# **Marriages and Divorces 2018: Civil Unions**

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Identification	CivilUnions2018
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# **Files Description**

Dataset contains 1 file(s)

civilunions2018	
# Cases	1650
# Variable(s)	6

## **Variables Group(s)**

### Dataset contains 1 group(s)

Group Marriages and Divorces							
#	Name	Label	Type	Format	Valid	Invalid	Question
1	ProvinceCode	Name of Province	discrete	numeric-2.0	1650	0	-
2	RegistrationMontl	Month of Registration	discrete	numeric-2.0	1650	0	-
3	RegistrationYear	Year of Registration	discrete	numeric-4.0	1650	0	-
4	Spouse1Age	Age of Spouses-1	discrete	numeric-2.0	1650	0	-
5	Spouse2Age	Age of Spouses-2	discrete	numeric-2.0	1650	0	-
6	AgeDiff	Age difference between Spouses-1 and Spouses-2	discrete	numeric-1.0	1650	0	-

## **Variables Description**

Dataset contains 6 variable(s)

### # ProvinceCode: Name of Province

Information [Type= discrete] [Format=numeric] [Range= 1-99] [Missing=*]  Statistics [NW/W] [Valid=1650 /-] [Invalid=0 /-]  Notes The question provides information about the name of the province where the civil union was registered.	

Value	Label	Cases	Percentage
1	Western Cape	465	28.2%
2	Eastern Cape	58	3.5%
3	Northern Cape	20	1.2%
4	Free State	46	2.8%
5	KwaZulu-Natal	298	18.1%
6	North West	40	2.4%
7	Gauteng	632	38.3%
8	Mpumalanga	31	1.9%
9	Limpopo	13	0.8%
98	Outside RSA	2	0.1%
99	Unspecified	45	2.7%

Warning: these figures indicate the number of cases found in the data file. They cannot be interpreted as summary statistics of the population of interest.

#### # RegistrationMonth: Month of Registration

Information	[Type= discrete] [Format=numeric] [Range= 1-12] [Missing=*]	
Statistics [NW/W]	[Valid=1650 /-] [Invalid=0 /-]	
Notes This variable provides information about the month in which the civil union was registered.		

Value	Label	Cases	Percentage
1	January	79	4.8%
2	February	100	6.1%
3	March	149	9.0%
4	April	169	10.2%
5	May	124	7.5%
6	June	103	6.2%
7	July	115	7.0%
8	August	132	8.0%
9	September	197	11.9%
10	October	167	10.1%
11	November	155	9.4%
12	December	160	9.7%

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### # RegistrationYear: Year of Registration

Information	[Type= discrete] [Format=numeric] [Range= 2018-2018] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/W]	[Valid=1650 /-] [Invalid=0 /-]
Notes The variable provides information about the year in which the civil union was registered.	

	Value	Label	Cases	Percentage		
	2018	2018	1650	100.0%		
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## # Spouse1Age: Age of Spouses-1

Information [Type= discrete] [Format=numeric] [Range= 19-90] [Missing=*]	
Statistics [NW/W]	[Valid=1650 /-] [Invalid=0 /-]
Notes This variable provides information about the age of spouses-1 at the time of the union.	

Value	Label	Cases Percentage
19	19	2 0.1%
20	20	1 0.1%
21	21	9 0.5%
22	22	9 0.5%
23	23	12 0.7%
24	24	22 1.3%
25	25	39 2.4%
26	26	42 2.5%
27	27	52 3.2%
28	28	55 3.3%
29	29	82 5.0%
30	30	80 4.8%
31	31	91 5.59
32	32	90 5.5%
33	33	85 5.2%
34	34	73 4.4%
35	35	63 3.8%
36	36	72 4.4%
37	37	66 4.0%
38	38	53 3.2%
39	39	53 3.2%
40	40	43 2.6%
41	41	46 2.8%
42	42	25 1.5%
43	43	36 2.2%
44	44	41 2.5%
45	45	23 1.4%
46	46	38 2.3%
47	47	37 2.2%
48	48	24 1.5%
49	49	32 1.9%
50	50	25 1.5%
51	51	9 0.5%
52	52	17 1.0%
53	53	20 1.2%
54	54	25 1.5%
55	55	18 1.1%
56	56	19 1.2%
57	57	15 0.9%
58	58	12 0.7%

### # Spouse1Age: Age of Spouses-1

Value	Label	Cases	Percentage
59	59	9	0.5%
60	60	15	0.9%
61	61	9	0.5%
62	62	9	0.5%
63	63	3	0.2%
64	64	7	0.4%
65	65	6	0.4%
66	66	1	0.1%
67	67	3	0.2%
68	68	7	0.4%
69	69	2	0.1%
70	70	3	0.2%
71	71	3	0.2%
72	72	2	0.1%
73	73	1	0.1%
74	74	3	0.2%
75	75	2	0.1%
76	76	3	0.2%
77	77	2	0.1%
78	78	2	0.1%
80	80	1	0.1%
90	90	1	0.1%

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### #Spouse2Age: Age of Spouses-2

Information [Type= discrete] [Format=numeric] [Range= 18-81] [Missing=*]	
Statistics [NW/W]	[Valid=1650 /-] [Invalid=0 /-]
Notes This variable provides information about the age of spouses-2 at the time of the union.	

Value	Label	Cases	Percentage
18	18	2	0.1%
19	19	2	0.1%
20	20	3	0.2%
21	21	15	0.9%
22	22	14	0.8%
23	23	25	1.5%
24	24	49	3.0%
25	25	52	3.2%
26	26	51	3.1%
27	27	73	4.4%
28	28	84	5.1%
29	29	97	5.9%
30	30	90	5.5%
31	31	72	4.4%
32	32	87	5.3%

### #Spouse2Age: Age of Spouses-2

Value	Label	Cases	Percentage
33	33	78	4.7%
34	34	77	4.7%
35	35	58	3.5%
36	36	58	3.5%
37	37	59	3.6%
38	38	44	2.7%
39	39	47	2.8%
40	40	46	2.8%
41	41	47	2.8%
42	42	40	2.4%
43	43	20	1.2%
44	44	18	1.1%
45	45	33	2.0%
46	46	37	2.2%
47	47	26	1.6%
48	48	22	1.3%
49	49	22	1.3%
50	50	37	2.2%
51	51	12	0.7%
52	52	19	1.2%
53	53	19	1.2%
54	54	15	0.9%
55	55	15	0.9%
56	56	15	0.9%
57	57	5	0.3%
58	58	5	0.3%
59	59	8	0.5%
60	60	7	0.4%
61	61	7	0.4%
62	62	7	0.4%
63	63	3	0.2%
64	64	5	0.3%
65	65	3	0.2%
66	66	3	0.2%
67	67	6	0.4%
68	68	1	0.1%
69	69	2	0.1%
71	71	1	0.1%
72	72	1	0.1%
73	73	1	0.1%
74	74	1	0.1%
75	75	2	0.1%
76	76	1	0.1%

### #Spouse2Age: Age of Spouses-2

	Value	Label	Cases	Percentage
	81	81	1	0.1%
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#### # AgeDiff: Age difference between Spouses-1 and Spouses-2

Information [Type= discrete] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-2] [Missing=*]		
Statistics [NW/W]	[Valid=1650 /-] [Invalid=0 /-]	
Notes	This variable is derived from the difference between Spouse-1Age and Spouse-2Age. It provides information on the age difference between spouse-1and spouse-2.	

Value	Label	Cases	Percentage
0	Spouses same age	131	7.9%
1	Spouses-1 older	981	59.5%
2	Spouses-1 younger	538	32.6%
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