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**V3001 "RELEASE NUMBER"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Release Number

December, 2013: Three-digit occupation and industry variables have been added to this file, V3115\_A, V3116\_A for Heads, and V3183\_A, V3184\_A for Wives/"Wives". These variables were previously available as HDOCC73, HDIND73, and WFOCC73, WFIND73. 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
5,285	100.00		3	Release number 3 - December 2013

**V3002 "1973 INT #"**

**NUM(4.0)**

1973 Interview Number

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,285	100.00		1 - 5,285	Actual 1973 interview number

**V3003 "STATE NOW"**

**NUM(2.0)**

State of Residence At time of 1973 Interview

Please refer to PSID state codes here

<http://psidononline.isr.umich.edu/data/Documentation/PSIDStateCodes.pdf>

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
20	.38		0	Inap.: U.S. territory or foreign country
5,265	99.62		1 - 51	Actual state (PSID State code)
-	-		99	DK; NA

**V3004 "COUNTY NOW"**

**NUM(1.0)**

County of Residence at time of 1973 Interview

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: FIPSCntyYEAR where Year is the corresponding Census year (i.e. FIPSCnty10 is using the 2010 Census frame). This variable is the county as per the address at the time of interview coded to the most recent version of the Census data (using FIPS county codes). This file is available to qualified users under special contractual arrangements with the PSID. For more information, contact us at PSIDhelp@umich.edu and request PSIDCountyIdentifiers restricted file.

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5,285	100.00		0	Data suppressed

## V3005 "ST+CO NOW"

NUM(1.0)

State and County of Residence at time of 1973 Interview

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5,285	100.00		0	Data suppressed

## V3006 "LARGEST PLAC/SMSA"

NUM(1.0)

Size of Largest City in PSU

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: FAM19YEAR\_rst where Year is the corresponding Family File year (i.e. FAM1968\_rst contains data for suppressed variables from the 1968 file). This file is available to qualified users under special contractual arrangements with the PSID. For more information, contact us at PSIDhelp@umich.edu and request PSIDCountyIdentifiers restricted file.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
2,000	37.84		1	SMSA: largest city 500,000 or more
1,125	21.29		2	SMSA: largest city 100,000 - 499,999
584	11.05		3	SMSA: largest city 50,000 - 99,999
327	6.19		4	Non-SMSA: largest city 25,000 - 49,999
465	8.80		5	Non-SMSA: largest city 10,000 - 24,999
762	14.42		6	Non-SMSA: largest city under 10,000
22	.42		9	NA; DU is not in continental USA

## V3007 "COVERSHEET COLOR"

NUM(1.0)

Color of Cover Sheet

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,938	93.43		0	Peach (Main Family)
347	6.57		1	Green (Splitoff)

## V3008 "ONCE REFUSED"

NUM(1.0)

Whether Originally Refused in 1973

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,276	99.83		0	Never refused
9	.17		1	Refused at least once
-	-		9	NA

**V3009 "PHONE INTERVIEW?"** NUM(1.0)  
 Whether Telephone Interview in 1973

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,166	22.06		0	Personal interview	
4,047	76.58		1	Telephone interview	
25	.47		2	Mail interview	
47	.89		9	NA	

**V3010 "FAM COMP CHANGE"** NUM(1.0)  
 Family Composition Change

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,786	71.64		0	No change; no movers-in or movers-out of the family	
882	16.69		1	Change in members other than Head or Wife	
116	2.19		2	Head same but Wife left/died and/or Head has new Wife	
98	1.85		3	Wife from 1972 is now Head	
75	1.42		4	Female Head in 1972 got married - husband (non-sample member) now Head	
230	4.35		5	Some sample member other than Head or Wife has become Head of this FU	
89	1.68		6	Some female in FU other than 1972 Head got married and non-sample member now Head	
3	.06		7	Female Head in 1972 with husband in institution - husband in FU in 1973 and now Head	
6	.11		8	Other	

**V3011 "# MOVED IN"** NUM(1.0)  
 Number Moved into FU between 1972 and 1973

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,349	82.29		0	None	
618	11.69		1	One	
189	3.58		2	Two	
85	1.61		3	Three	
24	.45		4	Four	
11	.21		5	Five	
4	.08		6	Six	
3	.06		7	Seven	
-	-		8	Eight	
2	.04		9	Nine or more	

**V3012 "WHO MOVED IN"****NUM(1.0)**

Relation to 1973 Head of person(s) who moved into FU between 1972 and 1973

*If more than one person moved in, the person with the highest priority was coded.  
In order of priority*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,349	82.29		0	Inap.:	no one moved in
427	8.08		1	Head of family	
53	1.00		2	Wife	
328	6.21		3	Children; step-children	
25	.47		4	Sibling	
7	.13		5	Parent	
51	.96		6	Grandchild; great grandchild	
33	.62		7	In-laws and other relatives	
11	.21		8	Non-relative	
1	.02		9	NA relation	

**V3013 "# MOVED OUT"****NUM(1.0)**

Number moved out of FU between 1972 and 1973

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,629	87.59		0	None	
485	9.18		1	One	
100	1.89		2	Two	
37	.70		3	Three	
12	.23		4	Four	
7	.13		5	Five	
7	.13		6	Six	
4	.08		7	Seven	
2	.04		8	Eight	
2	.04		9	Nine or more	

**V3014 "WHO MOVED OUT"****NUM(1.0)**

Relation to last year's Head of person(s) who moved out/died between 1972 and 1973

*If more than one person moved out, the person with the highest priority was coded.  
In order of priority*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,629	87.59		0	Inap.:	no one moved out
94	1.78		1	Previous Head	
53	1.00		2	Wife	

390	7.38	3 Children; step-children
25	.47	4 Sibling
12	.23	5 Parent
25	.47	6 Grandchild; great grandchild
40	.76	7 In-laws and other relatives
17	.32	8 Non-relative
-	-	9 NA relation

**V3015 "FAMILY COMPOSITION"**

NUM(1.0)

1973 Family Composition

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,577	86.60		1	Head and immediate family (Wife and children) only	
530	10.03		2	FU contains other people related to Head	
49	.93		3	FU contains people unrelated to Head who are included in FU because they pool everything	
129	2.44		5	Other	

**V3016 "QUALITY OF MATCH"**

NUM(1.0)

Quality Of Match

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,273	99.77		0	Perfect or near perfect match	
10	.19		1	Fair match	
2	.04		2	Poor match	
-	-		5	No match	

**V3017 "FAMILY SIZE"**

NUM(2.0)

Family Size In 1973 (Number of members in family)

Actual number in FU

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,285	100.00	1 - 17		Actual number of people	

**V3018 "# REQUIRED ROOMS"**

NUM(1.0)

Required number of rooms for FU of this size, age, and sex composition

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,000	37.84		2	Two	
1,523	28.82		3	Three	
957	18.11		4	Four	
442	8.36		5	Five	
220	4.16		6	Six	
84	1.59		7	Seven	

37	.70	8 Eight
22	.42	9 Nine or more

**V3019 "WEEKLY FOOD ND"**

**NUM(5.1)**

Weekly Food Needs

*This variable's values are based on USDA Low-Cost Plan estimates of weekly food costs, according to the table below (reproduced from Family Economics Review, June 1967), summed for the family as it was at the time of the interview.*

*INDIVIDUAL FOOD STANDARD (LOW COST)*

\$3.90 for both males and females under age 4  
\$4.60 for both males and females age 4-6  
\$5.50 for both males and females age 7-9  
\$6.40 for males age 10-12  
\$6.30 for females age 10-12  
\$7.40 for males age 13-15  
\$6.90 for females age 13-15  
\$8.70 for males age 16-20  
\$7.20 for females age 16-20  
\$7.50 for males age 21-35  
\$6.50 for females age 21-35  
\$6.90 for males age 36-55  
\$6.30 for females age 36-55  
\$6.30 for males age 56 and older  
\$5.40 for females age 56 and older

*This same standard has been used in previous waves. Since the table is from 1967, values are in 1967 dollars. Adjustments for inflation, etc., are left to users.*

*The actual weekly food needs in dollars and cents are coded here.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,285	100.00	5.4 - 110.0			Actual weekly food needs

**V3020 "ANN NEED STD"****NUM(5.0)**

Annual Need Standard in 1972

This is the Orshansky-type poverty threshold, based on an annual food needs standard derived from the weekly food costs above, which is converted to an annual amount 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%

An additional adjustment for diseconomies of small households (in rent, etc.) was made as follows for the Annual Need Standard:

4.89 times the food needs for single persons  
 3.70 times the food needs for two person units  
 3.00 times the food needs for all other units

Note that the computation of this variable makes use of the table in V3019, which is in 1967 dollars.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,285	100.00	1,647 - 15,444		Actual poverty threshold amount

**V3021 "HOUSE VALUE"****NUM(5.0)**

House Value (1973)

All missing data were assigned

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
2,548	48.21		0	Inap.: not a home owner
2,728	51.62	1 - 99,998		Actual amount
9	.17	99,999		\$99,999 or more

**V3022 "ACC HOUSEVALUE"****NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V3021 (House Value)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,170	97.82		0	No assignment
28	.53		1	Minor assignment
18	.34		2	Major assignment
69	1.31		3	Complex property, requiring allocation of property taxes, etc., between dwelling and other purposes of building

**V3023 "ANNUAL RENT"****NUM(4.0)**

Annual rent paid in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
3,025	57.24		0	Inap.: does not pay rent
2,260	42.76	1 - 9,998		Actual amount

- - - 9,999 \$9,999 or more

**V3024 "ACC ANNUAL RENT"** NUM(1.0)

Accuracy of V3023 (Annual rent paid in 1972)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,251	99.36		0	No assignment
19	.36		1	Minor assignment
15	.28		2	Major assignment

**V3025 "ANNUAL RENT VAL"** NUM(4.0)

Annual rent value of free housing (for those who neither own nor rent) in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,992	94.46		0	Inap.: owns or rents
293	5.54	1 - 9,998		Actual amount
-	-	9,999		\$9,999 or more

**V3026 "ACC ANN RENT VAL"** NUM(1.0)

Accuracy of V3025 (annual rent value of free housing - for those who neither own nor rent - in 1972)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,205	98.49		0	No assignment
70	1.32		1	Minor assignment
10	.19		2	Major assignment

**V3027 "HDS ANN WORK HRS"** NUM(4.0)

Head's annual hours working for money in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
971	18.37		0	None; did not work
4,314	81.63	1 - 9,998		Actual number of hours
-	-	9,999		9,999 hours or more

**V3028 "ACC HDS ANN WRK HRS"** NUM(1.0)

Accuracy of V3027 (Head's annual hours working for money in 1972)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,884	92.41		0	No assignment
335	6.34		1	Minor assignment
66	1.25		2	Major assignment

**V3029 "HDS ILLNESS HRS" NUM(4.0)**

Head's annual hours of illness in 1972

(Days ill times 16 for the first 8 weeks and times 12 for the time thereafter)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,555	67.27		0	None	
1,730	32.73	1 - 9,998		Actual number of hours	
-	-	9,999		9,999	hours or more

**V3030 "ACC HDS ILLNESS HR" NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V3029 (Head's annual hours of illness in 1972)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,277	99.85		0	No assignment	
7	.13		1	Minor assignment	
1	.02		2	Major assignment	

**V3031 "HDS UNEMPL HRS" NUM(4.0)**

Head's annual hours of unemployment in 1972

(Days unemployed times 8)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,566	86.40		0	None	
719	13.60	1 - 9,998		Actual number of hours	
-	-	9,999		9,999	hours or more

**V3032 "ACC HDS UNEMP HRS" NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V3031 (Head's annual hours of unemployment in 1972)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,253	99.39		0	No assignment	
23	.44		1	Minor assignment	
9	.17		2	Major assignment	

**V3033 "HD TRVL TO WK HR" NUM(3.0)**

Head's travel to work time (annual hours) in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,629	30.82		0	Inap.: does not work; zero hours of journey to work	
3,648	69.03	1 - 998		Actual number of hours	
8	.15	999		999 or more hours	

**V3034 "ACC HD TVL TO WK HR"** **NUM(1.0)**  
 Accuracy of V3033 (Head's travel to work time, annual hours in 1972)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,247	99.28		0	No assignment	
32	.61		1	Minor assignment	
6	.11		2	Major assignment	

**V3035 "WF WORK HRS"** **NUM(4.0)**  
 Wife's annual hours working for money in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,554	67.25		0	Inap.:	Wife does not work; no Wife
1,731	32.75	1 - 9,998		Actual number of hours	
-	-	9,999		9,999	hours or more

**V3036 "ACC WF WORK HRS"** **NUM(1.0)**  
 Accuracy of V3035 (Wife's annual hours working for money in 1972)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,212	98.62		0	No assignment	
58	1.10		1	Minor assignment	
15	.28		2	Major assignment	

**V3037 "HSWRK HRS 1ST"** **NUM(4.0)**  
 Annual hours spent on housework in 1972 by Wife or unmarried Head

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
235	4.45		0	Zero hours spent on housework	
5,050	95.55	1 - 9,998		Actual number of hours	
-	-	9,999		9,999	hours or more

**V3038 "ACC HSWRK HRS 1ST"** **NUM(1.0)**  
 Accuracy of V3037 (Annual hours spent on housework in 1972 by Wife or unmarried Head)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,146	97.37		0	No assignment	
121	2.29		1	Minor assignment	
18	.34		2	Major assignment	

**V3039 "HSWRK HRS HUSB"** **NUM(4.0)**  
 Annual hours spent on housework in 1972 by Husband

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,947	74.68		0	Inap.:	Zero hours spent on housework; no husband
1,338	25.32	1 - 9,998		Actual number of hours	

- - - 9,999 9,999 hours or more

**V3040 "ACC HSWRK HRS HUSB"** **NUM(1.0)**  
 Accuracy of V3039 (Annual hours spent on housework in 1972 by Husband)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,263	99.58		0	No assignment	
20	.38		1	Minor assignment	
2	.04		2	Major assignment	

**V3041 "HSWRK HRS-OTHER"** **NUM(4.0)**  
 Annual hours spent on housework in 1972 by others (other than Head or Wife)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,518	66.57		0	Inap.: zero hours spent on housework; no other family members	
1,767	33.43	1 - 9,998		Actual number of hours	
-	-	9,999		9,999 hours or more	

**V3042 "ACC HSWRK HRS-OTHR"** **NUM(1.0)**  
 Accuracy of V3041 (Annual hours spent on housework in 1972 by others - other than Head or Wife)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,226	98.88		0	No assignment	
41	.78		1	Minor assignment	
18	.34		2	Major assignment	

**V3043 "# MAJOR ADULTS"** **NUM(1.0)**  
 Number of major adults in family

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,008	37.99		1	Head only (no Wife in family)	
3,277	62.01		2	Head and Wife	

**V3044 "BKT LABOR FARM Y"** **NUM(1.0)**  
 Bracketed amount of Head's labor part of farm income in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,202	98.43		0	None	
5	.09		1	\$1 - 499	
6	.11		2	\$500 - 999	
12	.23		3	\$100 - 1999	
6	.11		4	\$2000 - 2999	
21	.40		5	\$3000 - 4999	
17	.32		6	\$5000 - 7499	
10	.19		7	\$7500 - 9999	

6	.11	8	\$10,000 and over
-	-	9	NA

**V3045 "BKT LABOR BUS Y"** NUM(1.0)

Bracketed amount of Head's labor part of business income in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,048	95.52		0	None	
15	.28		1	\$1 - 499	
15	.28		2	\$500 - 999	
19	.36		3	\$100 - 1999	
19	.36		4	\$2000 - 2999	
52	.98		5	\$3000 - 4999	
35	.66		6	\$5000 - 7499	
24	.45		7	\$7500 - 9999	
44	.83		8	\$10,000 and over	
14	.26		9	NA	

**V3046 "HDS WAGE"** NUM(5.0)

Amount of Head's wages in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,251	23.67		0	None	
4,033	76.31	1 - 99,998		Actual amount	
1	.02	99,999		\$99,999 or more	

**V3047 "ACC HDS WAGE"** NUM(1.0)

Accuracy of V3046 (Amount of Head's wages in 1972)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,212	98.62		0	No assignment	
38	.72		1	Minor assignment	
35	.66		2	Major assignment	

**V3048 "BKT BONUS,OT,COMM"** NUM(1.0)

Bracketed amount of Head's income from bonuses, overtime, commissions in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,953	93.72		0	None	
208	3.94		1	\$1 - 499	
36	.68		2	\$500 - 999	
39	.74		3	\$1000 - 1999	
22	.42		4	\$2000 - 2999	

8	.15	5 \$3000 - 4999
8	.15	6 \$5000 - 7499
2	.04	7 \$7500 - 9999
4	.08	8 \$10,000 and over
5	.09	9 NA

