UK Data Archive Data Dictionary

File-level information:

File Name = benefits

Number of variables = 32

Number of cases = 37554

Variable-level information:

Pos. = 1 **Variable =** SERNUM **Variable label =** Sernum

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for SERNUM

Pos. = 2 **Variable =** BENUNIT **Variable label =** Benefit Unit

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *NOMINAL*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for BENUNIT

Pos. = 3 **Variable =** PERSON **Variable label =** Person

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *NOMINAL*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for PERSON

Pos. = 4 **Variable =** BENEFIT **Variable label =** Benefit Type

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for BENEFIT

Value = 1.0 Label = DLA(self care)

Value = 2.0 Label = DLA(mobility)

Value = 3.0 Label = Child Benefit

Value = 4.0 Label = Pension credit

Value = 5.0 Label = State Pension

Value = 6.0 Label = Bereavement Support Payment / Widowed Parent's Allowance

Value = 8.0 Label = Armed Forces Compensation Scheme

Value = 9.0 Label = War Widow's/Widower's Pension

Value = 10.0 Label = Severe Disability Allowance

Value = 12.0 Label = Attendence Allowance

Value = 13.0 Label = Carer's Allowance

Value = 14.0 Label = Jobseeker's Allowance

Value = 15.0 Label = Industrial Injury Disablement Benefit

Value = 16.0 Label = Employment and Support Allowance

Value = 17.0 Label = Incapacity Benefit

Value = 19.0 Label = Income Support

Value = 21.0 Label = Maternity Allowance

Value = 22.0 Label = Sure Start Maternity Grant / Best Start Grant

Value = 24.0 Label = Funeral Grant from Social Fund

Value = 30.0 Label = Any other NI or State benefit

Value = 31.0 Label = Trade Union sick/strike pay

Value = 32.0 Label = Friendly Society Benefits

Value = 33.0 Label = Private sickness scheme benefits

Value = 34.0 Label = Accident insurance scheme benefits

Value = 35.0 Label = Hospital savings scheme benefits

Value = 36.0 Label = Government training allowances

Value = 37.0 Label = Guardians Allowance

Value = 61.0 Label = Unemployment/Redundancy Insurance

Value = 62.0 Label = Winter Fuel Payments

Value = 65.0 Label = DWP third party payments - IS/PC

Value = 66.0 Label = DWP third party payments - JSA/ESA

Value = 69.0 Label = Social Fund Loan: Repayment from IS/PC

Value = 70.0 Label = Social Fund Loan: Repayment from JSA/ESA

Value = 78.0 Label = Extended HB

Value = 81.0 Label = Permanent health insurance

Value = 82.0 Label = Any other sickness insurance

Value = 83.0 Label = Critical Illness Cover

Value = 90.0 Label = Working Tax Credit

Value = 91.0 Label = Child Tax Credit

Value = 92.0 Label = Working Tax Credit Lump Sum

Value = 93.0 Label = Child Tax Credit Lump Sum

Value = 94.0 Label = Housing Benefit

Value = 95.0 Label = Universal Credit

Value = 96.0 Label = Personal Independence Payment (Daily Living)

Value = 97.0 Label = Personal Independence Payment (Mobility)

Value = 98.0 Label = A loan from the DWP and DfC

Value = 99.0 Label = A loan/grant from local authority

Value = 102.0 Label = Future: Pension Credit

Value = 103.0 Label = Future: Universal Credit

Value = 104.0 Label = Future: Housing Benefit

Value = 105.0 Label = Future: Working Tax Credit

Value = 106.0 Label = Future: Child Tax Credit

Value = 107.0 Label = Future: Income Support

Value = 108.0 Label = Future: Jobseeker's Allowance

Value = 109.0 Label = Future: Employment and Support Allowance

Value = 110.0 Label = DWP third party payments - UC

Value = 111.0 Label = Social Fund Loan: UC

Pos. = 5 **Variable =** BANKSTMT **Variable label =** Whether bank statement consulted

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for BANKSTMT

Value = 1.0 Label = Yes

Value = 2.0 Label = No (incl. unwilling)

Pos. = 6 **Variable =** BENAMT **Variable label =** Amount of benefit received last time

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for BENAMT

Pos. = 7 **Variable =** BENAMTDK **Variable label =** Are amounts DK as they are combined

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for BENAMTDK

Value = 1.0 Label = Yes

Value = 2.0 Label = No

Pos. = 8 **Variable =** BENLETTR **Variable label =** Whether benefit letter consulted

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for BENLETTR

Value = 1.0 Label = Yes

Value = 2.0 Label = No (incl. unwilling)

Pos. = 9 **Variable =** BENPD **Variable label =** Pcode: amt benefit received last time

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for BENPD

Value = 1.0 Label = 1 week

Value = 2.0 Label = 2 weeks

Value = 3.0 Label = 3 weeks

Value = 4.0 Label = 4 weeks

Value = 5.0 Label = Calendar month

Value = 7.0 Label = Two Calendar months

Value = 8.0 Label = Eight times a year

Value = 9.0 Label = Nine times a year

Value = 10.0 Label = Ten times a year

Value = 13.0 Label = Three months (13 weeks)

Value = 52.0 Label = One Year/12 Months/52 Weeks

Value = 97.0 Label = Other

Value = 26.0 Label = Six months/26 Weeks

Value = 90.0 Label = Less than 1 week

Value = 95.0 Label = One off/lump sum

Pos. = 10 Variable = CBPAYE **Variable label =** Do you make your Child Benefit payment through work (PAYE) ?

