

# Data\_Read

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## 1 NHANES Dataset

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[1]: import pandas as pd

nhanes = pd.read_csv('../Data/nhanes.csv')
nhanes.head()
nhanes.info()
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<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 823012 entries, 0 to 823011
Data columns (total 58 columns):
#   Column                Non-Null Count  Dtype
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0   Unnamed: 0            823012 non-null  int64
1   SEQN                  823012 non-null  int64
2   WTDRD1                823012 non-null  float64
3   DR1ILINE              823012 non-null  int64
4   DR1IFS                773582 non-null  float64
5   DR1IFDCD              823012 non-null  float64
6   DR1IGRMS              817914 non-null  float64
7   DR1.020               823012 non-null  int64
8   DR1.030Z              823012 non-null  int64
9   DR1.040Z              817610 non-null  float64
10  DR1IKCAL               817914 non-null  float64
11  DR1IPROT               817914 non-null  float64
12  DR1IPFAT               817914 non-null  float64
13  DR1IVARA               817914 non-null  float64
14  DR1IVB12              817914 non-null  float64
15  DR1ICALC               817914 non-null  float64
16  DR1IIRON               817914 non-null  float64
17  DR1IZINC               817914 non-null  float64
18  DR1ISELE               817914 non-null  float64
19  DR1IP205               817914 non-null  float64
20  DR1IP226               817914 non-null  float64
21  RIAGENDR               823012 non-null  int64
22  RIDAGEYR               823012 non-null  int64
23  RIDRETH1               823012 non-null  int64
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24	DMDEDUC3	203442	non-null	float64
25	DMDEDUC2	491353	non-null	float64
26	DMDHHSIZ	823012	non-null	int64
27	DMDFMSIZ	823012	non-null	int64
28	INDHHIN2	814606	non-null	float64
29	INDFMIN2	815421	non-null	float64
30	INDFMPIR	762405	non-null	float64
31	SDMVPSU	823012	non-null	int64
32	SDMVSTRA	823012	non-null	int64
33	RIDRETH3	379378	non-null	float64
34	DESCRIPTION	823012	non-null	object
35	DR1I_PF_SEAFD_HI	817914	non-null	float64
36	DR1I_PF_SEAFD_LOW	817914	non-null	float64
37	DR1I_PF_MEAT	817914	non-null	float64
38	DR1I_PF_CUREDMEAT	817914	non-null	float64
39	DR1I_PF_ORGAN	817914	non-null	float64
40	DR1I_PF_POULT	817914	non-null	float64
41	DR1I_PF_MPS_TOTAL	817914	non-null	float64
42	DR1I_PF_EGGS	817914	non-null	float64
43	DR1I_PF_SOY	817914	non-null	float64
44	DR1I_PF_NUTSDS	817914	non-null	float64
45	DR1I_PF_LEGUMES	817914	non-null	float64
46	DR1I_PF_TOTAL	817914	non-null	float64
47	DR1I_D_TOTAL	817914	non-null	float64
48	DR1I_D_MILK	817914	non-null	float64
49	DR1I_D_YOGURT	817914	non-null	float64
50	DR1I_D_CHEESE	817914	non-null	float64
51	SDDSRVYR	823012	non-null	int64
52	WTDRD1_6YR	823012	non-null	float64
53	DR1I_PF_SEAFD_TOT	817914	non-null	float64
54	DR1I_PF_MEAT_TOT	817914	non-null	float64
55	species	9978	non-null	object
56	species_code	9978	non-null	float64
57	DR1.030Z_2	823012	non-null	int64

dtypes: float64(42), int64(14), object(2)

memory usage: 364.2+ MB

## Data Description Results

Source - Dietary interview, Day 1:

SEQN: Respondent sequence number. This variable is required for grouping the analysis by individual.

WTDRD1: Dietary day one sample weight. Not a variable of interest for this case. This variable can be dropped.

DR1ILINE: One of the key variables for the file. The primary key variables are SEQN and DR1ILINE. Can potentially be used for individual food item analysis.

DR1FS: Source of food. This variable can potentially be used for sourcing analysis. For categori-

cal value mapping, see <https://wwwn.cdc.gov/nchs/nhanes/search/default.aspx>. Mapping may be different for each survey.

DR1IFDCD: USDA food code. Maybe useful for categorizing food items. Reference the USDA for a mapping.

DR1IGRMS: Gram weight of the food/individual component. May be useful for understanding seafood consumption by weight.

DR1.020: Time of eating occasion (HH:MM). May be useful for temporal analysis. May also be useful to understand relationship between side dishes consumed with seafood. I.e. confirming that it is indeed a seafood side dish, using time as a determinant.

DR1.030Z: Name of eating occasion. May be useful for grouping by meal. A code mapping is available in <https://wwwn.cdc.gov/nchs/nhanes/search/default.aspx>, but may be different for each survey.

DR1.040Z: Did you eat this meal at home? May be useful for food sourcing. Needs mapping from documentation.

DR1IKCAL: Energy (kcal). May be useful to understand proportional seafood consumption by calories, similar to using food weight in grams.

DR1IPROT: Protein (gm). May be useful to understand consumption based on a protein/carb/fat relationship.

DR1IPFAT: Total fat (gm). May be useful to understand consumption based on a protein/carb/fat relationship.

DR1IVARA: Vitamin A, RAE (mcg). Not required for this analysis.