**V3049 "BKT PROF PRAC/TRADE"****NUM(1.0)**

Bracketed amount of Head's income from professional practice, trade in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,122	96.92		0	None	
64	1.21		1	\$1 - 499	
26	.49		2	\$500 - 999	
34	.64		3	\$1000 - 1999	
12	.23		4	\$2000 - 2999	
9	.17		5	\$3000 - 4999	
7	.13		6	\$5000 - 7499	
1	.02		7	\$7500 - 9999	
7	.13		8	\$10,000 and over	
3	.06		9	NA	

**V3050 "BKT LABOR ROOMERS"****NUM(1.0)**

Bracketed amount of Head's labor part of income from roomers and boarders and farming and market gardening in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,191	98.22		0	None	
42	.79		1	\$1 - 499	
15	.28		2	\$500 - 999	
13	.25		3	\$1000 - 1999	
6	.11		4	\$2000 - 2999	
3	.06		5	\$3000 - 4999	
1	.02		6	\$5000 - 7499	
3	.06		7	\$7500 - 9999	
-	-		8	\$10,000 and over	
11	.21		9	NA	

**V3051 "HDS TOT LABOR Y"** NUM(5.0)

Head's total labor income for 1972

*This is the sum of the actual amounts of labor part of farm income and business income, bonuses, overtime, commissions, professional practice, labor part of income from roomers and boarders or business income, which were bracketed in Variables 3044, 3045, 3046, 3048, 3049, and 3050*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
977	18.49		0	No income from labor	
4,307	81.49	1 - 99,998		Actual amount	
1	.02	99,999		\$99,999 or more	

**V3052 "ACC HDS LABOR INC"** NUM(1.0)

Accuracy of V3051 (Head's total labor income in 1972)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,245	99.24		0	No assignment	
24	.45		1	Minor assignment	
16	.30		2	Major assignment	

**V3053 "WFS LABOR INC"** NUM(5.0)

Wife's money income from work in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,559	67.34		0	Inap.: no income; no Wife	
1,726	32.66	1 - 99,998		Actual amount	
-	-	99,999		\$99,999 or more	

**V3054 "ACC WFS LABOR INC"** NUM(1.0)

Accuracy of V3053 (Wife's money income from work in 1972)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,238	99.11		0	No assignment	
24	.45		1	Minor assignment	
23	.44		2	Major assignment	

**V3055 "BKT ASSET FARM Y"** NUM(1.0)

Bracketed amount of Head's asset part of farm income in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,208	98.54		0	None	
22	.42	1		\$1 - 499; negative income	
10	.19	2		\$500 - 999	
11	.21	3		\$1000 - 1999	
7	.13	4		\$2000 - 2999	
16	.30	5		\$3000 - 4999	

5	.09	6	\$5000 - 7499
2	.04	7	\$7500 - 9999
4	.08	8	\$10,000 and over
-	-	9	NA

**V3056 "BKT ASSET BUS Y"** NUM(1.0)  
 Bracketed amount of Head's asset part of business income for 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,043	95.42		0	None	
34	.64		1	\$1 - 499; negative income	
19	.36		2	\$500 - 999	
37	.70		3	\$1000 - 1999	
26	.49		4	\$2000 - 2999	
36	.68		5	\$3000 - 4999	
31	.59		6	\$5000 - 7499	
21	.40		7	\$7500 - 9999	
24	.45		8	\$10,000 and over	
14	.26		9	NA	

**V3057 "BKT ASSET ROOMERS"** NUM(1.0)  
 Bracketed amount of Head's asset part of income from roomers and boarders and farming and market gardening for 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,186	98.13		0	None	
54	1.02		1	\$1 - 499; negative income	
19	.36		2	\$500 - 999	
9	.17		3	\$1000 - 1999	
2	.04		4	\$2000 - 2999	
3	.06		5	\$3000 - 4999	
1	.02		6	\$5000 - 7499	
-	-		7	\$7500 - 9999	
1	.02		8	\$10,000 and over	
10	.19		9	NA	

**V3058 "BKT RENT, INT, DIV"** NUM(1.0)  
 Bracketed amount of Head's rent, interest and dividends in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,970	75.12		0	None	
717	13.57		1	\$1 - 499; negative income	

180	3.41	2	\$500 - 1000
170	3.22	3	\$1000 - 1999
71	1.34	4	\$2000 - 2999
68	1.29	5	\$3000 - 4999
41	.78	6	\$5000 - 7499
7	.13	7	\$7500 - 9999
25	.47	8	\$10,000 and over
36	.68	9	NA

**V3059 "BKT WFS ASSET INC"**

NUM(1.0)

Bracketed amount of Wife's income from assets in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,244	99.22		0	Inap.: none; no Wife	
18	.34		1	\$1 - 499; negative income	
6	.11		2	\$500 - 999	
9	.17		3	\$1000 - 1999	
5	.09		4	\$2000 - 2999	
-	-		5	\$3000 - 4999	
1	.02		6	\$5000 - 7499	
-	-		7	\$7500 - 9999	
1	.02		8	\$10,000 and over	
1	.02		9	NA	

**V3060 "HD+WF TAXABLE Y"**

NUM(5.0)

Taxable income of Head and Wife in 1972

Asset parts of income from farm, business, roomers, etc., plus income from rent, interest, dividends, etc., and Wife's income from assets, and Head's labor income (V3051) and Wife's labor income (V3053)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2	.04	-1,500 - -1	Actual net loss		
659	12.47		0	No such income	
4,622	87.46	1 - 99,998	Actual net gain		
2	.04	99,999	\$99,999 or more		

**V3061 "ACC H+W ASSET Y"**

NUM(1.0)

Accuracy of asset income of Head and Wife in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,224	98.85		0	No assignment	
45	.85		1	Minor assignment	

16 .30 2 Major assignment

**V3062 "\$ CONTR OUT FU" NUM(5.0)**

Contributions made to outside dependents in 1972 (Outside the FU)

(This is an out-transfer which could be deducted from income)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,793	90.69		0	None	
460	8.70	1 - 99,997		Actual amount	
-	-	99,998		\$99,998 or more	
32	.61	99,999		NA	

**V3063 "# DEPENDENTS" NUM(1.0)**

Number of Head's dependents in 1972

This includes Head, Wife, dependent children both in and out of the FU, and any other dependent persons

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
10	.19		0	No dependents	
1,120	21.19		1	One	
1,309	24.77		2	Two	
955	18.07		3	Three	
727	13.76		4	Four	
474	8.97		5	Five	
305	5.77		6	Six	
174	3.29		7	Seven	
106	2.01		8	Eight	
105	1.99		9	Nine or more	

**V3064 "H+W TOTAL TAXES" NUM(5.0)**

Total estimated federal income taxes of Head and Wife in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,751	33.13		0	No taxes	
3,534	66.87	1 - 99,998		Actual amount	
-	-	99,999		\$99,999 or more	

**V3065 "H+W ADC,AFDC" NUM(5.0)**

Amount of Aid to Dependent Children, Aid to Dependent Children with unemployed fathers (ADC, AFDC) for the Head and Wife in 1972. This is part of transfer income

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,930	93.28		0	None	
355	6.72	1 - 99,998		Actual amount	

- - - 99,999 \$99,999 or more

**V3066 "ACC H+W ADC,AFDC"****NUM(1.0)**

Accuracy of V3065 (Amount of Aid to Dependent Children, Aid to Dependent Children with unemployed fathers (ADC, AFDC) for the Head and Wife in 1972)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,281	99.92		0	No assignment	
3	.06		1	Minor assignment	
1	.02		2	Major assignment	

**V3067 "H+W OTH WELFARE"****NUM(5.0)**

Income of Head and Wife from other welfare in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,974	94.12		0	None	
311	5.88	1 - 99,998	1	Actual amount	
-	-	99,999	\$99,999	or more	

**V3068 "H+W SOC SEC"****NUM(5.0)**

Income of Head and Wife from Social Security in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,402	83.29		0	None	
883	16.71	1 - 99,998	1	Actual amount	
-	-	99,999	\$99,999	or more	

**V3069 "H+W OTH RETRMNT"****NUM(5.0)**

Head's income from other retirement pay, pensions or annuities in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,814	91.09		0	None	
471	8.91	1 - 99,998	1	Actual amount	
-	-	99,999	\$99,999	or more	

**V3070 "H+W UNEMPLMT"****NUM(5.0)**

Head's income from unemployment or workmen's compensation (including strike benefits) in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,009	94.78		0	None	
276	5.22	1 - 99,998	1	Actual amount	
-	-	99,999	\$99,999	or more	

**V3071 "H+W ALIMONY"****NUM(5.0)**

Head's income from alimony or child support in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,132	97.11		0	None	

153	2.89	1 - 99,998	Actual amount
-	-	99,999	\$99,999 or more

**V3072 "BKT HELP RELATIVES"** NUM(1.0)  
 Bracketed amount of Head's income from help from relatives in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,051	95.57		0	None	
124	2.35		1	\$1 - 499	
38	.72		2	\$500 - 999	
34	.64		3	\$1000 - 1999	
8	.15		4	\$2000 - 2999	
4	.08		5	\$3000 - 4999	
3	.06		6	\$5000 - 7499	
-	-		7	\$7500 - 9999	
-	-		8	\$10,000 and over	
23	.44		9	NA	

**V3073 "BKT ANYTHING ELSE"** NUM(1.0)  
 Bracketed amount of Head's income from other sources in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,007	94.74		0	None	
146	2.76		1	\$1 - 499	
38	.72		2	\$500 - 999	
45	.85		3	\$1000 - 1999	
25	.47		4	\$2000 - 2999	
11	.21		5	\$3000 - 4999	
-	-		6	\$5000 - 7499	
2	.04		7	\$7500 - 9999	
-	-		8	\$10,000 or over	
11	.21		9	NA	

**V3074 "BKT WF TRANSFER Y"** NUM(1.0)  
 Bracketed amount of Wife's other transfer income in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,212	98.62		0	Inap.: none; no Wife	
17	.32		1	\$1 - 499	
17	.32		2	\$500 - 999	
27	.51		3	\$1000 - 1999	

7	.13	4	\$2000 - 2999
4	.08	5	\$3000 - 4999
-	-	6	\$5000 - 7499
-	-	7	\$7500 - 9999
-	-	8	\$10,000 or over
1	.02	9	NA

**V3075 "ACC MISC TRANSFERS"**

NUM(1.0)

Accuracy of transfers except ADC, AFDC in 1972

(This is the accuracy of Variables 3067 through 3074)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,228	98.92		0	No assignment	
33	.62		1	Minor assignment	
24	.45		2	Major assignment	

**V3076 "H+W TOT TRANS Y"**

NUM(5.0)

Total transfer income in 1972

(This is the sum of Variables 3065, 3067 - 3071 and the amounts bracketed in Variables 3072 - 3074)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,055	57.81		0	None	
2,230	42.19	1 - 99,998		Actual amount	
-	-	99,999		\$99,999 or more	

**V3077 "WORK HRS-OTHERS"**

NUM(4.0)

Work hours of others in FU who had taxable income in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,081	77.22		0	Inap.: others in FU did not work; no others in FU	
1,204	22.78	1 - 9,998		Actual number of hours	
-	-	9,999		9,999 hours or more	

**V3078 "TXABLE Y-OTHERS"**

NUM(5.0)

Taxable income of others in FU in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,064	76.90		0	Inap.: no taxable income; no others in FU	
1,221	23.10	1 - 99,998		Actual amount	
-	-	99,999		\$99,999 or more	

**V3079 "ACC TXBLE Y-OTHERS"** NUM(1.0)

Accuracy of V3078 (Taxable income of others in FU in 1972)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,985	94.32		0	No assignment	
164	3.10		1	Minor assignment	
136	2.57		2	Major assignment	

**V3080 "TOT TAX-OTHERS"** NUM(5.0)

Total estimated Federal Income Taxes of others in FU for 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,798	90.79		0	Inap.: none; no others in FU	
487	9.21	1 - 99,998	1	Actual amount	
-	-	99,999	2	\$99,999 or more	

**V3081 "TRANSFER Y-OTRS"** NUM(5.0)

Total transfer income of others in FU in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,990	94.42		0	Inap.: none; no others in FU	
295	5.58	1 - 99,998	1	Actual amount	
-	-	99,999	2	\$99,999 or more	

**V3082 "ACC TRANSFER Y-OTR"** NUM(1.0)

Accuracy of V3081 (Total transfer income of others in FU in 1972)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,220	98.77		0	No assignment	
45	.85		1	Minor assignment	
20	.38		2	Major assignment	

**V3083 "# OTHER Y RECRS"** NUM(1.0)

Number of income receivers in FU other than Head or Wife in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,890	73.60		0	None	
919	17.39		1	One	
338	6.40		2	Two	
95	1.80		3	Three	
29	.55		4	Four	
8	.15		5	Five	
4	.08		6	Six	
1	.02		7	Seven	

-	-	8 Eight
1	.02	9 Nine or more

**V3084 "# OTR LABOR Y RECS"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Number in FU with labor income other than Head or Wife in 1972

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,081	77.22		0	None	
790	14.95		1	One	
300	5.68		2	Two	
80	1.51		3	Three	
23	.44		4	Four	
7	.13		5	Five	
2	.04		6	Six	
1	.02		7	Seven	
-	-		8	Eight	
1	.02		9	Nine or more	

**V3085 "1968 INT NUMBER"**

**NUM(4.0)**

1968 Interview Number

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,057	57.84	1 - 2,932	SRC	cross-section sample	
2,228	42.16	5,001 - 6,872	Census	sample	

**V3086 "1969 INT NUMBER"**

**NUM(4.0)**

1969 Interview Number

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1	.02		0	Current Head of FU, if sample member, was not in any panel family in 1969	
5,284	99.98	1 - 4,460		Actual 1969 interview number	

**V3087 "1970 INT NUMBER"**

**NUM(4.0)**

1970 Interview Number

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3	.06		0	Current Head of FU, if sample member, was not in any panel family in 1970	
5,282	99.94	1 - 4,645		Actual 19670 interview number	

**V3088 "1971 INT NUMBER"**

**NUM(4.0)**

1971 Interview Number

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4	.08		0	Current Head of FU, if sample member, was not in any panel family in 1971	

5,281 99.92 1 - 4,840 Actual 1971 interview number

**V3089 "1972 INT NUMBER"**

**NUM(4.0)**

1972 Interview Number

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
-	-	0		Current Head of FU, if sample member, was not in any panel family in 1972
5,285	100.00	1 - 5,060		Actual 1972 interview number

**V3090 "IWERS 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
25	.47	0		Inap.: mail interview
5,260	99.53	100,000,001 - 100,000,880		Interviewer's identification number
-	-	999,999,999		NA

**V3091 "IWERS INT #"**

**NUM(2.0)**

Interviewer's Interview Number

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
3	.06	0		Inap.: mail interview
5,223	98.83	1 - 92		Actual interviewer's interview number
59	1.12	99		NA

**V3092 "DATE OF INTERVIEW"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Date of Interview

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
257	4.86	1		March 5 - March 14
920	17.41	2		March 15 - March 28
1,848	34.97	3		March 29 - April 18
993	18.79	4		April 19 - May 2
720	13.62	5		May 3 - May 16
331	6.26	6		May 17 - May 30
151	2.86	7		May 31 - June 30
33	.62	8		July 1 and after
32	.61	9		NA; DK

**V3093 "LENGTH OF INT"** NUM(3.0)

Length of Interview

*Actual number of minutes*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,210	98.58	1 - 280			Actual number of minutes
75	1.42		999		NA

**V3094 "NUMBER IN FU"** NUM(2.0)

Number in FU

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,285	100.00	1 - 17			Actual number of people

**V3095 "AGE OF HEAD"** NUM(2.0)

Age of Head

*Actual age of Head*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,285	100.00	17 - 97			Actual age
-	-		99		NA

**V3096 "SEX OF HEAD"** NUM(1.0)

Sex of Head

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,776	71.45		1	Male	
1,509	28.55		2	Female	

**V3097 "AGE OF WIFE"** NUM(2.0)

Age of Wife

*Actual age of Wife*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,012	38.07	0			Inap.: no Wife listed in family
3,273	61.93	14 - 92			Actual age
-	-		99		NA

**V3098 "# OF KIDS IN FU"** NUM(2.0)

Number of Children in FU Aged 0 - 17

*Actual number of children*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,415	45.70	0			None
2,870	54.30	1 - 12			Actual number of children

**V3099 "AGE YOUNGEST CH"** NUM(2.0)  
 Age of youngest child

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
2,415	45.70		0	Inap.: no children in FU
599	11.33		1	23 months or under
2,271	42.97	2 - 17		Actual age

**V3100 "KIDS <25 IN FU?"** NUM(1.0)  
 A1. Children under 25 in FU?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
3,180	60.17		1	Children under 25 in FU
2,105	39.83		5	No children under 25 in FU

**V3101 "KIDS STOP SCHOOL?"** NUM(1.0)  
 A2. Did any of the children stop going to school in 1972 or 1973?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
2,107	39.87		0	Inap.: no children under 25
315	5.96		1	Yes
2,819	53.34		5	No
44	.83		9	NA; DK

