't discuss with either	9850
	4	Varied/depended on topic	421
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	413
	9	Not answered	32

Asked to those living with at least one parent at age 14

sexedudoc

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	74	
	Label	Source: doctor/nurse/clinic(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	14131
	1	Yes	1002
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexeduintad

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	75	
	Label	Source: Internet-sexual advice websites(orig: LearnSe2, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	14381
	1	Yes	752
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexedusch

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	76	
	Label	Source: lessons at school(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	5322
	1	Yes	9811
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexeduinto

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	77	
	Label	Source: Internet-other(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	14611

	1	Yes	522
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexedubmn

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	78	
	Label	Source: books/magazines/newspapers(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	10486
	1	Yes	4647
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexedufrn

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	79	
	Label	Source: friends of about own age(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	4476
	1	Yes	10657
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexedutvid

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	80	

		Value	Count
	Label	Source: TV/radio/DVDs/videos(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	10798
	1	Yes	4335
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexedumum

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	81	
	Label	Source: mother (incl step/adoptive)(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	11210
	1	Yes	3923
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexedudad

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	82	
	Label	Source: father (incl step/adoptive)(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13890
	1	Yes	1243
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexedufsp

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	83	
	Label	Source: 1st girlfriend/boyfriend/sexual partner(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	11354
	1	Yes	3779
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexeduintpn

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	84	
	Label	Source: Internet - pornographic websites(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	14571
	1	Yes	562
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexedupor

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	85	
	Label	Source: Pornographic magazines/films (orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	

	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	14195
	1	Yes	938
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexedubsis

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	86	
	Label	Source: brother/sister (incl half/step/adopted)(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	13553
	1	Yes	1580
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexeduoth

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	87	
	Label	Source: Other(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	14966
	1	Yes	167
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexeduani

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	88	

	Label	Source: animals/growing up on a farm(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	15091
	1	Yes	42
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexedurel

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	89	
	Label	Source: other relative(s)(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	15039
	1	Yes	94
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexeduofri

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	90	
	Label	Source: older friends(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	15115
	1	Yes	18
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexeduofrn

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	91	
	Label	Source: friends(age not specified)(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	15120
	1	Yes	13
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexeduexp

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	92	
	Label	Source: through (own) experience(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	15072
	1	Yes	61
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexedufil

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	93	
	Label	Source: cinemas/film (other than TV or video)(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	15131

	1	Yes	2
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

sexeduedc

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	94	
	Label	Source: lessons/courses (i.e. formal teaching)(orig: LearnSex, LearnSex)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	0	No	15129
	1	Yes	4
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	0
	9	Not answered	29

Opinions and attitudes

rwadult

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	95	
	Label	Opinion about adultery when married : right/wrong	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Always wrong	9497
	2	Mostly wrong	3619
	3	Sometimes wrong	1417
	4	Rarely wrong	121
	5	Not wrong at all	209
	8	Depends/Don't know	269
Missing Values	9	Not answered	30

rwcasual

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	96	
	Label	Opinion about one night stands? right/wrong.	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Always wrong	4550
	2	Mostly wrong	2894
	3	Sometimes wrong	3889
	4	Rarely wrong	1163
	5	Not wrong at all	1995
	8	Depends/Don't know	641
Missing Values	9	Not answered	30

rwsamm

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	97	
	Label	Opinion about sexual relations between two adult men? right/wrong	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Always wrong	3178
	2	Mostly wrong	1124
	3	Sometimes wrong	1026
	4	Rarely wrong	1217
	5	Not wrong at all	7849
	8	Depends/Don't know	731
Missing Values	9	Not answered	37

rwsamf

		Value	Count

Standard Attributes	Position	98	
	Label	Opinion about sexual relations between two adult women? right/wrong	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Always wrong	2543
	2	Mostly wrong	1182
	3	Sometimes wrong	1250
	4	Rarely wrong	1323
	5	Not wrong at all	8104
	8	Depends/Don't know	724
Missing Values	9	Not answered	36

snnolov

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	99	
	Label	Sex without love OK	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Agree strongly	1761
	2	Agree	6267
	3	Neither agree or disagree	3659
	4	Disagree	2296
	5	Disagree strongly	1048
	8	Don't know	101
Missing Values	9	Not answered	30

snpres

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	100	
	Label	People are under pressure to have sex	
	Type	Numeric	

	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Agree strongly	3756
	2	Agree	6609
	3	Neither agree or disagree	2680
	4	Disagree	1608
	5	Disagree strongly	221
	8	Don't know	260
Missing Values	9	Not answered	28

snold

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	101	
	Label	Natural for people to want sex less as they get older	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Agree strongly	819
	2	Agree	5323
	3	Neither agree or disagree	4548
	4	Disagree	3434
	5	Disagree strongly	469
	8	Don't know	539
Missing Values	9	Not answered	30

snsexdrv

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	102	
	Label	Men have a naturally higher sex drive than women	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Agree strongly	1878
	2	Agree	5120

