

# **1968 Family Data: Final Release**

## **Codebook**

**Number of Variables**

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## V1 "RELEASE NUMBER" NUM(1.0)

Release Number

December, 2013: Three-digit occupation and industry variables have been added to this file, V197\_A, V197\_B for Heads, and V243\_A, V243\_B for Wives/"Wives". These variables were previously available as HD OCC68, HD IND68, and WF OCC68, WF IND68. On release 3, we are suppressing some additional variables to protect the anonymity of our respondents.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
-	-	2	Release number 2 - May 2008
4,802	100.00	3	Release number 3 - December 2013

## V2 "INTERVIEW NUMBER 68" NUM(5.0)

Sequence number

(The last digit of this number is zero for all but 35 cases which were coded 1. These cases are related secondaries about to leave home, who were interviewed separately. Most data tapes omit the 35, so the last digit of this number will be = 0.)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,802	100.00	10 - 68,720	Actual sequence number

## V3 "FAMILY NUMBER" NUM(4.0)

Family number

(The first four digits of the sequence number, and kept as the link with later reinterviews, i.e., coded each year for any member of this family who is reinterviewed. Families in cross-section sample have numbers less than 3000. Those in supplementary low income sample have number 5000 or above.)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,930	61.02	1 - 2,999	Actual family number (cross-section sample)
1,872	38.98	5,000 - 6,875	Actual family number (supplementary low income sample)

## V4 "SUBFAMILY NUMBER 68" NUM(1.0)

Sub-family number

(The last digit of the sequence number. This will be 0 except for 35 related secondaries who will be eliminated from most data tapes.)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,798	99.92	0	Sub-family number is 0
4	.08	1	Sub-family number is 1

## V5 "HOUSE VALUE" NUM(5.0)

House value

There are no missing data; they were assigned values.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,423	50.46	0	Inap.: not a homeowner
2,373	49.42	1 - 99,998	Actual house value
6	.12	99,999	\$99,999 or more

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**V6 "YRLY PROP TAXES"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Property taxes

*Estimated from house value using data from previous surveys and region, and central city or suburbs. Rate of taxation on house value was assigned on the basis of data from previous surveys. The assigned tax rates are shown in the table below:*

*Distance from nearest city of 50,000 or more: 0-5 - in Maine, Vermont, Mass., Rhode Island, N.H., Connecticut, New England=.025*

*Distance from nearest city of 50,000 or more: 0-5 - in another state=.020*

*Distance from nearest city of 50,000 or more: 5-49 - in Maine, Vermont, Mass., Rhode Island, N.H., Connecticut, New England=.020*

*Distance from nearest city of 50,000 or more: 5-49 - in another state=.015*

*Distance from nearest city of 50,000 or more: 50 miles or more - in Maine, Vermont, Mass., Rhode Island, N.H., Connecticut, New England=.015*

*Distance from nearest city of 50,000 or more: 50 miles or more - in another state=.010*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
2,490	51.85	0	Inap.:	none;	not a homeowner (V5 = 0)
2,312	48.15	1 - 2,250	Actual	amount	

**V7 "ACCURACY OF PR TAX"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of house value and property taxes

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,549	94.73	0	No	assignments	
25	.52	1	Minor	assignment	
93	1.94	2	Major	assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)	
133	2.77	3	Complex	property - the reported house value included farm or business property, but imputed rent and housing payments were computed on the basis of the estimated portion of property used for housing	
1	.02	5	Estimate	not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967	
1	.02	8	Wild	code	

**V8 "YRLY MDRT PAYTS"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Annual mortgage payments

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
3,448	71.80	0	Inap.:	does not have mortgage payments	
1,354	28.20	1 - 9,998	Actual	amount	
-	-	9,999	\$9,999	or more	

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**V9 "ACCURACY OF MTG PTS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of mortgage payments

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,703	97.94	0	No assignments
20	.42	1	Minor assignment
21	.44	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
56	1.17	3	Complex property - the reported house value included farm or business property, but imputed rent and housing payments were computed on the basis of the estimated portion of property used for housing
2	.04	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V10 "YRLY RENT PAYTS"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Annual rent paid

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,620	54.56	0	Inap.: does not pay rent
2,182	45.44	1 - 9,998	Actual amount
-	-	9,999	\$9,999 or more

**V11 "ACCURACY RENT PTS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of rent payments

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,756	99.04	0	No assignments
8	.17	1	Minor assignment
8	.17	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
1	.02	3	Complex property - the reported house value included farm or business property, but imputed rent and housing payments were computed on the basis of the estimated portion of property used for housing
29	.60	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V12 "YRLY RENT VALUE"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Annual rent value of free housing (for those who neither own nor rent)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,563	95.02	0	Inap.: owns or rents
239	4.98	36 - 2,400	Actual amount

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**V13 "ACCURACY OF RNT VAL"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of annual rent value of free housing

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,747	98.85	0	No assignments
33	.69	1	Minor assignment
15	.31	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
7	.15	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V14 "YRLY UTILITY PTS"**

**NUM(3.0)**

Annual utilities paid

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
538	11.20	0	None
4,264	88.80	1 - 998	Actual amount
-	-	999	\$999 or more

**V15 "ACCURACY OF UTIL"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of annual utilities

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,666	97.17	0	No assignments
111	2.31	1	Minor assignment
4	.08	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
2	.04	3	Complex property - the reported house value included farm or business property, but imputed rent and housing payments were computed on the basis of the estimated portion of property used for housing
19	.40	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V16 "A+R DONE SELF"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Value of Additions and repairs done by R and family

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,497	72.82	0	Inap.: none; R and family did no additions or repairs
1,305	27.18	1 - 9,998	Actual amount
-	-	9,999	\$9,999 or more

**V17 "ACCURACY OF A+R SLF"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V16

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,690	97.67	0	No assignments
82	1.71	1	Minor assignment

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13	.27	2	Major assignment
16	.33	4	Work done by someone other than Head or Wife
1	.02	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

V18 "YRLY A+R PAYTS"

NUM( 4.0 )

Annual payments on previous additions and repairs (Debt)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,715	98.19	0			No payments
87	1.81	1 - 9,998			Actual amount
-	-	9,999			\$9,999 or more

V19 "ACCURACY OF A+R PT"

NUM(1.0)

## Accuracy of V18

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,784	99.63	0	No assignments
16	.33	1	Minor assignment
2	.04	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)

V20 "YRLY CAR INSUR"

NUM( 4.0 )

Annual cost of car insurance

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,091	43.54	0	Inap.:	no insurance;	no car
2,711	56.46	1 - 9,998	Actual	amount	
-	-	9,999	\$9,999	or more	

V21 "ACCURACY OF CAR INS"

NUM(1.0)

## Accuracy of V20

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,595	95.69	0	No assignments
203	4.23	1	Minor assignment
1	.02	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
3	.06	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

V22 "YRLY CAR PAYTS"

NUM( 4.0 )

Annual payments on car debts

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,537	73.66	0	No	car payments	
1,265	26.34	1 - 9,998	Actual	amount	
-	-	9,999	\$9,999	or more	

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**V23 "ACCURACY OF CAR PTS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V22

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,673	97.31		0		No assignments
49	1.02		1		Minor assignment
24	.50		2		Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
56	1.17		5		Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V24 "SAVD ON CAR REPR"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Amount saved doing own car repairs

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
3,523	73.37		0		Inap.: saved nothing; did no car repairs
1,279	26.63	1 - 9,998			Actual amount
-	-	9,999			\$9,999 or more

**V25 "ACCURACY OF SVD CAR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V24

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,692	97.71		0		No assignments
100	2.08		1		Minor assignment
1	.02		2		Major assignment
1	.02		3		Wild code
7	.15		4		Work done by someone other than Head or Wife
1	.02		5		Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V26 "TIME ON CAR REPR"**

**NUM(3.0)**

Hours spent repairing car

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
3,524	73.39		0		No hours
1,277	26.59	1 - 998			Actual number of hours
1	.02	999			999 hours or more

**V27 "ACCURCY OF TIME C.R."**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V26

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,648	96.79		0		No assignments
143	2.98		1		Minor assignment
-	-		2		Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)

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1	.02	3	Wild code
9	.19	4	Work done by someone other than Head or Wife
1	.02	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V28 "OTHR PAYTS YRLY"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Annual payments on other debts

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,782	57.93	0	Inap.: no such payments
2,020	42.07	1 - 9,998	Actual amount
-	-	9,999	\$9,999 or more

**V29 "ACCURACY OF OTHR PT"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V28

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,755	99.02	0	No assignments
29	.60	1	Minor assignment
6	.12	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
12	.25	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V30 "FAMILY SIZE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Family size

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
792	16.49	1	One person
1,098	22.87	2	Two people
733	15.26	3	Three people
672	13.99	4	Four people
568	11.83	5	Five people
350	7.29	6	Six people
224	4.66	7	Seven people
158	3.29	8	Eight people
207	4.31	9	Nine people or more



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V31 "YRLY FOOD STD."

NUM(4.0)

Annual food standard (Needs)

*This is based on the USDA Low Cost plan estimates of the weekly food costs, according to the table below reproduced from Family Economics Review March, 1967), summed for the family converted to annual (times 52), and adjusted for economies of scale by USDA rules as follows:*

*Single person-add 20%*

*Two persons-add 10%*

*Three persons-add 5%*

*Four persons-no change*

*Five persons-deduct 5%*

*Six or more persons-deduct 10%*

TABLE B. INDIVIDUAL FOOD STANDARD (LOW COST)

*Under 3:Male=3.90*

*Under 3:Female=3.90*

*4-6:Male=4.60*

*4-6:Female=4.60*

*7-9:Male=5.50*

*7-9:Female=5.50*

*10-12:Male=6.40*

*10-12:Female=6.30*

*13-15:Male=7.40*

*13-15:Female=6.90*

*16-20:Male=8.70*

*16-20:Female=7.20*

*21-35:Male=7.50*

*21-35:Female=6.50*

*35-55:Male=6.90*

*35-55:Female=6.30*

*55+:Male=6.30*

*55+:Female=5.40*

*(NOTE that the values in this table are in 1967 dollars. This same standard will be used in subsequent years, leaving adjustments for inflation, etc. to users.)*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,802	100.00	342 - 4,873			Actual food standard

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**V32 "YRLY NEED STD"**

**NUM(5.0)**

Annual Need Standard

*This is the Orshansky-type poverty threshold, based on the annual food needs standard above (V31, which is in 1967 dollars), with an additional adjustment for diseconomies of small households (in rent, etc.) and an adjustment for farmers:*

*Basically it is:*

*4.89 times the food needs for single persons;*

*3.7 times the food needs for two person units;*

*3.0 times the food needs for all other units.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,802	100.00	1,670 - 14,349	Actual poverty threshold

**V33 "YRLY ALCOHOL"**

**NUM(3.0)**

Annual expenditures on alcoholic beverages

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,005	62.58	0	None
1,767	36.80	1 - 998	Actual amount
30	.62	999	\$999 or more

**V34 "ACCURACY OF ALC"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V33

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,758	99.08	0	No assignments
41	.85	1	Minor assignment
1	.02	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
2	.04	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V35 "YRLY CIG EXP"**

**NUM(3.0)**

Annual expenditure on cigarettes

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,905	39.67	0	None
2,895	60.29	1 - 998	Actual amount
2	.04	999	\$999 or more

**V36 "ACCURCY OF CIG EXP"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V35

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,725	98.40	0	No assignments
76	1.58	1	Minor assignment

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-	-	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
1	.02	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V37 "YRLY FOOD BILL" NUM(4.0)**

Annual food expenditures, (corrected to exclude alcohol and cigarettes)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code Value/Range Text</u>
24	.50	0	None
4,778	99.50	1 - 9,998	Actual amount
-	-	9,999	\$9,999 or more

**V38 "ACCURACY OF FOOD" NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V37

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code Value/Range Text</u>
4,571	95.19	0	No assignments
156	3.25	1	Minor assignment
61	1.27	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
14	.29	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V39 "YRLY FOOD GROWN" NUM(3.0)**

Saved growing own food (in 1967)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code Value/Range Text</u>
4,067	84.69	0	None
720	14.99	1 - 998	Actual amount
15	.31	999	\$999 or more

**V40 "ACCURACY OF FD GRN" NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V39

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code Value/Range Text</u>
4,119	85.78	0	No assignments
657	13.68	1	Minor assignment
24	.50	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
2	.04	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V41 "YRLY SAVD SEWING" NUM(3.0)**

Saved sewing own clothes

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code Value/Range Text</u>
3,642	75.84	0	None
1,158	24.11	1 - 998	Actual amount

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2 .04 999 \$999 or more

**V42 "ACCURACY OF SVD SEW"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V41

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,625	96.31		0	No assignments	
173	3.60		1	Minor assignment	
1	.02		2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)	
2	.04		4	Work done by someone other than Head or Wife	
1	.02		5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967	

**V43 "YRLY FOOD ON JOB"**

**NUM(3.0)**

Value of free food received on job (annual)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,618	96.17		0	None	
178	3.71	1 - 998		Actual amount	
6	.12	999		\$999 or more	

**V44 "ACCURACY FOOD JOB"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V43

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,719	98.27		0	No assignments	
73	1.52		1	Minor assignment	
7	.15		2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)	
3	.06		5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967	

**V45 "YRLY FOOD STAMPS"**

**NUM(3.0)**

Saved by using food stamps (non-money income subsidy)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,241	88.32		0	None	
551	11.47	1 - 998		Actual amount	
10	.21	999		\$999 or more	

**V46 "ACCURACY FOOD STPS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V45

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,613	96.06		0	No assignments	
173	3.60		1	Minor assignment	

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14	.29	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
2	.04	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V47 "YRLY HEADS HRS" NUM(4.0)**

Head's annual hours working for money

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
868	18.08	0	None
3,934	81.92	1 - 9,998	Actual number of hours
-	-	9,999	9999 hours or more

**V48 "ACCURACY:HDS HRS" NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V47

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,349	90.57	0	No assignments
352	7.33	1	Minor assignment
100	2.08	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
1	.02	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V49 "HRS UNEMPL HEAD" NUM(4.0)**

Head's non-leisure from unemployment (Annual hours) (Days unemployed times 8)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,124	85.88	0	None
678	14.12	1 - 9,998	Actual number of hours
-	-	9,999	9999 hours or more

**V50 "ACCURACY UNEMP HEAD" NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V49

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,726	98.42	0	No assignments
55	1.15	1	Minor assignment
21	.44	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)

**V51 "HRS HEAD ILL" NUM(4.0)**

Head's non-leisure from illness (Annual hours)

(Days ill times 16 for the first 8 weeks and times 8 for time thereafter.)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,014	62.77	0	None
1,788	37.23	1 - 9,998	Actual number of hours

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- - 9,999 9,999 hours or more

**V52 "ACCURACY HEAD ILL"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V51

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,752	98.96	0	No assignments		
36	.75	1	Minor assignment		
14	.29	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)		

**V53 "YRLY WIFE HRS"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Wife's annual hours working for money

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
3,395	70.70	0	Inap.: none; no Wife		
1,407	29.30	1 - 9,998	Actual number of hours		
-	-	9,999	9999 hours or more		

**V54 "ACCURACY WIFE HRS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V53

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,686	97.58	0	No assignments		
84	1.75	1	Minor assignment		
32	.67	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)		

**V55 "PD CHILD CARE\$"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Hours of purchased child care (if children under 12 and adults all work) (Based on reported cost of child care, assuming \$1 per hour)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,397	91.57	0	Inap.: none; no children under 12; not all adults work		
405	8.43	1 - 1,750	Actual number of hours		

**V56 "ACCURACY PD CARE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V55

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,774	99.42	0	No assignments		
26	.54	1	Minor assignment		
2	.04	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)		

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V57 "FREE HELP HRS"

NUM(4.0)

Free help with housework, baby sitting, etc. from outside dwelling. (Based on amount saved by such free help, assuming \$1 per hour)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,945	82.15	0	None
857	17.85	1 - 2,600	Actual number of hours

V58 "ACCURACY FREE HELP"

NUM(1.0)

Accuracy of V57

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,641	96.65	0	No assignments
146	3.04	1	Minor assignment
14	.29	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
1	.02	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

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## V59 "H& W HOUSEWORK"

NUM(4.0)

Hours spent on housework by Head and Wife. (Based on estimates from Productive Americans (see below) after deducting purchased child care hours (V55) and free help (V57).)

Single man with no one under 18=400

Single man with youngest 6-18=600

Single woman alone=1000

Single woman with another adult=1300

Single woman with one or two children (youngest 4 or older)=1600

Single woman with one or two children (youngest under 4)=2200

Larger families - use couples table.

### Married Couples Table:

Alone-wife doesn't work=2000

Alone-wife works but less than 750 hrs/yr=1700

Alone-wife works more than 750 hrs/yr=1500

Children or others age 4+ (3 or 4 people)-wife doesn't work=2300

Children or others age 4+ (3 or 4 people)-wife works but less than 750 hrs/yr=2200

Children or others age 4+ (3 or 4 people)-wife works more than 750 hrs/yr=1800

Children or others age 4+ (5 or 6 people)-wife doesn't work=2600

Children or others age 4+ (5 or 6 people)-wife works but less than 750 hrs/yr=2500

Children or others age 4+ (5 or 6 people)-wife works more than 750 hrs/yr=2000

Children or others age 4+ (7 or more people)-wife doesn't work=3000

Children or others age 4+ (7 or more people)-wife works but less than 750 hrs/yr=2800

Children or others age 4+ (7 or more people)-wife works more than 750 hrs/yr=2400

Youngest child under 4 (3 people)-wife doesn't work=2600

Youngest child under 4 (3 people)-wife works but less than 750 hrs/yr=2600

Youngest child under 4 (3 people)-wife works more than 750 hrs/yr=1800

Youngest child under 4 (4 or 5 people)-wife doesn't work=3000

Youngest child under 4 (4 or 5 people)-wife works but less than 750 hrs/yr=3000

Youngest child under 4 (4 or 5 people)-wife works more than 750 hrs/yr=2300

Youngest child under 4 (6 or more people)-wife doesn't work=3500

Youngest child under 4 (6 or more people)-wife works but less than 750 hrs/yr=3500

Youngest child under 4 (6 or more people)-wife works more than 750 hrs/yr=2700

Source: Productive Americans, MTR 146

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
12	.25	0	None
4,790	99.75	1 - 3,500	Actual number of hours

## V60 "ACCURACY H& W HSWK"

NUM(1.0)

Accuracy of V59

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,676	97.38	0	No assignments
113	2.35	1	Minor assignment
10	.21	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
3	.06	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967



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**V61 "HRS HOME PRODON"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Annual hours spent on home production

(Work for housing, own additions and repairs, car repairs, growing food, making and mending clothes.)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,079	43.29	0	None
2,723	56.71	1 - 3,000	Actual number of hours

**V62 "ACCURACY HOME PRODN"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V61

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,225	87.98	0	No assignments
560	11.66	1	Minor assignment
15	.31	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
2	.04	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V63 "OTHERS HSWK"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Housework by second adult (not Wife) who is to be included in calculating leisure per adult. (Extra housework from Table if second adult were treated as spouse.)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,576	95.29	0	Inap.: zero hours of housework by second adult; no second adult
226	4.71	1 - 6,192	Actual number of hours

**V64 "ACCURACY OTH HSWK"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V63

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,759	99.10	0	No assignments
27	.56	1	Minor assignment
13	.27	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
3	.06	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V65 "YRLY H& W WK HRS"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Total non-leisure hours (working, ill, or unemployed) for Head and Wife (or second adult, Sum of Variables 47, 49, 51, 61, 63).

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1	.02	0	None
4,796	99.88	1 - 9,998	Actual number of hours
5	.10	9,999	NA

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**V66 "ACCURACY H& W WK HRS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V65

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,333	90.23		0		No assignments
389	8.10		1		Minor assignment
77	1.60		2		Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
3	.06		5		Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V67 "1ST OTHR WORK HRS"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Work hours of first extra adult (for money)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
3,852	80.22		0		Inap.: first extra adult does not work for money; no first extra adult
950	19.78	1 - 4,160			Actual number of hours

**V68 "ACCURACY 1ST OTH WK"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V67

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,488	93.46		0		No assignments
234	4.87		1		Minor assignment
78	1.62		2		Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
2	.04		5		Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V69 "2ND OTHR WORK HRS"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Work hours of second extra adult

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,529	94.31		0		Inap.: second extra adult does not work for money; no second extra adult
273	5.69	1 - 4,160			Actual number of hours

**V70 "ACCURACY 2ND OTH WK"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V69

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,665	97.15		0		No assignments
122	2.54		1		Minor assignment
15	.31		2		Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)

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**V71 "NO OF MAJOR ADULTS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Number of major adults

*(The number of adults for which the total non-leisure hours was calculated.)*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
1,511	31.47		1		One adult
3,245	67.58		2		Two adults
39	.81		3		Three adults
6	.12		4		Four adults
1	.02		5		Five adults

**V72 "TOT OTHR WRK HRS"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Total hours worked for money by anyone other than Head and Wife

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
3,849	80.15		0		Inap.: anyone other than Head and Wife do not work for money; no one other than Head and Wife
953	19.85	1 - 8,260			Actual number of hours

**V73 "LEISURE HRS/M.A."**

**NUM(4.0)**

Leisure hours per major adult

*5840 available hours minus non-leisure (V65) Divided by number of major adults (V71). The source of 5840 is 365 days of 16 hours each, allowing for 8 hours sleep.*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,802	100.00	680 - 5,840			Actual number of hours

**V74 "HDS LABOR INCOME"**

**NUM(5.0)**

Head's money income from labor

*(Labor part of farm income and business income, wages, bonuses, overtime, commissions, professional practice, labor part of income from roomers and boarders or business income (See editing instructions).)*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
861	17.93		0		None
3,941	82.07	1 - 65,490			Actual amount

**V75 "WIFE LBR INCOME"**

**NUM(5.0)**

Wife's money income from work

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
3,399	70.78		0		Inap.: no income from labor; no Wife
1,403	29.22	1 - 15,000			Actual amount

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**V76 "H& W TAXBL INCOME"**

**NUM(5.0)**

Taxable income of Head and Wife

*This variable is the sum of Head's labor income, Wife's labor income, asset part of income from farm, business, roomers, etc., rental, interest and dividend income, and Wife's income from assets.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1	.02	-242 - -1	Actual net loss
585	12.18	0	No taxable income
4,216	87.80	1 - 80,000	Actual net profit

**V77 "1ST OTHR TXL INC"**

**NUM(5.0)**

Taxable income (from labor or capital) of the person other than Head or Wife with the highest income

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,848	80.13	0	Inap.: no taxable income of person other than Head or Wife; no person other than Head or Wife
954	19.87	1 - 12,000	Actual amount

**V78 "2ND OTHR TXL INC"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Taxable income of other person with next highest income

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,528	94.29	0	Inap.: no taxable income of other person; no other person
274	5.71	1 - 7,000	Actual amount

**V79 "TOT OTHERS INC"**

**NUM(5.0)**

Taxable income of all earners, other than Head and Wife

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,848	80.13	0	Inap.: no taxable income of all earners other than Head and Wife; no one other than Head and Wife
954	19.87	1 - 15,000	Actual amount

**V80 "FAM TRANSFER INC"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Aid to Dependent Children, Aid to Dependent Children with Unemployed Fathers (ADC, ADCU) for the entire family. This is part of transfer income

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,538	94.50	0	No aid
264	5.50	1 - 6,006	Actual amount

**V81 "FAM MONEY INC"**

**NUM(5.0)**

Total family money income

*This is the sum of V76, 79, 80 plus transfer income other than ADC, ADCU. (Total transfer income is available by subtracting Variables 76 and 79 from Variable 81).*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
5	.10	0	None

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4,797 99.90 1 - 82,075 Actual amount

**V82 "CONTRIB OUTS FU"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Contributions made to outside dependents (outside the dwelling)

*This is the only variable from the editing worksheets where missing data were not assigned.*

*(This is an out-transfer which could be deducted from income, and is in one variant developed in the 1969 wave).*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,569	95.15	0	None		
190	3.96	1 - 9,997	Actual amount		
-	-	9,998	\$9,998 or more		
43	.90	9,999	NA		

**V83 "FAM INC TAX"**

**NUM(5.0)**

Total family income taxes paid

*This is estimated by editors on the basis of taxable income, number of exemptions (taking account of those over 65 or blind), using tables for single, married, and head of household which incorporate the average deductions from STATISTICS OF INCOME.*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
1,448	30.15	0	None		
3,354	69.85	1 - 24,179	Actual amount		

**V84 "COST OF INCOME"**

**NUM(5.0)**

Cost of income

*This is the sum of income taxes, cost of child care if all adults work, and union dues.*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
1,294	26.95	0	None		
3,508	73.05	1 - 24,179	Actual amount		

**V85 "ACCURACY:HD L INC"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V74

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,596	95.71	0	No assignments		
78	1.62	1	Minor assignment		
128	2.67	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)		

**V86 "ACCURACY:WIFE INC"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V75

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,717	98.23	0	No assignments		
38	.79	1	Minor assignment		

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47      .98                      2 Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or  
10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)

**V87                      "ACCURACY:H& W TINC"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V76

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,670	97.25	0	No assignments
48	1.00	1	Minor assignment
84	1.75	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)

**V88                      "ACCURACY:1ST OTH INC"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V77

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,639	96.61	0	No assignments
90	1.87	1	Minor assignment
72	1.50	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
1	.02	5	Estimate not accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967, i.e., mortgage incurred in 1968; married in 1968, etc.

**V89                      "ACCURACY:2ND OTH INC"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V78

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,736	98.63	0	No assignments
51	1.06	1	Minor assignment
15	.31	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)

**V90                      "ACCURACY:TRANSF INC"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V80

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,667	97.19	0	No assignments
70	1.46	1	Minor assignment
63	1.31	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
2	.04	5	Estimate not accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967, i.e., mortgage incurred in 1968; married in 1968, etc.

**V91                      "ACCURACY CONTRIB"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V82

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,775	99.44	0	No assignments

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18	.37	1	Minor assignment
7	.15	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
2	.04	5	Estimate not accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967, i.e., mortgage incurred in 1968; married in 1968, etc.

## V92 "SRC PR SAMPL UN"

NUM(3.0)

Survey Research Center identifying number of primary sampling unit (county or cluster of counties)

Hundreds digit=2, Units digit=1 or 2: Central cities in the Northeast of large metropolitan areas.

Hundreds digit=2, Units digit=3 or 4: Suburban areas of large metropolitan areas in the Northeast.

Hundreds digit=1, Units digit=1 or 2: Central cities of large metropolitan areas, North Central.

Hundreds digit=1, Units digit=3 or 4: Suburbs of large metropolitan areas, North Central.

Hundreds digit=3, Units digit=1 or 2: Central cities of large metropolitan areas, South.

Hundreds digit=3, Units digit=3 or 4: Suburbs of large metropolitan areas, South.