**V3102 "PUB TRANS NEAR?"** NUM(1.0)  
 B1. Is there public transportation within walking distance of here?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
3,071	58.11		1	Yes
2,187	41.38		5	No
27	.51		9	NA; DK

**V3103 "PUB TRANS GOOD"** NUM(1.0)  
 B2. Is it good enough so that a person could use it to get to work?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
2,224	42.08		0	Inap.: no public transportation
2,340	44.28		1	Yes; "I don't use it but good enough for others"
270	5.11		3	Pro-con; Yes for some areas or types of work, but no for others; "I couldn't use it, but good enough for others"
339	6.41		5	No
112	2.12		9	NA; DK "I don't use it"

**V3104 "OWN CAR/TRUCK?"** NUM(1.0)

B3. Do you or anyone else in the family here own a car or truck?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,017	76.01		1	Yes	
1,263	23.90		5	No	
5	.09		9	NA; DK	

**V3105 "DIFF W/NO CAR?"** NUM(1.0)

B4. Does not having a car cause any difficulties?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,024	76.14		0	Inap.:	owns a car or truck
594	11.24		1	Yes	
595	11.26		5	No	
72	1.36		9	NA; DK	

**V3106 "WHAT DIFF W/NO CAR?"** NUM(1.0)

B5. What are they?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,691	88.76		0	Inap.:	family owns a car; causes no difficulties
90	1.70		1	Can't get to job; difficult to get to work; can't get to better job; can't transport a baby sitter in order to go to work	
90	1.70		2	Can't get to doctor	
339	6.41		3	Makes expenses higher (taxis, have to buy in more expensive (food) stores); can't get around in general; inconvenient for major reasons other than '1' or '2'	
65	1.23		4	Can't get around for entertainment purposes; inconvenient for minor reasons; have to depend on others for small favors	
10	.19		9	NA; DK	

**V3107 "ACTUAL # ROOMS?"** NUM(1.0)

C1. How many rooms do you have here for your family (not counting bathrooms)?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2	.04		0	None; R shares room	
140	2.65		1	One room	
207	3.92		2	Two rooms	
539	10.20		3	Three rooms	
1,084	20.51		4	Four rooms	
1,248	23.61		5	Five rooms	
1,066	20.17		6	Six rooms	

488	9.23	7 Seven rooms
434	8.21	8 Eight or more rooms
77	1.46	9 NA; DK

**V3108 "OWN OR RENT"** NUM(1.0)

C2. Do you own this (home/apartment), pay rent, or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,737	51.79		1	Owns or is buying house or trailer (fully or jointly)	
2,258	42.72		5	Pays rent	
290	5.49		8	Neither owns nor rents	

**V3109 "WHY FREE HOUSING"** NUM(1.0)

C5. How is that? (Neither owns nor rents)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,995	94.51		0	Inap.: owns or rents	
3	.06		1	Servant; housekeeper	
38	.72		2	Farm laborer; ranch laborer	
59	1.12		3	Other persons for whom housing is part of compensation (janitors, gardeners, nurses, tutors, etc.)	
163	3.08		4	Persons for whom housing is a gift; paid by someone outside of FU; owned by relatives; pay no rent or only pay taxes	
5	.09		5	Sold own home, but still living there	
2	.04		6	Living in house which will inherit; estate in process	
8	.15		7	Living in temporary quarters (garage, shed, etc.) while home is under construction or until new apartment is found	
6	.11		8	Other	
6	.11		9	NA; DK	

**V3110 "MOVED SINCE SPRING"** NUM(1.0)

C6. Have you (HEAD) moved since the spring of 1972?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,497	28.33		1	Yes	
3,787	71.66		5	No	
1	.02		9	NA; DK	

**V3111 "WHY MOVED"** NUM(1.0)

C7. Why did you move?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,788	71.67		0	Inap.: did not move	

219	4.14	1 Purposive productive reasons: to take another job; to get nearer work
801	15.16	2 Purposive consumptive reasons: more or less space; less rent; better neighborhood; want to own a home; better house; get married
233	4.41	3 Response to outside events (involuntary reasons): DU coming down; being evicted; armed services, etc.; health reasons
184	3.48	4 Ambiguous or mixed reasons: to save money; all my old neighbors moved away
60	1.14	9 NA; DK

**V3112 "WTR MIGHT MOVE"**

NUM(1.0)

C8. Do you think you might move in the next couple of years?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,760	33.30		1	Yes; might, hope to	
3,439	65.07		5	No	
66	1.25		8	DK	
20	.38		9	NA	

**V3113 "WHY MIGHT MOVE"**

NUM(1.0)

C9. Why might you move?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,525	66.70		0	Inap.:	does not plan to move
275	5.20		1	Purposive productive reasons:	to take another job; to get nearer work
1,090	20.62		2	Purposive consumptive reasons:	more or less space; less rent; better neighborhood; better house; want to own home; get married
156	2.95		3	Response to outside events (involuntary reasons):	DU coming down; being evicted; armed services, etc.; health reasons
206	3.90		4	Ambiguous or mixed reasons:	to save money; all my old neighbors moved away
33	.62		9	NA; DK	

**V3114 "EMPLOYMENT STATUS"**

NUM(1.0)

D1. We would like to know about your (HEAD's) present job - are you (HEAD) working now, looking for work, retired, a housewife, or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,845	72.75		1	Working now, or only temporarily laid off	
149	2.82		2	Looking for work, unemployed	
766	14.49		3	Retired, permanently disabled	
440	8.33		4	Housewife	
83	1.57		5	Student	

2 .04 6 Other

**V3115 "HDS OCCUPATION(E)"**

**NUM(1.0)**

D2. What is your main occupation?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,440	27.25		0	Inap.: not in labor force at all in 1972, retired (includes students and housewives who did no work last year and are working); permanently disabled or not in labor force and did no work last year	
493	9.33		1	Professional, technical and kindred workers	
311	5.88		2	Managers, officials and proprietors	
141	2.67		3	Self-employed businessmen	
552	10.44		4	Clerical and sales workers	
624	11.81		5	Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred workers	
868	16.42		6	Operatives and kindred workers	
639	12.09		7	Laborers and service workers, farm laborers	
86	1.63		8	Farmers and farm managers	
131	2.48		9	Miscellaneous (armed services, protective service workers), unemployed last year but looking for work; NA	

**V3115\_A "OCCUPATION OF HEAD 73" NUM(3.0)**

D2. What is your main occupation? (What sort of work do you do?)

D3. Tell me a little more about what you do.

E6. What sort of work did you do on your last job? (What was your occupation?)

F3. What sort of work did you do when you worked? (What was your occupation?)

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,548	29.29	0	Inap.: not eligible for retroactive coding
439	8.31	1 - 195	Professional, Technical, and Kindred Workers
422	7.98	201 - 245	Managers and Administrators, Except Farm
146	2.76	260 - 285	Sales Workers
354	6.70	301 - 395	Clerical and Kindred Workers
668	12.64	401 - 600	Craftsmen and Kindred Workers
473	8.95	601 - 695	Operatives, Except Transport
196	3.71	701 - 715	Transport Equipment Operatives
277	5.24	740 - 785	Laborers, Except Farm
90	1.70	801 - 802	Farmers and Farm Managers
63	1.19	821 - 824	Farm Laborers and Farm Foremen
490	9.27	901 - 965	Service Workers, Except Private Household
100	1.89	980 - 984	Private Household Workers
19	.36	999	NA; DK

## V3116 "HDS INDUSTRY(E)"

NUM(2.0)

D3a. What kind of business is that in?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
1,442	27.28		0	Inap.: unemployed, retired, housewife, student
158	2.99		11	Agriculture, forestry and fishing
17	.32		21	Mining and extraction
111	2.10		30	Metal industries
149	2.82		31	Machinery, including electrical
152	2.88		32	Motor vehicles and other transportation equipment
159	3.01		33	Other durables
7	.13		34	Durables, NA what
83	1.57		40	Food and kindred products
6	.11		41	Tobacco manufacturing
95	1.80		42	Textile mill products, apparel and other fabricated textile products, shoes
26	.49		43	Paper and allied products
86	1.63		44	Chemical and allied products, petroleum and coal products, rubber and miscellaneous plastic products
57	1.08		45	Other nondurables
2	.04		46	Nondurables, NA what
20	.38		49	Manufacturing, NA whether durable or nondurable
336	6.36		51	Construction
180	3.41		55	Transportation
49	.93		56	Communication
83	1.57		57	Other public utilities
417	7.89		61	Retail trade
75	1.42		62	Wholesale trade
57	1.08		69	Trade, NA whether wholesale or retail
168	3.18		71	Finance, insurance and real estate
96	1.82		81	Repair service
53	1.00		82	Business services
173	3.27		83	Personal services
23	.44		84	Amusement, recreation, and related services
62	1.17		85	Printing, publishing and allied services
173	3.27		86	Medical and dental and health services, whether public or private
270	5.11		87	Educational services, whether public or private

107	2.02	88 Professional and related services other than medical or educational
83	1.57	91 Armed services
233	4.41	92 Government, other than medical or educational services; NA whether other
77	1.46	99 NA; DK

**V3116\_A "INDUSTRY OF HEAD 73" NUM(3.0)**

D3a. What kind of business is that in?

E6a. What kind of business was that in?

F3a. What kind of business is that in?

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1,548	29.29	0	Inap.:	not eligible for retroactive coding	
179	3.39	17 - 28		Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries	
24	.45	47 - 57		Mining	
343	6.49	67 - 77		Construction	
933	17.65	107 - 398		Manufacturing	
252	4.77	407 - 479		Transportation, Communications, and Other Public Utilities	
578	10.94	507 - 698		Wholesale and Retail Trade	
162	3.07	707 - 718		Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate	
122	2.31	727 - 759		Business and Repair Services	
242	4.58	769 - 798		Personal Services	

29	.55	807 - 809	Entertainment and Recreation Services
598	11.32	828 - 897	Professional and Related Services
236	4.47	907 - 937	Public Administration
39	.74	999	NA; DK

**V3117 "WORK FOR SELF?(E)"** NUM(1.0)

D4. Do you work for someone else, yourself, or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
1,440	27.25		0	Inap.: unemployed, retired, housewife, student
3,401	64.35		1	Someone else
88	1.67		2	Both someone else and self
334	6.32		3	Self only
22	.42		9	NA; DK

**V3118 "LENGTH OF EMPLOY(E)"** NUM(1.0)

D5. How long have you had this job?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
1,440	27.25		0	Inap.: unemployed, retired, housewife, student
803	15.19		1	Less than 1 year
334	6.32		2	One year but less than 19 months (1 - 1-1/2 years)
646	12.22		3	Over 1-1/2 to 3-1/2 years
1,016	19.22		4	Over 3-1/2 to 9-1/2 years
578	10.94		5	Over 9-1/2 to 19-1/2 years
435	8.23		6	Over 19-1/2 years
33	.62		9	NA; DK

**V3119 "HAPPND PREV JOB(E)"** NUM(1.0)

D6. What happened to the job you had before - did the company fold, were you laid off - or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,495	85.05		0	Inap.: unemployed, retired, housewife, student; has had job for 1 year or more
57	1.08		1	Company folded/changed hands/moved out of town; employer died/went out of business
1	.02		2	Strike; lockout
126	2.38		3	Laid off; fired
421	7.97		4	Quit; resigned; retired; pregnant; needed more money; just wanted a change in jobs; promotion; still has previous job (in addition to the job in D2)
54	1.02		5	First full time or permanent job Head ever had; wasn't working before this
14	.26		6	Was self-employed before

41	.78	7 Other - (including drafted into service or any mention of service)
21	.40	8 Job was completed; seasonal work; was a temporary job
55	1.04	9 NA; DK

**V3120 "JOB NOW PAY MORE(E)"** NUM(1.0)

D7. Does your present job pay more than the one you had before?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,550	86.09		0	Inap.: first job; been on job more than one year; unemployed, retired, housewife, student
452	8.55		1	Yes, more
253	4.79		5	No, same or less
30	.57		9	NA; DK

**V3121 "JOB NOW BETTER?(E)"** NUM(1.0)

D8. On the whole, would you say your present job is better or worse than the one you had before?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,550	86.09		0	Inap.: first job; been on job more than one year; unemployed, retired, housewife, student
552	10.44		1	Better
84	1.59		3	Same; pro-con
77	1.46		5	Worse
22	.42		9	NA; DK

**V3122 "WHY JOB NOW BETR(E)"** NUM(1.0)

D9. Why is that? (Frame of reference)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,636	87.72		0	Inap.: present job is same as previous job; unemployed; retired, housewife, student; first job; been on job more than one year
197	3.73		1	Better/worse pay
60	1.14		2	More/less steady work; more/less work hours
28	.53		3	Better/worse opportunity for advancement; any mention of training program
35	.66		4	Better/worse pension or social security program; any mention of "fringe benefits," vacations
68	1.29		5	More/less closely related to my field/area/skill; the type of thing that I like to do
193	3.65		6	More/less pleasant working conditions; better/worse work hours
10	.19		7	Better/worse than armed services (or any mention thereof)
30	.57		8	Other
28	.53		9	NA; DK

**V3123 "WTR VACATION (E)"** NUM(1.0)

D10. Did you take any vacation during 1972?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,440	27.25		0	Inap.:	unemployed; retired, housewife, student
2,612	49.42		1	Yes	
1,229	23.25		5	No	
4	.08		9	NA; DK	

**V3124 "WKS VACATION (E)"** NUM(2.0)

D11. How much vacation did you take?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,673	50.58		0	Inap.:	none; unemployed, retired, housewife, student
640	12.11		1	One week or less	
1,962	37.12	2 - 52		Actual number of weeks	
10	.19		99	NA; DK	

**V3125 "WTR ILL (E)"** NUM(1.0)

D12. Did you miss any work in 1972 because you were sick, or because someone else in the family was sick?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,440	27.25		0	Inap.:	unemployed, retired, housewife, student
1,674	31.67		1	Yes	
2,165	40.96		5	No	
6	.11		99	NA; DK	

**V3126 "WKS ILL (E)"** NUM(2.0)

D13. How much work did you miss?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,611	68.33		0	Inap.:	none; unemployed, retired, housewife, student
1,003	18.98		1	One week or less	
667	12.62	2 - 52		Actual number of weeks	
4	.08		99	NA; DK	

**V3127 "WTR UNEMP (E)"** NUM(1.0)

D14. Did you miss any work in 1972 because you were unemployed or on strike?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,440	27.25		0	Inap.:	retired, housewife, student
618	11.69		1	Yes	
3,220	60.93		5	No	
7	.13		99	NA; DK	

**V3128 "WKS UNEMP (E)"** NUM(2.0)  
 D15. How much work did you miss?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,666	88.29		0	Inap.:	none; unemployed, retired, housewife, student
54	1.02		1	One week or less	
544	10.29	2 - 52		Actual number of weeks	
21	.40		99	NA; DK	

**V3129 "WKS WORKED (E)"** NUM(2.0)  
 D16. Then, how many weeks did you actually work on your main job in 1972?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,458	27.59		0	Inap.:	none; unemployed, retired, housewife, student
-	-		1	One week or less	
3,789	71.69	2 - 52		Actual number of weeks	
38	.72		99	NA; DK	

**V3130 "HRS/WK WRKD (E)"** NUM(2.0)  
 D17. And, on the average, HOW MANY hours a week did you work on your main job last year?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,460	27.63		0	Inap.:	none; unemployed, retired, housewife, student
-	-		1	One hour or less	
3,759	71.13	2 - 97		Actual number of hours	
5	.09		98	Ninety-eight hours or more	
61	1.15		99	NA; DK	

**V3131 "WTR GETS OTIME (E)"** NUM(1.0)  
 D20. If you were to work more hours than usual during some week, would you get paid for those extra hours of work?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,442	27.28		0	Inap.:	unemployed, retired, housewife, student
2,216	41.93		1	Yes	
1,555	29.42		5	No	
72	1.36		9	NA; DK	

**V3132 "HRLY RATE-OTIME"** NUM(4.2)  
 D21. What would be your hourly rate for that overtime?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,864	35.27	.01 - 9.97		Actual amount per hour	
3,078	58.24		.00	Inap.:	would not get paid; unemployed, retired, housewife, student
90	1.70		9.98	\$9.98 per hour or more	

253 4.79 9.99 NA

**V3133 "WTR HRLY WAGE (E)"****NUM(1.0)**

D22. Do you have an hourly wage rate for your regular work?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
3,732	70.61		0	Inap.: gets paid for extra hours of work; unemployed, retired, housewife, student
239	4.52		1	Yes
1,294	24.48		5	No
20	.38		9	NA; DK

**V3134 "HRLY WAGE (E)"****NUM(4.2)**

D23. What is your hourly wage rate for your regular work time?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
2,187	41.38	.01 - 9.97		Actual amount per hour
2,954	55.89	.00		Inap.: does not have hourly wage; unemployed, retired, housewife, student
17	.32	9.98		\$9.98 per hour or more
127	2.40	9.99		NA