		Value	Count
	3	Neither agree or disagree	3939
	4	Disagree	3351
	5	Disagree strongly	514
	8	Don't know	330
Missing Values	9	Not answered	30

snmedia

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	103	
	Label	Too much sex in the media	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Agree strongly	3722
	2	Agree	6449
	3	Neither agree or disagree	3350
	4	Disagree	1350
	5	Disagree strongly	134
	8	Don't know	128
Missing Values	9	Not answered	29

snearly

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	104	
	Label	Young people today start having sex too early	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Agree strongly	5959
	2	Agree	6724
	3	Neither agree or disagree	1709
	4	Disagree	467
	5	Disagree strongly	44

		Value	Count
	8	Don't know	231
Missing Values	9	Not answered	28

sngayadp

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	105	
	Label	Gay men should be able to adopt children	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Agree strongly	2588
	2	Agree	5150
	3	Neither agree or disagree	3047
	4	Disagree	2205
	5	Disagree strongly	1900
	8	Don't know	243
Missing Values	9	Not answered	29

snlesadp

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	106	
	Label	Lesbians should be able to adopt children	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Agree strongly	2611
	2	Agree	5336
	3	Neither agree or disagree	3147
	4	Disagree	2147
	5	Disagree strongly	1646
	8	Don't know	246
Missing Values	9	Not answered	29

snsexed

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	107	

	Label	Sex Education encourages young people to have sex	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Agree strongly	463
	2	Agree	2597
	3	Neither agree or disagree	3467
	4	Disagree	6842
	5	Disagree strongly	1552
	8	Don't know	214
Missing Values	9	Not answered	27

uagesex

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	108	
	Label	Proportion of young people having sex before 16	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Less than a quarter	809
	2	About a quarter	3208
	3	About a half	5918
	4	About three-quarters	2808
	5	More than three-quarters	1620
	8	Don't know	772
Missing Values	9	Not answered	27

attconservative

		Value
Standard Attributes	Position	109

		Label	Sexually conservative attitudes scale, higher score = more conservative attitudes
		Type	Numeric
		Measurement	Scale
N		Valid	13981
		Missing	1181

Religion

religimp

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	110	
	Label	Importantance of religion and religious beliefs now	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Very important	2163
	2	Fairly important	3773
	3	Not very important	4414
	4	Not important at all	4755
Missing Values	9	Not answered	57

whirel

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	111	
	Label	Which religion belongs to	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Christian, no denomination	2049
	2	Roman Catholic	1471

	3	Church of England/Anglican	2161
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	4	Baptist	65
	5	Methodist	153
	6	Presbyterian/Church of Scotland	242
	7	Other Christian	214
	8	Hindu	200
	9	Jew	58
	10	Islam/Muslim	508
	11	Sikh	72
	12	Buddhist	64
	13	Other non-Christian	127
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	7730
	99	Not answered	48

oftrelig

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	112	
	Label	Frequency of attendance to religious services/meetings	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	-9	Refusal	0
	-8	Don't Know	0
	1	Once a week or more	1309
	2	Less often but at least once in two weeks	293
	3	Less often but at least once a month	688
	4	Less often but at least twice a year	1161

	5	Less often but at least once a year	746
	6	Less often	482
	7	Never or practically never	2604
	8	Varies	101
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	7730
	9	Not answered	48

Socio-economic

ractivhi3

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	113	
	Label	Respondent's Highest occupation code (comparable with Natsal-2 Ractivhi)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Full-Time Education	1954
	2	Government Training/Employment Scheme	68
	3	Paid Employment (Incl. Self Employment)	8188
	4	Waiting To Take Up Paid Work Already Obtained	85
	5	Unemployed, Looking For Work Or Training	759

	6	Long Term Sickness / Disability	572
	7	Looking After The Home Or Family	1438
	8	Doing Something Else	205
	9	Retired	1738
	10	Temporarily Sick / Disabled	109
Missing Values	99	Not Answered	46

employed

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	114	
	Label	Employment status at interview	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Employed	8195
	2	Full-time education	1954
	3	Unemployed	3095
	4	Retired	1872
Missing Values	9	Not answered	46

rempstat

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	115	
	Label	Employee/self-employed?	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	-1	Not had paid job for 10+ hours a week in last 10 years	2935
	1	Employee	10921
	2	Self-employed	1263