Hundreds digit=0, Units digit=1 or 2: Central cities of large metropolitan areas, West.

Hundreds digit=0, Units digit=3 or 4: Suburbs of large metropolitan areas, West.

Hundreds digit=9, Units digit=5,6,9 : Northeast, area is a Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area (contains a city of 50,000 or more).

Hundreds digit=9, Units digit=7,8: Northeast, not SMSA.

Hundreds digit=6,7 Units digit=5,6,9: North central, area contains a SMSA.

Hundreds digit=6,7 Units digit=7,8: North central, no SMSA in area.

Hundreds digit=3,4,5 Units digit=5,6,9: South, SMSA.

Hundreds digit=3,4,5 Units digit=7,8: South, not a SMSA.

Hundreds digit=8 Units digit=5,6,9: West, SMSA.

Hundreds digit=8 Units digit=7,8: West, not a SMSA.

This is coded even for the Census sample, but there is a separate Census Primary Sampling Unit designation (see Variable 132).

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,802	100.00	1 - 995	Actual SRC identifying number of primary sampling unit

## V93 "STATE (68)"

NUM(2.0)

State where lives now

This and the county code are from U.S. General Services Administration Geographical Location Codes, (Office of Finance) October 1966, Washington, D.C. Please refer to PSID state codes here <http://psidonline.isr.umich.edu/data/Documentation/PSIDStateCodes.pdf>

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
-	-	0	Inap.: U.S. territory or foreign country
4,802	100.00	1 - 51	Actual state (PSID state code)
-	-	99	DK; NA

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**V94 "COUNTY(68)"**

**NUM(1.0)**

County where lives now (See above)

*This variable is suppressed (filled with zeroes) in the public release file to protect the anonymity of respondents. The data are available in a separate file to qualified users under special contractual arrangements with the PSID; for more information, contact us at PSIDhelp@umich.edu.*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,802	100.00		0	Data	suppressed

**V95 "SIZ LGST CTY PSU"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Local place (size of largest city)

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*Codes 4,5,6 are thus PSU's not encompassing a standard metropolitan statistical area.*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
1,965	40.92		1	Largest city in primary sampling unit is 500,000 or more	
908	18.91		2	100,000 - 499,999	
487	10.14		3	50,000 - 99,999	
284	5.91		4	25,000 - 49,999	
412	8.58		5	10,000 - 24,999	
746	15.54		6	Less than 10,000	

**V96 "LOCAL OR CPS FU #"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Detailed SRC place code for SRC sample and in Census sample - family identification number (in case there were two families in a dwelling)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
1,792	37.32		0	SRC place code is 0	
1,213	25.26		1	SRC place code is 1	
624	12.99		2	SRC place code is 2	
585	12.18		3	SRC place code is 3	
269	5.60		4	SRC place code is 4	
129	2.69		5	SRC place code is 5	
48	1.00		6	SRC place code is 6	
52	1.08		7	SRC place code is 7	
59	1.23		8	SRC place code is 8	
31	.65		9	SRC place code is 9	



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**V97 "INTRVWR SOC SEC"**

**NUM(9.0)**

Interviewer's Social Security Number

*Each interviewer's social security number has been replaced with a random value that is unique across waves.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,802	100.00	100,000,001 - 100,000,880	Interviewer's identification number
-	-	999,999,999	NA

**V98 "INTRVWR INT NO"**

**NUM(2.0)**

Interviewer's interview number (she numbers interviews she takes sequentially, starting with 01)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,704	97.96	1 - 87	Actual interviewer's interview number
98	2.04	99	NA

**V99 "DATE OF INTVW"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Date of interview

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
147	3.06	1	March 4 - 17
341	7.10	2	March 18 - 31
457	9.52	3	April 1 - 14
735	15.31	4	April 15 - 28
890	18.53	5	April 29 - May 12
953	19.85	6	May 13 - May 26
576	12.00	7	May 27 - June 9
702	14.62	8	June 10 or later
1	.02	9	NA

**V100 "LNGTH OF INTVW"**

**NUM(3.0)**

5. Length of Interview

*Code actual number of MINUTES (e.g. 1 hour and 10 minutes - 70 minutes).*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,627	96.36	1 - 300	Actual number of minutes
175	3.64	999	NA

**V101 "WHEN MOVED IN"**

**NUM(1.0)**

A2. When did you move into this (house/ apartment)?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
316	6.58	0	1943 or earlier

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575	11.97	1	1944 - 1953
501	10.43	2	1954 - 1958
941	19.60	3	1959 - 1963
287	5.98	4	1964
431	8.98	5	1965
548	11.41	6	1966
765	15.93	7	1967
426	8.87	8	1968
12	.25	9	NA; DK

## V102 "HOW MANY ROOMS"

NUM(1.0)

A3. How many rooms do you have here for your family (not counting bathrooms)?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2	.04	0	None, shares room
90	1.87	1	One
149	3.10	2	Two
563	11.72	3	Three
1,112	23.16	4	Four
1,132	23.57	5	Five
983	20.47	6	Six
394	8.20	7	Seven
316	6.58	8	Eight or more
61	1.27	9	NA; DK

## V103 "OWN OR RENT"

NUM(1.0)

A4. Do you (FU) own this home or pay rent or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,373	49.42	1	Owns home (or trailer, fully or jointly)
2,194	45.69	5	Rents (or shares rent)
235	4.89	8	Neither (owns nor rents)

## V104 "MORTGAGE?"

NUM(1.0)

A7, A10. Do you have a mortgage on this property? Do you also have a second mortgage?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,432	50.65	0	Inap.: does not own property
1,295	26.97	1	First mortgage only
66	1.37	2	Two mortgages
1,005	20.93	5	No mortgage

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4 .08 9 NA

**V105 "WHY FREE HOUSING"**

**NUM(1.0)**

A14. (IF NEITHER) How is that?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,566	95.09	0	Inap.: owns home or pays rent (V103 = 1, 5)
8	.17	1	Servant; housekeeper
54	1.12	2	Farm laborer
59	1.23	3	Other person for whom housing is part of compensation (janitors, gardeners, nurses, etc.)
90	1.87	4	Persons for whom housing is a gift, paid for by someone outside of FU, owned by relative, pays no rent or only taxes
6	.12	5	Sold own home, but still living there
5	.10	6	Living in house which will inherit; estate in process
1	.02	7	Living in temporary quarters (garage, shed, etc.) while home is under construction
10	.21	8	Other
3	.06	9	NA; DK

**V106 "WORK FOR HOUSING"**

**NUM(1.0)**

A15. Do you do some work in return for housing? (What?)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,656	96.96	0	Inap.: does not do work in return for housing; owns home or pays rent (V103 = 1, 5)
8	.17	1	Do work worth about 20% of rental value (1 - 2 hours a week)
2	.04	2	40%, "some" general maintenance of DU (3 - 4 hours a week)
4	.08	3	60%, maintenance of 1 - 3 other DU's as well, or substantial maintenance and repairs on own DU (5 - 6 hours a week)
-	-	4	80%, substantial maintenance and repairs of other DU's as well, or substantial renovation of own DU (7 - 8 hours a week)
19	.40	5	Do work worth 100% of rental value (maintenance of apartment building)
110	2.29	6	Housing is part of job - tenant farmer, domestic
3	.06	9	NA; DK

**V107 "ADD OR REPAIRS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

A19. Did you have any work done on the (house/ apartment) during the last year, or do any work on it yourselves?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,850	38.53	1	Yes

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2,943	61.29	5	No
9	.19	9	NA

**V108 "WHAT A& R DONE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

A20. What was done?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,953	61.50	0	Inap.: no work done on dwelling during the last year (V107 = 1, 9)
595	12.39	1	Simple repairs, painting (little skill)
230	4.79	2	Moderately complex things (carpeting, new faucets, heater repair, installation of ready-made things), NA how complex
542	11.29	3	Fairly complex, one trade-skill (roofing, eaves-trough, siding, carpentry)
208	4.33	4	Extensive repairs requiring several skills (electrical work, finish off the attic, alter room-divisions, masonry work)
252	5.25	5	Very complex additions or alterations requiring several difficult or rare skills such as plumbing; add a room
22	.46	9	NA; DK

**V109 "A& R DONE SELF"**

**NUM(1.0)**

A21-22. Did you or your family do any of it? (If yes) what did you do?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,474	72.34	0	Inap.: did not do any of it themselves, or did not have anything done
562	11.70	1	Simple repairs, painting (little skill)
156	3.25	2	Moderately complex things (carpeting, new faucets, heater repair, installation of ready-made things), NA how complex
327	6.81	3	Fairly complex, one trade-skill (roofing, eaves-trough, siding, carpentry)
132	2.75	4	Extensive repairs requiring several skills (electrical work, finish off the attic, alter room-divisions, masonry work)
136	2.83	5	Very complex additions or alterations requiring several difficult or rare skills such as plumbing; add a room
15	.31	9	NA; DK

**V110 "OWE ON A& R"**

**NUM(1.0)**

A25-26. Do you still owe anything on it? (If yes) - is it included in your mortgage?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,962	61.68	0	Inap.: did no additions or repairs
34	.71	1	Yes, owe, and yes included in mortgage
89	1.85	3	Yes, owe, but not included in mortgage (or NA whether included)

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1,679	34.96	5	No, do not owe on additions and repairs
38	.79	9	NA; DK

V111 "MIGHT MOVE"

NUM(1.0)

A28. Do you think you might move in the next couple of years?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,223	25.47		1	Yes,	will move
322	6.71		2	Probably will;	"Yes, I might"
416	8.66		3	Pro-Con, do not know, It all depends,	maybe
113	2.35		4	Probably not,	not likely
2,703	56.29		5	No,	never
25	.52		9	NA	

V112 "WHY MIGHT MOVE"

NUM(1.0)

A29. Why might you move?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,849	59.33	0	Inap.: does not plan to move in the next couple of years
224	4.66	1	Purposive productive reasons, to take another job, to get nearer work
1,117	23.26	2	Purposive consumption reasons - more or less space, less rent, better neighborhood, want to own a home, better house
316	6.58	3	Ambiguous, cannot tell whether purposive or response to outside events; other
214	4.46	4	Response to outside events, involuntary reasons (DU coming down, being evicted), armed services, etc.
82	1.71	9	NA

## V113 "NUMBER IN DU"

NUM( 2.0 )

B1. How many people live here altogether?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,800	99.96	1 - 16	Actual	number of people	
2	.04	99	NA		

V114 "HHOLD COMPOSITION"

NUM(1.0)

Household Composition (from Q's B1 and B2)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,009	83.49	1	Head, Wife, and children
539	11.22	2	FU includes other related people - grandparents, grandchildren and in-laws
26	.54	3	FU includes unrelated people -- if an unrelated person is included in the extra earner's sequence, pp 22 - 23, then he has been included in the family

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128	2.67	4	Primary in a DU including secondaries -- The listing box includes someone labeled as Roomer, Boarder, Friend, Roommate, etc. In such cases the number of people in the FU is smaller than the number in the DU
64	1.33	5	Secondaries -- The Roomer, Boarder, Friend, etc. -- from the household whose Head is coded 4. In the Census Sample, some secondaries will be included in the sample while the primaries are not. Also, there will be some persons from the Census Sample who have moved in with relatives who are not in the sample. If they are NOT pooling finances, they will be coded 4 as if they were unrelated secondaries
4	.08	6	Sub families - final digit of ID# is 1, 2, 3, etc. These are related persons who are included in the PRIMARY family FU but who had substantial (> \$2000) income last year, didn't pool it with the family, and are likely to move out. The sub-family interview applies to a sub-unit (a Head's son and daughter-in-law, for instance) and are included in the sub-family FU
32	.67	7	Special case for Census movers -- This person or family was in the Census Sample in spring 1967 but has since moved in with another family which is not in the sample. They pool income and expenses, so all are included in this years FU. Usually in these cases the interview will have been taken with the Head of the sample family, and the non-sample member of the new enlarged FU will be included on pages 22 and 23

**V115 "NUMBER IN FAMILY"**

**NUM(2.0)**

Number of people (children plus adults) in this FAMILY UNIT (living here) (from listing box)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,802	100.00	1 - 16	Actual	number of people	
-	-	99	NA		

**V116 "NO ADULTS IN FAM"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Number of Adults in this Family Unit (from listing box) (Adults are persons 18 years and older or who are married)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
1,276	26.57	1	One		
2,786	58.02	2	Two		
542	11.29	3	Three		
155	3.23	4	Four		
31	.65	5	Five		
8	.17	6	Six		
3	.06	7	Seven		
1	.02	8	Eight or more		
-	-	9	NA		

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**V117 "AGE OF HEAD"**

**NUM(2.0)**

B2. Age of Head of Family Unit

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,799	99.94	1 - 96	Actual age
-	-	97	Ninety-seven years or older
1	.02	98	DK
2	.04	99	NA

**V118 "AGE OF WIFE"**

**NUM(2.0)**

B2. Age of Wife of Head

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,725	35.92	0	Inap.: no Wife
3,074	64.01	1 - 96	Actual years old
-	-	97	Ninety-seven years or older
3	.06	99	NA

**V119 "SEX OF HEAD"**

**NUM(1.0)**

B2. Sex of Head of Family Unit

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,455	71.95	1	Male
1,347	28.05	2	Female
-	-	9	NA

**V120 "AGE YOUNGST CHILD"**

**NUM(1.0)**

How old are they?

*Age of YOUNGEST CHILD UNDER 18 IN FU (children at home only).*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,983	41.30	0	No children under 18 in FU
607	12.64	1	Less than two years
320	6.66	2	2 years up to 2.99 years
263	5.48	3	3 years up to 3.99 years
216	4.50	4	4 years up to 4.99 years
187	3.89	5	5 years up to 5.99 years
419	8.73	6	6 years up to 8.99 years
505	10.52	7	9 years up to 13.99 years
302	6.29	8	14 years up to 18 years
-	-	9	NA

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**V121 "NR CHLDRN IN SCHOOL"**

**NUM(1.0)**

B3. Is he/she in school? (Code number of children in FU in school and living at home) (exclude in-laws)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,473	51.50	0	None, no
653	13.60	1	One
619	12.89	2	Two
451	9.39	3	Three
268	5.58	4	Four
166	3.46	5	Five
66	1.37	6	Six
46	.96	7	Seven
34	.71	8	Eight
26	.54	9	Nine

**V122 "NR CHLDRN LVNG AWAY"**

**NUM(1.0)**

B6-7. Number of children of Head under 25 not living with parents

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,796	79.05	0	None
603	12.56	1	One
265	5.52	2	Two
97	2.02	3	Three
24	.50	4	Four
8	.17	5	Five
2	.04	6	Six
1	.02	7	Seven
1	.02	8	Eight or more
5	.10	9	NA

**V123 "NR CHLDRN IN INSTIT"**

**NUM(1.0)**

B9. Number of children of Head under 25 not living at home, but in institutions (army, jail, boarding school)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,439	92.44	0	None
297	6.18	1	One
52	1.08	2	Two
6	.12	3	Three
3	.06	4	Four



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1	.02	5	Five
-	-	6	Six
-	-	7	Seven
-	-	8	Eight or more
4	.08	9	NA

**V124 "RQD NO ROOMS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Required number of rooms for a family like this

*Required number of rooms for the family was calculated as follows: A base of 2 rooms was allowed for Head and Wife or for a single Head. Additional rooms were then allotted as follows: One room for each single person aged eighteen and above, one room for a married couple other than Head and Wife, and one room for every two children of the same sex under age 18. Children under 10 were paired regardless of sex if this reduced the room requirement.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
8	.17	1	One
1,488	30.99	2	Two
1,248	25.99	3	Three
1,052	21.91	4	Four
599	12.47	5	Five
245	5.10	6	Six
100	2.08	7	Seven
41	.85	8	Eight or more
21	.44	9	NA

**V125 "NR CHLDRN 0-11GRDS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Education of children

*Number of children who completed less than 12 grades:*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,327	90.11	0	None
258	5.37	1	One
106	2.21	2	Two
34	.71	3	Three
11	.23	4	Four
3	.06	5	Five
1	.02	6	Six
-	-	7	Seven
2	.04	8	Eight or more
60	1.25	9	NA

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**V126 "NR CHLDRN 12GRDS" NUM(1.0)**

Number of children who completed exactly 12 grades:

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,229	88.07	0	None
381	7.93	1	One
104	2.17	2	Two
19	.40	3	Three
7	.15	4	Four
-	-	5	Five
-	-	6	Six
-	-	7	Seven
-	-	8	Eight or more
62	1.29	9	NA

**V127 "NR CHLDRN 13GRDS" NUM(1.0)**

Number of children who completed more than 12 grades:

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,326	90.09	0	None
332	6.91	1	One
72	1.50	2	Two
13	.27	3	Three
-	-	4	Four
-	-	5	Five
-	-	6	Six
-	-	7	Seven
-	-	8	Eight or more
59	1.23	9	NA

**V128 "NR MOVED IN" NUM(1.0)**

B11, 12. Has anyone moved into your household in the last year?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
415	8.64	1	Yes, one person
46	.96	2	Yes, two people
16	.33	3	Yes, three people
16	.33	4	Yes, four or more people
4,285	89.23	5	No
24	.50	9	NA

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**V129 "WHO MOVED IN"**

**NUM(1.0)**

B12. If Yes, who moved in?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,277	89.07	0	Inap.: no one moved into household in the last year (V128 = 5, 9)
46	.96	1	Head of family
15	.31	2	Wife
227	4.73	3	Son or daughter under 18 (include babies born or adopted)
22	.46	4	Brother or sister
6	.12	5	Father or mother
69	1.44	6	Grandchild, any child relative
80	1.67	7	Other adult relatives, in-laws
48	1.00	8	Unrelated person (roomer, boarder, etc.)
12	.25	9	NA

**V130 "NR MOVED OUT"**

**NUM(1.0)**

B13. Has anyone moved out in the last year?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
458	9.54	1	Yes, one person
61	1.27	2	Yes, two persons
18	.37	3	Yes, three people
14	.29	4	Yes, four or more people
4,209	87.65	5	No
2	.04	7	Yes, NA how many
40	.83	9	NA

**V131 "WHO MOVED OUT"**

**NUM(1.0)**

B14. (If yes) Who moved out? (Relation to Head and age)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,249	88.48	0	Inap.: no one moved out of household in the last year
92	1.92	1	Head (previous Head)
19	.40	2	Wife
117	2.44	3	Son or daughter (under 18)
11	.23	4	Head's brother or sister
14	.29	5	Head's father or mother
24	.50	6	Grandchild, any child relative
217	4.52	7	Other adult relatives (including children 18 or older), in-laws

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55	1.15	8	Unrelated person (roomer, boarder)
4	.08	9	NA

**V132 "CPS PR SAMPL UN" NUM(3.0)**

Census designation of primary sampling area (where originally sampled)

(Zero for SRC sample.)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,930	61.02	0	Inap.: SRC sample
1,872	38.98	110 - 948	Census designation of primary sampling area

**V133 "CPS HOUSEHOLD NR" NUM(4.0)**

Census serial number (household number)

(Zero for SRC sample.)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,930	61.02	0	Inap.: SRC sample
1,872	38.98	1,001 - 4,352	Census serial number

**V134 "CPS SEGMENT, PART" NUM(1.0)**

Census segment number (designation of an area within the primary sampling area)

(Zero for SRC sample.)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,932	61.06	0	Inap.: SRC sample
232	4.83	1	One
233	4.85	2	Two
222	4.62	3	Three
223	4.64	4	Four
229	4.77	5	Five
240	5.00	6	Six
264	5.50	7	Seven
227	4.73	8	Eight

**V135 "CPS SEGMENT, REST" NUM(2.0)**

Census segment number (designation of an area within the primary sampling area)

(Zero for SRC sample.)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,930	61.02	0	Inap.: SRC sample
1,872	38.98	1 - 84	Census segment number

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**V136 "LAST PTO MTG"**

**NUM(1.0)**

B15-17. (If children in school) Have you (or your wife) ever attended any meetings of a parent-teacher's organization? When was the last time?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,458	51.19	0	Inap.: no children in school
708	14.74	1	Yes, less than three months ago
593	12.35	2	Yes, 3 - 12 months ago
259	5.39	3	Yes, but more than a year ago; several years ago
51	1.06	4	Yes, but cannot remember when
676	14.08	5	No (to B16): Cases where children live outside FU
57	1.19	9	NA, no P.T.A.

**V137 "EDUC EXPT CHLDRN"**

**NUM(1.0)**

B18-19. How much education do you think your children will have when they stop going to school? What do you really think will happen?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,437	50.75	0	Inap.: no children in school
518	10.79	1	All will go to college (definite), they will get a college education
513	10.68	2	Some will go to college, or will get some college, hope will complete college
806	16.78	3	All will finish high school, high school at least, 12 grades, hope they will go to college
179	3.73	4	Some high school, some will finish high school, may finish high school
26	.54	5	One or more will not finish high school, or probably not, not much, even so they can read and write
132	2.75	6	"Hope they finish high school"
80	1.67	7	DK, gives only desires but not codable in 6
111	2.31	9	NA

**V138 "AGE HD 1ST CHLD"**

**NUM(2.0)**

B20. Have you (HEAD) ever had any children?

B21. When was your (HEAD's) first child born?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
856	17.83	0	Inap.: Head never had any children
3,847	80.11	11 - 62	Actual age of head when first child was born
99	2.06	99	DK; NA

**V139 "NR CAR DRIVERS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

C1. Altogether how many people are there in your family here who can drive? (Include drivers in sub-family)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
815	16.97	0	None

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1,672	34.82	1	One
1,807	37.63	2	Two
353	7.35	3	Three
102	2.12	4	Four
28	.58	5	Five
9	.19	6	Six
3	.06	7	Seven
1	.02	8	Eight or more
12	.25	9	NA

**V140 "DIFFIC FR NO CAR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

C2. Do you or anyone else in the family here own a car?

C3. (If no) Does not having a car cause you (Family) any difficulties?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,326	69.26	1	Yes, own a car (Yes to C2)
705	14.68	2	No, and it causes difficulties (Yes to Q. C3)
695	14.47	5	No, and it causes no difficulties (No to Q. C3)
63	1.31	7	No car, NA whether causes any difficulties
13	.27	9	NA

**V141 "WHAT DIFF NO CAR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

C4. What are they?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,030	83.92	0	Inap.: family owns a car (V140 = 1)
290	6.04	1	Can't get around; have to depend on others; no way to have fun, etc.
210	4.37	2	Makes expenses higher (taxis, have to buy in more expensive stores), have to pay more rent, inconvenience in regards to necessities, i.e., getting groceries
82	1.71	3	Can't get to doctor
109	2.27	4	Can't get to job; difficult to get to work; cannot get to better job
81	1.69	9	NA

**V142 "ADEQ PUB TRANSP"**

**NUM(1.0)**

C5. Is there public transportation within walking distance that is adequate for you?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,336	69.47	0	Inap.: family owns a car (V140 = 1)
1,004	20.91	1	Yes
348	7.25	5	No
1	.02	8	DK

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113 2.35 9 NA

**V143 "NR CARS OWNED"**

**NUM(1.0)**

C6. How many cars do you and your family living here own? (Include trucks, leased cars, in the count if they are used as family transportation, i.e., left in by Editor)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,476	30.74	0	Inap.: family does not own a car
2,165	45.09	1	One
1,003	20.89	2	Two
136	2.83	3	Three
16	.33	4	Four
4	.08	5	Five
1	.02	6	Six
-	-	7	Seven
-	-	8	Eight or more
1	.02	9	NA

**V144 "YR OF NEWST CAR"**

**NUM(2.0)**

C7. Year model of newest car

Code last 2 digits of year for newest car.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,476	30.74	0	Inap.: family does not own a car
3,312	68.97	35 - 68	Actual year model
14	.29	99	NA

**V145 "VALUE OF CARS"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Value of all cars owned (Wholesale, Midwest, NADA, Middle Range V-8)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,493	31.09	0	Inap.: family does not own a car; car leased or owned by business
3,290	68.51	1 - 9,997	Actual value
-	-	9,998	\$9998 or more
19	.40	9,999	NA

**V146 "CONDITION BEST COR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

C9. Is it in good, fair, or poor condition?

(Code condition of car in BEST condition.)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,476	30.74	0	Inap.: family does not own a car
2,455	51.12	1	Good, excellent, very good
658	13.70	3	Fair

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192	4.00	5	Poor
21	.44	9	NA

**V147 "CONDITION WORST COR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

C9. Is it in good, fair or poor condition?

Code condition of car in WORST condition.

If only one, can code same as V146.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,476	30.74	0	Inap.: family does not own a car
2,014	41.94	1	Good
949	19.76	3	Fair
334	6.96	5	Poor
29	.60	9	NA

**V148 "OWE ON CAR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

C10. Do you owe any money on it?

(Code whether owes on any car.)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,477	30.76	0	Inap.: family does not own a car
1,270	26.45	1	Yes (Owes on one or more cars)
2,040	42.48	5	No
15	.31	9	NA

**V149 "CAR INSURED"**

**NUM(1.0)**

C11. Is that car insured?

C15. Do they include insurance?

CHECK FOR ALL CARS.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,476	30.74	0	Inap.: family does not own a car
2,749	57.25	1	All cars insured
127	2.64	3	Some insured, but one or more uninsured; some insured but NA whether all insured
5	.10	4	NA whether first car insured; second car uninsured, but if newer car is uninsured, then assume that all cars are uninsured
361	7.52	5	No insured car (all cars uninsured)
84	1.75	9	NA



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**V150 "NR PAYTS LEFT"**

**NUM(1.0)**

C14. How many payments do you have left?

(Largest number of payments.)

Bracket code:

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,520	73.30	0	Inap.: no car debt
218	4.54	1	1 - 6
293	6.10	2	7 - 12
215	4.48	3	13 - 18
212	4.41	4	19 - 24
102	2.12	5	25 - 30
97	2.02	6	31 - 36
12	.25	7	37 or more
23	.48	8	Has debt, but no regular payments; lump sum deal
110	2.29	9	NA

**V151 "NR SETS OF PAYTS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

How many payments do you have left?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,520	73.30	0	Inap.: no car debt
1,110	23.12	1	One set of payments only (May be on 1 or more cars)
120	2.50	2	Is making more than one set of payments (May be on 2 or more cars)
52	1.08	9	NA

**V152 "CAR HAVE SEAT BELTS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

C17. Does the car you (HEAD) drive most of the time have seat belts?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,477	30.76	0	Inap.: no car
2,004	41.73	1	Yes
1,267	26.38	5	No
54	1.12	9	NA

**V153 "SEAT BELTS FASTENED"**

**NUM(1.0)**

C18. Do you have them fastened all the time while you are driving? part of the time, or practically none of the time?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,798	58.27	0	Inap.: does not drive; has no car; car has no seatbelts
390	8.12	1	Fastened all the time
785	16.35	3	Fastened part of the time

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822	17.12	5	Fastened practically none of the time
7	.15	9	NA how often fastened

**V154 "DO OWN CAR REPAIR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

C19. Do you (or your family) do any of your own repair work on your car(s)?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,476	30.74	0	Inap.: family does not have a car
1,349	28.09	1	Yes
1,967	40.96	5	No
10	.21	9	NA

**V155 "KINDS OF CAR REPAIR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

C20. (If Yes) What kinds of things have you done on your car(s) in the last year?