**V3135 "WTR EXTRA JOBS (E)"****NUM(1.0)**

D24. Did you have any extra jobs or other ways of making money in addition to your main job in 1972?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
1,443	27.30		0	Inap.: unemployed, retired, housewife, student
720	13.62		1	Yes
3,117	58.98		5	No
5	.09		9	NA; DK

**V3136 "OCC-EXTRA JOB (E)"****NUM(1.0)**

D25. What did you do?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,565	86.38		0	Inap.: "No" to D24; unemployed, retired, housewife, student
105	1.99		1	Professional and technical workers
21	.40		2	Managers and officials
29	.55		3	Self-employed businessmen
90	1.70		4	Clerical and sales workers
114	2.16		5	Craftsmen and foremen
77	1.46		6	Operatives
150	2.84		7	Unskilled laborers and service workers
51	.96		8	Farmers and farm managers

83 1.57 9 Miscellaneous; NA; DK

**V3137 "TOT # EXTRA JOBS(E)"** NUM(1.0)  
 D24, D26. Anything else?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,567	86.41		0	Inap.: no extra jobs; unemployed, retired, housewife, student	
603	11.41		1	One extra job	
67	1.27		2	Two extra jobs	
9	.17		3	Three extra jobs	
1	.02		4	Four extra jobs	
2	.04		5	Five extra jobs	
-	-		6	Six extra jobs	
-	-		7	Seven extra jobs	
-	-		8	Eight or more extra jobs	
36	.68		9	NA; DK	

**V3138 "PAY/HR XTRA JOB"** NUM(4.2)  
 D27. About how much did you make per hour at this?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
420	7.95	.01 - 9.97		Actual amount per hour	
4,575	86.57	.00		Inap.: "No" to D24; unemployed, retired, housewife, student	
30	.57	9.98		\$9.98 per hour or more	
260	4.92	9.99		NA	

**V3139 "WKS XTRA JOB (E)"** NUM(2.0)  
 D28. And how many weeks did you work on your extra job(s) in 1972?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,565	86.38		0	Inap.: none; unemployed, retired, housewife, student; no second job	
27	.51		1	One week or less	
527	9.97	2 - 52		Actual number of weeks	
166	3.14	99		NA; DK	

**V3140 "HRS/WK XTRA JOB"** NUM(2.0)  
 D29. On the average, how many hours a week did you work on your extra job(s)?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,565	86.38		0	Inap.: none; unemployed, retired, housewife, student; no extra jobs	
7	.13		1	One hour or less	
537	10.16	2 - 97		Actual number of hours	

176 3.33 99 NA; DK

**V3141 "COULD WRK MORE?(E)"****NUM(1.0)**

D30. Was there more work available on (your job) (any of your jobs) so that you could have worked more if you had wanted to?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
1,444	27.32	0	Inap.:	unemployed, retired, housewife, student
1,426	26.98	1	Yes	
2,377	44.98	5	No or DK	
38	.72	9	NA	

**V3142 "WANT WRK MORE? (E)"****NUM(1.0)**

D31. Would you have liked to work more if you could have found more work?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
2,872	54.34	0	Inap.:	more work available; unemployed, retired, housewife, student
886	16.76	1	Yes	
1,449	27.42	5	No	
78	1.48	9	NA; DK	

**V3143 "COULD WRK LESS?(E)"****NUM(1.0)**

D32. Could you have worked less if you had wanted to?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
2,330	44.09	0	Inap.:	would have liked more work; unemployed, retired, housewife, student
1,244	23.54	1	Yes	
1,636	30.96	5	No	
75	1.42	9	NA; DK	

**V3144 "WANT WRK LESS? (E)"****NUM(1.0)**

D33. Would you have preferred to work less even if you had earned less money?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
3,585	67.83	0	Inap.:	could have worked less; "Yes" to D32; unemployed, retired, housewife, student
198	3.75	1	Yes	
1,407	26.62	5	No	
95	1.80	9	NA; DK	

**V3145 "# MI TO WRK (E)"****NUM(2.0)**

D35. About how many miles is it to where you work (one way)?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
1,737	32.87	0	Inap.:	"None" to D34; doesn't travel to work unemployed, retired, housewife, student

563	10.65	1 One mile or less
2,879	54.47	2 - 97 Actual number of hours
9	.17	98 Ninety-eight miles or more
97	1.84	99 NA; DK

**V3146 "DRIVE TO WORK OR?"**

**NUM(1.0)**

D36. Do you use public transportation to get to work, have a car pool, drive by yourself, walk, what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
1,738	32.89		0	Inap.: doesn't travel to work; unemployed, retired, housewife, student
388	7.34		1	Public transportation
255	4.82		2	Car pool
2,581	48.84		3	Drives (by self or with member of FU)
176	3.33		4	Walk
128	2.42		7	Other
19	.36		9	NA; DK

**V3147 "THINK NEW JOB OR?"**

**NUM(1.0)**

D37. Have you been thinking about getting a new job, or will you keep the job you have now?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
1,443	27.30		0	Inap.: unemployed, retired, housewife, student
499	9.44		1	Thinking about getting a new job
3,291	62.27		5	Keep job have now
52	.98		9	NA; DK

**V3148 "OCCUP-HEAD (U)"**

**NUM(1.0)**

E1. What kind of job are you looking for?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,138	97.22		0	Inap.: not in labor force; employed, retired, housewife, student
7	.13		1	Professional and technical workers
1	.02		2	Managers and officials
1	.02		3	Self-employed businessmen
27	.51		4	Clerical and sales workers
16	.30		5	Craftsmen and foremen
18	.34		6	Operatives
41	.78		7	Unskilled laborers and service workers
2	.04		8	Farmers and farm managers, ranchers
34	.64		9	Miscellaneous; NA; DK

**V3149 "PAY/HR SOUGHT-U"****NUM(4.2)**

E2. How much might you earn?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
135	2.55	.01 - 9.97		Actual amount per hour
5,137	97.20	.00		Inap.: employed, retired, housewife, student
-	-	9.98		\$9.98 per hour or more
13	.25	9.99		NA

**V3150 "TRAINING NEEDED?(U)"****NUM(1.0)**

E3. Will you have to get any training to qualify?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,137	97.20		0	Inap.: employed, retired, housewife, student
17	.32		1	Yes, and mentions the explicit training needed, or that he is getting trained (R is quite aware of what is involved in getting the new job)
15	.28		2	Yes, but does not mention what
7	.13		3	Might, may be helpful (R is a little vague about the whole thing)
108	2.04		5	No
1	.02		8	DK
-	-		9	NA

**V3151 "HOW FIND JOB (U)"****NUM(1.0)**

E4. What have you been doing to find a job?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,137	97.20		0	Inap.: employed, retired, housewife, student
5	.09		1	Mentions going to school, training for a position, studying for an exam (Definite overt action toward learning a specific job type)
112	2.12		2	Mentions looking for a job, going to employment office, going to union officer, made applications (Specific action, but the job type unclear); the actual search process of getting a job
9	.17		3	Vague response, have a few feelers out, been looking into it (Not very actively looking for a job)
22	.42		5	Nothing
-	-		9	NA; DK

**V3152 "# PLACES LOOKED(U)"****NUM(1.0)**

E5. How many places have you been to in the last few weeks to find out about a job?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,168	97.79		0	Inap.: none; employed, retired, housewife, student
10	.19		1	One

17	.32	2 Two
21	.40	3 Three
16	.30	4 Four
49	.93	5 Five or more
4	.08	9 NA; DK

**V3153 "OCC-PREV JOB (U)"**

NUM(1.0)

E6. What sort of work did you do on your last job?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,139	97.24		0	Inap.:	not in labor force; employed, retired, housewife, student
7	.13		1	Professional and technical workers	
2	.04		2	Managers and officials	
1	.02		3	Self-employed businessmen	
22	.42		4	Clerical and sales workers	
20	.38		5	Craftsmen and foremen	
32	.61		6	Operatives	
55	1.04		7	Unskilled laborers and service workers	
2	.04		8	Farmers and farm managers, ranchers	
5	.09		9	Miscellaneous; NA; DK	

**V3154 "IND-PREV JOB (U)"**

NUM(2.0)

E6a. What kind of business was that in?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,139	97.24		0	Inap.:	employed, retired, housewife, student
3	.06		11	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	
-	-		21	Mining and extraction	
3	.06		30	Metal industries	
4	.08		31	Machinery, including electrical	
5	.09		32	Motor vehicles and other transportation equipment	
5	.09		33	Other durables	
-	-		34	Durables, NA what	
4	.08		40	Food and kindred products	
-	-		41	Tobacco manufacturing	
2	.04		42	Textile mill products, apparel and other fabricated textile products, shoes	
-	-		43	Paper and allied products	
2	.04		44	Chemical and allied products, petroleum and coal products, rubber and miscellaneous plastic products	

3	.06	45 Other nondurables
-	-	46 Nondurables, NA what
-	-	49 Manufacturing, NA whether durable or nondurable
13	.25	51 Construction
4	.08	55 Transportation
1	.02	56 Communication
1	.02	57 Other public utilities
25	.47	61 Retail trade
4	.08	62 Wholesale trade
-	-	69 Trade, NA whether wholesale or retail
5	.09	71 Finance, insurance and real estate
3	.06	81 Repair service
-	-	82 Business services
25	.47	83 Personal services
-	-	84 Amusement, recreation, and related services
1	.02	85 Printing, publishing and allied services
11	.21	86 Medical and dental and health services, whether public or private
8	.15	87 Educational services, whether public or private
3	.06	88 Professional and related services other than medical or educational
3	.06	91 Armed services
4	.08	92 Government, other than medical or educational services; NA whether other
4	.08	99 NA; DK

**V3155 "HAPPND PREV JOB (U)"**

**NUM(1.0)**

E6b. What happened to that job - did the company fold, were you laid off, or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,139	97.24		0		Inap.: not in labor force; employed, retired, housewife, student
16	.30		1		Company folded/changed hands/moved out of town; employer died/went out of business
-	-		2		Strike; lockout
52	.98		3		Laid off; fired
61	1.15		4		Quit; resigned; retired; pregnant; just wanted to change jobs
-	-		5		Wasn't working before this
-	-		6		Was self-employed before

5	.09	7 Other - (including drafted into service or any mention of service)
8	.15	8 Job was completed; seasonal work
4	.08	9 NA; DK

**V3156 "WKS WRKD (U)"** NUM(2.0)

E7. How many weeks did you work in 1972?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,153	97.50		0	Inap.: none; employed, retired, housewife, student
3	.06		1	One week or less
122	2.31	2 - 52		Actual number of weeks
7	.13		99	NA; DK

**V3157 "HRS/WK WRKD (U)"** NUM(2.0)

E8. About how many hours a week did you work when you worked?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,153	97.50		0	Inap.: none; did not work; employed, retired, housewife, student
-	-		1	One hour or less
125	2.37	2 - 97		Actual number of hours
-	-		98	Ninety-eight hours or more
7	.13		99	NA; DK

**V3158 "WKS ILL (U)"** NUM(2.0)

E9. How many weeks were in sick in 1972?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,224	98.85		0	Inap.: none; employed, retired, housewife, student
17	.32		1	One week or less
37	.70	2 - 52		Actual number of weeks
7	.13		99	NA; DK

**V3159 "WKS UNEMP (U)"** NUM(2.0)

E10. Then how many weeks were you unemployed or laid off in 1972?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,181	98.03		0	Inap.: none; employed, retired, housewife, student
-	-		1	One week or less
96	1.82	2 - 52		Actual number of weeks
8	.15		99	NA; DK

**V3160 "# MI TO WRK (U)"** NUM(2.0)  
 E13. About how many miles was it to where you worked (one way)?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,159	97.62		0	Inap.: none; did not work; employed, retired, housewife, student	
23	.44		1	One mile or less	
95	1.80	2 - 97		Actual number of miles	
-	-		98	Ninety-eight miles or more	
8	.15		99	NA; DK	

**V3161 "DRIVE TO WRK OR?(U)"** NUM(1.0)  
 E14. Did you use public transportation to get to work, have a car pool, drive by yourself, walk, or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,159	97.62		0	Inap.: did not travel to work; "None" to E12; employed, retired, housewife, student	
24	.45		1	Public transportation	
16	.30		2	Car Pool	
58	1.10		3	Drove	
13	.25		4	Walked	
13	.25		7	Other	
2	.04		9	NA; DK	

**V3162 "JOBS NOT WORTHY?(U)"** NUM(1.0)  
 E15. Are there jobs available around here that just aren't worth taking?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,137	97.20		0	Inap.: employed, retired, housewife, student	
88	1.67		1	Yes	
53	1.00		5	No	
5	.09		8	DK	
2	.04		9	NA	

**V3163 "PAY/HR BAD JOB"** NUM(4.2)  
 E16. How much do they pay?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
85	1.61	.01 - 9.97		Actual amount per hour	
5,197	98.33		.00	Inap.: aren't any jobs not worth taking; employed, retired, housewife, student	
1	.02		9.98	\$9.98 per hour or more	
2	.04		9.99	NA	

**V3164 "MOVE FOR JOB? (U)"****NUM(1.0)**

E17. Would you be willing to move to another community if you could get a good job there?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,137	97.20		0	Inap.:	employed, retired, housewife, student
108	2.04		1	Yes, maybe, or depends	
38	.72		5	No	
2	.04		9	NA; DK	

**V3165 "PAY/HR TO MOVE"****NUM(4.2)**

E18. How much would a job have to pay for you to be willing to move?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
101	1.91	.01 - 9.97			Actual amount per hour
5,177	97.96		.00	Inap.:	would not move; employed, retired, housewife, student
1	.02		9.98	\$9.98	per hour or more
6	.11		9.99	NA	

**V3166 "WHY NOT MOVE (U)"****NUM(1.0)**

E19. Why is that?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,248	99.30		0	Inap.:	would move; unemployed, retired, housewife, student
1	.02		1	Age and health:	Too old to move; near retirement; health/disability
6	.11		2	Financial, potentially financial:	My business is here; things are good here; make enough money here; job benefits good; too expensive to move; other references to non-job related expenses; plan to go to college here
3	.06		3	Home ownership:	Own/buying my home; cannot sell my home
26	.49		4	Family, location ties:	Like my job; satisfied; like it here; don't want to leave location/family/ friends/ neighbors, etc.; established here; have roots here; been here too long; born and raised here
-	-		5	Don't like to move:	Tired of moving; just moved; "not going to move."
-	-		7	Other	
1	.02		9	NA; DK	

**V3167 "WRKD LAST YR? (R)"****NUM(1.0)**

F1. During the last year (1972) did you (HEAD) do any work for money?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,002	75.72		0	Inap.:	employed, unemployed
354	6.70		1	Yes	

929	17.58	5 No
-	-	9 NA; DK

**V3168 "WILL WORK?(R)"** NUM(1.0)

F2. Are you thinking about going to work?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,356	82.42		0	Inap.: did work in 1972; employed, looking for work
104	1.97		1	Yes
819	15.50		5	No
6	.11		9	NA; DK

**V3169 "OCC-HEAD (R)"** NUM(1.0)

F3. What kind of work did you do when you worked (what was your occupation?)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,930	93.28		0	Inap.: not in labor force; employed, unemployed
40	.76		1	Professional and technical workers
14	.26		2	Managers and officials
5	.09		3	Self-employed businessmen
41	.78		4	Clerical and sales workers
41	.78		5	Craftsmen and foremen
50	.95		6	Operatives
124	2.35		7	Unskilled laborers and service workers
17	.32		8	Farmers and farm managers
23	.44		9	Miscellaneous; NA; DK

**V3170 "IND-HEAD (R)"** NUM(2.0)

F3a. What kind of business was that in?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,931	93.30		0	Inap.: employed, unemployed
28	.53		11	Agriculture, forestry and fishing
1	.02		21	Mining and extraction
1	.02		30	Metal industries
3	.06		31	Machinery, including electrical
9	.17		32	Motor vehicles and other transportation equipment
6	.11		33	Other durables
-	-		34	Durables, NA what
5	.09		40	Food and kindred products
-	-		41	Tobacco manufacturing

4	.08	42 Textile mill products, apparel and other fabricated textile products, shoes
-	-	43 Paper and allied products
2	.04	44 Chemical and allied products, petroleum and coal products, rubber and miscellaneous plastic products
1	.02	45 Other nondurables
-	-	46 Nondurables, NA what
-	-	49 Manufacturing, NA whether durable or nondurable
30	.57	51 Construction
3	.06	55 Transportation
-	-	56 Communication
3	.06	57 Other public utilities
50	.95	61 Retail trade
5	.09	62 Wholesale trade
2	.04	69 Trade, NA whether wholesale or retail
8	.15	71 Finance, insurance and real estate
4	.08	81 Repair service
6	.11	82 Business services
80	1.51	83 Personal services
4	.08	84 Amusement, recreation, and related services
4	.08	85 Printing, publishing and allied services
16	.30	86 Medical and dental and health services, whether public or private
27	.51	87 Educational services, whether public or private
17	.32	88 Professional and related services other than medical or educational
5	.09	91 Armed services
13	.25	92 Government, other than medical or educational services; NA whether other
17	.32	99 NA; DK