		Value	Count
Missing Values	9	Not answered/don t know	43

rnssecgp_6

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	116	
	Label	Respondent's NSSEC code (8 groups)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Managerial and prof occupations	4310
	2	Intermediate occupations	1724
	3	Small employers and own account workers	873
	4	Lower supervisory and technical occupations	1042
	5	Semi-routine and routine occupations	3455
	6	Never worked or long term unemployed	511
	7	No job of 10+ hrs/week in last 10 years	1200
	8	Student in full-time education	1954
Missing Values	99	Not classifiable	93

rnssecgp_4

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	117	

	Label	Respondent's NSSEC code (5 groups)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Managerial & prof occupations	4310
	2	Intermediate occupations	2597
	3	Semi-routine/routine occupations	4497
	4	No job(10+ hrs/week) or not in last 10 years	1711
	5	Student in full-time education	1954
Missing Values	99	Not classifiable	93

income

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	118	
	Label	Household income per year (incl benefits, pensions etc)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	<2,500	434
	2	2,500-4,999	611
	3	5,000-9,999	1392
	4	10,000-19,999	2402
	5	20,000-29,999	2065
	6	30,000-39,999	1709
	7	40,000-49,999	1330
	8	50,000+	2279
Missing Values	99	Not answered	2940

parsc3

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	119	

	Label	Parent's social class grouped (orig: par1occ, par2occ, par3occ)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Professional / managerial	2731
	2	Technical / skilled	7496
	3	Partly skilled / unskilled	2658
	4	Never had a job	520
	5	Unclassifiable / army / other	516
	6	Can't say	398
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	564
	9	Not answered	279

educ3

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	120	
	Label	Highest educational qualification (academic/non-academic), grouped	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Ordinal	
Valid Values	1	Degree	3601
	2	Higher education, <degree level but A-level/equiv	4148
	3	GCSE, O-level or equivalent	5316
	4	Foreign or other	177
	5	None	1875
Missing Values	9	Not answered	45

netacc

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	121	
	Label	Does your household have access to the Internet from home? (QClass.NetAcc)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	-9	Refusal	0
	-8	Don't Know	0
	1	Yes	13176
	2	No	1948
Missing Values	-1	Item not applicable	0
	9	not answered	38

Deprivation

adj_imd_quintile

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	122	
	Label	Quintile of adjusted IMD (For Great Britain)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Ordinal	
Valid Values	1	[least deprived]	2829
	2		2965
	3		2972
	4		3123
	5	[most deprived]	3273

qimd

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	123	

		Value	Count
	Label	England: IMD score (2010) - Quintiles	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Ordinal	
Valid Values	1	0.53->8.49 [least deprived]	2421
	2	8.49->13.79	2530
	3	13.79->21.35	2506
	4	21.35->34.17	2745
	5	34.17->87.80 [most deprived]	2866
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	2094

qwimd

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	124	
	Label	Wales: IMD score (2011) - Quintiles	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Ordinal	
Valid Values	1	2.17->9.68 [least deprived]	154
	2	9.70->14.79	160
	3	14.80->21.42	195
	4	21.42->33.03	148
	5	33.08->84.75 [most deprived]	161
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	14344

qsimd

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	125	
	Label	Scotland: IMD score (2009) - Quintiles	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Ordinal	
Valid Values	1	0.6300 - 7.7500 - least deprived	232

	2	7.7600 - 13.7600	283
	3	13.7700 - 21.0200	230
	4	21.0300 - 33.7200	258
	5	33.7300 - 90.0500 - most deprived	273
Missing Values	-1	Not applicable	13886

Accommodation/settlement variables

tenure

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	126	
	Label	Own / rent accomodation	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Own outright	3392
	2	Buying with a mortgage or loan	5034
	3	Shared ownership (pays part rent and part mortgage	133
	4	Rent it	5937
	5	Lives rent free	562
Missing Values	9	Not answered	104

livehere

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	127	
	Label	Always lived in village / town / city	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	-9	Refusal	0

	-8	Don't Know	0
	-1	Item not applicable	0
	1	Yes	6198
	2	No	8934
Missing Values	9	Not answered	30

Geographic variables

gor_l

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	128	
	Label	Government Office Region(inner & outer London specified)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	North East	770
	2	North West (incl.old mersey region)	1962
	4	Yorkshire And The Humber	1282
	5	East Midlands	1261
	6	West Midlands	1340
	7	South West	1232
	8	East	1547
	9	Inner London	605
	10	Outer London	1056
	11	South East	2013
	12	Wales	818
	13	Scotland	1276

urindew

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Position	129	

	Label	Urban/Rural Indicator (England & Wales)	
	Type	Numeric	
	Measurement	Nominal	
Valid Values	1	Urban >= 10k - sparse	29
	2	Town & Fringe - sparse	73
	3	Village - sparse	94
	4	Hamlet and Isolated Dwelling - sparse	63
	5	Urban >= 10k - less sparse	11059
	6	Town & Fringe - less sparse	1267
	7	Village - less sparse	904
	8	Hamlet & Isolated Dwelling	397
	9	Scotland/NI/Channel Is/IoM	1276