*PRIORITY CODE - highest number.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,444	71.72	0	Inap.: family does not have a car; family does not do car repair work
141	2.94	1	Yes, little or no skill, mostly maintenance (oil change, greasing, tire switching) (touch-up painting)
463	9.64	2	Yes, some skill (tune-up, points, plugs, adjust carburetor, fuel pump)
306	6.37	3	Yes, some skill required (brakes, wheel bearings, exhaust system, starter)
261	5.44	4	Yes, extensive repairs, taking much skill (rings, valves, bearings, install factory rebuilt engine, king pins, ball joints, transmission work, motor work, or "I do anything that needs doing")
75	1.56	5	Yes, complex repairs that usually take a skilled mechanic (rebuilt engine or transmission, complete overhaul)
51	1.06	7	Yes, does work, but did none in 1967
61	1.27	9	NA whether performed repairs or what kind of repairs

**V156 "AMT SAVD CAR REPAIR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

C21. In the last year do you think you saved more than \$50 that way?

C22. (If yes) About how much do you think you saved?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,490	72.68	0	Inap.: family does not have a car; family did not do any of their own car repair work
430	8.95	1	Saved, but did not save \$50, "No" to Q. C21
618	12.87	2	Saved \$50 - 199
166	3.46	3	Saved \$200 - 499
23	.48	4	Saved \$500 or more
38	.79	7	NA how much
37	.77	9	NA

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**V157 "TIME ON CAR REPAIR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

C23. About how much time did that take you altogether?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,892	81.05	0	Inap.: did not save more that \$50; family does not have a car
634	13.20	1	Less than 50 hours (1 - 6 days)
121	2.52	2	50 - 199 hours (1 - 4 weeks, 7 - 25 days)
8	.17	3	200 - 499 hours (5 - 12 weeks, 26 - 62 days)
4	.08	4	500 hours or more (13+ weeks, 63+ days)
143	2.98	9	NA

**V158 "MEDICAL INSURANCE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

D3. Are you (HEAD) covered by some hospital or medical insurance like Blue Cross?

D4. Does this insurance cover the entire family?

D5. Can you get free medical care in any way such as from Medicare, Medicaid, or as a veteran?

Priority code.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,970	61.85	1	Whole family is covered by insurance (Yes to A. D3 and D4)
318	6.62	2	Head is covered, but not entire family (Yes to D3 and No or NA to Q. D4)
703	14.64	3	Head not insured, but can get free medical care (No to Q. D3 and Yes to Q. D5)
602	12.54	4	Neither: Head is not insured, nor eligible for free medical care (No to Q. D3 and No to Q. D5)
88	1.83	5	Head not insured but family can get free medical care
61	1.27	6	Wild code
32	.67	7	Yes, NA what kind or who covered
28	.58	9	NA to Q. D3

**V159 "SAVINGS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

D6. Does your FAMILY have any savings, such as checking or savings accounts, or government bonds?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,877	59.91	1	Yes
1,908	39.73	5	No
17	.35	9	NA

**V160 "1MONTHS INC SAVED"**

**NUM(1.0)**

D7. Would they amount to as much as two months income or more?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,925	40.09	0	Inap.: does not have any savings

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1,902	39.61	1	Yes
951	19.80	5	No
24	.50	9	NA

**V161 "2MO INC SVD 5YRS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

D8. Was there a time in the last five years when you had as much as two months' income saved up?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,902	39.61	0	Inap.: has two months of income or more in savings now
924	19.24	1	Yes
1,849	38.50	5	No
127	2.64	9	NA

**V162 "EAT OUT OFTEN"**

**NUM(1.0)**

E1. Now I have a few questions about food and clothing. About how many times a week do you (FAMILY) eat out at restaurants or drive-ins?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,410	50.19	0	Practically never eat out, never, very seldom
1,004	20.91	1	Less than once; sometimes
915	19.05	2	1 or 2 times
201	4.19	3	3 or 4 times
136	2.83	4	5 - 9 times
68	1.42	5	10 times or more
68	1.42	9	NA

**V163 "SPEND EATING OUT"**

**NUM(1.0)**

E2. About how much do (FAMILY) spend in a week eating out, including lunches at work (or at school)?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,449	30.17	0	Nothing, do not eat out
1,098	22.87	1	Less than \$5
1,036	21.57	2	\$5 - 9
810	16.87	3	\$10 - 19
290	6.04	4	\$20 or more
119	2.48	9	NA

**V164 "MILK DELIVERED"**

**NUM(1.0)**

E3. Do you have any of your milk delivered to the door?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
865	18.01	1	Yes
3,930	81.84	5	No, or do not drink milk

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7 .15

9 NA

**V165 "SPEND ON MILK DLVRD"**

**NUM(1.0)**

E4. About how much do you (FAMILY) spend on that milk in a week or month?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,934	81.92	0	Inap.: no milk delivered
351	7.31	1	(Less than \$3 a week) (Less than \$12 a month)
231	4.81	2	\$3 - 4 a week \$12 - 17 a month
113	2.35	3	\$5 a week \$18 - 24 a month
83	1.73	4	\$6 - 7 a week \$25 - 32 a month
29	.60	5	\$8 - 9 a week \$33 - 41 a month
36	.75	6	\$10 - 13 a week \$42 - 59 a month
7	.15	7	\$14 - 19 a week \$60 - 85 a month
3	.06	8	\$20 a week or more \$86 or more
15	.31	9	NA

**V166 "SPEND ON OTHR FOOD"**

**NUM(1.0)**

E5. About how much do you spend a week on all the (other) food you use at home?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
56	1.17	0	Nothing
60	1.25	1	Less than \$5 a week
261	5.44	2	\$5 - 9 a week
1,150	23.95	3	\$10 - 19 a week
1,447	30.13	4	\$20 - 29 a week
962	20.03	5	\$30 - 39 a week
439	9.14	6	\$40 - 49 a week
317	6.60	7	\$50 or more a week
110	2.29	9	NA

**V167 "SPEND ON ALCOHOL"**

**NUM(1.0)**

E6. How about alcoholic beverages - how much do you (FAMILY) spend on that in an average week?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,001	62.49	0	Nothing
1,183	24.64	1	Less than \$5
395	8.23	2	\$5 - 9
152	3.17	3	\$10 - 19
36	.75	4	\$20 or more
35	.73	9	NA

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**V168 "ALCHL IN FOOD BILL"**

**NUM(1.0)**

E7. Is that included in the food bill?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,002	62.52	0	Inap.: spends nothing on alcoholic beverages
215	4.48	1	Yes
1,549	32.26	5	No
36	.75	9	NA

**V169 "NR CIGS SMOKED"**

**NUM(1.0)**

E8. Do any of you smoke?

E9. (If yes) About how many cigarettes do you (FAMILY) smoke in a day or week?

(1 pack - 20 cigarettes)

(1 carton - 10 packs)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,889	39.34	0	Do not smoke anything
56	1.17	1	Less than 3 a day; less than a pack a week
705	14.68	2	3-17 a day; 1-6 packs a week
706	14.70	3	18-22 a day (a pack a day); 7 packs a week
561	11.68	4	23-35 a day (1.5 packs a day); 8-14 packs a week (a carton a week)
559	11.64	5	2-3 packs a day; 15-24 packs a week (two carton a week)
75	1.56	6	4 or more packs a day; 25 or more packs a week (three or more cartons a week)
206	4.29	8	Smokes cigars, pipe, etc.; roll own cigarettes
45	.94	9	NA how many cigarettes

**V170 "CIGS IN FOOD BILL"**

**NUM(1.0)**

E10. Is that included in the food bill?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,889	39.34	0	Inap.: family does not smoke
804	16.74	1	Yes
1,864	38.82	5	No
245	5.10	9	NA

**V171 "1ST WAY KP FD BL DN"**

**NUM(1.0)**

E11. Are there any special ways that you try to keep the food bill down? CODE 2 MENTIONS WITH LARGEST CODE NUMBERS

E12. What special ways do you have for keeping the food bill down? FIRST MENTION

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,952	40.65	0	No
72	1.50	1	Don't eat much; try to eat less

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955	19.89	2	Try to economize, buy in large quantities, buy bulk; watch for ads in paper, watch for specials, bargains, sales, shop around the stores, buy from farmer
50	1.04	3	Have an "in" -- army PX, eat cheap at restaurant where work; get discount on groceries, buy co-op
46	.96	4	Coupons cut from papers; use coupons; food stamps, welfare food
804	16.74	5	Eat cheaper food, e.g., potatoes, hamburgers, chicken; buy no luxuries, eat leftovers, don't waste what we buy
297	6.18	6	Do own baking, canning, or freezing
573	11.93	7	Raise or grow own food; garden, have own milk, raise a calf, pigs, or chickens, have fruit trees. Also do hunting and fishing if indication of substantial saving
20	.42	8	Yes, gifts of food, food from home, etc.
33	.69	9	NA

V172 "2ND WAY KP FD BL DN"

NUM(1.0)

E13. What special ways do you have for keeping the food bill down? Anything else? SECOND MENTION

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,168	65.97	0	Inap.: no or no second mention
61	1.27	1	Don't eat much; try to eat less
889	18.51	2	Try to economize, buy in large quantities, buy bulk; watch for ads in paper, watch for specials, bargains, sales, shop around the stores, buy from farmer
13	.27	3	Have an "in" -- army PX, eat cheap at restaurant where work; get discount on groceries, buy co-op
20	.42	4	Coupons cut from papers; use coupons; food stamps, welfare food
213	4.44	5	Eat cheaper food, e.g., potatoes, hamburgers, chicken; buy no luxuries, eat leftovers, don't waste what we buy
279	5.81	6	Do own baking, canning, or freezing
124	2.58	7	Raise or grow own food; garden, have own milk, raise a calf, pigs, or chickens, have fruit trees. Also do hunting and fishing if indication of substantial saving
27	.56	8	Yes, gifts of food, food from home, etc.
8	.17	9	NA

V173\_1 "WAYS KP FD BL DN RESP 1"

NUM(1.0)

Ignore this variable. See V171.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,951	40.63	0	Inap.: No to E11 or no second mention to E12
72	1.50	1	Don't eat much; try to eat less
955	19.89	2	Try to economize, buy in large quantities, buy bulk; watch for ads in paper, watch for specials, bargains, sales, shop around the stores, buy from farmer

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50	1.04	3	Have an "in"--army PX, eat cheap at restaurant where work; get discount on groceries, buy co-op
46	.96	4	Coupons cut from papers; use coupons; food stamps, welfare food
805	16.76	5	Eat cheaper foods, e.g., potatoes, hamburgers, chicken, buy no luxuries, eat left-overs, don't waste what we buy
297	6.18	6	Do own baking, canning or freezing
574	11.95	7	Raise or grow food; garden, have own milk, raise a calf, pigs, or chickens, have fruit trees. Also do hunting and fishing if indication of substantial saving
20	.42	8	Yes, gifts of food, food from home, etc. Priority below 1
32	.67	9	NA

## V173\_2 "WAYS KP FD BL DN RESP 2"

NUM(1.0)

Ignore this variable. See V172.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,167	65.95	0	Inap.: No to E11 or no second mention to E12
61	1.27	1	Don't eat much; try to eat less
889	18.51	2	Try to economize, buy in large quantities, buy bulk; watch for ads in paper, watch for specials, bargains, sales, shop around the stores, buy from farmer
13	.27	3	Have an "in"--army PX, eat cheap at restaurant where work; get discount on groceries, buy co-op
20	.42	4	Coupons cut from papers; use coupons; food stamps, welfare food
214	4.46	5	Eat cheaper foods, e.g., potatoes, hamburgers, chicken, buy no luxuries, eat left-overs, don't waste what we buy
279	5.81	6	Do own baking, canning or freezing
124	2.58	7	Raise or grow food; garden, have own milk, raise a calf, pigs, or chickens, have fruit trees. Also do hunting and fishing if indication of substantial saving
27	.56	8	Yes, gifts of food, food from home, etc. Priority below 1
8	.17	9	NA

## V174 "HOW OFTN EAT TGTHR"

NUM(1.0)

E14. How much of the time does the family sit down and eat the main meal of the day together?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
785	16.35	0	Inap.: one person family
327	6.81	1	Once a week or less (only on Sunday), never, hardly ever
279	5.81	2	Part of the time, 2 - 3 days a week
200	4.16	3	Most of the time, 4 - 6 days a week
2,941	61.25	4	Every day, nearly every day, all the time; 100% of the time; once a day



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270 5.62 9 NA

**V175 "1ST WAY SV ON CLTHNG"**

**NUM(1.0)**

E15. Do you have any special ways of saving on clothing costs? (If yes) What are they?  
FIRST MENTION

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,406	50.10	0	No
241	5.02	1	Just do not buy much, keep it clean
512	10.66	2	Yes, buy economically, shop in larger cities, shop for sales or bargains, seasonal shopping at end of season
296	6.16	3	Yes, shop at discount stores, hand-me-downs; buy used clothing
58	1.21	4	Yes, discount on clothing because of employment
69	1.44	5	Yes, mending
525	10.93	6	Yes, sewing, alterations, makes some clothes
571	11.89	7	Yes, make a lot of own clothes, "Wife sews for all our daughters", etc.
115	2.39	8	Yes, gifts of clothing, clothes sewn by someone else (outside FU). This is not the highest priority code. Place lower than 1.
9	.19	9	NA

**V176 "2ND WAY SV ON CLTHNG"**

**NUM(1.0)**

E15. Do you have any special ways of saving on clothing costs? (If yes) What are they?  
SECOND MENTION

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,045	84.24	0	Inap.: no or no second mention
170	3.54	1	Just do not buy much, keep it clean
297	6.18	2	Yes, buy economically, shop in larger cities, shop for sales or bargains, seasonal shopping at end of season
95	1.98	3	Yes, shop at discount stores, hand-me-downs; buy used clothing
7	.15	4	Yes, discount on clothing because of employment
45	.94	5	Yes, mending
29	.60	6	Yes, sewing, alterations, makes some clothes
12	.25	7	Yes, make a lot of own clothes, "Wife sews for all our daughters", etc.
98	2.04	8	Yes, gifts of clothing, clothes sewn by someone else (outside FU). This is not the highest priority code. Place lower than 1.
4	.08	9	NA

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**V177\_1 "WAYS SV ON CLTHNG RESP 1"**

**NUM(1.0)**

*Ignore this variable. See V175.*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
2,406	50.10	0	No		
241	5.02	1	Just do not buy much, keep it clean		
512	10.66	2	Yes, buy economically, shop in larger cities, shop for sales or bargains, seasonal shopping at end of season		
296	6.16	3	Yes, shop at discount stores, hand-me-downs; buy used clothing		
58	1.21	4	Yes, discount on clothing because of employment		
69	1.44	5	Yes, mending		
525	10.93	6	Yes, sewing, alterations, makes some clothes		
571	11.89	7	Yes, make a lot of own clothes, "wife sews for all our daughters," etc.		
115	2.39	8	Yes, gifts of clothing, clothes sewn by someone else (outside FU). This is the highest priority code. Place lower than 1		
9	.19	9	NA		

**V177\_2 "WAYS SV ON CLTHNG RESP 2"**

**NUM(1.0)**

*Ignore this variable. See V176.*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,045	84.24	0	No, or no second mention		
170	3.54	1	Just do not buy much, keep it clean		
297	6.18	2	Yes, buy economically, shop in larger cities, shop for sales or bargains, seasonal shopping at end of season		
95	1.98	3	Yes, shop at discount stores, hand-me-downs; buy used clothing		
7	.15	4	Yes, discount on clothing because of employment		
45	.94	5	Yes, mending		
29	.60	6	Yes, sewing, alterations, makes some clothes		
12	.25	7	Yes, make a lot of own clothes, "wife sews for all our daughters," etc.		
98	2.04	8	Yes, gifts of clothing, clothes sewn by someone else (outside FU). This is the highest priority code. Place lower than 1		
4	.08	9	NA		

**V178 "AMT SVD ON CLOTHING"**

**NUM(1.0)**

E17. Did you (FAMILY) save more than \$50 on your clothing bill this way last year?

E18. (If yes) About how much did you save this way in the last year?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
2,465	51.33	0	Inap.: no special way of saving (E15 = 0)		

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778	16.20	1	Some ways, but did not save more than \$50
971	20.22	2	Saved \$51 - 199
221	4.60	3	Saved \$200 - 499
27	.56	4	Saved \$500 or more
226	4.71	7	NA how much
114	2.37	9	NA; DK

V179 "WHO AT INTERVIEW"

NUM(1.0)

N1. Who was present during interview?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,690	35.19	1	Respondent only
1,203	25.05	2	Respondent and spouse
1,053	21.93	3	Respondent and someone else (not spouse)
852	17.74	4	Respondent and spouse and someone else (include children, count others even if part-time)
4	.08	9	NA; DK

## V180 "WHO RESPONDENT"

NUM(1.0)

N2. Who was respondent (relation to Head)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,498	93.67	1	Head		
32	.67	2	Wife, responding for self		
15	.31	3	Other		
239	4.98	8	Wife responding for husband		
18	.37	9	NA		

V181 "RACE"

NUM(1.0)

N3. Race

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,077	64.08		1		White
1,571	32.72		2		Negro
92	1.92		3		Puerto Rican, Mexican
46	.96		7		Other (including Oriental, Pilipino)
16	.33		9		NA

## V182 "NR OF CALLS"

NUM(1.0)

N4. Number of calls

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,551	32.30	1	One		
1,352	28.15	2	Two		

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799	16.64	3	Three
442	9.20	4	Four
211	4.39	5	Five
138	2.87	6	Six
90	1.87	7	Seven
90	1.87	8	Eight or more
129	2.69	9	NA

**V183 "HOW CLEAN DU"**

**NUM(1.0)**

N5. How clean was the interior of the DU?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,584	32.99	1	Very clean
1,646	34.28	2	Clean
791	16.47	3	So-so
328	6.83	4	Not very clean
203	4.23	5	Dirty
250	5.21	9	NA

**V184 "READING MTL IN DU"**

**NUM(1.0)**

N6. How much reading material was visible in the DU?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
493	10.27	1	A lot
2,393	49.83	3	Some
1,566	32.61	5	None
350	7.29	9	NA; DK

**V185 "NR QSTNS REPEATED"**

**NUM(1.0)**

N7. About how many times did you have to repeat a question?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,782	37.11	0	Never
1,344	27.99	1	Once or twice, hardly ever, seldom
942	19.62	2	3 - 5 times
368	7.66	3	6 - 9 times, several times, a fair amount
86	1.79	4	10 - 19 times
205	4.27	5	20 times or more, many times, a lot
75	1.56	9	NA

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**V186 "NR REPLIES REPEATED"**

**NUM(1.0)**

N8. About how many times did you have to ask R to repeat a reply?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,921	60.83	0	Never
994	20.70	1	Once or twice, hardly ever, seldom
507	10.56	2	3 - 5 times
182	3.79	3	6 - 8 times, frequently, several times
25	.52	4	10 - 19 times
94	1.96	5	20 times or more, many times
79	1.65	9	NA

**V187 "R DISFIGURED"**

**NUM(1.0)**

N9. Does R have any obvious disfigurements or habits that could make it difficult for him to get a job?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
287	5.98	1	Yes
198	4.12	3	Yes, qualified, minor ones
4,202	87.51	5	No, old age
115	2.39	9	NA

**V188 "NEAREST SMSA"**

**NUM(3.0)**

N10. What is the name of the nearest city of 50,000 population or more?

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
-	-	0	Data suppressed
4,801	99.98	1 - 599	City code
1	.02	999	NA; DK

**V189 "MILES TO CNTR CITY"**

**NUM(1.0)**

N11. How far is this DU from the center of that city?

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,304	27.16	1	Less than 5 miles
1,336	27.82	2	5 - 14.9 miles
653	13.60	3	15 - 29.9 miles
426	8.87	4	30 - 49.9 miles

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1,039	21.64	5	50 miles or more
44	.92	9	NA

**V190 "TYPE STRUCTURE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

N12. Type of Structure in which Family Lives

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
122	2.54	0	Trailer
2,907	60.54	1	Detached single family house
228	4.75	2	2-family house, 2 units side by side
302	6.29	3	2-family house, 2 units one above the other
174	3.62	4	Detached 3 - 4 family house
360	7.50	5	Row house (3 or more units in an attached row)
353	7.35	6	Apartment house (5 or more units, 3 stories or less)
171	3.56	7	Apartment house (5 or more units, 4 stories or more)
55	1.15	8	Apartment in a partly commercial structure
130	2.71	9	Other, or NA

**V191 "NEIGHBORHOOD LWST"**

**NUM(1.0)**

N13. Neighborhood

*Code the lowest number of any box checked.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
652	13.58	0	Vacant land
147	3.06	1	Trailer
2,697	56.16	2	Detached single-family house
334	6.96	3	2-family house, 2 units side by side or 2-family house, 2 units one above the other
421	8.77	4	Detached 3 - 4 family house or Row house - 3 or more units in an attached row
244	5.08	5	Apartment house (5 or more units, 3 stories or less)
138	2.87	6	Apartment house (5 or more units, 4 stories or more)
29	.60	7	Apartment in a partly commercial structure
40	.83	8	Wholly commercial or industrial structure
100	2.08	9	Other, or NA

**V192 "NEIGHBORHOOD HGHST"**

**NUM(1.0)**

N13. Neighborhood

*Code the highest number of any box checked.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
383	7.98	0	Vacant land

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83	1.73	1	Trailer
2,373	49.42	2	Detached single-family house
531	11.06	3	2-family house, 2 units side by side or 2-family house, 2 units one above the other
472	9.83	4	Detached 3 - 4 family house or Row house - 3 or more units in an attached row
341	7.10	5	Apartment house (5 or more units, 3 stories or less)
157	3.27	6	Apartment house (5 or more units, 4 stories or more)
101	2.10	7	Apartment in a partly commercial structure
180	3.75	8	Wholly commercial or industrial structure
181	3.77	9	Other, or NA

## V193 "PUBLIC HOUSING"

NUM(1.0)

N14. Is this DU located in a public housing project?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
253	5.27	1	Yes		
4,330	90.17	5	No		
219	4.56	9	NA		

## V194 "HOUSING DEFECTS"

NUM(1.0)

Thumbnail sketch evidence on housing

PRIORITY CODE the lowest number applicable.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
85	1.77	1	No running water, or no water inside DU		
65	1.35	2	Outside toilet (privy)		
35	.73	3	Other structural defects (no hot water, no heat)		
311	6.48	4	Poor maintenance (unpainted, broken windows, etc.)		
3,947	82.19	5	No evidence of any of the above		
359	7.48	9	Evidence, but NA what degree		

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**V195 "WORD-SCORE"**

**NUM(2.0)**

Word-to-picture Score (Two Digits)

For half the Census sample, in half the PSU's, respondents were given a set of four pictures and fourteen words were read, asking the respondent to indicate which was the best picture for that word. The words and pictures came from the Ammons Quick Test,\* but the procedure was altered such that the result should not be considered an application of that test. Actually, as graded in tests on school children, we took every third word up through age 12, so that many people would be expected to get them all right, and only the bottom fringe would be distinguished. (This reduces the amount of failure experience and field difficulties, we feel.) The simplest words were names of objects actually in one picture, and as the words get more difficult, their connection to a picture also becomes more indirect.

\*Martha J. Mednick, "The Relationship of the Ammons Quick Test of Intelligence to Other Ability Measures," *Psychological Reports*, 72, 1965, 48-59.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
-	-	0	Score equals zero
423	8.81	1 - 97	Actual score
4,346	90.50	98	Test not given (no number at top of page)
33	.69	99	(Test not taken), NA

**V196 "WORKING NOW"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F1. Are you working now, unemployed, retired, or what?

F questions were asked only of the employed, G questions only of the unemployed, and H questions only of the retired. If no question is listed for that group, its members will be coded "0" for that code. Thus, if no F question is given, all employed will be coded "0" (Inap.).

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,492	72.72	1	Working now, or laid off only temporarily
174	3.62	2	Unemployed
548	11.41	3	Retired, permanently disabled
476	9.91	4	Housewife
108	2.25	5	Student
4	.08	6	Other

**V197 "OCCUPATION"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F2. What is your main occupation?

G1. What do you do when you work? (What is your occupation?)

H2. What kind of work did you do when you worked? (What was your occupation?)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
821	17.10	0	Inap.: not in labor force at all in 1967, retired (includes students and housewives who did no work last year and are not working). Permanently disabled or not in labor force and did no work last year
446	9.29	1	Professional, technical and kindred workers
237	4.94	2	Managers, officials and proprietors



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165	3.44	3	Self-employed businessmen
474	9.87	4	Clerical and sales workers
667	13.89	5	Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred workers
764	15.91	6	Operatives and kindred workers
964	20.07	7	Laborers and service workers, farm laborers
132	2.75	8	Farmers and farm managers
132	2.75	9	Miscellaneous (armed services, protective workers, unemployed last year but looking for work, NA)

## V197\_A "OCCUPATION OF HEAD 68" NUM(3.0)

F2. What is your main occupation? (What sort of work do you do?)

F3. Tell me a little more about what you do.

G1. What do you do when you work? (What is your occupation?)

H2. What kind of work did you do when you worked? (What was your occupation?)

*This version of occupation was coded retroactively using original PSID reports and the three-digit 1970 Census occupation codes for a selected sample of PSID Heads and Wives/"Wives":*

*(a) Original sample Heads and Wives/"Wives still living by 1992 who reported main jobs in at least three waves during the period 1968-1992, with at least one of those reports prior to 1980.*

*(b) Additionally, original sample Heads and Wives/"Wives" who had reported at least one main job between 1968 and 1980 but were known to have died by 1992.*

*The selection criteria did not include all Heads and Wives/"Wives" who had worked between 1968 and 1980. Those who were still living but had reported only one or two jobs during the period of interest were excluded, as were all nonsample Heads and Wives/"Wives".*

*Therefore not every Head or Wife/"Wife" has data for this variable. For detailed information about the Retrospective Coding Project please see the document, 'A Panel Study of Income Dynamics: 1968-1980 Retrospective Occupation-Industry Files Documentation', on our website.*

*The 3-digit occupation code from 1970 Census of Population; Alphabetical Index of Industries and Occupations issued June 1971 by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Bureau of the Census was used for this variable. Please refer to Appendix V2, Wave XIV documentation, for complete listings.*

*Note that code 600 was added by PSID staff - the code description is 'Current members of the Armed Forces'*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,408	29.32	0	Inap.: not eligible for retroactive coding
354	7.37	1 - 195	Professional, Technical, and Kindred Workers
348	7.25	201 - 245	Managers and Administrators, Except Farm
128	2.67	260 - 285	Sales Workers
273	5.69	301 - 395	Clerical and Kindred Workers
600	12.49	401 - 600	Craftsmen and Kindred Workers

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444	9.25	601 - 695	Operatives, Except Transport
178	3.71	701 - 715	Transport Equipment Operatives
273	5.69	740 - 785	Laborers, Except Farm
115	2.39	801 - 802	Farmers and Farm Managers
80	1.67	821 - 824	Farm Laborers and Farm Foremen
415	8.64	901 - 965	Service Workers, Except Private Household
131	2.73	980 - 984	Private Household Workers
55	1.15	999	NA; DK

## V197\_B "INDUSTRY OF HEAD 68" NUM(3.0)

F2. What is your main occupation? (What sort of work do you do?)