V3171 "WKS WRKD (R)"

NUM(2.0)

F4. How many weeks did you work last year?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,929	93.26		0	Inap.:	none; not in labor force; employed, unemployed
5	.09		1	One week or less	
289	5.47	2 - 52		Actual number of weeks	
62	1.17		99	NA; DK	

**V3172 "HRS/WK WRKD (R)"****NUM(2.0)**

F5. About how many hours a week did you work (when you worked)?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,929	93.26		0	Inap.:	none; not in labor force; employed, unemployed
2	.04		1	One hour or less	
289	5.47	2 - 97		Actual number of hours	
-	-		98	Ninety-eight hours or more	
65	1.23		99	NA; DK	

**V3173 "MIGHT CHG JOB? (R)"****NUM(1.0)**

F6. Are you thinking of getting a new job in the next year or so?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,932	93.32		0	Inap.:	not in labor force; employed; unemployed
96	1.82		1	Yes	
217	4.11		5	No	
40	.76		9	NA; DK	

**V3174 "TYPE NEW JOB (R)"****NUM(1.0)**

F7. What kind of job do you have in mind?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,086	96.23		0	Inap.:	"No" to question F2 or F6; employed, unemployed
136	2.57		1	Mentions some explicit job or type of work, e.g.,	machinist, computer programmer, secretarial work, management position
1	.02		2	Self-employment with mention of explicit type of work/field/area	
33	.62		3	Mentions broad type of work, e.g., hospital work, job at the factory or school	
-	-		4	Self-employment with no mention of any explicit type of work	
11	.21		5	Does not mention any broad or explicit kind of work; mentions only company name(s)	
18	.34		9	NA; DK	

**V3175 "PAY/HR NEW JOB"****NUM(4.2)**

F8. How much might you earn?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
149	2.82	.01 - 9.97		Actual amount per hour	
5,086	96.23		.00	Inap.:	has no work in mind; employed, unemployed
4	.08		9.98	\$9.98	per hour or more
46	.87		9.99	NA	

**V3176 "TRAINING NEEDED?(R)"**

NUM(1.0)

F9. Would you have to get any training to qualify

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,086	96.23		0	Inap.: has no work in mind; employed, unemployed
47	.89		1	Yes, and mentions the explicit training needed; or that he is getting trained (R is quite aware of what is involved in getting the new job)
35	.66		2	Yes, but does not mention what
7	.13		3	Might, may be helpful (R is a little vague about the whole thing)
92	1.74		5	No
4	.08		8	DK
14	.26		9	NA

**V3177 "HOW FIND JOB (R)"**

NUM(1.0)

F10. What have you been doing to find a job?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,087	96.25		0	Inap.: no work in mind; employed, unemployed
16	.30		1	Mentions going to school; training for a position; studying for an exam; taking an exam (Very definite overt action toward learning a specific job type)
49	.93		2	Mentions looking for a job; going to employment office/union officer; made applications (Specific action, but the job type unclear); the actual search process of getting a job
10	.19		3	Vague response; have a few feelers out; been looking into it (Not very actively looking for a job)
113	2.14		5	Nothing
10	.19		9	NA; DK

**V3178 "# PLAC LOOKED (R)"**

NUM(1.0)

F11. How many places have you been to in the last few weeks to find out about a job?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,223	98.83		0	Inap.: none; has no work in mind; employed, unemployed
17	.32		1	One
15	.28		2	Two
6	.11		3	Three
-	-		4	Four
13	.25		5	Five or more
11	.21		9	NA; DK

**V3179 "JOBS NOT WORTHY?(R)"** NUM(1.0)

F12. Are there jobs around here that just aren't worth taking?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,088	96.27		0	Inap.:	has no work in mind; employed, unemployed
84	1.59		1	Yes	
69	1.31		5	No	
19	.36		8	DK	
25	.47		9	NA	

**V3180 "PAY/HR BAD JOB"** NUM(4.2)

F13. How much do they pay?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
69	1.31	.01 - 9.97			Actual amount per hour
5,202	98.43		.00	Inap.:	"no" to F12; employed, unemployed
-	-		9.98		\$9.98 per hour or more
14	.26		9.99	NA	

**V3181 "MARRITAL STATUS-HD"** NUM(1.0)

G1. Are you married, single, widowed, divorced, or separated?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,305	62.54		1	Married	
572	10.82		2	Single	
612	11.58		3	Widowed	
396	7.49		4	Divorced	
400	7.57		5	Separated	

**V3182 "WIFE WRK?"** NUM(1.0)

G2. Did your Wife do any work for money in 1972?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,010	38.03		0	Inap.:	no Wife present
1,731	32.75		1	Yes	
1,543	29.20		5	No	
1	.02		9	NA; DK	

**V3183 "OCCUPATION-WIFE"** NUM(1.0)

G3. What kind of work did she do?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,554	67.25		0	Inap.:	no Wife; Wife did not work
245	4.64		1		Professional and technical workers

41	.78	2 Managers and officials
11	.21	3 Self-employed businesswomen
614	11.62	4 Clerical and sales workers
20	.38	5 Craftsmen and foremen
296	5.60	6 Operatives
465	8.80	7 Unskilled laborers and service workers
5	.09	8 Farmers and farm managers, ranchers
34	.64	9 Miscellaneous; NA; DK

V3183\_A "OCCUPATION OF WIFE" 73" NUM(3.0)

G3. 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.*

*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.*

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,902	73.83		0		Inap.: no Wife; not eligible for retroactive coding
172	3.25	1 - 195			Professional, Technical, and Kindred Workers
48	.91	201 - 245			Managers and Administrators, Except Farm
78	1.48	260 - 285			Sales Workers
376	7.11	301 - 395			Clerical and Kindred Workers
15	.28	401 - 600			Craftsmen and Kindred Workers
264	5.00	601 - 695			Operatives, Except Transport
11	.21	701 - 715			Transport Equipment Operatives

12	.23	740 - 785	Laborers, Except Farm
3	.06	801 - 802	Farmers and Farm Managers
18	.34	821 - 824	Farm Laborers and Farm Foremen
304	5.75	901 - 965	Service Workers, Except Private Household
68	1.29	980 - 984	Private Household Workers
14	.26	999	NA; DK

## V3184 "INDUSTRY-WIFE"

NUM(2.0)

G4. What kind of business is that in?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,554	67.25		0	Inap.: no Wife; Wife did not work	
31	.59		11	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	
2	.04		21	Mining and extraction	
14	.26		30	Metal industries	
44	.83		31	Machinery, including electrical	
15	.28		32	Motor vehicles and other transportation equipment	
21	.40		33	Other durables	
-	-		34	Durables, NA what	
30	.57		40	Food and kindred products	
3	.06		41	Tobacco manufacturing	
134	2.54		42	Textile mill products, apparel and other fabricated textile products, shoes	
7	.13		43	Paper and allied products	
20	.38		44	Chemical and allied products, petroleum and coal products, rubber and miscellaneous plastic products	
30	.57		45	Other nondurables	
-	-		46	Nondurables, NA what	
12	.23		49	Manufacturing, NA whether durable or nondurable	
8	.15		51	Construction	
14	.26		55	Transportation	
33	.62		56	Communication	
5	.09		57	Other public utilities	
284	5.37		61	Retail trade	
15	.28		62	Wholesale trade	
7	.13		69	Trade, NA whether wholesale or retail	
104	1.97		71	Finance, insurance and real estate	
4	.08		81	Repair service	

29	.55	82 Business services
213	4.03	83 Personal services
7	.13	84 Amusement, recreation, and related services
25	.47	85 Printing, publishing and allied services
201	3.80	86 Medical and dental and health services, whether public or private
259	4.90	87 Educational services, whether public or private
46	.87	88 Professional and related services other than medical or educational
2	.04	91 Armed services
70	1.32	92 Government, other than medical or educational services; NA whether other
42	.79	99 NA; DK

**V3184\_A "INDUSTRY OF WIFE 73" NUM(3.0)**

G4. What kind of business is that in?

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
3,902	73.83	0	Inap.: no Wife; not eligible for retroactive coding
22	.42	17 - 28	Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries
2	.04	47 - 57	Mining
6	.11	67 - 77	Construction
299	5.66	107 - 398	Manufacturing

46	.87	407 - 479	Transportation, Communications, and Other Public Utilities
252	4.77	507 - 698	Wholesale and Retail Trade
73	1.38	707 - 718	Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate
27	.51	727 - 759	Business and Repair Services
176	3.33	769 - 798	Personal Services
7	.13	807 - 809	Entertainment and Recreation Services
401	7.59	828 - 897	Professional and Related Services
48	.91	907 - 937	Public Administration
24	.45	999	NA; DK

**V3185 "WKS WRKD-WIFE"**

NUM(2.0)

G5. About how many weeks did she work last year?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
3,554	67.25	0	Inap.	Wife did not work; no Wife
14	.26	1		One week or less
1,671	31.62	2 - 52		Actual number of weeks
46	.87	99	NA; DK	

**V3186 "HRS/WK WRKD-WF"**

NUM(2.0)

G6. And about how many hours a week did she work?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
3,554	67.25	0	Inap.	Wife did not work; no Wife
-	-	1		One hour or less
1,669	31.58	2 - 97		Actual number of hours
1	.02	98		Ninety-eight hours or more
61	1.15	99	NA; DK	

**V3187 "COULD WRK MORE?-WF"**

NUM(1.0)

G7. Was there more work available so that your Wife could have worked more in 1972 if she had wanted to?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
3,554	67.25	0	Inap.	Wife did not work; no Wife
722	13.66	1	Yes	
972	18.39	5	No	
37	.70	9	NA; DK	

**V3188 "LIKED WRK MORE?-WF"**

NUM(1.0)

G8. Would she have liked to work more if she could have found more work?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,283	81.04	0	Inap.	Wife did not work; no Wife

253	4.79	1 Yes
702	13.28	5 No
47	.89	9 NA; DK

**V3189 "MIGHT WORK?-WIFE"****NUM(1.0)**

G10. What about the next few years? Do you think your Wife will go to work in the near future?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
3,926	74.29	0	Inap.:	Wife working; no Wife; Wife 65 or over; checked "All others" in G9
252	4.77	1	Yes	
202	3.82	3	Depends	
868	16.42	5	No	
37	.70	9	NA; DK	

**V3190 "KIDS <12 IN FU?"****NUM(1.0)**

G11. Whether children under 12 in FU

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
2,383	45.09	1	Children under 12 living in FU	
2,902	54.91	5	No children under 12	

**V3191 "H+W WORK-KID STAT"****NUM(1.0)**

G12. Employment-marital status

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
2,907	55.00	0	Inap.:	no children under 12
340	6.43	1	Single Head who worked in 1972	
898	16.99	3	Married couple with Wife who worked in 1972	
1,140	21.57	5	All others with children under 12	

**V3192 "MODE CH CARE 1ST"****NUM(1.0)**

G13. How were the children (child) taken care of while (you were) (your Wife was) working? FIRST MENTION

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,078	77.16	0	Inap.:	no children under 12; Head and/or Wife did not work in 1972
112	2.12	1	Day care center/nursery school	
268	5.07	2	Babysitter/friend/neighbor	
224	4.24	3	Head/Wife; Wife works at home; Head and Wife work split shifts	
173	3.27	4	Relatives in FU; include siblings over 12; "each other" if someone is over 12	
247	4.67	5	Relatives not (or NA whether) in FU	
24	.45	6	Selves	

113	2.14	7 Public school
2	.04	8 Other
44	.83	9 NA; DK

**V3193 "MODE CH CARE 2ND"****NUM(1.0)**

G13. How were the children (child) taken care of while (you were) (your Wife was) working? SECOND MENTION

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,959	93.83	0	Inap.: no children under 12; Head and/or Wife did not work in 1972
1	.02	1	Day care center/nursery school
12	.23	2	Babysitter/friend/neighbor
26	.49	3	Head/Wife; Wife works at home; Head and Wife work split shifts
36	.68	4	Relatives in FU; include siblings over 12; "each other" if someone is over 12
43	.81	5	Relatives not (or NA whether) in FU
9	.17	6	Selves
189	3.58	7	Public school
1	.02	8	Other
9	.17	9	NA; DK

**V3194 "MODE CH CARE 1ST & 2ND"****NUM(2.0)**

G13. How were the children (child) taken care of while (you were) (your Wife was) working? -- DOUBLE MENTION VARIABLE

*This variable combines into one variable the information from variables 3192-3193 above. For example, if R mentions 1. Day care center and 2. Babysitter, then the value for this variable would be 12*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,078	77.16	0	Inap.: no children under 12; Head and/or Wife did not work in 1972
70	1.32	10	Day care center, Inap.
9	.17	12	Day care center, babysitter
3	.06	13	Day care center, Head/Wife
5	.09	14	Day care center, relatives in FU
11	.21	15	Day care center, relatives outside FU
-	-	16	Day care center, selves
14	.26	17	Day care center, public school
-	-	18	Day care center, other
-	-	19	Day care center, NA
189	3.58	20	Babysitter, Inap.
-	-	21	Babysitter, day care center

19	.36	23 Babysitter, Head/Wife
9	.17	24 Babysitter, relatives in FU
11	.21	25 Babysitter, relatives not in FU
3	.06	26 Babysitter, Selves
37	.70	27 Babysitter, public school
-	-	28 Babysitter, other
-	-	29 Babysitter, NA
149	2.82	30 Head/Wife, Inap.
-	-	31 Head/Wife, daycare
1	.02	32 Head/Wife, babysitter
19	.36	34 Head/Wife, relatives in FU
18	.34	35 Head/Wife, relatives not in FU
3	.06	36 Head/Wife, selves
32	.61	37 Head/Wife, public school
-	-	38 Head/Wife, other
2	.04	39 Head/Wife, NA
107	2.02	40 Relatives in FU, Inap.
-	-	41 Relatives in FU, day care
1	.02	42 Relatives in FU, babysitter
-	-	43 Relatives in FU, Head/Wife
1	.02	44 Relatives in FU, Relatives in FU
3	.06	45 Relatives in FU, relatives not in FU
2	.04	46 Relatives in FU, selves
58	1.10	47 Relatives in FU, public school
-	-	48 Relatives in FU, other
1	.02	49 Relatives in FU, NA
211	3.99	50 Relatives not in FU, Inap.
-	-	51 Relatives not in FU, day care
-	-	52 Relatives not in FU, babysitter
1	.02	53 Relatives not in FU, Head/Wife
-	-	54 Relatives not in FU, relatives in FU
1	.02	56 Relatives not in FU, selves
34	.64	57 Relatives not in FU, public school
-	-	58 Relatives not in FU, others
-	-	59 Relatives not in FU, NA

10	.19	60 Selves, Inap.
-	-	61 Selves, day care
-	-	62 Selves, babysitter
-	-	63 Selves, Head/Wife
-	-	64 Selves, relatives in FU
-	-	65 Selves, relatives not in FU
14	.26	67 Selves, public school
-	-	68 Selves, other
-	-	69 Selves, NA
104	1.97	70 Public school, Inap.
1	.02	71 Public school, day care
1	.02	72 Public school, babysitter
3	.06	73 Public school, Head/Wife
2	.04	74 Public school, relatives in FU
-	-	75 Public school, relatives not in FU
-	-	76 Public school, selves
1	.02	78 Public school, other
1	.02	79 Public school, NA
2	.04	80 Other, Inap.
39	.74	90 NA, Inap.
5	.09	99 NA; DK

**V3195 "HR/WK CH CARE"**

NUM(2.0)

G14. How many hours per week were they taken care of?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,153	78.58		0	Inap.: none; no children under 12; Head and/or Wife not working in 1972	
5	.09		1	One hour or less per week	
753	14.25	2 - 97		Actual number of hours	
8	.15		98	Ninety-eight hours or more per week	
366	6.93		99	NA; DK	

**V3196 "COST/WK CH CARE"**

NUM(3.0)

G15. How much did that cost you per week?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,672	88.40		0	Inap.: nothing; no children under 12; Head and/or Wife not working in 1972	
2	.04		1	\$1 or less per week	

516	9.76	2 - 997	Actual amount
4	.08	998	\$998 or more per week
91	1.72	999	NA; DK

**V3197 "BREAKDOWN CH CARE"****NUM(1.0)**

G16. In the past year how many times did someone have to stay home from work to take care of the children (child) because these arrangements broke down?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,107	77.71	0	Inap.: no children under 12; Head and/or Wife not working in 1972
20	.38	1	Fairly often; 2 or more times a month
19	.36	2	Once a month
87	1.65	3	Once in a while; a few times a year; not very often; seldom; 3 - 11 times a year
89	1.68	4	Once or twice a year; rarely
780	14.76	5	Never
183	3.46	9	NA; DK