DR1IVB12: Vitamin B12 (mcg). Not required for this analysis.

DR1ICALC: Calcium (mg)

DR1IIRON: Iron (mg)

DR1IZINC: Zinc (mg)

DR1ISELE: Selenium (mcg)

DR1IP205: PFA 20:5 (Eicosapentaenoic) (gm)

DR1IP226: PFA 22:6 (Docosahexaenoic) (gm)

Source - Demographics:

RIAGENDR: Gender of the sample person

RIDAGEYR: Best age in years of the sample person at time of HH screening. Individuals 80 and over are topcoded at 80 years of age.

RIDRETH1: Recode of reported race and ethnicity information.

DMDEDUC3: Education Level - Children/Youth 6-19, (SP Interview Version) What is the highest grade or level of school {you have/SP has} completed or the highest degree {you have/s/he has} received?

DMDEDUC2: Education Level - Adults 20+, (SP Interview Version) What is the highest grade or level of school {you have/SP has} completed or the highest degree {you have/s/he has} received?

DMDHHSIZ: Total number of people in the Household

DMDFMSIZ: Total number of people in the Family

INDHHIN2: Annual Household Income

INDFMIN2: Annual Family Income

INDFMPIR: Ratio of family income to poverty

SDMVPSU: Masked Variance Unit Pseudo-PSU variable for variance estimation

SDMVSTRA: Masked Variance Unit Pseudo-Stratum variable for variance estimation

SDDSRVYR: Data Release Number.

Source - Unknown:

DESCRIPTION: Main variable of interest. Contains the text that will be analyzed to assess the dietary complements for seafood consumption.

RIDRETH3

DR1I\_PF\_SEAFD\_HI

DR1I\_PF\_SEAFD\_LOW

DR1I\_PF\_CUREDMEAT

DR1I\_PF\_ORGAN

DR1I\_PF\_POULT

DR1I\_PF\_MPS\_TOTAL

DR1I\_PF\_EGGS

DR1I\_PF\_NUTSDS

DR1I\_PF\_LEGUMES

DR1I\_PF\_TOTAL

DR1I\_D\_TOTAL

DR1I\_D\_MILK

DR1I\_D\_YOGURT

DR1I\_D\_CHEESE

WTD1\_6YR

DR1I\_PF\_SEAFD\_TOT: Another main variable of interest. Seems to identify if food item is a seafood item.

DR1I\_PF\_MEAT\_TOT

species

species\_code

DR1.030Z\_2

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[2]: #Obtain survey years included in the data
      nhanes['SDDSRVYR'].describe()
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[2]: count      823012.000000
      mean         6.381709
      std          1.693001
      min          4.000000
      25%          5.000000
      50%          6.000000
      75%          8.000000
      max          9.000000
      Name: SDDSRVYR, dtype: float64
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SDDSRVYR min/max is 4/9. So this dataset contains survey years 2005-2006 (4), 2007-2008 (5), 2009-2010 (6), 2011-2012 (7), 2013-2014 (8), 2015-2016 (9).

### Data Read Summary/Questions

The provided dataset contains 58 variable columns. A search for the description of all these variables was performed at the NHANES survey website from the CDC (<https://wwwn.cdc.gov/nchs/nhanes/search/default.aspx>). The following conclusions are made about the dataset, with questions for the client:

1. The NHANES survey is performed every two years, and this dataset contains the interview and demographic data for the following survey years:

2005-2006, 2007-2008, 2009-2010, 2011-2012, 2013-2014, 2015-2016

Is there a particular reason why only these surveys are included? Does this temporal scope satisfy the analysis needs of the client? Should the scope be more broad or more narrow?

2. The NHANES open source data is available in a SAS format. The dataset obtained from the client has been converted to a more inclusive .csv format. How was the .csv file assembled and what was the thought behind what to include?
3. The provided dataset has been compiled from different data modules provided by NHANES. A subset of the variables are from the dietary interview data, another subset is from the demographic data. There is another subset of variables that was not found during the variable search. This subset includes some variables of interest such as:

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DR1I\_PF\_SEAFD\_TOT: Another main variable of interest. Seems to identify if food item is a seafood item.

RIDRETH3

DR1I\_PF\_SEAFD\_HI

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DR1I\_PF\_CUREDMEAT  
DR1I\_PF\_ORGAN  
DR1I\_PF\_POULT  
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DR1I\_PF\_NUTSDS  
DR1I\_PF\_LEGUMES  
DR1I\_PF\_TOTAL  
DR1I\_D\_TOTAL  
DR1I\_D\_MILK  
DR1I\_D\_YOGURT  
DR1I\_D\_CHEESE  
WTD RD1\_6YR  
DR1I\_PF\_MEAT\_TOT  
species  
species\_code  
DR1.030Z\_2

Where were these variables obtained from? Is DR1I\_PF\_SEAFD\_TOT indeed the filter key for identifying seafood items? Are there any other useful variables here, like species or species\_code?

4. The demographic data does not contain any information on the location of the participant. Such a variable could be found on the NHANES demographic data description (Example for 2007-2008 survey: [https://wwwn.cdc.gov/Nchs/Nhanes/2007-2008/DEMO\\_E.htm#SDDSRVYR](https://wwwn.cdc.gov/Nchs/Nhanes/2007-2008/DEMO_E.htm#SDDSRVYR)). The client requested an analysis of diet based on location. Did the client have a variable under consideration for this?