F3. Tell me a little more about what you do.

G1. What do you do when you work? (What is your occupation?)

H2. What kind of work did you do when you worked? (What was your occupation?)

*This version of industry was coded retroactively using original PSID reports and the three-digit 1970 Census industry codes for a selected sample of PSID Heads and Wives/"Wives":*

(a) *Original sample Heads and Wives/"Wives still living by 1992 who reported main jobs in at least three waves during the period 1968-1992, with at least one of those reports prior to 1980.*

(b) *Additionally, original sample Heads and Wives/"Wives" who had reported at least one main job between 1968 and 1980 but were known to have died by 1992.*

*The selection criteria did not include all Heads and Wives/"Wives" who had worked between 1968 and 1980. Those who were still living but had reported only one or two jobs during the period of interest were excluded, as were all nonsample Heads and Wives/"Wives". Therefore not every Head or Wife/"Wife" has data for this variable. For detailed information about the Retrospective Coding Project please see the document, 'A Panel Study of Income Dynamics: 1968-1980 Retrospective Occupation-Industry Files Documentation', on our website.*

*The 3-digit industry code from 1970 Census of Population; Alphabetical Index of Industries and Occupations issued June 1971 by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Bureau of the Census was used for this variable. Please refer to Appendix V2, Wave XIV documentation, for complete listings.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,408	29.32	0	Inap.: not eligible for retroactive coding
216	4.50	17 - 28	Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries
19	.40	47 - 57	Mining
299	6.23	67 - 77	Construction
805	16.76	107 - 398	Manufacturing
237	4.94	407 - 479	Transportation, Communications, and Other Public Utilities

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475	9.89	507 - 698	Wholesale and Retail Trade
118	2.46	707 - 718	Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate
115	2.39	727 - 759	Business and Repair Services
267	5.56	769 - 798	Personal Services
20	.42	807 - 809	Entertainment and Recreation Services
441	9.18	828 - 897	Professional and Related Services
195	4.06	907 - 937	Public Administration
187	3.89	999	NA; DK

**V198 "SELF-EMPLOYED"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F4. Do you work for someone else, yourself or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,310	27.28	0	Inap.: unemployed; retired
2,983	62.12	1	Someone else
101	2.10	2	Both someone else and self
396	8.25	3	Self only
12	.25	9	NA

**V199 "OWN DECISIONS IMPT"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F5. How important is it for you to make your own decisions on a job?

G29. How important is it for you to make your own decisions on a job?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,535	31.97	0	Inap.: retired
1,272	26.49	1	Very important; of great importance; I don't want anyone to tell me what to do; I make all the decisions I can
791	16.47	2	Important; quite important; pretty important; I'm on my own
181	3.77	3	Somewhat important; 50% important; fairly important
579	12.06	4	Not very important; not too important; not that important; don't mind working under someone else
251	5.23	5	Not important at all; just do what I'm told; I don't like to make decisions
193	4.02	9	NA; DK

**V200 "HOW LONG EMPLOYR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F6. How long have you been working for your present employer?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,713	35.67	0	Inap.: retired; housewife; student; self-employed
367	7.64	1	Less than half a year; 0 - 6 months
422	8.79	2	1 year; 7 - 18 months
583	12.14	3	2 - 3 years; 19 months - 42 months

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670	13.95	4	4 - 9 years
666	13.87	5	10 - 19 years
336	7.00	6	20 years or more
45	.94	9	NA

**V201 "HPND PREVC JOB"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F7. What happened to the job you had before - did the company fold, were you laid off, or what?

G5. Did the company you worked for fold, were you laid off, or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,542	52.94	0	Inap.: not asked of retired
221	4.60	1	Company folded, changed hands, moved out of town; employer died, went out of business
50	1.04	2	Strike or lockout
283	5.89	3	Laid off; fired
1,069	22.26	4	Quit or resigned, retired, pregnant
183	3.81	5	First full time or permanent job I ever had; wasn't working before this
60	1.25	6	Was self-employed before
214	4.46	7	Other; drafted (in service) and did not come back to same job after service; just wanted a change in job; needed more money; was in service, any mention of service, seasonal work, job ended
67	1.40	8	Job stopped; work was seasonal
113	2.35	9	NA

**V202 "PRSNT JOB BETTER"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F8. Would you say your present job is a better job than the one you had before?

F9. (If not clear) Does it pay more than the previous job?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,853	59.41	0	Inap.: first job of employed; unemployed; retired
1,427	29.72	1	"Yes" to F8, or reply to F8 unclear, but says yes ("pays more") to F9
131	2.73	3	"Pro-con," better in some ways, worse in others
308	6.41	5	"No, same," or "No, worse"
83	1.73	9	NA

**V203 "NR EMPLYRS 10 YRS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F10. How many different employers have you had in the last ten years?

G6. How many different employers have you had in the last ten years?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,602	54.19	0	Inap.: not asked of retired
195	4.06	1	One
668	13.91	2	Two

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478	9.95	3	Three
274	5.71	4	Four
184	3.83	5	Five
147	3.06	6	6 - 9
90	1.87	7	10 - 19
38	.79	8	20 or more
126	2.62	9	NA

**V204 "EVR MOVED FOR JOB"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F11. Have you ever moved out of a community where you were living in order to take a job somewhere else?

G7. Have you ever moved out of a community where you were living in order to take a job somewhere else?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u> <u>Value/Range</u> <u>Text</u>
1,138	23.70	0	Inap.: not asked of retired
877	18.26	1	Yes
2,737	57.00	5	No
50	1.04	9	NA

**V205 "EVR TURND DOWN JOB"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F12. Have you ever turned down a job because you did not want to move?

G8. Have you ever turned down a job because you did not want to move?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u> <u>Value/Range</u> <u>Text</u>
2,019	42.04	0	Inap.: retired; housewife; student; have moved from community
288	6.00	1	Yes
2,253	46.92	5	No
242	5.04	9	NA

**V206 "ABLE FIND STDY WK HR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

G9. Do you think you will be able to find steady work around here, or will you have to move?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u> <u>Value/Range</u> <u>Text</u>
4,624	96.29	0	Inap.: employed; retired
78	1.62	1	Will find steady work
37	.77	3	Depends, might or might not
33	.69	5	Will not, will have to move
30	.62	9	NA

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V207 "HOW GOOD JOB TO MOVE"

NUM(1.0)

F13. How good would a job have to be before you would be willing to move somewhere else in order to get it?

G10. How good would a job have to be before you would be willing to move somewhere else in order to get it?

IF R REPLIES IN TERMS OF SPECIFIC DOLLAR AMOUNT DIFFERENCES, TRANSLATE INTO PERCENTAGE DIFFERENCE OF CURRENT WAGE RATE.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,143	23.80	0	Inap.: retired
133	2.77	1	Would move to get a job; if same or better salary, would move; would like to move to take another job; wouldn't mind moving
582	12.12	2	Fairly good; would have to have good pay; would have to be somewhat better paying; would have to have moderate pay increase; pay increase of 1 - 10% of what now getting
228	4.75	3	Like the situation I have; pro-con responses; pay increase of 11 - 24% of current salary
1,587	33.05	4	Very good; whole lot better; much better paying; don't want to move; considerably better financially; pay increase of 25% or more; I plan to stay here
628	13.08	5	Would never consider moving; too old to consider moving; could never find a better situation anywhere else; couldn't move because my business is here; couldn't be good enough to make me move
264	5.50	6	R answers only in terms of qualities of job, i.e., warm climate, depends on union considerations, and cannot be coded in 1 - 5 above
36	.75	7	Other
201	4.19	9	NA

V208 "PLAN NEW JOB"

NUM(1.0)

F14. Do you plan to try for a new job or line of work or will you keep the job you have now?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,319	27.47	0	Inap.: unemployed; retired
645	13.43	1	Try for a new job, or line of work
2,793	58.16	5	Keep job have now
45	.94	9	NA

V209 "KIND NEW JOB"

NUM(1.0)

F15. What kind of Job do you have in mind?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,157	86.57	0	Inap.: unemployed; retired
401	8.35	1	Mentions some explicit job, e.g., machinist, computer programmer, secretarial work
30	.62	2	Self-employment with mention of explicit type of work or broad type of work mentioned

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105	2.19	3	Mentions broad type of work; "factory work"
5	.10	4	Self-employment with no mention of any explicit type of work
63	1.31	5	Does not mention any particular kind of work; mentions only company
41	.85	9	NA

**V210 "MIGHT EARN NW JB"**

**NUM(4.2)**

F16. How much might you earn?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
488	10.16	.01 - 9.97	Actual amount per hour
4,157	86.57	.00	Inap.: unemployed; retired
24	.50	9.98	\$9.98 or more per hour
133	2.77	9.99	NA

**V211 "NEED ADDTL TRNG"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F17. Would you have to get additional training to qualify?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,157	86.57	0	Inap.: keep current job; not asked of unemployed or retired
161	3.35	1	Yes, but does not mention what
100	2.08	2	Yes, and mentions the explicit training needed; or that he is getting training
55	1.15	3	Maybe, might help
297	6.18	5	No
32	.67	9	NA

**V212 "DOING ANYTHING NJB"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F18, F19. Have you been doing anything in particular about it? What have you done?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,157	86.57	0	Inap.: keep current job; not asked of unemployed or retired
64	1.33	1	Yes, to F18, but no response or only vague response; have a few feelers out; been looking into it
129	2.69	2	Yes to F18; mentions looking for a job; going to employment office, going to union office
155	3.23	3	Yes to F18; mentions going to school, special training program; members studying for exam
267	5.56	5	No to F18
22	.46	7	Yes, other
8	.17	9	NA

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**V213 "LIKE TOLD WHAT DO" NUM(1.0)**

F20. How much do you like a job where you are told exactly what to do?

G16. How much do you like a job where you are told exactly what to do?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,140	23.74	0	Inap.: not asked of retired
447	9.31	1	I like it
682	14.20	2	I don't mind it too much; don't mind following instructions; like it - if done the right way; O.K.
465	9.68	3	I don't mind it sometimes; not too fond of it; like it sometimes; fair; depends on the job (situation); not too fond of it; I can take it; "Tell me what to do and then leave me alone."
1,247	25.97	4	Don't like it; don't think I'd like it; not (very) much; prefer a job where I'm on my own; wouldn't like it; like to be on my own really
625	13.02	5	I don't like it at all; hate it; don't like it a bit; that's why I'm in this kind of business; or that's why I own a business
196	4.08	9	NA

**V214 "TROUBLE GET OTHR JB" NUM(1.0)**

F21, F22. Would you have any trouble getting another job if you wanted one? Why is that?

G11, G12. Is there anything in particular that might make it difficult for you to get another job?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,146	23.87	0	Inap.: not asked of retired
6	.12	1	Yes, mentions arrest or prison record; wages garnished too frequently
132	2.75	2	Yes, lack training in something else; only limited education
402	8.37	3	Yes, mentions age; physical or mental disability
60	1.25	4	Yes, gives only vague reasons, other reasons
2,943	61.29	5	No
12	.25	6	Foreign-language difficulty
5	.10	7	Yes, but NA what
96	2.00	9	NA

**V215 "ILLNESS-ACCIDENT" NUM(1.0)**

F23, F24. Have you ever had an illness or accident that laid you up for a month or more? When was that?

G17, G18. Have you ever had an illness or accident that laid you up for a month or more? (If yes) When was that?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,142	23.78	0	Inap.: not asked of retired
290	6.04	1	Yes, a year ago; within the last year or more recently; 1967 or 1968



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232	4.83	2	Yes, 2 - 3 years ago; 1965 or 1966
305	6.35	3	Yes, 4 - 9 years ago; 1959-1964
326	6.79	4	Yes, 10 or more years ago; before 1959; 1958 or earlier
2,447	50.96	5	No
-	-	8	Yes, NA when
60	1.25	9	NA; DK

**V216 "DISABILITY"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F25, H11 Do you have a physical or nervous condition that limits the type of work or the amount of work you can do?  
 (If Yes - F26, H12. How much does it limit your work?)  
 G19, G20. Do you have a physical or nervous condition that limits the type of work or the amount of work you can do? (If Yes - How much does it limit your work?)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
224	4.66	1	Yes, complete limitation; can't work at all
262	5.46	2	Yes, severe limitation on work
414	8.62	3	Yes, some limitation on work (must rest, mentions part-time work, occasional limit on work, can't lift heavy objects, reports periods of pain, sickness, etc.)
56	1.17	4	Yes, but no limitation on work
3,678	76.59	5	No
114	2.37	7	Yes, NA limitation on work
54	1.12	9	NA

**V217 "LATE TO WORK"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F27. Are there times when you are late getting to work?  
 (If yes, F28) About how often does that happen?  
 G21, G22. When you were working, were there times when you were late getting to work? (If yes) About how often did that happen?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,153	24.01	0	Inap.: not asked of retired
191	3.98	1	Yes, frequently; once a week or more often
195	4.06	2	Yes, fairly often; 1 - 3 times a month
292	6.08	3	Yes, once in a while; a few times a year, not very often
105	2.19	4	Yes, rarely; once a year or less
2,761	57.50	5	No; never
44	.92	8	Yes, NA how often
61	1.27	9	NA

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**V218 "SKIP WORK"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F29. Are there times when you don't go to work at all, even though you are not sick? .  
(If yes - F30) How often does that happen?

G23, G24. Were there times when you didn't get to work at all, even though you were not sick? (if yes) How often did that happen?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,148	23.91	0	Inap.: not asked of retired
42	.87	1	Yes, frequently; once a week or more often
95	1.98	2	Yes, fairly often; 1 - 3 times a month
221	4.60	3	Yes, once in a while; a few times a year, not very often
81	1.69	4	Yes, rarely; once a year or less
3,103	64.62	5	No
56	1.17	8	Yes, but NA how often
56	1.17	9	NA

**V219 "UNEMPLYD-STRIKE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F31. Have you ever been out of a job or on strike for two months or more at a time?  
(If Yes - F32) When was the last time that happened?

G25, G26. Have you ever been out of a job or on strike for two months or more at a time?  
(If yes) When was the last time that happened?

*If gives 2 dates, code most recent.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,155	24.05	0	Inap.: not asked of retired
212	4.41	1	1967 or 1968
101	2.10	2	1965 - 1966
98	2.04	3	1962 - 1964
129	2.69	4	1955 - 1961
2,965	61.75	5	No
60	1.25	6	1945 - 1954
27	.56	7	Before 1945
9	.19	8	Yes, NA when
46	.96	9	NA; DK

**V220 "DAYS UNEMPL IN 68"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F33. In the last year, how many days were you unemployed, laid off or without work?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,068	84.71	0	Inap.: none; not asked of unemployed or retired
116	2.42	1	1 - 5 days; 1 week
87	1.81	2	6 - 10 days; 2 weeks
138	2.87	3	11 - 25 days; 3 - 5 weeks

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307	6.39	4	26 or more days (or unemployed now), 6 or more weeks
86	1.79	9	NA

**V221 "DAYS ILL OR UNABLE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F34. How many days of work did you miss on your main job in the last year because you were sick or otherwise unable to work?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,007	62.62	0	Inap.: unemployed; retired
1,043	21.72	1	1 - 5 days; 1 week
305	6.35	2	6 - 10 days; 2 weeks
192	4.00	3	11 - 25 days; 3 - 5 weeks
200	4.16	4	26 or more days (or unemployed now); 6 or more weeks
55	1.15	9	NA (includes retired, unemployed)

**V222 "WEEKS VACATION H"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F35. And how many weeks of vacation did you take last year?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,499	52.04	0	Inap.: unemployed; retired
610	12.70	1	One; 1 - 5 days
864	17.99	2	Two; 6 - 10 days
388	8.08	3	Three; 11 - 15 days
405	8.43	4	Four or more; 16 or more days
36	.75	9	NA

**V223 "WEEKS WORKED"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F36. Then how many weeks did you actually work on your main job in 1967?

G3. How many weeks did you work last year?

H3. How many weeks did you work last year?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
882	18.37	0	Inap.: none; did not work at all last year
190	3.96	1	1 - 13 weeks
186	3.87	2	14 - 26 weeks
288	6.00	3	27 - 39 weeks
610	12.70	4	40 - 47 weeks
822	17.12	5	48 - 49 weeks
1,186	24.70	6	50 - 51 weeks
522	10.87	7	52 weeks
116	2.42	9	NA

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**V224 "STANDARD WEEK?"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F37. Did you have a standard work week on your main job?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,322	27.53	0	Inap.: unemployed; retired
2,478	51.60	1	Yes
978	20.37	5	No
24	.50	9	NA

**V225 "HRS IN STD WEEK"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F38, F41. How many hours a week is that? On the average, how many hours a week did you work on your main job last year?

G4. About how many hours a week did you work (when you worked)?

H4. About how many hours a week did you work (when you worked)?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
889	18.51	0	Inap.: did not work at all last year
141	2.94	1	1 - 19 hours a week
237	4.94	2	20 - 34
218	4.54	3	35 - 39
1,970	41.02	4	40
288	6.00	5	41 - 47
179	3.73	6	48
370	7.71	7	49 - 59
337	7.02	8	60 or more
173	3.60	9	NA

**V226 "HRS OVERTIME"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F39, F40. Did you have any overtime or extra work on your main job? How many hours did that amount to last year?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,301	47.92	0	Inap.: no standard work week; unemployed; retired
366	7.62	1	Yes, 1 - 49 hours
386	8.04	2	Yes, 50 - 199 hours
211	4.39	3	Yes, 200 - 399 hours
204	4.25	4	Yes, 400 or more hours
1,162	24.20	5	No
114	2.37	7	Yes, NA how much
58	1.21	9	NA

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**V227 "OTHER JOBS HD"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F42, F44. Did you have any other jobs or any other ways of making money in addition to your main job? Anything else?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,318	27.45	0	Inap.: unemployed; retired
598	12.45	1	Yes, One other job or way of making money. "No" or "NA" to F44
82	1.71	3	Yes, two or more other jobs, or ways of making money
11	.23	4	Not as a job, coded '0' by F45
2,766	57.60	5	No
27	.56	9	NA

**V228 "OTHER OCCUP HD"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F43. What did you do?

(Code same as other occupation code (Col. 12). If two or more jobs, code the one with the lowest code number (highest status))

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,120	85.80	0	Inap.: does not have second job; unemployed; retired
89	1.85	1	Professional and technical workers
24	.50	2	Managers and officials
32	.67	3	Self-employed businessmen
62	1.29	4	Clerical and sales workers
114	2.37	5	Craftsmen and foremen
67	1.40	6	Operatives
151	3.14	7	Unskilled laborers and service workers
61	1.27	8	Farmers and farm managers
82	1.71	9	Miscellaneous

**V229 "\$ PER HR 2ND JOB"**

**NUM(4.2)**

F46. About how much did you make per hour for this?

(Code dollars and cents per hour.)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
451	9.39	.01 - 9.97	Amount per hour
4,113	85.65	.00	Inap.: no second job; unemployed; retired
23	.48	9.98	\$9.98 or more per hour
215	4.48	9.99	NA

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**V230 "CD HAVE WKD MORE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F47. Could you have worked more if you had wanted to in 1967?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,322	27.53	0	Inap.: not asked of unemployed or retired
1,506	31.36	1	Yes
1,922	40.02	5	No
52	1.08	9	NA; DK

**V231 "WANTED MORE WORK"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F48. Would you have liked to work more?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,829	58.91	0	Inap.: could have worked more; unemployed; retired
675	14.06	1	Yes
1,105	23.01	5	No
193	4.02	9	NA; DK

**V232 "CD HAVE WORKED LESS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F49. Could you have worked less if you had wanted to?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,994	41.52	0	Inap.: could not have worked more and would like to have worked more; not asked of unemployed or retired
1,387	28.88	1	Yes
1,305	27.18	5	No
116	2.42	9	NA; DK

**V233 "WANTED LESS WORK"**

**NUM(1.0)**

F50. Would you have preferred less work even if you had earned less money?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,391	70.62	0	Inap.: could have worked less; unemployed; retired
93	1.94	1	Yes
1,107	23.05	5	No
211	4.39	9	NA; DK

**V234 "BKT TAXBL INC H& W"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bracket on Taxable Income of Head and Wife

(Replaces an empty code, since question C9 was actually coded in variable 206 [TL3951].)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
826	17.20	0	Less than \$500
200	4.16	1	\$500 - 999
387	8.06	2	\$1000 - 1999

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335	6.98	3	\$2000 - 2999
338	7.04	4	\$3000 - 3999
377	7.85	5	\$4000 - 4999
869	18.10	6	\$5000 - 7499
582	12.12	7	\$7500 - 9999
618	12.87	8	\$10,000 - 14,999
270	5.62	9	\$15,000 or more

**V235 "NR PLACES NAME IN"**

**NUM(1.0)**

G13. How many places do you have your name in for a job?

H5, H6. Are you thinking about going to work? (If yes) How many places do you have your name in for a job?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code Value/Range Text</u>
4,380	91.21	0	Inap.: not thinking about going to work (No to H5); employed
68	1.42	1	Yes, 1 place
29	.60	2	Yes, 2 places
21	.44	3	Yes, 3 places
41	.85	4	Yes, 4 or more places
224	4.66	5	No (Yes to H5, No to H6)
39	.81	9	NA; DK

**V236 "NR PLACES APPLIED"**

**NUM(1.0)**

G14, G15. Have you applied for a job anywhere in the last 2 weeks? (If yes) How many places did you apply?

H7, H8. Have you applied for a job anywhere in the last two weeks? (If yes) How many places did you apply?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code Value/Range Text</u>
4,452	92.71	0	Inap.: employed; retired and not thinking of going to work
46	.96	1	Yes, 1 place
14	.29	2	Yes, 2 places
7	.15	3	Yes, 3 places
21	.44	4	Yes, 4 or more places
225	4.69	5	No
37	.77	9	NA; DK

**V237 "JOBS NOT WORTH IT"**

**NUM(1.0)**

G27. Are there jobs available around here that just aren't worth taking?

H9. Are there jobs around here that just aren't worth taking?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code Value/Range Text</u>
4,454	92.75	0	Inap: not thinking of going to work; not asked of employed

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147	3.06	1	Yes
81	1.69	5	No
120	2.50	9	NA; DK

**V238 "PAY ON BAD JOBS"**

**NUM(4.2)**

G28. (If yes) How much do they pay?

H10. (If yes) How much do they pay?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
129	2.69	.01 - 9.97	Actual amount per hour
4,534	94.42	.00	Inap.: no jobs that are worth taking or not thinking of going to work; not asked of employed
-	-	9.98	\$9.98 or more per hour
139	2.89	9.99	NA; DK how much

**V239 "MARITAL STATUS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

I1. Are you married, single, widowed, divorced, or separated?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,107	64.70	1	Married
403	8.39	2	Single
553	11.52	3	Widowed
292	6.08	4	Divorced
396	8.25	5	Separated
42	.87	8	Married, spouse absent
9	.19	9	NA

**V240 "AGE HD 1ST MAR"**

**NUM(2.0)**

I3, I5, I22, or I23. When were you first married?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
416	8.66	0	Inap.: never married
4,224	87.96	7 - 97	Actual age
162	3.37	99	NA

**V241 "HOW LONG WIDOWED"**

**NUM(1.0)**

I4. (If widowed, divorced, or separated) "For how long?"

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,512	73.14	0	Inap.: not widowed, divorced, or separated
182	3.79	1	About 1 year or less, 1967 - 1968
286	5.96	2	2 - 4 years; 1964 - 1966
284	5.91	3	5 - 9 years; 1959 - 1963
263	5.48	4	10 - 19 years; 1949 - 1958
133	2.77	5	20 years or more; 1948 or earlier



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142 2.96 9 NA

**V242 "HOW CHILD CDRE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

I7, I14. How were the children taken care of while you were working? How were the children taken care of while your wife was working?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,803	79.20	0	Inap.: no children under 12 or Head not working or Wife not working
46	.96	1	They take care of themselves
172	3.58	2	Children in school, Wife home when they are not
386	8.04	3	Relatives (inside or outside household), spouse
44	.92	4	Friend or neighbor
38	.79	5	Nursery school, day care center
222	4.62	6	Unrelated baby sitter or housekeeper
39	.81	7	Other
52	1.08	9	NA

**V243 "WIFES OCCUPATION"**

**NUM(1.0)**

I9, I10. Did your wife do any work for money last year? (If yes) What kind of work did she do?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,394	70.68	0	Inap.: Wife did not do any work for money last year (No to I9); no Wife
160	3.33	1	Professional or technical
20	.42	2	Manager, official
26	.54	3	Self-employed businesswoman
426	8.87	4	Clerical or sales
18	.37	5	Craftswoman or foreman
235	4.89	6	Operative
442	9.20	7	Unskilled laborer or service
2	.04	8	Farming
79	1.65	9	Miscellaneous

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V243\_A "OCCUPATION OF WIFE 68" NUM(3.0)

I10. What kind of work did she do?

*This version of occupation was coded retroactively using original PSID reports and the three-digit 1970 Census occupation codes for a selected sample of PSID Heads and Wives/"Wives":*

- (a) Original sample Heads and Wives/"Wives" still living by 1992 who reported main jobs in at least three waves during the period 1968-1992, with at least one of those reports prior to 1980.*
- (b) Additionally, original sample Heads and Wives/"Wives" who had reported at least one main job between 1968 and 1980 but were known to have died by 1992.*

*The selection criteria did not include all Heads and Wives/"Wives" who had worked between 1968 and 1980. Those who were still living but had reported only one or two jobs during the period of interest were excluded, as were all nonsample Heads and Wives/"Wives". Therefore not every Head or Wife/"Wife" has data for this variable. For detailed information about the Retrospective Coding Project please see the document, 'A Panel Study of Income Dynamics: 1968-1980 Retrospective Occupation-Industry Files Documentation', on our website.*

*The 3-digit occupation code from 1970 Census of Population; Alphabetical Index of Industries and Occupations issued June 1971 by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Bureau of the Census was used for this variable. Please refer to Appendix V2, Wave XIV documentation, for complete listings.*

*Note that code 600 was added by PSID staff - the code description is 'Current members of the Armed Forces'*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,609	75.16	0	Inap.: no Wife; not eligible for retroactive coding
140	2.92	1 - 195	Professional, Technical, and Kindred Workers
38	.79	201 - 245	Managers and Administrators, Except Farm
60	1.25	260 - 285	Sales Workers
280	5.83	301 - 395	Clerical and Kindred Workers
16	.33	401 - 600	Craftsmen and Kindred Workers
199	4.14	601 - 695	Operatives, Except Transport
6	.12	701 - 715	Transport Equipment Operatives
17	.35	740 - 785	Laborers, Except Farm
1	.02	801 - 802	Farmers and Farm Managers
28	.58	821 - 824	Farm Laborers and Farm Foremen
247	5.14	901 - 965	Service Workers, Except Private Household
108	2.25	980 - 984	Private Household Workers
53	1.10	999	NA; DK

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V243\_B "INDUSTRY OF WIFE 68" NUM(3.0)

I10. What kind of work did she do?