**V3198 "ARRANGE CH CARE IF?"****NUM(1.0)**

G17. Recently there has been a lot of interest in arrangements for child care which would allow mothers to take jobs. If (you/ your Wife) wanted to take a job, could you arrange for the children (child) to be taken care of while (you/your Wife) worked?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,142	78.37	0	Inap.: no children under 12; single Head or Wife worked in 1972
751	14.21	1	Yes
167	3.16	5	No
171	3.24	8	DK
54	1.02	9	NA

**V3199 "WHAT ARRNG CH CARE"****NUM(1.0)**

G18. What sort of arrangements could you make?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
4,536	85.83	0	Inap.: no children under 12; single Head or Wife worked in 1972; could not arrange for children to be taken care of, or NA, DK whether
159	3.01	1	Day care center/nursery school
230	4.35	2	Babysitter/friend/neighbor
45	.85	3	Head and/or Wife; Wife works at home; Head and Wife work split shifts
80	1.51	4	Relatives in FU; siblings over 12; "each other" if over 12
163	3.08	5	Relatives not in FU or NA whether in FU
13	.25	6	Selves

26	.49	7 Public schools
6	.11	8 Other
27	.51	9 NA; DK

**V3200 "COST CH CARE IF"** NUM(4.2)

G19. How much would that cost for your children (child)?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1	.02	.01			One cent or less per hour
351	6.64	.02 - 9.97			Actual amount per hour
4,758	90.03	.00			Inap.: nothing; no children under 12; single Head or Wife worked in 1972; could not arrange for children to be taken care of, or NA whether
2	.04	9.98			\$9.98 or more per hour
173	3.27	9.99			NA; DK

**V3201 "WHY NO CH CARE"** NUM(1.0)

G20. Why is that?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,122	96.92	0			Inap.: no children under 12; single Head or Wife who worked in 1972; could arrange for child care or NA, DK whether
8	.15	1			Special needs of children; retarded; epileptic
3	.06	2			Transportation; "too far"
-	-	3			Time schedule; "too many children"
11	.21	4			Quality of available care is poor
52	.98	5			No care available
33	.62	6			Cost; too expensive
15	.28	7			Other
29	.55	8			NA, but says Wife should be home with children
12	.23	9			NA; DK

**V3202 "COST CH CARE(NO)"** NUM(4.2)

G19, G21. How much would that cost for your children (child)?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
-	-	.01			One cent or less per hour
26	.49	.02 - 9.97			Actual amount per hour
5,249	99.32	.00			Inap.: nothing; no children under 12; single Head or Wife who worked in 1972; could arrange for child care, or NA, DK whether; cost is no drawback
-	-	9.98			\$9.98 or more per hour
10	.19	9.99			NA; DK

**V3203 "REL-HD HSWK 1ST"****NUM(1.0)**

G22. We're interested in the time people spend working around the house. Who does most of the housework in this family? (Relation to Head)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
88	1.67		0	Inap.:	no one
1,849	34.99		1	Head	
3,070	58.09		2	Wife	
169	3.20		3	Children of Head, regardless of age	
107	2.02		4	Other FU members - whether or not related to Head	
2	.04		9	NA; DK	

**V3204 "HR/WK HSWK 1ST"****NUM(2.0)**

G23. About how much time (does he/she) (do you) spend on this housework in an average week - I mean time spent cooking, cleaning, and other work around the house?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
88	1.67		0	Inap.:	none
22	.42		1	One hour or less	
5,040	95.36	2 - 97		Actual number of hours	
-	-		98	Ninety-eight hours or more	
135	2.55		99	NA; DK	

**V3205 "WTR OTHERS HSWK"****NUM(1.0)**

G25. Does anyone else here in the household help with the housework?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,030	19.49		0	Inap.:	only one person in FU
2,716	51.39		1	Yes (one or more persons help)	
1,536	29.06		5	No	
3	.06		9	NA; DK	

**V3206 "BKT TOT FARM RECTS"****NUM(1.0)**

H2. What were your total receipts from farming in 1972, including soil bank payments and commodity credit loans?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,193	98.26		0	Inap.:	not a farmer
-	-		1	\$0 - 499	(include negative amounts here)
3	.06		2	\$500 - 999	
5	.09		3	\$1000 - 1999	
8	.15		4	\$2000 - 2999	
3	.06		5	\$3000 - 4999	
9	.17		6	\$5000 - 7499	

6	.11	7	\$7500 - 9999
44	.83	8	\$10,000 or more
14	.26	9	NA; DK

**V3207 "WTR OWN BUSINESS"****NUM(1.0)**

H5. Did you (R and family) own a business at any time in 1972, or have a financial interest in any business enterprise?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
357	6.75		1	Yes	
4,911	92.92		5	No	
17	.32		9	NA; DK	

**V3208 "CORPORATION OR?"****NUM(1.0)**

H6. Is it a corporation or an unincorporated business, or do you have an interest in both kinds?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,928	93.25		0	Inap.:	does not own a business
88	1.67		1	Corporation	
252	4.77		2	Unincorporated	
9	.17		3	Both	
4	.08		8	DK	
4	.08		9	NA	

**V3209 "WTR LUMP SUM PYTS"****NUM(1.0)**

H34. Did you get any other money in 1972 - like a big settlement from an insurance company, or an inheritance?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
279	5.28		1	Yes	
4,985	94.32		5	No	
21	.40		9	NA; DK	

**V3210 "BKT LUMP SUM PYTS"****NUM(1.0)**

H35. How much did that amount to in 1972?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,006	94.72		0	Inap.:	no other money in 1972
63	1.19		1	Less than	\$500
44	.83		2	\$500 - 999	
49	.93		3	\$1000 - 1999	
24	.45		4	\$2000 - 2999	
29	.55		5	\$3000 - 4999	
17	.32		6	\$5000 - 7499	

10	.19	7 \$7500 - 9999
40	.76	8 \$10,000 or more
3	.06	9 NA; DK

**V3211 "WTR OUTSIDE DEPEND"** NUM(1.0)

H36. Do you help support anyone who doesn't live here with you?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
498	9.42		1	Yes	
4,769	90.24		5	No	
18	.34		9	NA; DK	

**V3212 "# OUTSIDE DEPENDTS"** NUM(1.0)

H37. (If Yes) - How many?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,788	90.60		0	Inap.:	does not support others outside FU
293	5.54		1	One	
116	2.19		2	Two	
44	.83		3	Three	
41	.78		4	Four or more	
3	.06		9	NA; DK	

**V3213 "WTR DEP>HALF SUPRT"** NUM(1.0)

H39. Were any of these people dependent on you for more than half of their total support?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,788	90.60		0	Inap.:	does not support others outside FU
179	3.39		1	Yes	
314	5.94		5	No	
4	.08		9	NA; DK	

**V3214 "# DEP>HALF SUPPORT"** NUM(1.0)

H40. (If Yes) - How many?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,106	96.61		0	Inap.:	none; does not support others outside FU; no one dependent for more than half of their support
96	1.82		1	One	
37	.70		2	Two	
26	.49		3	Three	
18	.34		4	Four or more	
2	.04		9	NA; DK	

**V3215 "WTR NEW WIFE 72"**

NUM(1.0)

J1. Whether new Wife in FU

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
255	4.82		1	FU has new Wife this year
5,030	95.18		5	FU has same Wife as in 1972 or no Wife or female Head

**V3216 "WIFE EDUCATION"**

NUM(1.0)

J2-J6. How many grades of school did your Wife finish?

Did she have any other schooling?

What other schooling did she have?

Does she have a degree?

What degree(s) did she receive?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
1,822	34.47		0	Inap.: no new Wife in 1972; no Wife
126	2.38		1	0 - 5 grades
448	8.48		2	6 - 8 grades, grade school; DK but mentions could read or write
762	14.42		3	9 - 11 grades (some high school)
953	18.03		4	12 grades (completed high school)
433	8.19		5	12 grades plus non-academic training
399	7.55		6	Some college, no degree
203	3.84		7	College, bachelors degree
71	1.34		8	College, advanced or professional degree; some graduate work; close to receiving degree
68	1.29		9	NA; DK

**V3217 "WTR NEW HEAD 72"**

NUM(1.0)

K1. Whether or not FU has a new Head

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
515	9.74		1	FU has a new Head this year
4,770	90.26		5	This FU has the same Head as in 1972

**V3218 "ST GREW UP-FATH"**

NUM(2.0)

FATHER'S STATE

Background questions were asked in 1973 only for new Heads.

Please refer to PSID state codes here

<http://psidonline.isr.umich.edu/data/Documentation/PSIDStateCodes.pdf>

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
547	10.35		0	Inap.: U.S. territory or foreign country; same Head as last year
4,533	85.77	1 - 51		Actual state (PSID State code)
205	3.88		99	DK; NA; refused

**V3219 "CO GREW UP-FATH"**  
FATHER'S COUNTY

**NUM(3.0)**

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5	.09		0	Data suppressed	
4,542	85.94	1 - 970		County code	
738	13.96		999	NA; DK	

**V3220 "ST GREW UP-MOTH"**  
MOTHER'S STATE

**NUM(2.0)**

*Background questions were asked in 1973 only for new Heads.*

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
497	9.40		0	Inap.: U.S. territory or foreign country; same Head as last year	
4,626	87.53	1 - 51		Actual state (PSID State code)	
162	3.07		99	DK; NA; refused	

**V3221 "CO GREW UP-MOTH"**  
MOTHER'S COUNTY

**NUM(3.0)**

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*Background questions were asked in 1973 only for new Heads.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
8	.15		0	Data suppressed	
4,621	87.44	1 - 970		County code	
656	12.41		999	NA; DK	

**V3222 "OCCUPATION-FATHER"****NUM(1.0)**

K3. What was your father's usual occupation when you were growing up?

*Background questions were asked in 1973 only for new Heads.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
15	.28		0	Inap.:	father disabled; no father; same Head as last year
275	5.20		1	Professional, technical and kindred workers	
152	2.88		2	Managers, officials and proprietors	
263	4.98		3	Self-employed businessmen	
212	4.01		4	Clerical and sales workers	
810	15.33		5	Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred workers	
719	13.60		6	Operatives and kindred workers	
671	12.70		7	Laborers and service workers, farm laborers	
1,481	28.02		8	Farmers and farm managers	
687	13.00		9	Miscellaneous (armed services, protective workers); NA; DK	

**V3223 "OCCUP-HD 1ST"****NUM(1.0)**

K4. Thinking of your FIRST full-time regular job, what did you do?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
194	3.67		0	Inap.:	never worked
374	7.08		1	Professional, technical and kindred workers	
47	.89		2	Managers, officials and proprietors	
32	.61		3	Self-employed businessmen	
759	14.36		4	Clerical and sales workers	
345	6.53		5	Craftsmen, foremen and kindred workers	
1,047	19.81		6	Operatives and kindred workers	
1,761	33.32		7	Laborers and service workers, farm laborers	
241	4.56		8	Farmers and farm managers	
485	9.18		9	Miscellaneous (armed services, protective workers)	

**V3224 "WTR # DIFF JOBS OR"****NUM(1.0)**

K5. Have you had a number of different kinds of jobs, or have you mostly worked in the same occupation you started in, or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
237	4.48		0	Inap.:	on first job now; never worked
1,915	36.23		1	Have had a number of different kinds of jobs; mentions more than two jobs	
339	6.41		3	Both; have had a number of different jobs but mostly the same occupation; mentions two jobs	
2,522	47.72		5	Mostly the same occupation; same job all of working life	

272 5.15

9 NA; DK

**V3225 "AGE HDS 1ST CH"** NUM(2.0)  
 AGE OF HEAD'S OLDEST CHILD

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,411	26.70		0	Inap.:	no children
3,776	71.45	1 - 90		Actual age	
98	1.85		99	NA, DK	

**V3226 "AGE HDS 2ND CH"** NUM(2.0)  
 AGE OF HEAD'S SECOND OLDEST CHILD

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,276	43.07		0	Inap.:	no children; only one child
2,903	54.93	1 - 64		Actual age	
106	2.01		99	NA, DK	

**V3227 "AGE HDS 3RD CH"** NUM(2.0)  
 AGE OF HEAD'S THIRD OLDEST CHILD

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,142	59.45		0	Inap.:	no children; less than three children
2,036	38.52	1 - 63		Actual age	
107	2.02		99	NA, DK	

**V3228 "TOT # CHILD-HD"** NUM(2.0)  
 K6-K10. Total number of children of Head

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,373	25.98		0	None	
3,844	72.73	1 - 60		Actual number of children	
68	1.29		99	NA; DK	

**V3229 "# HD HAD BY AGE 25"** NUM(1.0)  
 K6-K10. Number of children Head had by age 25

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,552	48.29		0	None	
1,150	21.76		1	One	
755	14.29		2	Two	
403	7.63		3	Three	
170	3.22		4	Four	
76	1.44		5	Five	
39	.74		6	Six	

11	.21	7 Seven
5	.09	8 Eight or more
124	2.35	9 NA; DK

**V3230 "# SIBLINGS OF HD" NUM(1.0)**

K11. How many brothers and sisters did you (HEAD) have?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
288	5.45	0	Inap.:	none	
652	12.34	1	One		
730	13.81	2	Two		
692	13.09	3	Three		
623	11.79	4	Four		
489	9.25	5	Five		
419	7.93	6	Six		
340	6.43	7	Seven		
927	17.54	8	Eight or more		
125	2.37	9	NA; DK		

**V3231 "RELIGIOUS PREFNCE" NUM(1.0)**

K12, K13. Is your religious preference Protestant, Catholic, or Jewish, or what? What denomination is that?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
514	9.73	0	None; other (Greek Orthodox, Muslim, ... ); NA; DK		
1,802	34.10	1	Baptist		
648	12.26	2	Methodist (including African Methodist)		
73	1.38	3	Episcopalian		
181	3.42	4	Presbyterian		
245	4.64	5	Lutheran		
315	5.96	6	Bahai; Congregationalist; Christian Church; Dutch Reformed or Christian Reformed; Disciples of Christ; Evangelical and Reformed; Latter Day Saints or Mormon; Quaker or Society of Friends (Friends) Unitarian or Universalist; United Church of Christ		
446	8.44	7	Other Protestant denominations not included above; Protestant but NA; DK denomination		
906	17.14	8	Catholic		
155	2.93	9	Jewish		

**V3232 "WHERE HD GREW UP"****NUM(1.0)**

K14. Did you (HEAD) grow up on a farm, in a small town, in a large city, or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,742	32.96		1	Farm; rural area; country	
1,736	32.85		2	Small town; any size town, suburb	
1,588	30.05		3	Large city; any size city	
112	2.12		4	Other; several different places; combination of places	
107	2.02		9	NA; DK	

**V3233 "ST GREW UP-HD"****NUM(2.0)**

STATE IN UNITED STATES

Please refer to PSID state codes here

<http://psidononline.isr.umich.edu/data/Documentation/PSIDStateCodes.pdf>

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
177	3.35		0	Inap.:	U.S. territory or foreign country
5,016	94.91	1 - 51		Actual state (PSID State code)	
92	1.74		99	DK; NA; refused	

**V3234 "CO GREW UP-HD"****NUM(3.0)**

COUNTY IN UNITED STATES

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
7	.13		0	Data suppressed	
4,999	94.59	1 - 970		County code	
279	5.28		999	NA; DK	

V3235 "# REGNS HD LIVD IN" NUM(1.0)

K15-17, (L3). What other states or countries have you lived in?

Number of Regions (Including Present Region) Head has Lived In.