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for CBPAYE

Value = 1.0 Label = Self_Assessment

Value = 2.0 Label = PAYE

Value = 3.0 Label = Both

Pos. = 11 Variable = CBTAX **Variable label =** Do you pay a high income Child Benefit tax charge on Child B

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for CBTAX

Value = 1.0 Label = Yes

Value = 2.0 Label = No

Pos. = 12 Variable = CCTC **Variable label =** Whether child care element included

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for CCTC

Value = 1.0 Label = Yes

Value = 2.0 Label = No

Pos. = 13 Variable = COMBAMT **Variable label =** Total amount of combined benefits

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for COMBAMT

Pos. = 14 Variable = COMBPD **Variable label =** PCode : Combined benefits

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for COMBPD

Value = 1.0 Label = 1 week

Value = 2.0 Label = 2 weeks

Value = 3.0 Label = 3 weeks

Value = 4.0 Label = 4 weeks

Value = 5.0 Label = Calendar month

Value = 7.0 Label = Two Calendar months

Value = 8.0 Label = Eight times a year

Value = 9.0 Label = Nine times a year

Value = 10.0 Label = Ten times a year

Value = 13.0 Label = Three months (13 weeks)

Value = 52.0 Label = One Year/12 Months/52 Weeks

Value = 97.0 Label = Other

Value = 26.0 Label = Six months/26 Weeks

Value = 90.0 Label = Less than 1 week

Value = 95.0 Label = One off/lump sum

Pos. = 15 Variable = GTANET Variable label = Was that amount after tax had been taken off

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for GTANET

Value = 1.0 Label = YES

Value = 2.0 Label = NO

Pos. = 16 Variable = GVTREGNO Variable label = Region in UK (Original codes)

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for GVTREGNO

Value = 1.0 Label = North East

Value = 2.0 Label = North West

Value = 4.0 Label = Yorks and the Humber

Value = 5.0 Label = East Midlands

Value = 6.0 Label = West Midlands

Value = 7.0 Label = East of England

Value = 8.0 Label = London

Value = 9.0 Label = South East

Value = 10.0 Label = South West

Value = 11.0 Label = Wales

Value = 12.0 Label = Scotland

Value = 13.0 Label = Northern Ireland

Pos. = 17 Variable = ISSUE **Variable label =** Whether Mainstage or Reissue

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for ISSUE

Value = 1.0 Label = Mainstage

Value = 2.0 Label = Reissue

Pos. = 18 Variable = NOTUSAMT **Variable label =** Amount of benefit usually received

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for NOTUSAMT

Pos. = 19 Variable = NOTUSPD **Variable label =** Pcode: amt of benefit usually received

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for NOTUSPD

Value = 1.0 Label = 1 week

Value = 2.0 Label = 2 weeks

Value = 3.0 Label = 3 weeks

Value = 4.0 Label = 4 weeks

Value = 5.0 Label = Calendar month

Value = 7.0 Label = Two Calendar months

Value = 8.0 Label = Eight times a year

Value = 9.0 Label = Nine times a year

Value = 10.0 Label = Ten times a year

Value = 13.0 Label = Three months (13 weeks)