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- (a) *Original sample Heads and Wives/"Wives still living by 1992 who reported main jobs in at least three waves during the period 1968-1992, with at least one of those reports prior to 1980.*
- (b) *Additionally, original sample Heads and Wives/"Wives" who had reported at least one main job between 1968 and 1980 but were known to have died by 1992.*

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,609	75.16	0	Inap.: no Wife; not eligible for retroactive coding
32	.67	17 - 28	Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries
1	.02	47 - 57	Mining
3	.06	67 - 77	Construction
197	4.10	107 - 398	Manufacturing
21	.44	407 - 479	Transportation, Communications, and Other Public Utilities
192	4.00	507 - 698	Wholesale and Retail Trade
44	.92	707 - 718	Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate
14	.29	727 - 759	Business and Repair Services
200	4.16	769 - 798	Personal Services
3	.06	807 - 809	Entertainment and Recreation Services
262	5.46	828 - 897	Professional and Related Services
38	.79	907 - 937	Public Administration
186	3.87	999	NA; DK

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**V244 "WIFES WEEKS WKD"**

**NUM(1.0)**

I11. About how many weeks did she work last year?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,393	70.66	0	Inap.: Wife did not do any work for money last year (No to I9); no Wife
267	5.56	1	1 - 13 weeks
211	4.39	2	14 - 26 weeks
167	3.48	3	27 - 39
122	2.54	4	40 - 47
112	2.33	5	48 - 49
294	6.12	6	50 - 51
156	3.25	7	52
80	1.67	9	NA

**V245 "WIFES HRS/WEEK"**

**NUM(1.0)**

I12. And about how many hours a week did she work?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,395	70.70	0	Inap.: Wife did not do any work for money last year (No to I9); no Wife
162	3.37	1	1 - 19 hours a week
231	4.81	2	20 - 34 hours a week
132	2.75	3	35 - 39
626	13.04	4	40
66	1.37	5	41 - 47
35	.73	6	48
52	1.08	7	49 - 59
21	.44	8	60 or more
82	1.71	9	NA

**V246 "WIFES EDUCATION"**

**NUM(1.0)**

I16. How many grades of school did your wife finish?

I17. Did she have any other schooling?

I18. What other schooling did she have?

I19. Does she have a college degree?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,742	36.28	0	Inap.: no Wife
161	3.35	1	0 - 5 grades
521	10.85	2	6 - 8 grades, grade school
677	14.10	3	9 - 11 grades (some high school)
849	17.68	4	12 grades (completed high school)

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337	7.02	5	12 grades plus non-academic training
288	6.00	6	College, no degree
139	2.89	7	College, bachelors degree
40	.83	8	College, advanced or professional degree, some graduate work, close to receiving degree
48	1.00	9	NA; DK

**V247 "HDS FIRST MARRIAGE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

I21. Is this your (HEAD'S) first marriage?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,723	35.88	0	Inap.: Head not married
2,559	53.29	1	Yes
492	10.25	5	No
28	.58	9	NA

**V248 "EXPECT CHILDREN?"**

**NUM(1.0)**

I25, I26, I27. Do you expect to have any more children? If yes, when do you think you might have another child? (If no) How sure are you that you won't have any (more) children?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,775	57.79	0	Inap.: widowed, divorced, or separated; Wife over 45; no Wife
249	5.19	1	Yes, and expects to have another child 9 months or more from now (includes adopted children)
143	2.98	2	Yes, and expects to have another child less than 9 months from now
188	3.92	3	Yes, but does not know when
25	.52	4	Yes, NA when
578	12.04	5	No, and are sure
267	5.56	6	No, and fairly sure
409	8.52	7	No, and not sure
91	1.90	8	No, NA whether sure
77	1.60	9	NA, yes or no

**V249 "GROSS RECTS FARM"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J2. What were your total receipts from farming?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,650	96.83	0	Inap.: not a farmer
9	.19	1	Less than \$500 (including negatives and zero, if a farmer)
3	.06	2	\$500 - 999
17	.35	3	\$1000 - 1999

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6	.12	4	\$2000 - 2999
20	.42	5	\$3000 - 4999
15	.31	6	\$5000 - 7499
12	.25	7	\$7500 - 9999
53	1.10	8	\$10,000 or more
17	.35	9	NA

**V250 "BUSINESS INC?"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J5. Did you (R and Family) own a business at any time in 1967 or have a financial interest in any business enterprise? Is it a corporation or an unincorporated business, or both?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
66	1.37	1	Yes, incorporated		
218	4.54	2	Yes, unincorporated		
3	.06	3	Yes, both kinds		
22	.46	4	Yes, NA whether incorporated		
4,490	93.50	5	No		
3	.06	9	NA whether owns business		

**V251 "HDS WAGES"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J8. How much did you (HEAD) receive from wages and salaries in 1967?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,186	24.70	0	None		
176	3.67	1	\$1 - 499		
157	3.27	2	\$500 - 999		
304	6.33	3	\$1000 - 1999		
289	6.02	4	\$2000 - 2999		
755	15.72	5	\$3000 - 4999		
855	17.81	6	\$5000 - 7499		
499	10.39	7	\$7500 - 9999		
431	8.98	8	\$10,000 or more		
150	3.12	9	NA; DK		

**V252 "HEAD OVERTIME"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J9. In addition to this did you receive any income from bonuses, overtime, or commissions? How much was it?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
524	10.91	1	Yes		
4,165	86.73	5	No		
113	2.35	9	NA		

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**V253 "PROF PRAC INC H"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J11. Did you (HEAD) receive any other income in 1967 from:

J11a. Professional practice or trade

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,569	95.15	0	None		
65	1.35	1	\$1 - 499		
30	.62	2	\$500 - 999		
26	.54	3	\$1000 - 1999		
20	.42	4	\$2000 - 2999		
21	.44	5	\$3000 - 4999		
15	.31	6	\$5000 - 7499		
5	.10	7	\$7500 - 10,000		
23	.48	8	\$10,000 or more		
28	.58	9	NA		

**V254 "FARM& ROOMER INC H"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J11b. Farming or market gardening, roomers or boarders

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,621	96.23	0	None		
61	1.27	1	\$1 - 499		
46	.96	2	\$500 - 999		
31	.65	3	\$1000 - 1999		
10	.21	4	\$2000 - 2999		
6	.12	5	\$3000 - 4999		
3	.06	6	\$5000 - 7499		
-	-	7	\$7500 - 9,999		
-	-	8	\$10,000 or more		
24	.50	9	NA		

**V255 "DIV& INT& RENT INC-H"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J11c. Dividends, interest, rent, trust funds, or royalties

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,581	74.57	0	None		
658	13.70	1	\$1 - 499		
179	3.73	2	\$500 - 999		
152	3.17	3	\$1000 - 1999		
48	1.00	4	\$2000 - 2999		

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44	.92	5	\$3000 - 4999
17	.35	6	\$5000 - 7499
10	.21	7	\$7500 - 9,999
18	.37	8	\$10,000 or more
95	1.98	9	NA

**V256 "ADC& ADCU INC-H"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J11d. ADC, ADCU

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,541	94.56	0	None		
26	.54	1	\$1 - 499		
35	.73	2	\$500 - 999		
73	1.52	3	\$1000 - 1999		
57	1.19	4	\$2000 - 2999		
49	1.02	5	\$3000 - 4999		
5	.10	6	\$5000 - 7499		
-	-	7	\$7500 - 9,999		
-	-	8	\$10,000 or more		
16	.33	9	NA		

**V257 "OTHER WELFARE-H"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J11e. Other welfare

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,509	93.90	0	None		
48	1.00	1	\$1 - 499		
55	1.15	2	\$500 - 999		
101	2.10	3	\$1000 - 1999		
34	.71	4	\$2000 - 2999		
14	.29	5	\$3000 - 4999		
4	.08	6	\$5000 - 7499		
-	-	7	\$7500 - 9,999		
-	-	8	\$10,000 or more		
37	.77	9	NA		

**V258 "SOC SECURITY-H"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J11f. Social Security

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,117	85.74	0	None		



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59	1.23	1	\$1 - 499
213	4.44	2	\$500 - 999
277	5.77	3	\$1000 - 1999
64	1.33	4	\$2000 - 2999
31	.65	5	\$3000 - 4999
-	-	6	\$5000 - 7499
-	-	7	\$7500 - 9,999
-	-	8	\$10,000 or more
41	.85	9	NA

**V259 "OTHR PENSIONS H"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J11g. Other retirement pay, pensions, annuities

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,345	90.48	0	None		
76	1.58	1	\$1 - 499		
108	2.25	2	\$500 - 999		
128	2.67	3	\$1000 - 1999		
45	.94	4	\$2000 - 2999		
43	.90	5	\$3000 - 4999		
16	.33	6	\$5000 - 7499		
2	.04	7	\$7500 - 9,999		
3	.06	8	\$10,000 or more		
36	.75	9	NA		

**V260 "UNEMPL COM& WC"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J11h. Unemployment or workmen's compensation

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,575	95.27	0	None		
121	2.52	1	\$1 - 499		
53	1.10	2	\$500 - 999		
21	.44	3	\$1000 - 1999		
7	.15	4	\$2000 - 2999		
-	-	5	\$3000 - 4999		
-	-	6	\$5000 - 7499		
-	-	7	\$7500 - 9,999		
-	-	8	\$10,000 or more		
25	.52	9	NA		

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**V261 "ALIMONY"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J11i. Alimony, child support

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,641	96.65	0	None
34	.71	1	\$1 - 499
41	.85	2	\$500 - 999
33	.69	3	\$1000 - 1999
20	.42	4	\$2000 - 2999
7	.15	5	\$3000 - 4999
-	-	6	\$5000 - 7499
-	-	7	\$7500 - 9,999
-	-	8	\$10,000 or more
26	.54	9	NA

**V262 "HELP FR RELATIVES"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J11j. Help from Relatives

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,516	94.04	0	None
117	2.44	1	\$1 - 499
53	1.10	2	\$500 - 999
43	.90	3	\$1000 - 1999
14	.29	4	\$2000 - 2999
12	.25	5	\$3000 - 4999
3	.06	6	\$5000 - 7499
-	-	7	\$7500 - 9,999
-	-	8	\$10,000 or more
44	.92	9	NA

**V263 "WIFE INCOME TYPE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J12. Did your wife have any income during 1967? (If yes) Was it income from wages, salary, a business or what? Any other income?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,809	37.67	0	Inap.: no Wife
1,365	28.43	1	Yes, solely from work (wages, business, farming, transfers, assets)
138	2.87	2	Yes, from non-labor sources
33	.69	3	Yes, from both work and non-work
1,451	30.22	5	No

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9 NA

**V264 "WIFE TOT INC"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J15. How much was it, before deductions? Wife's TOTAL income

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,254	67.76	0	None	or no	Wife
308	6.41	1	\$1	-	499
222	4.62	2	\$500	-	999
263	5.48	3	\$1000	-	1999
195	4.06	4	\$2,000	-	2,999
278	5.79	5	\$3,000	-	4,999
155	3.23	6	\$5,000	-	7,499
32	.67	7	\$7,500	-	9,999
5	.10	8	\$10,000	or	more
90	1.87	9	NA		

**V265 "NR OTH INC RECRS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J17. Did (MENTION MEMBER) have any income during 1967?

(Number of others with income.)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,720	77.47	0	No	other	income receivers
765	15.93	1	One	other	income receiver
236	4.91	2	Two		
53	1.10	3	Three		
11	.23	4	Four		
7	.15	5	Five	or	more
10	.21	9	NA		

**V266 "SETTLEMENT RECVD"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J28. Did you get any other money in the last year -- like a big settlement from an insurance company, an inheritance, or anything?

J29. (If yes) How much did that amount to?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,520	94.13	0	No,	nothing	
89	1.85	1	Yes,	less than	\$500
45	.94	2	\$500	-	999
43	.90	3	\$1,000	-	1,999
21	.44	4	\$2,000	-	2,999
18	.37	5	\$3,000	-	4,999

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11	.23	6	\$5,000 - 7,499
9	.19	7	\$7,500 - 9,999
23	.48	8	\$10,000 or more
23	.48	9	NA (whether, or amount)

**V267 "SOURCE OF SETTLMNT"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Source Code - J28

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,518	94.09		0	Inap.: no such income	
82	1.71		1	Insurance settlement	
40	.83		2	Inheritance - gifts	
42	.87		3	Sale of property, stocks, bonds	
7	.15		4	Loan taken out	
4	.08		5	Loan repayment received	
15	.31		7	Other	
94	1.96		9	NA	

**V268 "FOOD, CLOTH AS PAY"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J30-31. Did anyone here get more than \$50 worth of food or clothing as part of their pay?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
90	1.87		1	Yes, food	
18	.37		2	Yes, clothes	
76	1.58		3	Yes, mixed or NA which	
4,603	95.86		5	No to J30	
15	.31		9	NA	

**V269 "FOOD, CLOTH FREE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J32-J33. Did you get more than \$50 worth of free food, clothing, or food stamps in 1967?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
185	3.85		1	Yes, food, food stamps	
141	2.94		2	Yes, clothing	
198	4.12		3	Yes, mixed or NA which	
4,254	88.59		5	No to J32	
24	.50		9	NA	

**V270 "Y67 INCOME USUAL"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J34. Was your family's income a lot higher or lower than usual this past year (1967)?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
2,617	54.50		0	No, about the same as usual	

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1,354	28.20	1	Higher than usual
755	15.72	2	Lower than usual
76	1.58	9	NA

**V271 "WHY 67 UNUSUAL"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J35. Why was that?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,617	54.50	0	Inap.: family's income was normal
693	14.43	1	Head had more or less work than usual (include unemployment, illness of Head, overtime, strike, second job)
882	18.37	2	Head's income from work was higher or lower than usual (wages or profits or farm income different, not work hours)
230	4.79	3	More or less income from other earners in the family
158	3.29	4	More of less income than usual from other (non-labor) sources
88	1.83	5	Other reasons, more or fewer people in family
2	.04	6	Retirement
132	2.75	9	NA

**V272 "INC VARY MONTHLY"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J36. Does your family's income change from month to month, stay the same over the year, or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,853	80.24	1	Stays the same
917	19.10	2	Changes from month to month
32	.67	9	NA

**V273 "WHY INC VARIES"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J37. Why does it vary?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,854	80.26	0	Inap.: income does not vary
567	11.81	1	Amount of work varies, more or less overtime, seasonal, etc.
227	4.73	2	Profits or commissions, farm sale, etc. vary
44	.92	3	Other family members work intermittently
56	1.17	4	Other
54	1.12	9	NA

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**V274 "BETTER OFF FIN"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J38. Would you say you are better off financially than you were a few years ago, or are you in the same situation?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,887	39.30	1	Better off
287	5.98	2	Better off, qualified
1,760	36.65	3	Same, pro-con, better in some ways, worse in others
101	2.10	4	Worse off, qualified
581	12.10	5	Worse off
186	3.87	9	NA

**V275 "EXPENSES UNUSUAL"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J39. Is there anything that makes your family's expenses unusually high?

J40. (If yes) What is that?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,213	66.91	0	No, nothing
642	13.37	1	Yes, medical bills, special diets, illness, psychiatrists
117	2.44	2	Yes, rents or other housing costs, property taxes
151	3.14	3	Children in college, boarding school, child support, alimony
382	7.96	4	Food, expenses too high, high prices in general
67	1.40	5	Change in family size
164	3.42	7	Other, including luxuries
37	.77	8	Head or Wife in college
29	.60	9	NA

**V276 "LIKELY CHANGES"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J41. Is anything likely to happen over the next few years that will make things much different for your family - like more or less earners, a better job for you, or fewer people living here?

J42. (If yes) What is that?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,880	59.98	0	No, nothing
37	.77	1	Asset or debt transactions
246	5.12	2	Family situation changes (marriage, death)
199	4.14	3	Expenses changes (medical expenses, living expenses)
149	3.10	4	Pay raises, more or less unemployment
333	6.93	5	Number of earners changes; job changes of others
778	16.20	6	Job changes of Head, get a better job, promotion
78	1.62	7	Other reasons

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102      2.12                      9   NA

**V277            "CHANGES FOR BETTER"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J43. Will that make things better, or worse, financially?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
2,880	59.98		0	Inap.: nothing likely to happen (No to J41)	
1,375	28.63		1	Better	
104	2.17		3	Pro-con, better in some ways, worse in others	
228	4.75		5	Worse	
215	4.48		9	NA	

**V278            "DEPENDENTS NOT HERE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J44. Are there any people that do NOT live with you who are dependent on you for more than half of their support? J45. (If yes) How many are there?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,537	94.48		0	No, none	
135	2.81		1	Yes, one	
52	1.08		2	Yes, two	
24	.50		3	Yes, three	
19	.40		4	Yes, four or more	
14	.29		5	Yes, NA how many	
21	.44		9	NA (whether)	

**V279            "WOULD HELP REL MORE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

J47. Do you (FAMILY) have parents or other relatives that you would feel that you had to help (more), if you had more money?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
1,321	27.51		1	Yes	
3,449	71.82		5	No	
32	.67		9	NA	

**V280            "DO IN SPARE TIME"**

**NUM(1.0)**

K1. We're interested in how people spend their spare time. What things do you (HEAD) usually do in your spare time? FIRST MENTION

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
279	5.81		0	Nothing. Have no spare time, just sit	
319	6.64		1	Watch TV, other passive things	
1,643	34.21		2	Drive the car, talk with neighbors, play cards, walk, read, fish, do flower gardening	
1,004	20.91		3	Energetic activities requiring initiative: sports, active hobbies, bowling, tennis, hunting, square dancing	
1,369	28.51		4	Productive activities (that save money or produce direct service: having vegetable garden, working around house)	

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120	2.50	5	Investment in self: learning new things, things that may benefit one economically
24	.50	7	Other
44	.92	9	NA

**V281 "2ND DO SPARE TIME"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Second mention to K1

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,441	30.01	0	Nothing. Have no spare time, just sit
709	14.76	1	Watch TV, other passive things
1,722	35.86	2	Drive the car, talk with neighbors, play cards, walk, read, fish, do flower gardening
618	12.87	3	Energetic activities requiring initiative: sports, active hobbies, bowling, tennis, hunting, square dancing
268	5.58	4	Productive activities (that save money or produce direct service: having vegetable garden, working around house)
4	.08	5	Investment in self: learning new things, things that may benefit one economically
6	.12	7	Other
34	.71	9	NA

**V282\_1 "BOTH USES OF TIME RESP 1"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Ignore this variable. See V280.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
279	5.81	0	Nothing. Have no spare time, just sit
319	6.64	1	Watch TV, other passive things
1,643	34.21	2	Drive the car, talk with neighbors, play cards, walk, read, fish, do flower gardening
1,004	20.91	3	Energetic activities requiring initiative: sports, active hobbies, bowling, tennis, hunting, square dancing
1,369	28.51	4	Productive activities (that save money or produce direct service: having vegetable garden, working around house)
120	2.50	5	Investment in self: learning new things, things that may benefit one economically
24	.50	7	Other
44	.92	9	NA

**V282\_2 "BOTH USES OF TIME RESP 2"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Ignore this variable. See V281.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,441	30.01	0	Nothing. Have no spare time, just sit
709	14.76	1	Watch TV, other passive things
1,722	35.86	2	Drive the car, talk with neighbors, play cards, walk, read, fish, do flower gardening



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618	12.87	3	Energetic activities requiring initiative: sports, active hobbies, bowling, tennis, hunting, square dancing
268	5.58	4	Productive activities (that save money or produce direct service: having vegetable garden, working around house)
4	.08	5	Investment in self: learning new things, things that may benefit one economically
6	.12	7	Other
34	.71	9	NA

**V283 "NR OF TIME USES"**

**NUM(1.0)**

K1. (Number of things mentioned)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
231	4.81	0	None
1,134	23.62	1	One
1,549	32.26	2	Two
1,070	22.28	3	Three
476	9.91	4	Four
184	3.83	5	Five
68	1.42	6	Six
31	.65	7	Seven
20	.42	8	Eight or more
39	.81	9	NA

**V284 "HOW OFTEN CHURCH"**

**NUM(1.0)**

K2. How often do you (HEAD) go to church?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,072	22.32	0	Never
953	19.85	1	Once in a while, a few times a year, not often, seldom
361	7.52	2	About once a month, sometimes
541	11.27	3	Every few weeks, several times a month, once or twice a month, often
1,394	29.03	4	Every week, once a week, every Sunday
369	7.68	5	More than once a week, once a week plus
112	2.33	9	NA

**V285 "TAKING COURSES"**

**NUM(1.0)**

K3. Are you (HEAD) taking any courses or lessons?

K4. (If yes) what are they?

Highest number has priority.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,258	88.67	0	No

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29	.60	1	Yes, for increasing consumption pleasure (hobbies, bridge, etc.)
25	.52	2	Yes, for increasing knowledge about world, etc., public affairs
21	.44	3	Yes, for learning how to do-it-yourself, fix-it courses, carpentry, NA what
204	4.25	4	Yes, with potential earning applications; job training
232	4.83	5	Formal academic work - college, high school
33	.69	9	NA

**V286 "HOURS/DAY TV"**

**NUM(1.0)**

K5. About how many hours do you (HEAD) usually watch television on an average week-day?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
629	13.10	0	None
1,265	26.34	1	One up to 1.4
1,009	21.01	2	Two - 1.5 to 2.4, sometimes, seldom
901	18.76	3	Three
310	6.46	4	Four
299	6.23	5	Five
78	1.62	6	Six
42	.87	7	Seven
105	2.19	8	Eight or more
164	3.42	9	NA

**V287 "HOW OFTEN NEWSP"**

**NUM(1.0)**

K6. How often do you (HEAD) read a newspaper every day, once a week, or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
585	12.18	0	Never
78	1.62	1	Hardly ever, only when something unusual, only during some season
79	1.65	2	Occasionally (less than once a week)
586	12.20	3	Once or twice a week, Sunday only
194	4.04	4	Week days, several times a week
3,216	66.97	5	Every day
64	1.33	9	NA

**V288 "NR NEIGHBORS KNOWN"**

**NUM(1.0)**

K7. About how many people in this neighborhood do you know by name?

(If counting families, multiply by two.)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
233	4.85	0	No one

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153	3.19	1	One
232	4.83	2	Two
240	5.00	3	Three, a few
168	3.50	4	Four
255	5.31	5	Five, 50%
454	9.45	6	6 - 9, not many
915	19.05	7	10 - 19, 95%, most
2,027	42.21	8	20 or more, lots of people, everyone, all of them
125	2.60	9	NA

**V289 "RELATIVES NEAR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

K8. Do you (FAMILY) have any relatives who live within walking distance of here?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u> <u>Value/Range</u> <u>Text</u>
2,167	45.13	1	Yes
15	.31	3	Yes, qualified (they are never home, they are here only part of year, we never see them)
2,599	54.12	5	No
21	.44	9	NA

**V290 "HRS HELPING REL"**

**NUM(1.0)**

K9. Did you spend more than 40 hours helping friends or relatives last year? K10. (If yes) About how many hours was that?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u> <u>Value/Range</u> <u>Text</u>
2,629	54.75	0	No
1,337	27.84	1	Yes, 41 - 120 hours
215	4.48	2	121 - 240 hours
209	4.35	3	241 or more hours
326	6.79	7	NA how much, but more than 40
86	1.79	9	NA

**V291 "HELP FROM OUTSIDE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

K14. Was that from someone who does not live here?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u> <u>Value/Range</u> <u>Text</u>
3,889	80.99	0	Inap.: did not receive free help with housework, baby sitting, etc. in 1967 (No to K11)
703	14.64	1	Yes
5	.10	3	Part of it was
140	2.92	5	No
65	1.35	9	NA; DK

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**V292 "HOW OFTEN CLUBS" NUM(1.0)**

K15. How often do you (HEAD) go to social clubs or organizations?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,955	61.54	0	Never
431	8.98	1	Hardly ever. A few times a year
822	17.12	2	Occasionally, once or twice a month (less than once a week)
299	6.23	3	Once a week, every Friday, etc.
171	3.56	4	A few times a week, more than once a week
28	.58	5	Every day, 4 days a week or more
96	2.00	9	NA

**V293 "HOW OFTEN TAVERN" NUM(1.0)**

K16. How often do you (HEAD) go to a bar or tavern?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,145	65.49	0	Never
479	9.98	1	Hardly ever, a few times a year, almost never, seldom
450	9.37	2	Occasionally, once or twice a month (less than once a week)
321	6.68	3	Once a week
218	4.54	4	A few times a week, more than once a week
107	2.23	5	Every day, four days a week or more
82	1.71	9	NA

**V294 "UNION AND DUES" NUM(1.0)**

K17. Do you (HEAD) belong to a labor union?