*Regions are defined as follows:*

*NORTHEAST: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont*

*NORTH CENTRAL: Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, Wisconsin*

*DEEP SOUTH: Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, South Carolina*

*OTHER SOUTH: Arkansas, Delaware, Florida, Kentucky, Maryland, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, Washington DC, West Virginia*

*WEST: Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, Wyoming*

*OTHER ENGLISH SPEAKING: Alaska, Australia, Canada, Hawaii, New Zealand, South Africa, United Kingdom, West Indies*

OTHER NON-ENGLISH SPEAKING: All other countries not above

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,706	51.20		1	One	(lived in 1 region)
1,565	29.61		2	Two	(lived in 2 regions)
497	9.40		3	Three	
294	5.56		4	Four	
33	.62		5	Five	
7	.13		6	Six	
7	.13		7	Seven	
-	-		8	Eight or more	
176	3.33		9	NA; DK	

V3236 "# STATES HD LIVED" NUM(1.0)

K15-17, (L3). In what state (or country) was that?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,192	41.48		1	Lived in one state/country	
1,474	27.89		2	Lived in two states/countries	
619	11.71		3	Lived in three states/countries	
667	12.62		4	Lived in four states/countries	
62	1.17		5	Lived in five states/countries	
39	.74		6	Lived in six states/countries	
15	.28		7	Lived in seven states/countries	

44	.83	8 Lived in eight or more states/countries
173	3.27	9 NA; DK

**V3237 "EVER MOVD FOR JOB?"****NUM(1.0)**

K18. Have you ever moved out of a community where you were living in order to take a job somewhere else?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
727	13.76		0	Inap.: retired, housewife, student in 1968 and same Head in 1973	
1,067	20.19		1	Yes	
3,342	63.24		5	No	
149	2.82		9	NA; DK	

**V3238 "NOT MOVD FOR JOB?"****NUM(1.0)**

K19. (If "NO" to K18) Have you ever turned down a job because you did not want to move?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,932	36.56		0	Inap.: "Yes" to K18	
314	5.94		1	Yes	
2,706	51.20		5	No	
333	6.30		9	NA; DK	

**V3239 "PARENTS POOR OR?"****NUM(1.0)**

K20. Were your parents poor when you were growing up, well off, or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,571	48.65		1	Poor	
1,639	31.01		3	Average; "it varied"	
887	16.78		5	Pretty well off	
188	3.56		9	NA; DK; didn't live with parents	

**V3240 "EDUCATION-FATHER"****NUM(1.0)**

K21-22. How much education did your father have? Could he read and write? (If less than 6 grades)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
58	1.10		0	Inap.: could not read or write; NA, DK grade and could not read or write	
627	11.86		1	0 - 5 grades	
2,685	50.80		2	6 - 8 grades; "grade school" DK but mentions could read and write	
397	7.51		3	9 - 11 grades; some high school; junior high	
625	11.83		4	12 grades; high school	
53	1.00		5	12 grades plus non-academic training	
205	3.88		6	College but no degree	

163	3.08	7 College BA and no advanced degree mentioned
74	1.40	8 College and advanced or professional degree
398	7.53	9 NA; DK to both K21 and K22

**V3241 "EDUCATION-HEAD" NUM(1.0)**

K23, K26, K29-30. How many grades of school did you (HEAD) finish?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
161	3.05		0	Inap.: cannot read or write or has trouble reading or writing
247	4.67		1	0 - 5 grades
914	17.29		2	6 - 8 grades; "grade school" DK but mentions could read or write
1,114	21.08		3	9 - 11 grades; some high school; junior high
1,097	20.76		4	12 grades; high school
426	8.06		5	12 grades plus non-academic training
690	13.06		6	College, no degree
359	6.79		7	College degree, no advanced degree mentioned
153	2.89		8	College, advanced or professional degree
124	2.35		9	NA; DK to all of K23 - K30

**V3242 "OTHER TRNG?-HD" NUM(1.0)**K24-K25. Did you get any other training or schooling?  
K27-K28. What was it?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
1,087	20.57		1	Yes, some training outside the regular school system
4,019	76.05		5	No training or schooling except regular school and college
179	3.39		9	NA; DK

**V3243 "WTR VETERAN" NUM(1.0)**

K31. Are you (HEAD) a veteran?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
1,523	28.82		1	Yes
3,637	68.82		5	No
125	2.37		9	NA

**V3244 "HLTH LIMIT TYP WRK?" NUM(1.0)**

K32. Do you have a physical or nervous condition that limits the type of work, or the amount of work you can do?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
1,115	21.10		1	Yes
4,134	78.22		5	No

36 .68 9 NA; DK

**V3245 "HOW MUCH LIMIT WRK?"** NUM(1.0)  
 K33. How much does it limit your work?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,170	78.90		0	Inap.: R has no limiting conditions
294	5.56		1	Completely; "I can't work"
208	3.94		2	Severely; "it limits me a lot"
423	8.00		3	"Some;" "not much;" can only work a few hours at a time; "must rest;" mentions part-time work; can't lift heavy objects; reports periods of pain
64	1.21		4	Limitation but not on work
126	2.38		9	NA; DK

**V3246 "HOW LONG LIMITED"** NUM(1.0)  
 K34. How long have you been limited in this way by your health?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,169	78.88		0	Inap.: R has no limiting conditions
200	3.78		1	Zero to 18 months
260	4.92		2	2 - 4 years; 19 - 54 months
178	3.37		3	5 - 7 years
410	7.76		4	8 or more years
68	1.29		9	NA; DK

**V3247 "HLTH BETTER OR?"** NUM(1.0)  
 K35. Is it getting better, or worse, or staying about the same?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,169	78.88		0	Inap.: R has no limiting conditions
181	3.42		1	Better
533	10.09		3	Stays about the same
25	.47		4	Fluctuates; vacillates
330	6.24		5	Worse
47	.89		9	NA; DK

**V3248 "RESPONDENT"** NUM(1.0)  
 L1. Who was respondent? (Relation to Head)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
4,769	90.24		1	Head
486	9.20		2	Wife
18	.34		7	Other than Head or Wife

12 .23 9 NA

**V3249 "# CALLS"** NUM(1.0)  
 L2. Number of calls

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1	.02		0	Inap.: mail interview	
1,931	36.54		1	One	
1,285	24.31		2	Two	
739	13.98		3	Three	
441	8.34		4	Four	
276	5.22		5	Five	
193	3.65		6	Six	
115	2.18		7	Seven	
194	3.67		8	Eight or more	
110	2.08		9	NA	

**V3250 "NEAREST SMSA"** NUM(3.0)

L3. What is the nearest city of 50,000 or more?

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1	.02		0	Data suppressed	
5,259	99.51		1 - 299	City code	
25	.47		999	NA; DK	

**V3251 "DIST TO CNTR SMSA"** NUM(1.0)

L4. How far is this DU from the center of that city? (City in L3)

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,238	23.42		1	Less than 5 miles	
1,675	31.69		2	5 - 14.9 miles	
681	12.89		3	15 - 29.9 miles	
524	9.91		4	30 - 49.9 miles	
1,134	21.46		5	50 or more miles	

33 .62 9 NA; outside continental United States

## V3252 "CENSUS OCC-HD" NUM(1.0)

These tape locations are filled with zeroes

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,285	100.00		0	Data suppressed	

## V3253 "3-DIGIT IND-HD" NUM(1.0)

These tape locations are filled with zeroes

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,285	100.00		0	Data suppressed	

## V3254 "YRLY PROPTY TAXES" NUM(4.0)

Estimated 1972 Property Taxes for Homeowners

ESTIMATED PROPERTY TAX RATE (a)

Distance from nearest city of 50,000 or more	New England States (b)	All other States
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0-5 miles (V3251=1)	.025	.020
5-49 miles (V3251=2-5)	.020	.015
50 or more miles (V3251=5)	.015	.010

(a) E.S. Maynes and J.N. Morgan, "The Effective Role of Real Estate Taxation", *Review of Economics and Statistics*, XXXIX, (February, 1957), 14-22.

(b) Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont.

The above rate is multiplied by house value (V3021) to get estimated property taxes.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,548	48.21		0	Inap.: not a home owner; trailer owner who does not own his land; rents or neither owns nor rents	
2,737	51.79	1 - 2,000		Actual estimated property tax rate	

## V3255 "HOUSE VALUE BKT" NUM(1.0)

(Bkt. V3021) 1973 House Value

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,548	48.21		0	Inap.: rents; neither owns nor rents	
122	2.31		1	\$1 - 3999	
307	5.81		2	\$4000 - 7999	
326	6.17		3	\$8000 - 11,999	
392	7.42		4	\$12,000 - 15,999	
326	6.17		5	\$16,000 - 19,999	
361	6.83		6	\$20,000 - 24,999	

479	9.06	7	\$25,000 - 34,999
275	5.20	8	\$35,000 - 49,999
149	2.82	9	\$50,000 or more

**V3256 "TOT FU MON INC"**

NUM(5.0)

Total 1972 Family Money Income

*SUMMATION OF THE FOLLOWING VARIABLES:*

V3060 Taxable Income of Head and Wife  
 V3076 Total Transfers of Head and Wife  
 V3078 Taxable Income of Others  
 V3081 Transfer Income of Others

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2	.04		1	One dollar or less	
5,281	99.92	2 - 99,998		Actual amount	
2	.04	99,999		\$99,999 or more	

**V3257 "TOT FU MON INC BKT"**

NUM(1.0)

(Bkt. V3256) Total 1972 Family Money Income

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
19	.36		0	Under \$500	
57	1.08		1	\$500 - 999	
240	4.54		2	\$1000 - 1999	
373	7.06		3	\$2000 - 2999	
406	7.68		4	\$3000 - 3999	
402	7.61		5	\$4000 - 4999	
885	16.75		6	\$5000 - 7499	
787	14.89		7	\$7500 - 9999	
1,047	19.81		8	\$10,000 - 14,999	
1,069	20.23		9	\$15,000 or more	

**V3258 "HD TOT LABOR Y BKT"**

NUM(1.0)

(Bkt. V3051) Total 1972 Labor Income of Head

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
977	18.49		0	\$0; no labor income	
150	2.84		1	\$1 - 499	
148	2.80		2	\$500 - 999	
238	4.50		3	\$1000 - 1999	
232	4.39		4	\$2000 - 2999	
346	6.55		5	\$3000 - 3999	
347	6.57		6	\$4000 - 4999	

864	16.35	7 \$5000 - 7499
711	13.45	8 \$7500 - 9999
1,272	24.07	9 \$10,000 or more

**V3259 "WF TOT LABOR Y BKT"****NUM(1.0)**

(Bkt. V3053) Total 1972 Labor Income of Wife

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,559	67.34		0	Inap.:	Wife had no labor income; no Wife
215	4.07		1	\$1 - 499	
156	2.95		2	\$400 - 999	
234	4.43		3	\$1000 - 1999	
209	3.95		4	\$2000 - 2999	
218	4.12		5	\$3000 - 3999	
206	3.90		6	\$4000 - 4999	
309	5.85		7	\$5000 - 7499	
113	2.14		8	\$7500 - 9999	
66	1.25		9	\$10,000 or more	

**V3260 "TOT TAX Y H+W BKT"****NUM(1.0)**

(Bkt. V3060) Total 1972 Taxable Income of Head and Wife

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
661	12.51		0	No such income	
187	3.54		1	\$1 - 499	
175	3.31		2	\$500 - 999	
271	5.13		3	\$1000 - 1999	
245	4.64		4	\$2000 - 2999	
301	5.70		5	\$3000 - 3999	
280	5.30		6	\$4000 - 4999	
721	13.64		7	\$5000 - 7499	
667	12.62		8	\$7500 - 9999	
1,777	33.62		9	\$10,000 or more	

**V3261 "TOT TAX Y-OTHR BKT"****NUM(1.0)**

(Bkt. V3078) Total 1972 Taxable Income of Others (other than Head and Wife)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,065	76.92		0	Inap.:	others had no taxable income; no others in family
266	5.03		1	\$1 - 499	
196	3.71		2	\$500 - 999	

186	3.52	3	\$1000 - 1999
123	2.33	4	\$2000 - 2999
92	1.74	5	\$3000 - 3999
77	1.46	6	\$4000 - 4999
137	2.59	7	\$5000 - 7499
69	1.31	8	\$7500 - 9999
74	1.40	9	\$10,000 or more

**V3262 "H+W ADC-AFDC BKT"**

NUM(1.0)

(Bkt. V3065) Total 1972 ADC or AFDC of Head of family

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,930	93.28	0	\$0		
26	.49	1	\$1 - 499		
56	1.06	2	\$500 - 999		
90	1.70	3	\$1000 - 1999		
78	1.48	4	\$2000 - 2999		
65	1.23	5	\$3000 - 3999		
22	.42	6	\$4000 - 4999		
17	.32	7	\$5000 - 7499		
1	.02	8	\$7500 - 9999		
-	-	9	\$10,000 or more		

**V3263 "H+W OTHER WELF BKT"**

NUM(1.0)

(Bkt. V3067) Total 1972 other welfare of Head and Wife

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,974	94.12	0	\$0		
51	.96	1	\$1 - 499		
64	1.21	2	\$500 - 999		
93	1.76	3	\$1000 - 1999		
61	1.15	4	\$2000 - 2999		
26	.49	5	\$3000 - 3999		
7	.13	6	\$4000 - 4999		
9	.17	7	\$5000 - 7499		
-	-	8	\$7500 - 9999		
-	-	9	\$10,000 or more		

**V3264 "H+W SOC SECUR BKT"** NUM(1.0)  
 (Bkt. V3068) 1972 Transfers from Social Security

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,402	83.29		0	\$0	
16	.30		1	\$1 - 499	
100	1.89		2	\$500 - 999	
325	6.15		3	\$1000 - 1999	
232	4.39		4	\$2000 - 2999	
128	2.42		5	\$3000 - 3999	
52	.98		6	\$4000 - 4999	
30	.57		7	\$5000 - 7499	
-	-		8	\$7500 - 9999	
-	-		9	\$10,000 or more	

**V3265 "HD OTHER RETIR BKT"** NUM(1.0)  
 (Bkt. V3069) 1972 Transfers from other retirement

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,814	91.09		0	\$0	
53	1.00		1	\$1 - 499	
90	1.70		2	\$500 - 999	
149	2.82		3	\$1000 - 1999	
73	1.38		4	\$2000 - 2999	
36	.68		5	\$3000 - 3999	
23	.44		6	\$4000 - 4999	
32	.61		7	\$5000 - 7499	
11	.21		8	\$7500 - 9999	
4	.08		9	\$10,000 or more	

**V3266 "HDS UNEMPLOY BKT"** NUM(1.0)  
 (Bkt. V3070) 1972 Transfers from unemployment and workmen's compensation

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,009	94.78		0	\$0	
116	2.19		1	\$1 - 499	
74	1.40		2	\$500 - 999	
57	1.08		3	\$1000 - 1999	
18	.34		4	\$2000 - 2999	
8	.15		5	\$3000 - 3999	

2	.04	6	\$4000 - 4999
1	.02	7	\$5000 - 7499
-	-	8	\$7500 - 9999
-	-	9	\$10,000 or more

**V3267 "HDS ALIMONY BKT"** NUM(1.0)  
(Bkt. V3071) 1972 Transfers from alimony and child support

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,132	97.11		0	\$0	
38	.72		1	\$1 - 499	
35	.66		2	\$500 - 999	
41	.78		3	\$1000 - 1999	
21	.40		4	\$2000 - 2999	
11	.21		5	\$3000 - 3999	
5	.09		6	\$4000 - 4999	
1	.02		7	\$5000 - 7499	
1	.02		8	\$7500 - 9999	
-	-		9	\$10,000 or more	

**V3268 "H+W TOT TRNS Y BKT"** NUM(1.0)  
(Bkt. V3076) Total 1972 Transfers of Head and Wife

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,055	57.81		0	\$0	
325	6.15		1	\$1 - 499	
276	5.22		2	\$500 - 999	
550	10.41		3	\$1000 - 1999	
435	8.23		4	\$2000 - 2999	
275	5.20		5	\$3000 - 3999	
152	2.88		6	\$4000 - 4999	
158	2.99		7	\$5000 - 7499	
39	.74		8	\$7500 - 9999	
20	.38		9	\$10,000 or more	

**V3269 "H+W MISC TRANSFERS"****NUM(5.0)**

Total 1972 miscellaneous transfers of Head and Wife (total transfers minus ADCL and AFDC)  
*This variable is equal to total 1972 transfers of Head and Wife (V3076) minus ADC payments (V3065). It includes other welfare, workmen's and unemployment compensation, all retirement pay, alimony, child support, help from relatives, etc.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,261	61.70		0	No	miscellaneous transfers
2,024	38.30	1 - 99,998		Actual amount	
-	-	99,999		\$99,999	or more

**V3270 "H+W MISC TRANS BKT"****NUM(1.0)**

(Bkt. V3269) Total 1972 miscellaneous transfers of Head and Wife

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,262	61.72		0	\$0	
356	6.74		1	\$1 - 499	
269	5.09		2	\$500 - 999	
518	9.80		3	\$1000 - 1999	
369	6.98		4	\$2000 - 2999	
204	3.86		5	\$3000 - 3999	
121	2.29		6	\$4000 - 4999	
128	2.42		7	\$5000 - 7499	
38	.72		8	\$7500 - 9999	
20	.38		9	\$10,000 or more	

**V3271 "TOT TRNS Y-OTR BKT"****NUM(1.0)**

(Bkt. V3081) Total 1972 transfers of others in family (other than Head or Wife)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,990	94.42		0	Inap.: others had no transfers; no others in family	
25	.47		1	\$1 - 499	
60	1.14		2	\$500 - 999	
129	2.44		3	\$1000 - 1999	
49	.93		4	\$2000 - 2999	
17	.32		5	\$3000 - 3999	
4	.08		6	\$4000 - 4999	
8	.15		7	\$5000 - 7499	
2	.04		8	\$7500 - 9999	
1	.02		9	\$10,000 or more	

**V3272 "MONEY Y/NEEDS"****NUM(5.2)**

Total 1972 Family Money Income/Needs (1973)

Total 1972 family money income (V3256) divided by 1972 family needs (V3020). This ratio is multiplied by 1.25 for farmers (those coded 8 in V3115 or V3153) to adjust for lower food costs.

See note at V3020 regarding use of 1967 dollar values.