Value = 52.0 Label = One Year/12 Months/52 Weeks

Value = 97.0 Label = Other

Value = 26.0 Label = Six months/26 Weeks

Value = 90.0 Label = Less than 1 week

Value = 95.0 Label = One off/lump sum

Pos. = 20 Variable = NUMWEEKS Variable label = Number of weeks in receipt

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for NUMWEEKS

Pos. = 21 Variable = NUMYEARS Variable label = Number of years in receipt

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for NUMYEARS

Value = 1.0 Label = Up to 2 Years

Value = 2.0 Label = 2 Years but less than 3

Value = 3.0 Label = 3 Years but less than 4

Value = 4.0 Label = 4 Years but less than 5

Value = 5.0 Label = 5 or more Years

Pos. = 22 Variable = PRES Variable label = Whether receiving benefit at present

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for PRES

Value = 1.0 Label = Yes

Value = 2.0 Label = No

Pos. = 23 Variable = USUAL Variable label = Whether it is amount usually get

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for USUAL

Value = 1.0 Label = Yes

Value = 2.0 Label = No

Value = 3.0 Label = No such thing as usual amount

Pos. = 24 Variable = VAR1 Variable label = Multi-purpose variable No1

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for VAR1

Value = 0.0 Label = Code 0

Value = 1.0 Label = Code 1

Value = 2.0 Label = Code 2

Value = 3.0 Label = Code 3

Value = 4.0 Label = Code 4

Value = 5.0 Label = Code 5

Value = 6.0 Label = Code 6

Value = 7.0 Label = Code 7

Pos. = 25 Variable = VAR2 Variable label = Multi-purpose variable No2

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for VAR2

Value = 0.0 Label = Code 0

Value = 1.0 Label = Code 1

Value = 2.0 Label = Code 2

Value = 3.0 Label = Code 3

Value = 4.0 Label = Code 4

Value = 5.0 Label = Code 5

Value = 6.0 Label = Code 6

Value = 7.0 Label = Code 7

Pos. = 26 Variable = VAR3 **Variable label =** Multi-purpose variable No3

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for VAR3

Value = 0.0 Label = Code 0

Value = 1.0 Label = Code 1

Value = 2.0 Label = Code 2

Value = 3.0 Label = Code 3

Value = 4.0 Label = Code 4

Value = 5.0 Label = Code 5

Value = 6.0 Label = Code 6

Value = 7.0 Label = Code 7

Value = 8.0 Label = Code 8

Value = 9.0 Label = Code 9

Value = 10.0 Label = Code 10

Value = 11.0 Label = Code 11

Value = 12.0 Label = Code 12

Value = 13.0 Label = Code 13

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Value = 95.0 Label = Code 95

Value = 96.0 Label = Code 96

Value = 97.0 Label = Code 97

Pos. = 27 Variable = WHOREC1 **Variable label =** Person benefit received for

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for WHOREC1

Value = 1.0 Label = Person 1

Value = 2.0 Label = Person 2

Value = 3.0 Label = Person 3

Value = 4.0 Label = Person 4

Value = 5.0 Label = Person 5

Value = 6.0 Label = Person 6

Value = 7.0 Label = Person 7

Value = 8.0 Label = Person 8

Value = 9.0 Label = Person 9

Value = 10.0 Label = Person 10

Value = 11.0 Label = Person 11

Value = 12.0 Label = Person 12

Value = 13.0 Label = Person 13

Value = 14.0 Label = Person 14

Value = 97.0 Label = Not a household member

Pos. = 28 Variable = WHOREC2 **Variable label =** Person benefit received for

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for WHOREC2

Value = 1.0 Label = Person 1

Value = 2.0 Label = Person 2

Value = 3.0 Label = Person 3

Value = 4.0 Label = Person 4

Value = 5.0 Label = Person 5

Value = 6.0 Label = Person 6

Value = 7.0 Label = Person 7

Value = 8.0 Label = Person 8

Value = 9.0 Label = Person 9

Value = 10.0 Label = Person 10

Value = 11.0 Label = Person 11

Value = 12.0 Label = Person 12

Value = 13.0 Label = Person 13

Value = 14.0 Label = Person 14

Value = 97.0 Label = Not a household member

Pos. = 29 Variable = WHOREC3 **Variable label =** Person benefit received for

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for WHOREC3

Value = 1.0 Label = Person 1

Value = 2.0 Label = Person 2

Value = 3.0 Label = Person 3

Value = 4.0 Label = Person 4

Value = 5.0 Label = Person 5

Value = 6.0 Label = Person 6

Value = 7.0 Label = Person 7

Value = 8.0 Label = Person 8

Value = 9.0 Label = Person 9

Value = 10.0 Label = Person 10

Value = 11.0 Label = Person 11

Value = 12.0 Label = Person 12

Value = 13.0 Label = Person 13

Value = 14.0 Label = Person 14

Value = 97.0 Label = Not a household member

Pos. = 30 Variable = WHOREC4 Variable label = Person benefit received for

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for WHOREC4

Value = 1.0 Label = Person 1

Value = 2.0 Label = Person 2

Value = 3.0 Label = Person 3

Value = 4.0 Label = Person 4

Value = 5.0 Label = Person 5

Value = 6.0 Label = Person 6

Value = 7.0 Label = Person 7

Value = 8.0 Label = Person 8

Value = 9.0 Label = Person 9

Value = 10.0 Label = Person 10

Value = 11.0 Label = Person 11

Value = 12.0 Label = Person 12

Value = 13.0 Label = Person 13

Value = 14.0 Label = Person 14

Value = 97.0 Label = Not a household member

Pos. = 31 Variable = WHOREC5 Variable label = Person benefit received for

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *SCALE*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for WHOREC5

Value = 1.0 Label = Person 1

Value = 2.0 Label = Person 2

Value = 3.0 Label = Person 3

Value = 4.0 Label = Person 4

Value = 5.0 Label = Person 5

Value = 6.0 Label = Person 6

Value = 7.0 Label = Person 7

Value = 8.0 Label = Person 8

Value = 9.0 Label = Person 9

Value = 10.0 Label = Person 10

Value = 11.0 Label = Person 11

Value = 12.0 Label = Person 12

Value = 13.0 Label = Person 13

Value = 14.0 Label = Person 14

Value = 97.0 Label = Not a household member

Pos. = 32 Variable = MONTH__ Variable label = Month code (Source)

This variable is *numeric*, the SPSS measurement level is *NOMINAL*

SPSS user missing values = -9.0 thru -1.0

Value label information for MONTH__