K18. (If yes) How much did your union dues amount to last year?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,788	78.88	0	No
40	.83	1	Yes but no dues
85	1.77	2	Yes, dues less than \$25
678	14.12	3	Yes, dues \$26 - 99
156	3.25	4	Yes, dues \$100 - 499
2	.04	5	Yes, dues \$500 or more
28	.58	8	Yes, dues NA
25	.52	9	NA

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**V295 "FELT LIFE WORK OUT"**

**NUM(1.0)**

L1. Have you usually felt pretty sure your life would work out the way you want it to, or have there been times when you haven't been very sure about it?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,184	45.48	1	Usually been pretty sure
147	3.06	2	Pretty sure, qualified
165	3.44	3	Pro-con, sure sometimes, not sure other
83	1.73	4	More times when haven't been sure, qualified
1,844	38.40	5	More times when not very sure about it
379	7.89	9	NA; DK

**V296 "PLAN AHEAD"**

**NUM(1.0)**

L2. Are you the kind of person that plans his life ahead all the time, or do you live more from day to day?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,992	41.48	1	Plan ahead
208	4.33	2	Plan ahead, qualified
221	4.60	3	Sometimes plan ahead, sometimes not, pro-con
77	1.60	4	Live more from day to day, qualified
2,184	45.48	5	Live more from day to day
120	2.50	9	NA DK

**V297 "CARRY OUT PLANS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

L3. When you make plans ahead, do you usually get to carry out things the way you expected, or do things usually come up to make you change your plans?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,298	47.86	1	Usually get to carry out things the way expected
144	3.00	2	Usually get to carry out things, qualified
341	7.10	3	Pro-con, depends, sometimes carry out, sometimes things come up
84	1.75	4	Things come up to make me change plans, qualified
1,658	34.53	5	Things usually come up to make me change plans
277	5.77	9	NA; DK

**V298 "FINISH THINGS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

L4. Would you say you nearly always finish things once you start them, or do you sometimes have to give up before they are finished?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,265	67.99	1	Nearly always finish things
222	4.62	2	Nearly always finish, qualified
139	2.89	3	Pro-con, sometimes finish, sometimes give up

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35	.73	4	Sometimes have to give up, qualified
1,003	20.89	5	Sometimes have to give up before they are finished
138	2.87	9	NA; DK

**V299 "LIKE CHALLENGE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

L5. How much do you like to do things that are difficult and challenging?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u> <u>Value/Range</u> <u>Text</u>
2,427	50.54	1	A lot, like it very much
513	10.68	2	A lot, qualified, some things a lot
368	7.66	3	Pro-con, depends, sometimes yes, sometimes no
479	9.98	4	Not much, qualified
688	14.33	5	Don't like things that are difficult and challenging
327	6.81	9	NA; DK

**V300 "SPEND OR SAVE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

L6. Would you rather spend your money and enjoy life today or save more for the future?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u> <u>Value/Range</u> <u>Text</u>
1,705	35.51	1	Would rather spend money and enjoy life today
102	2.12	2	Rather spend and enjoy, qualified, would if had it
816	16.99	3	Pro-con, want to do both
229	4.77	4	Save more for the future, qualified
1,750	36.44	5	Save more for the future
200	4.16	9	NA; DK

**V301 "JOB LIKE,OR MONEY"**

**NUM(1.0)**

L7. Would you rather have a job that you like even if the chances for a raise were small, or a job you don't like which offers a good chance for making more money?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u> <u>Value/Range</u> <u>Text</u>
3,420	71.22	1	Rather have a job I like
50	1.04	2	Rather have a job I like, qualified
74	1.54	3	Pro-con, depends, want both
38	.79	4	Rather have a job I don't like with good chance for making more money, qualified
946	19.70	5	Rather have a job I don't like which offers a good chance for making more money
274	5.71	9	NA; DK

**V302 "SATISFIED WITHSELF"**

**NUM(1.0)**

L8. Are you more often satisfied or dissatisfied with yourself?

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u> <u>Value/Range</u> <u>Text</u>
3,473	72.32	1	More often satisfied

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146	3.04	2	More often satisfied, qualified
177	3.69	3	Pro-con, depends, satisfied some ways, dissatisfied others
52	1.08	4	More often dissatisfied, qualified
813	16.93	5	More often dissatisfied
141	2.94	9	NA; DK

**V303 "HAVE LIMITATIONS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

L9. Do you have some limitations that keep you from getting ahead as far as you would like?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,260	47.06	1	Yes, health included
216	4.50	3	Yes, but not important, depends
2,096	43.65	5	No
230	4.79	9	NA; DK

**V304 "GET ANGRY EASILY"**

**NUM(1.0)**

L10. Do you get angry fairly easily, or does it take a lot to get you angry?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,022	21.28	1	Get angry fairly easily
78	1.62	2	Get angry fairly easily, qualified
199	4.14	3	Pro-con, depends
193	4.02	4	Takes a lot to get me angry, qualified (But I really blow when I do)
3,172	66.06	5	Takes a lot to get me angry (I never get angry)
138	2.87	9	NA; DK

**V305 "MATTER OTHERS THINK"**

**NUM(1.0)**

L11. How much does it matter what other people think about you?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,464	51.31	1	Not at all; doesn't matter
668	13.91	2	Very little, matters what one or two people think
350	7.29	3	Pro-con, depends; matters in some areas
481	10.02	4	A good deal; it matters
673	14.01	5	It matters a lot; I'm very sensitive
166	3.46	9	NA; DK

**V306 "TRUST MOST OTHERS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

L12. Do you trust most other people, some, or very few?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,262	47.11	1	Most

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153	3.19	2	Most, qualified
983	20.47	3	Pro-con, depends, should trust some
144	3.00	4	Few, not many, qualified
1,124	23.41	5	Very few. I trust no one
136	2.83	9	NA; DK

**V307 "FIGURE WAYS MORE\$"**

**NUM(1.0)**

L13. Do you spend much time figuring out ways to get more money?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,857	59.50	1	None at all
181	3.77	2	Very little, not much
183	3.81	3	Pro-con, sometimes I do, should spend more (less), used to in the past
81	1.69	4	Quite a bit
1,358	28.28	5	A lot. I'm always figuring out how to get more money
142	2.96	9	NA; DK

**V308 "THINK ABOUT FUTURE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

L14. Do you think a lot about things that might happen in the future, or do you usually just take things as they come?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,799	37.46	1	Think a lot about things that might happen
82	1.71	2	Think a good deal, qualified
155	3.23	3	Pro-con, sometimes do, sometimes, not. Should think more (less)
68	1.42	4	Usually just take things as they come, qualified
2,569	53.50	5	Usually just take things as they come
129	2.69	9	NA; DK

**V309 "LIFE GETTING BETTER"**

**NUM(1.0)**

L15. Do you think the life of the average man is getting better or is it getting worse?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,233	46.50	1	Getting better
155	3.23	2	Getting better, qualified; better for most
374	7.79	3	Pro-con, better some ways, worse others, should be different
86	1.79	4	Getting worse, qualified
1,552	32.32	5	Getting worse
402	8.37	9	NA; DK



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**V310 "UNDESERVED GOOD" NUM(1.0)**

L16. Are there a lot of people who have good things they don't deserve?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,605	33.42	1	Yes, a lot
108	2.25	2	A lot, qualified, quite a few
264	5.50	3	Pro-con, depends, some do
180	3.75	4	Not many, but a few
1,838	38.28	5	No
807	16.81	9	NA; DK, not concerned, can't judge

**V311 "WHERE H GREW UP" NUM(2.0)**

M1. Where did you (HEAD) grow up?

*Alphabetical state code running from 01 = Alabama to 49 = Wyoming except, Alaska - 50 and Hawaii - 51. From Geographical Location Codes, U.S. General Services Administration Office of Finance, October, 1966. (Note that Census city-county data book inserts Alaska and Hawaii, as 02 and 15, and has all 50 states in order. For this code we added: 61. English speaking foreign countries: England, Canada, Australia, New Zealand 62. Other northern European countries: France, Low Countries, Scandinavia, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Austria, Switzerland, Russia, Germany 63. Southern European countries and Eastern Europe: Spain, Italy, Greece, Yugoslavia, Albania, Rumania, Bulgaria 64. Spanish America: Mexico, Central America, West Indies, South America 65. Asia, Mideast (including Egypt) 66. Africa, excluding Egypt 99. NA*

*Please refer to PSID state codes here*

*<http://psidonline.isr.umich.edu/data/Documentation/PSIDStateCodes.pdf> but see additional codes added in range 61-66 described above*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,758	99.08	1 - 66	Actual state (PSID state code) plus foreign country code additions
44	.92	99	DK; NA

**V312 "H GREW UP FARM" NUM(1.0)**

M2. Was that on a farm, in a large city, small town, or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,680	34.99	1	Farm
1,499	31.22	2	Large city, any size city
1,518	31.61	3	Small town, any size town
57	1.19	4	Other, many different places
48	1.00	9	NA

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**V313 "HEADS EDUCATION"**

**NUM(1.0)**

M3-10. How many grades of school did you (HEAD) finish?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
228	4.75	0	0 - 5 grades and has difficulty reading
286	5.96	1	0 - 5 grades, no difficulty reading
1,057	22.01	2	6 - 8 grades
1,044	21.74	3	9 - 11 grades
760	15.83	4	12 grades (completed high school)
409	8.52	5	12 grades plus non-academic training
542	11.29	6	College, no degree
287	5.98	7	College, bachelors degree (A.B., B.S., etc.)
159	3.31	8	College, advanced or professional degrees (M.A., Ph.D., LLB, BD, M.S., etc.)
30	.62	9	NA; DK

**V314 "HD OTHER TRAINING"**

**NUM(1.0)**

M4-5. Did you get any other training; if Yes, what was it?

M7-8. Did you have any other schooling; if Yes, what other schooling did you have?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,775	78.61	0	No training except regular school and college
977	20.35	1	Some training outside the regular school system (apprenticeships, manpower training programs, etc.)
50	1.04	9	NA

**V315 "HEAD A VETERAN"**

**NUM(1.0)**

M11. Are you (HEAD) a veteran?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,483	30.88	1	Yes
3,281	68.33	5	No
38	.79	9	NA

**V316 "NR SIBLINGS HEAD"**

**NUM(1.0)**

M12. How many brothers and sisters did you have? (Includes half-sisters, adopted children, but not foster children)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
302	6.29	0	None
572	11.91	1	One
622	12.95	2	Two
627	13.06	3	Three
574	11.95	4	Four
457	9.52	5	Five

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395	8.23	6	Six
316	6.58	7	Seven
859	17.89	8	Eight or more
78	1.62	9	NA

**V317 "HD PARENTS POOR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

M13. Were your parents poor when you were growing up, pretty well off, or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,555	53.21	1	Poor
1,500	31.24	3	Average, it varied
664	13.83	5	Pretty well off
83	1.73	9	DK, didn't live with parents

**V318 "H FATHERS EDUCATION"**

**NUM(1.0)**

M14. How much education did your father have?

M15. (If DK) Could he read and write?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
663	13.81	1	0 - 5 grades, or DK and could not read or write
2,810	58.52	2	6 - 8 grades, grade school, or DK and could read and write
253	5.27	3	9 - 11 grades, some high school
432	9.00	4	12 grades, high school
32	.67	5	12 grades plus non-academic training
147	3.06	6	College, no degree
132	2.75	7	College degree, no advanced degree mentioned
61	1.27	8	College, advanced or professional degree
272	5.66	9	NA; DK, both M14 and M15

**V319 "ACCURACY OF MORTG"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of Mortgage owed

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,550	94.75	0	No assignments
118	2.46	1	Minor assignment
91	1.90	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
42	.87	3	Complex property - the reported house value included farm or business property, but imputed rent and housing payments were computed on the basis of the estimated portion of property used for housing
1	.02	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

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**V320 "IMPUTED RENT" NUM(4.0)**

Imputed rental income (6% of net equity in owned home)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,448	50.98	0	No rental income
2,354	49.02	1 - 9,000	Actual amount

**V321 "ACCURACY IMP RENT" NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of imputed rent

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,408	91.80	0	No assignments
142	2.96	1	Minor assignment
122	2.54	2	Major assignment; probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of assignment value (whichever is greater)
129	2.69	3	Complex property - the reported house value included farm or business property, but imputed rent and housing payments were computed on the basis of the estimated portion of property used for housing
1	.02	5	Estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

**V322 "TOTAL REAL Y" NUM(5.0)**

Total 1967 Family real Income in Dollars

Total value was added in if all of the time help received was from someone living outside DU; half of the total value was added if only part of the help was from someone outside DU (valued at \$1 = 1 hour).

*This variable is composed of the sum of the following variables:*

V81 Total 1967 Family Money Income +  
V16 Imputed income from doing ADDITIONS AND REPAIRS in 1967 +  
V24 Imputed income from doing own CAR REPAIRS in 1967 +  
V39 Imputed income from GROWING OWN FOOD in 1967 +  
V41 Imputed income from SEWING & MENDING in 1967 +  
V43 Earned income in form of food or clothing (only if worth more than \$50) in 1967 +  
V320 Imputed 1967 rental value of owner- occupied house (.06 x net equity in house) +  
V12 Estimated annual 1967 rental value of DU (for those who neither own nor rent) +  
V45 Value of free food, clothing, or food stamps received in 1967 (only if \$50 or more during year) +  
V57 Value of services received free from others (NOTE: Total value added in if all the time received was from someone living outside DU; 1/2 total value added if only part of help was from someone outside DU [valued at \$1 = 1 hour]).

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1	.02	0	No family income
4,801	99.98	1 - 84,655	Actual amount

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**V323 "REAL NET Y" NUM(5.0)**

Total 1967 FAMILY Real Income Net of Cost of Earning Income - In Dollars

V322 Total 1967 Family Real Income -

V84 Child care costs, Federal Income Tax, and 1967 Union dues for Head of family -

V57 if added originally (free child care)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1	.02	0	None
4,801	99.98	1 - 60,476	Actual amount

**V324 "REAL NET Y-HSNG" NUM(5.0)**

Total 1967 FAMILY Real Income Net of Costs of Earning Income and Net of Housing Costs - In Dollars

V322 Total 1967 Family Real Income -

V84 Cost of Earning Income -

V10 1967 Rent Payments -

V14 1967 Utilities Payments -

V18 1967 Payments for additions and repairs (for all those still owing anything at time of interview) -

V12 Estimated annual 1967 rental value of DU (for those who neither own nor rent) -

V16 Imputed income from doing additions and repairs in 1967 -

.06 x V5 Imputed 1967 annual rental value of DU (for homeowners excluding farmers and others with complex property, i.e., if coded 3 in V7) -

V6 Estimated 1967 Property taxes for homeowners V320 Imputed rent of homeowners (if coded 3 in V7, i.e., have complex property) -

V57 if added originally (Free Child Care)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
30	.62	-1,171 - -1	Actual net loss
1	.02	0	No real income net of costs of earning income and net of housing costs
4,771	99.35	1 - 56,226	Actual net profit

**V325 "MONEY Y/NEEDS" NUM(5.2)**

"Orshansky Ratio" (Full Detail Variant) (V81 / V32)

V81 1967 Total Family Money Income / V32 Annual Family Need Standard - Orshansky

Result multiplied by 1.25 if V197 or V228 = 8 (i.e., first or second job a farmer)

Note that V32 is based on V31, Annual Food Needs Standard, which is in 1967 dollars.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,797	99.90	.01 - 26.52	Actual ratio
5	.10	.00	Ratio of zero

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**V326 "REAL NET Y/NEEDS"**

**NUM(5.2)**

Ratio of Total 1967 FAMILY Real Income Net of Cost of Earning Income to Annual Family Need Standard - Orshansky (V323 / V32)

V323 Total 1967 Family Real Income Net of Cost of Earning Income / V32 Annual Family Need Standard - Orshansky

Note that V32 is based on V31, Annual Food Needs Standard, which is in 1967 dollars.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,801	99.98	.01 - 18.00	Actual	ratio	
1	.02	.00	Ratio	of zero	

**V327 "REAL NET Y-HSNG/FD"**

**NUM(5.2)**

Ratio of Total 1967 Family Real Income Net of Cost of Earning Income and Net of Housing Costs to 1967 Family Food Standard - Orshansky Low Cost (V324 / V31)

V324 Total 1967 Family Real Income Net of Cost of Earning Income and Net of Housing Costs / V31 Annual Family Food Standard - Orshansky Low Cost

Note that V31, Annual Food Needs Standard, is in 1967 dollars.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
30	.62	-2.22 - -.01	Actual	ratio	
4,771	99.35	.01 - 73.82	Actual	ratio	
1	.02	.00	Ratio	of zero	

**V328 "W-O MONEY Y"**

**NUM(6.0)**

FAMILY Well-offness Index -- uses "Orshansky Ratio"

V325 "Orshansky Ratio" x V73 Average hours of leisure per major adult in family, in 1967

Note that the computation of V325 uses V31, Annual Food Std (Needs), which is in 1967 dollars.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
7	.15	0	Ratio	of zero	
4,795	99.85	1 - 114,432	Actual	ratio	

**V329 "W-O REAL Y"**

**NUM(5.0)**

FAMILY Well-offness Index - uses Ratio of Total 1967 Family Real Income Net of Cost of Earning Income to Annual Family Need Standard - Orshansky

V326 Ratio of Total 1967 Family Real Income Net of Cost of Earning Income to Annual Family Need Standard - Orshansky x V73 Average hours of leisure time per major adult in family, in 1967

Note that the computation of V326 uses V31, Annual Food Std (Needs), which is in 1967 dollars.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1	.02	0	Ratio	of zero	
4,801	99.98	1 - 77,665	Actual	ratio	

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**V330 "W-O REAL Y-HSNG"**

**NUM(6.0)**

FAMILY Well-offness Index - uses Ratio of Total 1967 Family Real Income Net of Cost of Earning Income and Net of Cost of Housing to Annual Family-Need Standard - Orshansky V327 Ratio of Total 1967 Family Real Income Net of Cost of Earning Income and Net of Housing Costs to Annual Family Need Standard - Orshansky x V73 Average Hours of leisure time per major adult in family, in 1967

Note that the computation of V327 uses V31, Annual Food Std (Needs), which is in 1967 dollars.

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
34	.71	-10,506 - -1	Actual	ratio	
1	.02	0	Ratio	of zero	
4,767	99.27	1 - 272,652	Actual	ratio	

**V331 "CONTRACTUAL PAYTS"**

**NUM(5.0)**

Total 1967 Family Contractual Payments - In Dollars

V8 Annual Mortgage payments made in 1967 (for Home owners) +

V10 1967 Rent payments +

V14 1967 Utilities Payments +

V18 1967 payments for additions and repairs +

V20 1967 Car insurance payments +

V22 1967 Car debt payments +

V28 Other 1967 debt payments +

V6 Estimated annual property taxes paid in 1967 (for home owners)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
40	.83	0	No family	contractual payments	
4,762	99.17	1 - 10,870	Actual	amount	

**V332 "TOTAL FIXED EXP"**

**NUM(5.0)**

Total 1967 Family Fixed Expenditures - In Dollars

V331 Total 1967 Family Contractual Payments +

V37 Total 1967 Family food expenditures +

V84 Child care costs (for families where there are children under 12 and Wife of Head works, or single Head of family works for money) and 1967 Union dues for HEAD of family +

V82 Total 1967 payments to dependents outside DU (only for cases where amount was ascertained)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
9	.19	0	No fixed	expenditures	
4,793	99.81	1 - 34,569	Actual	amount	

**V333 "UNCOMMITTED Y"**

**NUM(5.0)**

Total 1967 Family Uncommitted Money Income - in Dollars

V81 Total 1967 Family money income - V332 Total 1967 Family fixed expenditures

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
601	12.52	-5,150 - -1	Actual	amount	
4	.08	0	No family	uncommitted money income	

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4,197    87.40            1 - 47,506    Actual amount

**V334            "TOTAL FOOD CONS"**

**NUM(4.0)**

Total 1967 Family Food Consumption

V37 Total 1967 Family food expenditures +

V39 Imputed income from growing own food in 1967 +

V43 Earned income in form of food in 1967 (1 x V43 added if source code indicates that all was food - if V268 = 1; .7 x V43 added if source code says food and clothing or NA which, i.e., if V268 = 3) +

V45 Value of free food or food stamps received in 1967 (1 x V45 added if source code indicates that all was food or food stamps - if V269 = 1; .7 x V45 if source code says food and clothing or NA which - if V269 = 3)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
3	.06	0			No food consumption
4,799	99.94	1 - 7,462			Actual amount

**V335            "TOTAL FAMILY WORK"**

**NUM(5.0)**

Total 1967 Family Hours of Work (Work for Money Plus Unpaid Work)

V47 1967 Hours of Work for Money - HEAD +

V53 1967 Hours of Work for Money - WIFE +

V59 1967 Hours of Housework - FAMILY +

V61 1967 Hours of Home Production - HEAD AND WIFE +

V72 1967 Hours of Work for Money - OTHERS (other than Head or Wife) +

V57 1967 Hours of Help from others - (estimated part from inside family unit) (1 x V57 if all from someone inside family unit, i.e., if V291 = 5; .5 x V57 if only part from someone inside family unit, i.e., V291 = 3) +

V63 1967 Hours of house work and work for money by others in FU - adjustment factor if someone other than Head or Wife included as a major adult) (Added in when hours of work by others, V72 = 0000, to avoid double counting)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
1	.02	0			Zero hours
4,801	99.98	1 - 14,940			Actual number of hours

**V336            "FOOD CONS/FOOD STD"**

**NUM(4.2)**

Ratio of Total 1967 Family Food Consumption to 1967 Family Food Standard

V334 Total 1967 Family Food Consumption / V31 1967 Family food standard - Orshansky (Low-cost plan for family of given size and age-sex composition)

Note that V31, Annual Food Standard (Needs), is in 1967 dollars.

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,799	99.94	.01 - 9.98			Actual ratio
3	.06	.00			Ratio of zero



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**V337 "HEAD HOURLY EARN"**

**NUM(5.2)**

1967 Hourly Earnings - HEAD

V74 1967 Income from Labor - HEAD /

V47 1967 Hours of Work for Money - HEAD

\* Coded 99.99 when V47 = 0000 (Did not work for money in 1967)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
3,924	81.72	.01 - 33.33			Actual amount
10	.21	.00			No hourly earnings
868	18.08	99.99			NA; Head did not work for money in 1967

**V338 "WIFE HOURLY EARN"**

**NUM(5.2)**

1967 Hourly Earnings - WIFE

V75 1967 Income from Labor - WIFE /

V53 1967 Hours of work for money - WIFE

\* Coded 99.99 when V53 = 0000 (Did not work for money in 1967)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
1,400	29.15	.01 - 21.33			Actual amount
7	.15	.00			No hourly earnings
3,395	70.70	99.99			NA; no Wife; Wife did not work for money in 1967

**V339 "BKT TOT MONEY Y"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V81 Total 1967 Family Money Income

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
26	.54	0			Less than \$500
127	2.64	1			\$500 - 999
497	10.35	2			\$1000 - 1999
512	10.66	3			\$2000 - 2999
504	10.50	4			\$3000 - 3999
428	8.91	5			\$4000 - 4999
1,008	20.99	6			\$5000 - 7499
652	13.58	7			\$7500 - 9999
706	14.70	8			\$10,000 - 14,999
342	7.12	9			\$15,000 or more

**V340 "BKT TOT REAL Y"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V322 Total Family Real Income

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
8	.17	0			Less than \$500
69	1.44	1			\$500 - 999

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409	8.52	2	\$1000 - 1999
531	11.06	3	\$2000 - 2999
486	10.12	4	\$3000 - 3999
454	9.45	5	\$4000 - 4999
983	20.47	6	\$5000 - 7499
669	13.93	7	\$7500 - 9999
768	15.99	8	\$10,000 - 14,999
425	8.85	9	\$15,000 or more

**V341 "BKT NET REAL Y" NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V323 Total Family Real Income Net of Costs of Earning Income

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
9	.19	0	Less than \$500
78	1.62	1	\$500 - 999
426	8.87	2	\$1000 - 1999
575	11.97	3	\$2000 - 2999
504	10.50	4	\$3000 - 3999
495	10.31	5	\$4000 - 4999
1,062	22.12	6	\$5000 - 7499
708	14.74	7	\$7500 - 9999
674	14.04	8	\$10,000 - 14,999
271	5.64	9	\$15,000 or more

**V342 "BK NET REAL Y-HSNG" NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V324 Total 1967 Family Real Income Net of Costs of Earning Income and Costs of Housing

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
120	2.50	0	Less than \$500
250	5.21	1	\$500 - 999
632	13.16	2	\$1000 - 1999
562	11.70	3	\$2000 - 2999
538	11.20	4	\$3000 - 3999
506	10.54	5	\$4000 - 4999
1,014	21.12	6	\$5000 - 7499
600	12.49	7	\$7500 - 9999
424	8.83	8	\$10,000 - 14,999
156	3.25	9	\$15,000 or more

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**V343 "BKT W-O MONEY Y"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V328 Family Well-offness Index Uses Orshansky Ratio

*Note that the computation of V328 uses V31, Annual Food Std (Needs), which is in 1967 dollars.*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
159	3.31	0	Less than \$1,000		
477	9.93	1	\$1000 - 1999		
615	12.81	2	\$2000 - 2999		
613	12.77	3	\$3000 - 3999		
532	11.08	4	\$4000 - 4999		
436	9.08	5	\$5000 - 5999		
516	10.75	6	\$6000 - 7499		
562	11.70	7	\$7500 - 9999		
580	12.08	8	\$10,000 - 14,999		
312	6.50	9	\$15,000 or more		

**V344 "BKT W-O REAL NET Y"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V329 Family Well-offness Index - Uses Ratio of Family Real Income Net of Cost of Earning Income to Annual Family Need Standard

*Note that the computation of V329 uses V31, Annual Food Std (Needs), which is in 1967 dollars.*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
123	2.56	0	Less than \$1,000		
427	8.89	1	\$1000 - 1999		
588	12.24	2	\$2000 - 2999		
630	13.12	3	\$3000 - 3999		
578	12.04	4	\$4000 - 4999		
463	9.64	5	\$5000 - 5999		
545	11.35	6	\$6000 - 7499		
622	12.95	7	\$7500 - 9999		
558	11.62	8	\$10,000 - 14,999		
268	5.58	9	\$15,000 or more		

**V345 "BKT W-O-HOUSING"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V330 Family Well-offness Index - Uses Ratio of Total 1967 Family Real Income Net of Costs of Earning Income and Net of Costs of Housing to Annual Family Food Standard

*Note that the computation of V330 uses V31, Annual Food Std (Needs), which is in 1967 dollars*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
285	5.94	0	Less than \$3000		

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615	12.81	1	\$3000 - 5999
617	12.85	2	\$6000 - 8999
627	13.06	3	\$9000 - 11,999
528	11.00	4	\$12,000 - 14,999
428	8.91	5	\$15,000 - 17,999
462	9.62	6	\$18,000 - 22,499
495	10.31	7	\$22,500 - 29,999
452	9.41	8	\$30,000 - 44,999
293	6.10	9	\$45,000 or more

**V346 "BKT CONTRACT PYMTS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V331 Total 1967 Family Contractual Payments

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
652	13.58	0	Less than \$500		
1,078	22.45	1	\$500 - 999		
1,639	34.13	2	\$1000 - 1999		
856	17.83	3	\$2000 - 2999		
375	7.81	4	\$3000 - 3999		
142	2.96	5	\$4000 - 4999		
54	1.12	6	\$5000 - 7499		
5	.10	7	\$7500 - 9999		
1	.02	8	\$10,000 - 14,999		
-	-	9	\$15,000 or more		

**V347 "BK TOTAL FIXED EXP"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V332 Total 1967 Family Fixed Expenditures

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
54	1.12	0	Less than \$500		
235	4.89	1	\$500 - 999		
790	16.45	2	\$1000 - 1999		
905	18.85	3	\$2000 - 2999		
904	18.83	4	\$3000 - 3999		
634	13.20	5	\$4000 - 4999		
900	18.74	6	\$5000 - 7499		
267	5.56	7	\$7500 - 9999		
91	1.90	8	\$10,000 - 14,999		
22	.46	9	\$15,000 or more		

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**V348 "BKT UNCOMMITTED Y"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V333 Total 1967 Family Uncommitted Money Income

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,091	22.72	0	Less than \$500
457	9.52	1	\$500 - 999
763	15.89	2	\$1000 - 1999
633	13.18	3	\$2000 - 2999
525	10.93	4	\$3000 - 3999
363	7.56	5	\$4000 - 4999
553	11.52	6	\$5000 - 7499
221	4.60	7	\$7500 - 9999
135	2.81	8	\$10,000 - 14,999
61	1.27	9	\$15,000 or more

**V349 "BK TOTAL FOOD CONS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V334 Total 1967 Family Food Consumption

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
255	5.31	0	None
919	19.14	1	\$1 - 499
2,202	45.86	2	\$500 - 999
1,086	22.62	3	\$1000 - 1999
249	5.19	4	\$2000 - 2999
63	1.31	5	\$3000 - 4999
28	.58	6	\$5000 - 7499
-	-	7	\$7500 - 9999
-	-	8	\$10,000 or more
-	-	9	NA

**V350 "BK TOT FAMILY WORK"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V335 Total 1967 Family Hours of Work (Work for money plus unpaid work)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
74	1.54	0	None
48	1.00	1	\$1 - 499
404	8.41	2	\$500 - 999
728	15.16	3	\$1000 - 1999
664	13.83	4	\$2000 - 2999
866	18.03	5	\$3000 - 4999

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1,791	37.30	6	\$5000 - 7499
198	4.12	7	\$7500 - 9999
29	.60	8	\$10,000 or more
-	-	9	NA

**V351 "FOR BKT 325, SEE V407"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V325 "Orshansky Ratio" (Full Detail Variant) Use V407

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
894	18.62	0	-99.95-00.74
983	20.47	1	00.75-01.24
808	16.83	2	01.25-01.74
575	11.97	3	01.75-02.24
943	19.64	4	02.25-03.74
476	9.91	5	03.75-06.24
89	1.85	6	06.25-09.74
25	.52	7	09.75-14.24
9	.19	8	14.25-99.98
-	-	9	NA

**V352 "FOR BKT 326, SEE V408"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V326 Ratio of Total 1967 Family Real Income Net of Cost of Earning Income to Annual Family Need Standard. Use V408

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
751	15.64	0	-99.95-00.74
1,062	22.12	1	00.75-01.24
872	18.16	2	01.25-01.74
612	12.74	3	01.75-02.24
1,007	20.97	4	02.25-03.74
410	8.54	5	03.75-06.24
71	1.48	6	06.25-09.74
14	.29	7	09.75-14.24
3	.06	8	14.25-99.98
-	-	9	NA

**V353 "FOR BKT 327, SEE V410"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V327 Ratio of Total 1967 Family Real Income Net of Cost of Earning Income and Net of Housing Costs to 1967 Family Food Standard. Use V410

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
182	3.79	0	-99.95-00.74

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263	5.48	1	00.75-01.24
357	7.43	2	01.25-01.74
354	7.37	3	01.75-02.24
1,013	21.10	4	02.25-03.74
1,164	24.24	5	03.75-06.24
814	16.95	6	06.25-09.74
391	8.14	7	09.75-14.24
264	5.50	8	14.25-99.98
-	-	9	NA

**V354 "BKT FD CONS/FD STD"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V336 Ratio of Total 1967 Family Food Consumption to 1967 Family Food Standard

*Note that the computation of V336 uses V31, Annual Food Std (Needs), which is in 1967 dollars*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u> <u>Value/Range</u> <u>Text</u>
383	7.98	0	-99.95-00.74
1,491	31.05	1	00.75-01.24
1,405	29.26	2	01.25-01.74
812	16.91	3	01.75-02.24
605	12.60	4	02.25-03.74
96	2.00	5	03.75-06.24
10	.21	6	06.25-09.74
-	-	7	09.75-14.24
-	-	8	14.25-99.98
-	-	9	NA

**V355 "BKT HEAD HRLY EARN"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V337 1967 Hourly Earnings - HEAD

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u> <u>Value/Range</u> <u>Text</u>
107	2.23	0	Less than \$0.50
324	6.75	1	\$0.50 - 0.99
556	11.58	2	\$1.00 - 1.49
575	11.97	3	\$1.50 - 1.99
498	10.37	4	\$2.00 - 2.49
443	9.23	5	\$2.50 - 2.99
687	14.31	6	\$3.00 - 3.99
537	11.18	7	\$4.00 - 5.99

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207	4.31	8	\$6.00 - 99.98
868	18.08	9	\$99.99, did not work

**V356 "BKT WIFE HRLY EARN" NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V338 1967 Hourly Earnings - WIFE

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
75	1.56	0	Less than \$0.50
214	4.46	1	\$0.50 - 0.99
336	7.00	2	\$1.00 - 1.49
269	5.60	3	\$1.50 - 1.99
194	4.04	4	\$2.00 - 2.49
134	2.79	5	\$2.50 - 2.99
89	1.85	6	\$3.00 - 3.99
67	1.40	7	\$4.00 - 5.99
29	.60	8	\$6.00 - 99.98
3,395	70.70	9	\$99.99, did not work

**V357 "LAG MARR-1ST CHILD" NUM(3.0)**

Difference between Age at Birth of First Child and Age at Marriage - HEAD

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
860	17.91	-57 - -1	Number of years before marriage that first child was born
764	15.91	0	Head had first child and married during the same year
2,933	61.08	1 - 45	Number of years after marriage that first child was born
-	-	98	Inap.: never married; never had any children
1	.02	99	NA whether currently married; NA when first marriage; NA whether had children; NA when first child was born
244	5.08	999	NA; DK

**V358 "BKT LAG MARR-CHILD" NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V357 Difference between Age at Birth of First Child and Age at First Marriage - HEAD

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
789	16.43	0	First child born 2 or more years BEFORE first marriage
2,017	42.00	1	First child 1 year before marriage to 1 year after marriage
621	12.93	2	First child 2 years after first marriage
287	5.98	3	First child 3 years after first marriage
170	3.54	4	First child 4 years after first marriage
133	2.77	5	First child 5 years after first marriage
85	1.77	6	First child 6 years after first marriage



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57	1.19	7	First child 7 years after first marriage
398	8.29	8	First child 8 or more years after first marriage
245	5.10	9	Never married or never had any children; NA whether currently married; NA when first married; NA whether had children; NA when first child was born

**V359 "RESERVE FUNDS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

WHETHER RESERVE FUNDS (Q. D6) Do you (FAMILY) have any savings, such as checking or savings accounts, or government bonds? (IF YES) (Q. D7) Would they amount to as much as two months' income or more? (Q. D8) (IF NO) Was there a time in the last five years when you had as much as two months' income saved up?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,902	39.61	1	Had savings in early 1968 that amounted to as much as two months' income or more ("Yes" to both D6 and D7)
497	10.35	2	Had savings in early 1968 that did not amount to as much as two months' income or more, but did in past ("Yes" to D6, "No" or "NA" to D7, and "Yes" to D8)
423	8.81	3	Had savings in the past five years that amounted to as much as two months' income or more but did not have any savings in early 1968 ("No" or "NA" to D6, and "Yes" to D8)
424	8.83	4	Had savings in early 1968, but did not amount to as much as two months' income or more, and never in the past five years had that much ("Yes" to D6 and "No" or "NA" to D7, and "No" or "NA" to D8)
1,425	29.68	5	Did not have any savings in early 1968, and never in the past five years had savings that amounted to as much as two months' income ("No" or "NA" to D6, and "No" to D8)
131	2.73	9	NA whether have any savings in early 1968; and NA whether had any savings in the past five years, or combinations other than 1-5 above

**V360 "SEX-MARITAL STATUS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Sex and Marital Status

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
387	8.06	1	Single man
1,293	26.93	2	Single woman
3,111	64.79	3	Married couple with Wife present
11	.23	9	NA

**V361 "REGION NOW"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. on V93 Region Where Family Lived at time of 1968 Interview

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
886	18.45	1	Northeast
1,181	24.59	2	North Central
1,948	40.57	3	South
787	16.39	4	West

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**V362 "REGION GREW UP"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V311 State or Country Where Head Grew Up Region Where Head of Family Grew Up

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
804	16.74	1	Northeast
1,087	22.64	2	North Central
2,263	47.13	3	South
371	7.73	4	West
-	-	5	Alaska, Hawaii
-	-	6	All foreign countries
277	5.77	9	NA region where 1967 Head grew up

**V363 "GEO. MOBILITY"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Geographic Mobility of Head of Family (Whether now lives in different state and/or region than where grew up)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,980	62.06	0	Lives in same state where grew up (V93 EQ V311)
602	12.54	1	Lives in same region but different state (V361 EQ V362, and V93 NE V311)
1,176	24.49	2	Lives in both a different state and different region from where grew up (V361 NE V362)
44	.92	9	Region where grew up NA

**V364 "AV ACC OF DOLLARY"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. Average Accuracy of 1967 Income Information - FAMILY

*This variable is a bracket code of the simple average of V85-V91, whose code values are as follows:*

*0=no assignment*

*1=minor assignment*

*2=major assignment, i.e., probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of amount assigned (whichever is greater)*

*5=estimate not accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967, i.e., mortgage incurred in 1968; married in 1968, etc.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,216	87.80	0	No assignment
1	.02	1	Less than .05
-	-	2	.05-.09
239	4.98	3	.10-.19
219	4.56	4	.20-.29
31	.65	5	.30-.49
71	1.48	6	.50-.74
20	.42	7	.75-.99
5	.10	8	1.00-1.99

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- - 9 2.00 or higher

**V365 "AV ACC OF FINANCES"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. Average Accuracy of 1967 Financial Information Other than Income -- FAMILY

*This variable is a bracket code of the simple average of V7, V9, V11, V13, V15, V19, V21, V23, V29, V34, V36, V38, V319, and V321, whose code values are as follows:*

0=no assignment

1=minor assignment

2=major assignment, i.e., probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of amount assigned (whichever is greater)

3=complex property - the reported house value included farm or business property, but imputed rent and housing payments were computed on the basis of the estimated portion of property used for housing

5=estimate not accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,676	76.55	0	No assignment
-	-	1	Less than .05
558	11.62	2	.05-.09
206	4.29	3	.10-.19
173	3.60	4	.20-.29
141	2.94	5	.30-.49
24	.50	6	.50-.74
17	.35	7	.75-.99
7	.15	8	1.00-1.99
-	-	9	2.00 or higher

**V366 "AV ACC OF HOURS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. Average Accuracy of Hours Variables - FAMILY

*This variable is a bracket code of the simple average of V27, V48, V50, V52, V54, V56, V58, V60, V62, V64, V66, V68, and V70, whose code values are as follows:*

0=no assignment

1=minor assignment

2=major assignment, i.e., probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of amount assigned (whichever is greater)

4=work done by someone other than head or wife

5=estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,245	67.58	0	No assignment
1	.02	1	Less than .05
708	14.74	2	.05-.09
476	9.91	3	.10-.19
181	3.77	4	.20-.29
159	3.31	5	.30-.49
29	.60	6	.50-.74

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2	.04	7	.75-.99
1	.02	8	1.00-1.99
-	-	9	2.00 or higher

**V367 "AV ACC NONDOLLARY"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Items

*This variable is a bracket code of the simple average of V17, V25, V40, V42, V44, and V46 whose code values are as follows:*

*0=no assignment*

*1=minor assignment*

*2=major assignment, i.e., probable error of greater than \$300 or 10 percent of amount assigned (whichever is greater)*

*4=work done by someone other than head or wife*

*5=estimate not an accurate reflection of income or payments in 1967*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,639	75.78	0	No assignment
-	-	1	Less than .05
-	-	2	.05-.09
925	19.26	3	.10-.19
-	-	4	.20-.29
177	3.69	5	.30-.49
48	1.00	6	.50-.74
8	.17	7	.75-.99
4	.08	8	1.00-1.99
1	.02	9	2.00 or higher

**V368 "BKT AGE OF HEAD"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V117 Age of Head of Family

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
462	9.62	1	Under 25
979	20.39	2	25 - 34
1,126	23.45	3	35 - 44
989	20.60	4	45 - 54
707	14.72	5	55 - 64
358	7.46	6	65 - 74
178	3.71	7	75 or older
3	.06	9	NA

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**V369 "BKT AGE OF WIFE" NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V118 Age of Wife of Head of Family

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,719	35.80	0	Inap.: no Wife
454	9.45	1	Under 25
752	15.66	2	25 - 34
807	16.81	3	35 - 44
553	11.52	4	45 - 54
330	6.87	5	55 - 64
150	3.12	6	65 - 74
33	.69	7	75 or older
4	.08	9	NA

**V370 "MEAN AGE OF COUPLE" NUM(2.0)**

Average Age of Head and Wife (In Years)

*This Variable is the simple average of V117 (age of Head), V118 (age of Wife). If V118 = 00 (no wife), age of Head is recorded again.*

*Average age of head and wife=36; or no wife present, and head is 36 years old.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,799	99.94	9 - 88	Average Age of Head and Wife
3	.06	99	NA; Head or Wife Age is unknown

**V371 "BKT AGE OF COUPLE" NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V370 Average Age of Head and Wife

*(Do not use this code where there is NO wife.)*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3	.06	0	Inap.: no Wife
1,297	27.01	1	Under 25
1,269	26.43	2	25 - 34
995	20.72	3	35 - 44
609	12.68	4	45 - 54
398	8.29	5	55 - 64
178	3.71	6	65 - 74
53	1.10	7	75 or older
-	-	9	NA

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**V372 "BK COUPLE AGE DIF"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. on Difference in Age between Head and Wife

*V117 (Age of Head) minus V118 (Age of Wife)*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
16	.33	0	(-98 to -10)	husband is 10 or more years younger than wife	
69	1.44	1	(-9 to -5)	husband is between 5 and 9 years younger than wife	
149	3.10	2	(-4 to -2)	husband is between 2 and 4 years younger than wife	
165	3.44	3	(-1)	husband is 1 year younger than wife	
315	6.56	4	(0)	husband and wife are the same age	
369	7.68	5	(+1)	husband 1 year older than wife	
1,051	21.89	6	(+2 to +4)	husband 2 to 4 years older than wife	
654	13.62	7	(+5 to +9)	husband 5 to 9 years older than wife	
277	5.77	8	(+10 to +19)	husband 10 to 19 years older than wife	
1,737	36.17	9	(+20 to +99)	husband 20 or more years older than wife; or no wife	

**V373 "VALUE/ROOM"**

**NUM(5.0)**

Average Value Per Room in Dwelling Unit

*For Homeowners: V5 House Value / V102 Number of rooms in DU*

*\*For Renters: 10 x V11 Annual Rent / V102 Number of rooms in DU*

*\*For those who neither own nor rent: 10 x V12 Rental Value / V102 Number of rooms in DU*

*xxxx. Coded in Dollars*

*\*(Calculated value assumes that value of DU is approximately 10 times its annual rental value)*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
5	.10	0	Actual average value of \$0		
4,734	98.58	1 - 30,000	Actual average value		
63	1.31	99,999	NA		

**V374 "BKT VALUE/ROOM"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. V373 Average Value per Room in Dwelling Unit

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
211	4.39	1	Less than \$500		
437	9.10	2	\$500 - 999		
1,585	33.01	3	\$1000 - 1999		
1,100	22.91	4	\$2000 - 2999		

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722	15.04	5	\$3000 - 3999
342	7.12	6	\$4000 - 4999
256	5.33	7	\$5000 - 7499
86	1.79	8	\$7500 to 99,998
63	1.31	9	NA

**V375 "BKT VALUE OF CARS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Brackets on Value of All Cars Owned (V145)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
1,494	31.11	0	Family owns no cars		
1,349	28.09	1	Less than \$500		
595	12.39	2	\$500 - 999		
867	18.05	3	\$1000 - 1999		
329	6.85	4	\$2000 - 2999		
89	1.85	5	\$3000 - 3999		
39	.81	6	\$4000 - 4999		
20	.42	7	\$5000 - 7999		
1	.02	8	\$8000 - 9998		
19	.40	9	NA		

**V376 "BKT WORD-PICTURE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Number correct Word-to-picture test (V195)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
14	.29	0	0 - 5		
66	1.37	1	6 - 9		
71	1.48	2	10 - 11		
73	1.52	3	12		
98	2.04	4	13		
102	2.12	5	14 (all correct)		
4,378	91.17	9	Refused to take test or did not take for some other reason (99); or test not assigned to family (98)		

**V377 "BKT EARN ELSEWHERE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. Annual Head Might Earn Per Hour an Another Job (V210)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,157	86.57	0	Inap.: question not asked		
7	.15	1	\$0.01 - 0.99		
13	.27	2	\$1.00 - 1.49		
43	.90	3	\$1.50 - 1.99		

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49	1.02	4	\$2.00 - 2.49
69	1.44	5	\$2.50 - 2.99
123	2.56	6	\$3.00 - 3.99
119	2.48	7	\$4.00 - 5.99
89	1.85	8	\$6.00 or more
133	2.77	9	NA

**V378 "BKT PAY REFUSED"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. Hourly Wage of Jobs Not Worth Taking Head (V238)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,534	94.42		0	Inap.:	question not asked
32	.67		1	\$0.01 - 0.99	
57	1.19		2	\$1.00 - 1.49	
27	.56		3	\$1.50 - 1.99	
6	.12		4	\$2.00 - 2.49	
3	.06		5	\$2.50 - 2.99	
2	.04		6	\$3.00 - 3.99	
2	.04		7	\$4.00 - 5.99	
-	-		8	\$6.00 or more	
139	2.89		9	NA	

**V379 "AGE AT MARRIAGE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. Age When Head of Family Married (V240)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
416	8.66		0	Inap.:	not married
128	2.67		1	Under 16	
328	6.83		2	16 - 17	
731	15.22		3	18 - 19	
893	18.60		4	20 - 21	
1,172	24.41		5	22 - 25	
609	12.68		6	26 - 30	
284	5.91		7	31 - 39	
79	1.65		8	40 or older	
162	3.37		9	NA	



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**V380 "AGE AT 1ST BIRTH"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. Age of Head at Birth of First Child (V138)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
856	17.83	0	Inap.: no children
98	2.04	1	Under 16
220	4.58	2	16 - 17
466	9.70	3	18 - 19
608	12.66	4	20 - 21
1,146	23.87	5	22 - 25
794	16.53	6	26 - 30
414	8.62	7	31 - 39
101	2.10	8	40 or older
99	2.06	9	NA

**V381 "ACTUAL-REQD ROOMS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Actual Minus Required Rooms for Family of This Size, Age and Sex Composition (V102, V124)

*Because missing data are possible, the maximum non-missing value for actual number of rooms is 8. Required number of rooms does not have missing data, so its maximum value is 9. Therefore, the range for this variable is -8 to +7.*

*Number of rooms in dwelling unit minus number of rooms required for a family of given composition plus three.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
82	1.71	0	-3 or less (DU has 3 fewer rooms than required number)
129	2.69	1	-2
363	7.56	2	-1
737	15.35	3	0 (actual number of rooms equals required number)
1,136	23.66	4	+1
993	20.68	5	+2
706	14.70	6	+3
381	7.93	7	+4
214	4.46	8	+5 or more
61	1.27	9	NA

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**V382 "PERSON PER ROOM"**

**NUM(3.1)**

Persons Per Room

*The formula used for creation of this variable is as follows:*

*Number of Persons in Family (V30)/Number of Rooms in Dwelling (V102)*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,739	98.69	.1 - 9.7	Actual number of people per room
2	.04	9.8	Family has no room of its own
61	1.27	9.9	NA

**V383 "RACE AND SEX"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Race and Sex of Head

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,461	51.25	0	White male
997	20.76	1	Nonwhite male
636	13.24	2	White female
708	14.74	3	Nonwhite female

**V384 "EMPLOYMENT PROBS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Employment Problems of Head

*One point for each of these:*

*Lost his previous job (V201 = 1 - 3)*

*Had more than five employers in last 10 years (V203 = 6 - 8)*

*Turned down a job rather than move (V205 = 1)*

*Serious illness or accident in last 3 years (V215 = 1 - 2)*

*Serious unemployment in last 3 years (V219 = 1 - 2)*

*Would have trouble getting another job, for explicit reasons (V214 = 1)*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,689	35.17	0	No points
1,201	25.01	1	One point
943	19.64	2	Two points
698	14.54	3	Three points
201	4.19	4	Four points
59	1.23	5	Five points
8	.17	6	Six points
3	.06	7	Seven points

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**V385 "BACKGROUND PROBS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Background Problems of Head

One point for each of these:

Grew up on a farm (V312 = 1)

Completed less than 6 grades, and has difficulty reading (V313 = 0)

Parents were poor (V317 = 1)

Age <20 at birth of first child (V380 = 1 - 3)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,016	21.16	0	No points
1,939	40.38	1	One point
1,409	29.34	2	Two points
403	8.39	3	Three points
35	.73	4	Four points

**V386 "CURRENT HANDICAPS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Current Handicaps of Head

One point for each of these:

This code has values from 0 through 8. No additional points have been given for MORE dependents, or more SERIOUS disabilities, or EXTREME incoherence, since they are so rare.

No reading matter visible in DU to interviewer (V184 = 5)

Many (6 or more) questions had to be repeated (V185 = 3 - 5)

Many (6 or more) answers had to be repeated (V186 = 3 - 5)

Head has disfigurements or dysfunctional habits (V187 = 1)

Family lives 30 miles or more from the nearest city of 50,000 or more (V189 = 4 - 5)

Head has disabilities that limit work (V216 = 1 - 3)

Head has dependents outside his DU (V278 = 1 - 5)

Family has relatives they might have to help more (V279 = 1)

NOTE: This code has values from 0 through 8. No additional points have been given for more dependents, or more serious disabilities, or extreme incoherence, since they are so rare

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,175	24.47	0	No points
1,676	34.90	1	One point
1,040	21.66	2	Two points
565	11.77	3	Three points

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240	5.00	4	Four points
86	1.79	5	Five points
17	.35	6	Six points
3	.06	7	Seven points
-	-	8	Eight points

**V387 "NEIGHBORHOOD & HOUSE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Housing Quality (Dwelling Unit and Neighborhood)

One point for each of these:

See V418 for a revised version of this variable

Family owns its own home (V103 = 1)

Family does not share dwelling with another family (V114 = 1, 2, 5 - 7)

Family owns car or causes no difficulties not to have a car (V140 = 1 or 5)

DU is less than 15 miles from center of city of 50,000 or more (but not within 5 miles of center) (V189 = 2)

Live in a single family house (V190 = 1)

Neighborhood contains only single family houses (V192 = 2)

Interviewer noted no housing defects (V194 = 5)

House value (or 10 times annual rent) equals \$2000 or more per room (V374 = 4 - 8)

Number of rooms equal to or greater than number required (V381 = 4 - 9)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1	.02	0	No points
19	.40	1	One point
90	1.87	2	Two points
377	7.85	3	Three points
672	13.99	4	Four points
899	18.72	5	Five points
861	17.93	6	Six points
733	15.26	7	Seven points
801	16.68	8	Eight points
349	7.27	9	Nine points

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**V388 "SENSE OF EFFICACY"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Sense of Efficacy

See V419 for a revised version of this variable.

Not unsure life would work out (V295 = 1, 2, 3, 9) or

Sure life would work out (V295 = 1 - 2)

Some planning (V296 = 1, 2, 3, 9) or

Plans ahead (V296 = 1 - 2)

Doesn't fail to carry out things (V297 = 1, 2, 3, 9) or

Get to carry out things as expected (V297 = 1 - 2)

Not dissatisfied with self (V302 = 1, 2, 3, 9) or

Satisfied with self (V302 = 1 - 2)

No limitations seen for self (V303 = 3, 5, 9)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
193	4.02	0	No points
121	2.52	1	One point
449	9.35	2	Two points
403	8.39	3	Three points
561	11.68	4	Four points
734	15.29	5	Five points
598	12.45	6	Six points
709	14.76	7	Seven points
460	9.58	8	Eight points
574	11.95	9	Nine points

**V389 "TRUST IN OTHERS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Trust in Others

See V420 for a revised version of this variable.

One point for each of these:

Neither likes nor dislikes a job where told what to do (V213 = 2 - 4, 9)

Would not have trouble getting another job (V214 = 5)

Is not concerned with what others think (V305 = 0 - 2)

Trusts other people (V306 = 0 - 2)

Thinks life of average man is getting better (V309 = 0 - 2)

Thinks there are not many who have things they don't deserve (V310 = 4, 5)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
94	1.96	0	No points

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517	10.77	1	One point
832	17.33	2	Two points
1,243	25.89	3	Three points
1,216	25.32	4	Four points
688	14.33	5	Five points
212	4.41	6	Six points

**V390 "ASPIRATIONS EXPRD"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Ambition (Verbal Aspiration Expressed)

See V423 for a revised version of this variable.

One point for each of these:

Plans to move (purposive move) (V112 = 1 - 3)

Has high educational aspirations for children (V137 = 1 - 3)

Says it is important to make own decisions on a job (V199 = 1 - 2)

Is willing to move for even a moderately better job (V207 = 1 - 3)

Has plans to try for a new job (V208 = 1)

Doesn't like a job where told what to do (V213 = 4 - 5)

Wanted to work more hours than did (V231 = 1) or

Did not want to work fewer hours than did (neutralizes the Inaps.) (V233 NE 1)

Expects things to happen for better (V277 = 1)

Likes to do things difficult or challenging (V299 = 1, 2)

Would rather have a job with good chance for making more, even if don't like it (V301 = 4, 5)

Spends time figuring out ways to get more money (V307 = 4, 5)

Might earn reasonably more on new job (\$0.50 to \$3.00 more) (V210)

Values greater than 9 truncated to equal 9

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1	.02	0	No points
347	7.23	1	One point
586	12.20	2	Two points
742	15.45	3	Three points
868	18.08	4	Four points
855	17.81	5	Five points
624	12.99	6	Six points

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416	8.66	7	Seven points
212	4.41	8	Eight points
151	3.14	9	Nine or more points

**V391 "HORIZON EXPRESSED"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Expressed Horizon

*Is sure whether will or will not move (V111 = 1, 2, 4, 5)*

*Has explicit plans for children's education (V137 = 1 - 5; add 2) or No children in school (neutralize these) (V137 = 0; add 1)*

*Has plans for an explicit kind of new job (V209 = 1 - 2)*

*Knows what kind of training new job requires (and it requires it) (V211 = 2)*

*Has explicit family plans (V248 = 1, 5, 6)*

*Mentions things that will happen to change (for better or worse) (V277 = 1 or 8)*

*Has substantial savings relative to income (V359 = 1 - 2)*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1	.02	0	No points
63	1.31	1	One point
296	6.16	2	Two points
1,015	21.14	3	Three points
1,666	34.69	4	Four points
1,001	20.85	5	Five points
573	11.93	6	Six points
155	3.23	7	Seven points
27	.56	8	Eight points
5	.10	9	Nine points

**V392 "HORIZON SELF-REPRT"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Self-Reported Horizon

*Doesn't live from day to day (V296 = 1, 2, 3, 9) or Plans ahead (V296 = 1, 2)*

*Plans do not abort (V297 = 1, 2, 3, 9) or Get to carry out plans (V297 = 1, 2)*

*Wouldn't rather spend it today (V00 = 3 or higher) or Would rather save for future (V300 = 4, 5)*

*Does not just take things as they come (V308 = 1, 2, 3, 9) or Thinks about things that may happen (V308 = 1, 2)*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
410	8.54	0	No points

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208	4.33	1 One point
866	18.03	2 Two points
378	7.87	3 Three points
1,053	21.93	4 Four points
409	8.52	5 Five points
810	16.87	6 Six points
276	5.75	7 Seven points
392	8.16	8 Eight points

## V393 "CONNECTED TO HELP"

NUM(1.0)

Connectedness to Potential Sources of Help

*Went to a PTA meeting, within last year (V136 = 1 - 2) or  
Neutralize those with no children in school (V136 = 0, 1, 2)*

*Attends church once a month or more (V284 = 2 - 5)*

*Watches television a lot (more than 1 hour per day) (V286 = 2 - 8)*

*Reads a newspaper once a week or more (V287 = 3 - 5)*

*Knows two or more neighbors by name (V288 = 2 - 8)*

*Knows six or more neighbors by name (V288 = 6 - 8)*

*Has relatives within walking distance of DU (V289 = 1)*

*Goes to organizations once a month or more (V292 = 2 - 5)*

*Goes to bar or tavern once a month or more (V293 = 2 - 5)*

*Belongs to a labor union and pays dues (V294 = 2 - 8)*

*Values greater than 9 truncated to 9*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
10	.21	0	No points
41	.85	1	One point
132	2.75	2	Two points
315	6.56	3	Three points
597	12.43	4	Four points
936	19.49	5	Five points
1,098	22.87	6	Six points
921	19.18	7	Seven points
499	10.39	8	Eight points
253	5.27	9	Nine or more points



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**V394 "MONEY EARNING ACTS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Money Earning Acts (Current Money Earning Behaviors)

Head works more than 2,000 hours (V47 > or = 2000)

Wife works more than 1,00 hours (V53 > or = 1000)

Neutralize: No wife, or children under 4 (V239 > 1 -- no wife) or (V120 = 1 - 3 --child under 4)

Head self-employed and/or owns a business (V198 = 2 - 3 or V250 < 5)

Moved to get a better job (V204 = 1)

Has done something about a better job (V212 = 1 - 3)

If Employed:

Head seldom or never late for work (V217 = 3 - 5) or

Head rarely or never fails to go to work when not sick (V218 = 4 - 5) or

Head has extra jobs (or ways of making money) (V227 = 1, 3, 4)

If Unemployed or Retired:

Has name in several places for a job (V235 = 2 - 4) or

Has applied to 2 or more places in last 2 weeks (V236 = 2 - 4) or Low reservation price: no jobs not worth taking, or they pay less than \$1.50 per hour (V238 < 150)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
13	.27	0	No points
394	8.20	1	One point
810	16.87	2	Two points
464	9.66	3	Three points
1,075	22.39	4	Four points
1,099	22.89	5	Five points
668	13.91	6	Six points
213	4.44	7	Seven points
57	1.19	8	Eight points
9	.19	9	Nine points

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V395 "REAL EARNING ACTS"

NUM(1.0)

Real Earning Acts (non-money, or investment for future)

Saved more than \$100 doing own additions and repairs (V16 > 0100, add 2; V16 < 0100, add 1)

Saved more than \$100 by growing own food (V39 > 100)

Saved more than \$100 by sewing (V41 > 100)

Spends time on other productive activities (V280 = 4 - 5)

Spends time on other productive activities (V281 = 4 - 5)

Taking courses or lessons with earning possibilities (V285=3-5)

Saved more than \$100 on car repairs (V24 > 100; add 2)

Neutralize non-owners (V143 = 0; add 1)

COMMENT: The above items were made into a separate index from the income increasing behaviors more directly related to regular jobs, because they may actually be substitutes for increasing money earnings by working more on the main job

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
747	15.56	0	No	points	
1,290	26.86	1	One	point	
1,633	34.01	2	Two	points	
699	14.56	3	Three	points	
295	6.14	4	Four	points	
103	2.14	5	Five	points	
28	.58	6	Six	points	
6	.12	7	Seven	points	
1	.02	8	Eight	points	

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V396 "ECONOMIZING"

NUM(1.0)

Economizing

Received free help from others inside or outside the house for more than 100 hours (V57 > 100)

Does not own a recent year model car (1966 - 68) (V144 NE 66, 67, 68)

Spends less than \$150/year on alcohol (V33 < \$150)

Spends less than \$150/year on cigarettes (V35 < \$150)

Eat out less than once a week (V162 < 2)

Reports special ways of keeping food bill down (V171 NE 0) (V172 NE 0)

Family eats together most or all the time (V174 = 3 - 4)

Report special ways of saving on clothing (V175 NE 0) (V176 NE 0)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
12	.25	0	No points
69	1.44	1	One point
193	4.02	2	Two points
488	10.16	3	Three points
871	18.14	4	Four points
909	18.93	5	Five points
880	18.33	6	Six points
744	15.49	7	Seven points
492	10.25	8	Eight points
144	3.00	9	Nine points

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**V397 "RISK AVOIDANCE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Risk Avoidance

At least one car in good condition (V146 = 1) or

Worst car not in poor condition (also neutralizes non-owners) (V147 NE 5)

All cars insured (V149 = 1) or

Has no uninsured car (neutralizes non-owners who get a point) (V149 NE 3 - 5)

Head has seat belts fastened all the time (V153 = 1; add 2) or

Head has seat belts fastened part of the time (V153 = 3; add 1) or

Neutralize the non-owners (V152 = 0; add 1)

Head insured, or family can get free medical care (V158 = 1 - 3, 5, 7)

Family does not smoke more than 17 cigarettes a day (V169 = 0 - 2)

Family has some savings (V359 = 1, 2, or 4)

Values greater than 9 truncated to 9

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4	.08	0	No points
47	.98	1	One point
110	2.29	2	Two points
184	3.83	3	Three points
739	15.39	4	Four points
1,177	24.51	5	Five points
1,113	23.18	6	Six points
811	16.89	7	Seven points
450	9.37	8	Eight points
167	3.48	9	Nine or more points

**V398 "NUMBER OF CHILDREN"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Number of Children Under 18 Living with Family

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,981	41.25	0	None
695	14.47	1	One
704	14.66	2	Two
560	11.66	3	Three
312	6.50	4	Four
223	4.64	5	Five
159	3.31	6	Six
79	1.65	7	Seven
37	.77	8	Eight

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9 Nine or more

**V399 "SSA ECONOMY FX.7"**

**NUM(5.2)**

Ratio of Family Money Income to Family Money Needs: SSA Economy Level (70% Farm Family Cutoffs)

*This Social Security Administration definition is based on the economy level food budget, which was the same definition that was applied to the 1967 CPS data. The cutoffs are unaltered even to take account of price changes. Economies of scale are related to family size, although the definition assumes that the marginal cost for additional family members beyond 7 is zero. Incorporated in the definition are adjustments for the sex of the head and the ages of family members. For farm families, those whose heads indicate that farming is their first or second job, the cutoff is .7 x nonfarm values.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,795	99.85	.01 - 37.44	Actual ratio
7	.15	.00	Ratio of zero

**V400 "SSA ECONOMY FX.8"**

**NUM(5.2)**

Ratio of Family Money Income to Family Money Needs: SSA Economy Level (80% Farm Family Cutoffs)

*This variable is identical to V399 except that the cutoff for farm families is .8 x non-farm values.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,795	99.85	.01 - 32.73	Actual ratio
7	.15	.00	Ratio of zero

**V401 "SSA LOW COST FX.7"**

**NUM(5.2)**

Ratio of Family Money Income to Family Money Needs: SSA Low-Cost Level (70% Farm Family Cutoffs)

*This definition is identical in structure to V399, but allows a higher money need per person. In contrast to the economy-level definitions (V399 - 400), the cutoffs here have been adjusted upward from the 1967 level to reflect price changes. The cutoff for farm families is .7 x nonfarm values.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,794	99.83	.03 - 28.04	Actual ratio
8	.17	.00	Ratio of zero

**V402 "SSA LOW COST FX.8"**

**NUM(5.2)**

Ratio of Family Money Income to Family Money Needs: SSA Low-Cost Level (80% Farm Family Cutoffs)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,794	99.83	.01 - 24.51	Actual ratio
8	.17	.00	Ratio of zero

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**V403 "SSA MOD ECON FX.7"**

**NUM(5.2)**

Ratio of Family Money Income to Family Money Needs Modified SSA Economy Level (70% Farm Family Cutoffs)

*This definition differs in two ways from V399. First, it rests on a 1965 food expenditures survey and, second, it assumes that the marginal cost of additional family members becomes zero after the 11th member, rather than the 7th. There are a larger number of poor when this definition is used because the extension of the range in which family members have a positive marginal cost, and because of the higher cutoffs resulting from the 1965 food expenditure survey, which showed the ratio of food expenditure to total needs to be less than 1/3, the ratio developed from the 1955 survey.*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,794	99.83	.01 - 36.19			Actual ratio
8	.17	.00			Ratio of zero

**V404 "SSA MOD ECON FX.8"**

**NUM(5.2)**

Ratio of Family Money Income to Family Money Needs Modified SSA Economy Level (80% Farm Family Cutoffs)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,794	99.83	.01 - 31.64			Actual ratio
8	.17	.00			Ratio of zero

**V405 "SSA MOD LO FX.7"**

**NUM(5.2)**

Ratio of Family Money Income to Family Money Needs Modified SSA Low-Cost Level (70% Farm Family Cutoffs)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,794	99.83	.01 - 28.85			Actual ratio
8	.17	.00			Ratio of zero

**V406 "SSA MOD LO FX.8"**

**NUM(5.2)**

Ratio of Family Money Income to Family Money Needs Modified SSA Low-Cost Level (80% Farm Family Cutoffs)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,794	99.83	.01 - 25.21			Actual ratio
8	.17	.00			Ratio of zero

**V407 "BKT MONEY Y/NEEDS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. on V325: "Orshansky Ratio"

*Note that the computation of V325 uses V31, Annual Food Std (Needs), which is in 1967 dollars.*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
216	4.50	0			Less than .40
800	16.66	1		.40 - .79	
768	15.99	2		.80 - 1.19	
690	14.37	3		1.20 - 1.59	
531	11.06	4		1.60 - 1.99	

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378	7.87	5	2.00 - 2.39
437	9.10	6	2.40 - 2.99
481	10.02	7	3.00 - 3.99
366	7.62	8	4.00 - 5.99
135	2.81	9	6.00 or higher

**V408 "BKT NET Y/NEEDS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. on V326: Ratio of Total 1967 Family Real Income Net of Cost of Earning Income to Annual Family Need Standard

*Note that the computation of V326 uses V31, Annual Food Std (Needs), which is in 1967 dollars.*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
158	3.29	0	Less than	.40	
704	14.66	1	.40 -	.79	
859	17.89	2	.80 -	1.19	
731	15.22	3	1.20 -	1.59	
572	11.91	4	1.60 -	1.99	
422	8.79	5	2.00 -	2.39	
457	9.52	6	2.40 -	2.99	
496	10.33	7	3.00 -	3.99	
297	6.18	8	4.00 -	5.99	
106	2.21	9	6.00 or higher		

**V409 "BKT SSA ECON FX.7"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. on V399: Ratio of Family Money Income to Family Money Needs: SSA Economy Level (70% Farm Family Cutoffs)

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
155	3.23	0	Less than	.40	
595	12.39	1	.40 -	.79	
723	15.06	2	.80 -	1.19	
571	11.89	3	1.20 -	1.59	
544	11.33	4	1.60 -	1.99	
435	9.06	5	2.00 -	2.39	
460	9.58	6	2.40 -	2.99	
520	10.83	7	3.00 -	3.99	
538	11.20	8	4.00 -	5.99	
261	5.44	9	6.00 or higher		

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**V410 "BKT NET Y-H/FOOD"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. on 8V327: Ratio of Total 1967 Family Real Income Net of Cost of Earning Income and Net of Housing Costs to 1967 Family Food Standard

*Note that the computation of V327 uses V31, Annual Food Std (Needs), which is in 1967 dollars.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
278	5.79	0	-9.99 - 0.99
711	14.81	1	1.00 - 1.99
661	13.77	2	2.00 - 2.99
678	14.12	3	3.00 - 3.99
561	11.68	4	4.00 - 4.99
364	7.58	5	5.00 - 5.99
438	9.12	6	6.00 - 7.49
496	10.33	7	7.50 - 9.99
392	8.16	8	10.00 - 14.99
223	4.64	9	15.00 or higher

**V411 "BKT PERSONS/ROOM"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. on 8V382: Persons per Room

*Variables 412 - 417 are employment and income characteristics of the county in which the family was interviewed in 1968. The value of each variable is a constant for everyone in that county. Data from variables 412 - 414 are derived from questionnaires sent to one state unemployment compensation commissioners, asking them about the sample counties in their state.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
259	5.39	0	Under 0.3
1,036	21.57	1	0.3 - 0.4
844	17.58	2	0.5 - 0.6
947	19.72	3	0.7 - 0.8
933	19.43	4	0.9 - 1.2
425	8.85	5	1.3 - 1.6
196	4.08	6	1.7 - 2.0
83	1.73	7	2.1 - 3.0
18	.37	8	3.1 - 9.8
61	1.27	9	9.9 or higher; NA



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**V412 "UNSKILL TEMP LABOR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Whether Surplus or Shortage of Unskilled Temporary Labor in County

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
129	2.69		1		Many more jobs than there are applicants
797	16.60		2		More jobs than applicants
777	16.18		3		Most people are able to find jobs
1,776	36.98		4		A number of unskilled workers unable to find jobs
1,323	27.55		5		Many unskilled workers unable to find jobs
-	-		9		NA

**V413 "TYPICAL WAGE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Average hourly wage in county for unskilled temporary labor

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
559	11.64		1		Under \$1.50
3,260	67.89		2		\$1.50 - 1.99
525	10.93		3		\$2.00 - 2.49
280	5.83		4		\$2.50 - 2.99
178	3.71		5		\$3.00 - 4.00
-	-		9		NA

**V414 "UNEMPLOY RATE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

County Unemployment Rate, Spring 1968

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
382	7.96		1		Under 2%
2,648	55.14		2		2 - 3.9%
1,364	28.40		3		4 - 5.9%
327	6.81		4		6 - 10%
81	1.69		5		Over 10%
-	-		9		NA

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**V415 "PUBLIC WELFARE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Public Welfare, 1962 Per Capita Expenditure in County - (In Dollars). CENSUS OF GOVERNMENTS 1962, Summary - Table 28

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
607	12.64	1	00.00 - 00.41		
487	10.14	2	00.42 - 01.09		
361	7.52	3	01.10 - 02.79		
505	10.52	4	02.80 - 04.99		
590	12.29	5	05.00 - 08.99		
852	17.74	6	09.00 - 15.99		
620	12.91	7	16.00 - 29.99		
780	16.24	8	30.00 - 79.99		
-	-	9	NA		

**V416 "SCHOOL EXPENDITURE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Per Student Public 1962 Public School Expenditures in County (dollars per year). CENSUS OF GOVERNMENTS, Summary - Table 28

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
489	10.18	1	100 - 179		
192	4.00	2	180 - 219		
598	12.45	3	220 - 254		
730	15.20	4	255 - 285		
408	8.50	5	286 - 309		
173	3.60	6	310 - 319		
520	10.83	7	320 - 344		
667	13.89	8	345 - 389		
1,025	21.35	9	390 - 599		

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**V417 "P CHANGE IN EMPLOY"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Percent Employment Change in County, 1962-1967, County Business Patterns, Summary Tables  
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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
566	11.79	1	-20 - 11		
636	13.24	2	12 - 16		
1,092	22.74	3	17 - 22		
508	10.58	4	23 - 26		
710	14.79	5	27 - 31		
399	8.31	6	32 - 36		
525	10.93	7	37 - 61		
366	7.62	8	62 - 200		
-	-	9	NA		

**V418 "R68 HOUSING QUAL"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Housing and Neighborhood Quality Redone (Revised V387)

*Owns home V103 = 1*

*Lives 5-30 miles from center of city of 50,000 or more V189 = 2, 3*

*Single Family home V190 = 1*

*Neighborhood of Single Family Houses V192 = 2*

*Value per room Value - (10 x rent for non-owners) > 2000 V374=4-8*

*Actual - Required rooms V381 = 5 - 9*

*No visible defects V194 = 5*

*OMITS: Car Lack Felt Share  
Dwelling (Hard to Determine)*

*Changes: Distance to Center, Surplus of Rooms*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
90	1.87	0	No points		
375	7.81	1	One point		
903	18.80	2	Two points		
863	17.97	3	Three points		
729	15.18	4	Four points		
715	14.89	5	Five points		

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688	14.33	6	Six points
439	9.14	7	Seven points

**V419 "REV68 EFFICACY"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Reported Efficacy and Planning (Revised V388 and V392)

*Sure Life Would Work Out V295 = 1*

*Plans Life Ahead V296 = 1*

*Gets to Carry Out Things V297 = 1*

*Finishes Things V298 = 1*

*Rather Save for Future V300 = 5*

*Has No Limitations V303 NE 1*

*Thinks About Things That Might Happen in Future V308 = 1*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
187	3.89	0	No points
601	12.52	1	One point
831	17.31	2	Two points
1,024	21.32	3	Three points
936	19.49	4	Four points
715	14.89	5	Five points
381	7.93	6	Six points
127	2.64	7	Seven points

**V420 "R68 TRUST-HOSTILE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Trust or Hostility (Revised V389)

*Does not get angry easily V304 = 5*

*Matters What Others Think V305 = 4, 5*

*Trusts Most Other People V306 = 1*

*Believes Life of Average Man Getting Better V309 = 1*

*Believes Not a Lot of People Who Have Good Things They Don't Deserve V310 = 5*

*OMITS: Indifference to job where told what to do*

*No trouble getting another job*

*(Self-perceived limitations moved to "Efficacy")*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
415	8.64	0	No points
1,067	22.22	1	One point
1,335	27.80	2	Two points

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1,159	24.14	3	Three points
685	14.26	4	Four points
141	2.94	5	Five points

**V421 "WANTED WORK OR HAD"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Wanted more work and/or worked > 2500 hours V231= 1 and/or V47 > 2500 2 points

Neutralize Inaps.

Likes to do difficult or challenging things V299 = 1

Prefers a job with chances for making more money even if dislikes job V301 = 5

Dissatisfied with self V302 = 5

Spends time figuring out how to get more money V307 = 5

Subvariable

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,064	42.98	0	No	points	
1,322	27.53	1	One	point	
1,416	29.49	2	Two	points	

**V422 "NEW JOB DETAILS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Plans to get a new job, and knows what type of job, and knows what it might pay V208 = 1 and V209 = 1 - 4 and V210 NE 999 or 000

Neutralize Inaps. and one point for plans for job regardless of details V208 < 5

Subvariable

*OMITS: Educational aspirations for children*

*Important to make own decisions on job*

*Doesn't like job where told what to do*

*Willing to move for moderately good job*

*Expects things to change for better*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,838	59.10	0	No	points	
1,515	31.55	1	One	point	
449	9.35	2	Two	points	

**V423 "R68 AMBITION-ASPIR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Aspiration-Ambition (Revised V390)

Might make purposive move V112 = 1, 2

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
384	8.00	0	No	points	

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676	14.08	1	One point
1,051	21.89	2	Two points
1,186	24.70	3	Three points
806	16.78	4	Four points
423	8.81	5	Five points
185	3.85	6	Six points
64	1.33	7	Seven points
24	.50	8	Eight points
3	.06	9	Nine points

**V424 "SAVE> 75 A+R"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Saved more than \$75 on additions and repairs (Neutralize non-owners who did not save \$75)  
V16 > 075, V103 = 5, 8

Subvariable

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,739	36.21	0	No points
2,276	47.40	1	One point
787	16.39	2	Two points

**V425 "SAVE> 75 OWN FOOD"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Saved more than \$75 growing own food (2 points) V39 > 075

Subvariable

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,277	89.07	0	No points
-	-	1	One point
525	10.93	2	Two points

**V426 "SAVE> 75 CAR RPR"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Saved more than \$75 on car repairs (Neutralize non-owners)

V24 > 075, V143 = 0

Taking courses or lessons with economic potential V285=3-5

Spends spare time productively (added) V280=4,5

Omits: Saved on sewing

\*Subvariable

Subvariable

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
2,772	57.73	0	No points
1,477	30.76	1	One point
553	11.52	2	Two points

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**V427 "R68 REAL EARN ACTS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Real Earning Acts

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
694	14.45	0	No points
1,093	22.76	1	One point
1,594	33.19	2	Two points
846	17.62	3	Three points
334	6.96	4	Four points
187	3.89	5	Five points
41	.85	6	Six points
11	.23	7	Seven points
2	.04	8	Eight points

**V428 "SPENT< 150 ALCOH"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Spend less than \$150 a year on alcohol V33 < 150

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
839	17.47	0	No points (spent more than \$150 a year on alcohol)
3,963	82.53	1	One point (spent less than \$150 a year on alcohol)

**V429 "SPENT< 150 CIGS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Spend less than \$150 a year on cigarettes V35 < 150

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,323	27.55	0	No points (spent more than \$150 a year on cigarettes)
3,479	72.45	1	One point (spent less than \$150 a year on cigarettes)

**V430 "FREE HELP>100 HRS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Received more than 100 hours of free help V57 > 100

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,540	94.54	0	No points (received less than 100 hours of free help)
262	5.46	1	One point (received more than 100 hours of free help)

**V431 "NO NEW CAR>65"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Do not own very new car in 1969 V144 NE 66, 67, or 68

Eat out seldom V162 = 0, 1

Eat together most of time V174 = 3, 4

OMITS: Reported ways of keeping food bill down

Reported ways of saving on clothing

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,021	21.26	0	No points
3,781	78.74	1	One point

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**V432 "R68 ECONOMIZING"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Economizing

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
15	.31	0	No points
133	2.77	1	One point
454	9.45	2	Two points
1,163	24.22	3	Three points
1,740	36.23	4	Four points
1,232	25.66	5	Five points
65	1.35	6	Six points

**V433 "MED INS OR FREE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Has medical insurance or a way to get free care V158 = 1,2,3,5,7

Head is not a heavy smoker (less than one pack a day) V169 = 0 - 2

Have some liquid savings V359 = 1, 2, 4

Have two months income saved up V359 = 1

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
691	14.39	0	No points
4,111	85.61	1	One point

**V434 "R68 RISK AVOIDANCE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Risk Avoidance

Has at least one car in good condition V146 = 1

No car V1 + 6 = 0

All cars are insured V149 = 1

Uses seat belts some of the time V153 = 3

(Neutralize non-owners) V152 = 0

Uses seat belts all the time V153 = 1 (2 points)

Actual score:

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
37	.77	0	No points
140	2.92	1	One point
399	8.31	2	Two points
828	17.24	3	Three points
1,163	24.22	4	Four points
909	18.93	5	Five points
824	17.16	6	Six points
376	7.83	7	Seven points
126	2.62	8	Eight points



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**V435 "SQRT W-O MONY"**

**NUM(3.0)**

Square root of V328 using money income (3 digits)

*Note that the computation of V328 uses V31, Annual Food Std (Needs), which is in 1967 dollars.*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
5	.10	0			Actual value is zero
4,797	99.90	1 - 338			Actual value

**V436 "SQRT W-O REAL-V329"**

**NUM(3.0)**

Square root of V329, well-offness using real income (3 digits)

*Note that the computation of V329 uses V31, Annual Food Std (Needs), which is in 1967 dollars.*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
1	.02	0			Actual value is zero
4,801	99.98	1 - 279			Actual value

**V437 "SQRT W-O HSNB-V330"**

**NUM(3.0)**

Square root of V330, well-offness using real income net of housing outlays relative to food needs (3 digits)

*Note that the computation of V330 uses V31, Annual Food Std (Needs), which is in 1967 dollars.*

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
28	.58	0			Actual value is zero
4,774	99.42	1 - 522			Actual value

**V438 "WAGE 2ND JOB BKT"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Bkt. Wage rate on second job

<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Text</u>
4,117	85.74	0			Inap.: none; no second job
19	.40	1			Under \$1.00
77	1.60	2			\$1.00 - 1.49
89	1.85	3			\$1.50 - 1.99
74	1.54	4			\$2.00 - 2.99
33	.69	5			\$2.50 - 2.99
67	1.40	6			\$3.00 - 3.99
61	1.27	7			\$4.00 - 5.99
51	1.06	8			\$6.00 or more
214	4.46	9			NA

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**V439 "1968 WEIGHT"**

**NUM(2.0)**

Weight

All analysis on the entire sample using 1968 data only should be based on data weighted by this variable to reduce the biases from differential sampling and response rates. However, it is possible to use the SRC cross-section sample only, without weights, since the response rates did not vary so much as to produce substantial biases. Cross-section sample is identified by values of V3 (Family number) less than 3000

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,802	100.00	1 - 32	Actual	weight	

**V440 "CENSUS NEEDS STANDARD-1967"**

**NUM(5.0)**

Annual Needs Standard for the 1967 Family--CENSUS VERSION

This poverty threshold was taken from Census Bureau's website, <http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/poverty/data/threshld/index.html> We have used the table entitled 'Income Thresholds at the Poverty Level by Sex of Head, Size of Family, and Number of Related Children Under 18 Years Old, by Farm-Nonfarm Residence.' We used Non-Farm Residence tabulations.

The threshold values are based on sex of Head, family size, the number of persons in the family under age 18, and the age of the householder. Due to some of the limitations of our extant files, we were unable to generate the number of months for those individuals who moved out of multiple families in the same wave. A specific limitation for 1968 (year one of the PSID) is that for all those original sample members present when we collected year one data - we did not collect their move in dates (with the exception of newborns). Therefore for needs calculations, we must assume that all persons present during the 1968 interview were present in the family for all the months January through December of 1967. In years subsequent to 1968, for persons that move in or leave the family, we collect the move in/move out month and year and therefore we can build month by month enumerations of family members based on their move in/move out dates.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,802	100.00	1,596 - 6,070	Actual	Census needs	