This is the only measure of income to needs on this tape which makes this adjustment for farmers.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,283	99.96	.01 - 99.98		Actual income/needs ratio	
2	.04	.00		Income needs ratio of zero	
-	-	99.99		Income/needs ratio of 99.99 or more	

**V3273 "MON Y/NEEDS BKT"****NUM(1.0)**

(Bkt. V3272) Total 1972 family money income/needs (1973)

See note at V3020 (annual need std) regarding use of 1967 dollar values.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
91	1.72	0		Less than 0.40	
379	7.17	1		0.40 - 0.79	
582	11.01	2		0.80 - 1.19	
555	10.50	3		1.20 - 1.59	
534	10.10	4		1.60 - 1.99	
466	8.82	5		2.00 - 2.39	
640	12.11	6		2.40 - 2.99	
792	14.99	7		3.00 - 3.99	
801	15.16	8		4.00 - 5.99	
445	8.42	9		6.00 or greater	

**V3274 "ANNUAL FOOD STD"****NUM(4.0)**

Annual Food Standard

This variable is generated by multiplying the weekly food needs (V3019) by 52 and then making the following adjustments for economies of scale:

add 20 percent for one person families,

10 percent for 2 person families,

5 percent for 3 person families and

subtract 5 percent for 5 person families and 10 percent for families with six or more

See note at V3019 (weekly food needs) regarding use of 1967 dollar values in that variable.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,285	100.00	1 - 9,998		Actual food standard	
-	-	9,999		Food standard of \$9999 or more	

**V3275 "HDS AVG HRLY ERN"****NUM(5.2)**

1972 Average hourly earnings - Head

1972 labor income of the Head (V3051)/1972 hours of work for money of the Head (V3027)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,308	81.51	.01 - 66.67			Actual amount per hour
977	18.49	.00			Zero hourly earnings

**V3276 "BKT HD AVG HR EARN"****NUM(1.0)**

(Bkt. V3275) 1972 Hourly earnings - Head

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
977	18.49	0	0.00	(no wage income)	
167	3.16	1	0.01 - 0.99		
317	6.00	2	1.00 - 1.49		
420	7.95	3	1.50 - 1.99		
492	9.31	4	2.00 - 2.49		
438	8.29	5	2.50 - 2.99		
760	14.38	6	3.00 - 3.99		
1,027	19.43	7	4.00 - 5.99		
687	13.00	8	6.00 - 99.99		

**V3277 "WIFE AVG HRLY EARN"****NUM(5.2)**

1972 Average Hourly Earnings - wife of Head

1972 labor income of wife of Head (V3053)/1972 hours of work for money of wife of Head (V3035)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,726	32.66	.01 - 18.75			Actual amount per hour
3,559	67.34	.00			Inap.: zero hourly earnings; Wife did not work for money; no Wife

**V3278 "BKT WF AVG HR EARN"****NUM(1.0)**

(Bkt. V3277) 1972 Hours earnings - Wife of Head

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,559	67.34	0	0.00	(no wage income)	
135	2.55	1	0.01 - 0.99		
189	3.58	2	1.00 - 1.49		
286	5.41	3	1.50 - 1.99		
300	5.68	4	2.00 - 2.49		
237	4.48	5	2.50 - 2.99		
265	5.01	6	3.00 - 3.99		

209	3.95	7 4.00 - 5.99
105	1.99	8 6.00 - 99.99

**V3279 "CURRENT REGION"** NUM(1.0)  
Region at time of 1973 interview

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
887	16.78		1	Northeast	
1,315	24.88		2	North Central	
2,215	41.91		3	South	
845	15.99		4	West	
4	.08		5	Alaska, Hawaii	
19	.36		6	Foreign country	
-	-		9	NA	

**V3280 "REGION HD GREW UP"** NUM(1.0)  
Region where 1973 Head of family grew up (About ages 6 - 16)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
811	15.35		1	Northeast	
1,209	22.88		2	North Central	
2,523	47.74		3	South	
468	8.86		4	West	
4	.08		5	Alaska, Hawaii	
178	3.37		6	Foreign country	
92	1.74		9	NA region where 1973 Head grew up	

**V3281 "REGION DAD GREW UP"** NUM(1.0)  
Region where father of 1973 Head grew up

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
636	12.03		1	Northeast	
1,024	19.38		2	North Central	
2,678	50.67		3	South	
191	3.61		4	West	
3	.06		5	Alaska, Hawaii	
548	10.37		6	Foreign country	
205	3.88		9	NA region where father of 1973 Head grew up	

**V3282 "REGION MOM GREW UP"** NUM(1.0)  
 Region where mother of 1973 Head grew up

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
630	11.92		1	Northeast	
1,065	20.15		2	North Central	
2,702	51.13		3	South	
224	4.24		4	West	
4	.08		5	Alaska, Hawaii	
498	9.42		6	Foreign country	
162	3.07		9	NA region where mother of 1973 Head grew up	

**V3283 "GEOGRAPH MOBILITY"** NUM(1.0)  
 Where Head of family lived at time of 1973 interview versus where grew up

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,379	63.94		1	Same state at both times	
668	12.64		2	Same region but different state	
1,146	21.68		3	Different regions	
92	1.74		9	NA (V3003 or V3233 EQ 99)	

**V3284 "ACCURACY MONEY Y"** NUM(1.0)  
 Accuracy of 1973 money income components

*Sum of the following variables:*

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 V3052 Accuracy: Head's labor income  
 V3054 Accuracy: Wife's labor income  
 V3061 Accuracy: capital income  
 V3066 Accuracy: others' taxable income  
 V3075 Accuracy: ADC of Head  
 V3079 Accuracy: other transfers of Head and Wife  
 V3082 Accuracy: transfer income of others

*Sums greater than 9 were truncated at 9*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,799	90.80		0	Sum is zero	
238	4.50		1	One	
206	3.90		2	Two	
20	.38		3	Three	
18	.34		4	Four	
1	.02		5	Five	
2	.04		6	Six	
1	.02		7	Seven	

- - 8 Eight  
 - - 9 Nine or greater

**V3285 "# MINOR ASSIGNMENT"****NUM(1.0)**

Number of minor assignments made in 1973 interview

Summation of the number of codes = 1 (minor assignment) in the accuracy variables in the variable sequence V3022 through V3082.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,407	83.39		0	Zero minor assignments	
683	12.92		1	One minor assignment	
156	2.95		2	Two	
27	.51		3	Three	
9	.17		4	Four	
2	.04		5	Five	
-	-		6	Six	
1	.02		7	Seven	

**V3286 "# MAJOR ASSIGNMENT"****NUM(1.0)**

Number of major assignments made in 1973 interview

Summation of the number of codes = 2 (major assignment) in the accuracy variables in the variable sequence V3022 through V3082.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,863	92.02		0	Zero major assignments	
353	6.68		1	One	
48	.91		2	Two	
17	.32		3	Three	
4	.08		4	Four	

**V3287 "VALUE PER ROOM"****NUM(5.0)**

1973 Value per room of dwelling unit

(V3021 1973 house value +  
 {V3023 1972 rent paid + V25 1972 value of rent received} x 10) / V3107 number of rooms  
 in 1973.

HOMEOWNERS: House value {V211} / number of rooms {V107}

RENTERS: Dwelling value (assumed to be 10 times annual rent {V23}) / number of rooms  
 {V107}NEITHER OWNS NOR RENTS: Dwelling value (sum of rent paid {V231} + value of rent received  
 free or in return for services {V251}) x 10 / number of rooms {V107}

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,206	98.51	25 - 36,000		Actual value per room	

79 1.49 99,999 Number of rooms in dwelling NA

**V3288 "BKT VALUE PER ROOM"** NUM(1.0)  
 (Bkt. V3287) 1973 Value per room of dwelling unit

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
128	2.42		1	\$1 - 499	
318	6.02		2	\$500 - 999	
1,161	21.97		3	\$1000 - 1999	
1,072	20.28		4	\$2000 - 2999	
908	17.18		5	\$3000 - 3999	
593	11.22		6	\$4000 - 4999	
816	15.44		7	\$5000 - 7999	
210	3.97		8	\$8000 +	
79	1.49		9	NA	number of rooms

**V3289 "BKT HR WAGE OV-TIM"** NUM(1.0)  
 (Bkt. V3132) Hourly earnings for overtime - Head (1973 question)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,078	58.24		0	Inap.: no overtime available	
6	.11		1	\$0.01 - 0.99	
30	.57		2	\$1.00 - 1.49	
69	1.31		3	\$1.50 - 1.99	
78	1.48		4	\$2.00 - 2.49	
75	1.42		5	\$2.50 - 2.99	
338	6.40		6	\$3.00 - 3.99	
577	10.92		7	\$4.00 - 5.99	
781	14.78		8	\$6.00 or more	
253	4.79		9	NA	

**V3290 "BKT REG HRLY WAGE"** NUM(1.0)  
 (Bkt. V3134) Hourly earnings for regular job (1973 question)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,954	55.89		0	Inap.: not paid by the hour	
5	.09		1	\$0.01 - 0.99	
45	.85		2	\$1.00 - 1.49	
202	3.82		3	\$1.50 - 1.99	
305	5.77		4	\$2.00 - 2.49	
274	5.18		5	\$2.50 - 2.99	

546	10.33	6 \$3.00 - 3.99
649	12.28	7 \$4.00 - 5.99
178	3.37	8 \$6.00 or more
127	2.40	9 NA

**V3291 "BKT HR WAGE 2ND JB"** NUM(1.0)

(Bkt. V3138) Hourly earnings on second job - Head

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
4,575	86.57		0	Inap.:	Head does not have second job; Head currently not working
12	.23		1	\$0.01 - 0.99	
20	.38		2	\$1.00 - 1.49	
69	1.31		3	\$1.50 - 1.99	
78	1.48		4	\$2.00 - 2.49	
44	.83		5	\$2.50 - 2.99	
66	1.25		6	\$3.00 - 3.99	
91	1.72		7	\$4.00 - 5.99	
70	1.32		8	\$6.00 or more	
260	4.92		9	NA	

**V3292 "BKT ACTL-REQD ROOM"** NUM(1.0)

Actual minus required rooms for family

Number of rooms in dwelling unit (V3107) minus number of rooms required for a family of given composition (V3018) plus 3

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
49	.93		0	Shortage of three or more rooms	
85	1.61		1	Shortage of two rooms	
322	6.09		2	Shortage of one room	
676	12.79		3	Actual = required rooms	
1,134	21.46		4	One extra room	
1,234	23.35		5	Two extra rooms	
875	16.56		6	Three extra rooms	
536	10.14		7	Four extra rooms	
297	5.62		8	Five extra rooms or more	
77	1.46		9	NA actual number of rooms	

**V3293 "PERSONS PER ROOM" NUM(3.1)**

Number of persons per room (1973)

Number of people in family (V3094) / number of rooms in dwelling (V3107)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
5,206	98.51	.1 - 3.7			Actual number of people per room
79	1.49			9.9	NA number of rooms in dwelling or respondent shares room

**V3294 "BKT PERSONS/ROOM" NUM(1.0)**

(Bkt. V3293) Number of persons per room (1973)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
596	11.28		0	0.00 - 0.25	
988	18.69		1	0.26 - 0.45	
1,200	22.71		2	0.46 - 0.65	
1,080	20.44		3	0.66 - 0.85	
947	17.92		4	0.86 - 1.25	
242	4.58		5	1.26 - 1.65	
110	2.08		6	1.66 - 2.05	
41	.78		7	2.06 - 3.05	
2	.04		8	3.06 or more	
79	1.49		9	NA number of rooms	

**V3295 "NUMBER OF ADULTS" NUM(1.0)**

Number of adults (those age 18 or older) in family (1972)

Number in family (V3094) minus number of children (those aged 0 - 17) in family (V3098)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,455	27.53		1	One adult	
2,994	56.65		2	Two adults	
567	10.73		3	Three adults	
193	3.65		4	Four adults	
53	1.00		5	Five adults	
16	.30		6	Six adults	
6	.11		7	Seven adults	
1	.02		8	Eight adults	

**V3296 "HOUSEWORK H+W"** NUM(4.0)  
 Hours of unpaid housework - Head and Wife  
*Hours of housework of Wife or single Head (V3037) + hours of housework of husband (V3039)*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
210	3.97		0	No hours	
5,075	96.03	1 - 5,564		Actual number of hours	

**V3297 "ONE DIGIT FAM SIZE"** NUM(1.0)  
 Size of family  
*(One-digit code)*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,011	19.13		1	One	
1,288	24.37		2	Two	
999	18.90		3	Three	
748	14.15		4	Four	
484	9.16		5	Five	
323	6.11		6	Six	
186	3.52		7	Seven	
125	2.37		8	Eight	
121	2.29		9	Nine or more	

**V3298 "BKT AGE OF HEAD"** NUM(1.0)  
 (Bkt. V3095) Bracket age of Head

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
844	15.97		1	Under 25	
1,202	22.74		2	25 - 34	
958	18.13		3	35 - 44	
941	17.81		4	45 - 54	
707	13.38		5	55 - 64	
410	7.76		6	65 - 74	
223	4.22		7	75 and older	
-	-		9	NA	

**V3299 "BKT AGE OF WIFE"** NUM(1.0)  
 (Bkt. V3097) Bracket age of Wife

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
2,011	38.05		0	Inap.: no Wife; Wife did not work	
720	13.62		1	Under 25	

841	15.91	2 25 - 34
653	12.36	3 35 - 44
538	10.18	4 45 - 54
322	6.09	5 55 - 64
159	3.01	6 65 - 74
41	.78	7 75 and older
-	-	9 NA

**V3300 "RACE (FROM 1972 INT)"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Race

*Since in 1973 most interviews were taken by telephone this variable was copied from 1972 data; splitoff's race was assumed to be the same as that of their main families'.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
3,264	61.76		1	White	
1,849	34.99		2	Black	
134	2.54		3	Spanish-American	
38	.72		7	Other	
-	-		9	NA	

**V3301 "1973 FAMILY WEIGHT"**

**NUM(2.0)**

1972 Weight

*This variable has the same values as in 1972; splitoffs received that of their main families*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
6	.11		0	No family weight	
5,279	99.89	1 - 46		Actual weight	

**V3302 "DECILE (7"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Decile on Total Family Money Income (V3256)

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
656	12.41		0	\$0 - 2,899	
652	12.34		1	\$2,900 - 4,499	
642	12.15		2	\$4,500 - 6,167	
617	11.67		3	\$6,168 - 7,999	
567	10.73		4	\$8,000 - 9,817	
513	9.71		5	\$9,818 - 11,899	
465	8.80		6	\$11,900 - 14,245	
430	8.14		7	\$14,246 - 17,099	
382	7.23		8	\$17,100 - 21,599	

361 6.83 9 \$21,600 - 99,999

**V3303 "DECILE (7"**

NUM(1.0)

Decile on Total Family Money Income/Needs (V3272)

See note at V3020 (used in computing V3272) regarding use of 1967 dollar values.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
941	17.81		0	\$0 - 1.11	
663	12.54		1	\$1.12 - 1.58	
648	12.26		2	\$1.59 - 2.08	
568	10.75		3	\$2.09 - 2.59	
479	9.06		4	\$2.60 - 3.03	
451	8.53		5	\$3.04 - 3.56	
428	8.10		6	\$3.57 - 4.21	
394	7.46		7	\$4.22 - 5.05	
376	7.11		8	\$5.06 - 6.44	
337	6.38		9	\$6.45 - 99.99	

**V3304 "UNSKILLED MALE"**

NUM(1.0)

Whether shortage or surplus of unskilled male labor in county, October 1973

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
191	3.61		1	Many more jobs than applicants	
772	14.61		2	More jobs than applicants	
976	18.47		3	Most people able to find jobs	
1,768	33.45		4	A number of unskilled workers unable to find jobs	
1,017	19.24		5	Many unskilled workers unable to find jobs	
561	10.61		9	NA	

**V3305 "COMP FEMALE/MALE"****NUM(1.0)**

How does the market for unskilled females compare with the market for unskilled males?  
October 1973

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
599	11.33		1	Better (more women able to find jobs)	
2,096	39.66		2	About the same	
1,737	32.87		3	Worse (fewer women able to find jobs)	
365	6.91		4	Much worse (many fewer women able to find jobs)	
488	9.23		9	NA	

**V3306 "COMP WHITE/NONWHITE"****NUM(1.0)**

How does the market for unskilled nonwhites compare with the market for whites? October 1973

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
250	4.73		1	Better (more nonwhites able to find jobs)	
2,727	51.60		2	About the same	
1,550	29.33		3	Worse (fewer nonwhites able to find jobs)	
254	4.81		4	Much worse (many fewer nonwhites able to find jobs)	
504	9.54		9	NA	

**V3307 "UNSKILLED MALE WAGE"****NUM(1.0)**

What is the typical wage that an unskilled male worker might receive? October 1973

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
-	-		1	Under \$1.50	
1,464	27.70		2	\$1.50 - 1.99	
2,234	42.27		3	\$2.00 - 2.49	
821	15.53		4	\$2.50 - 2.99	

370	7.00	5 \$3.00 or more
396	7.49	9 NA

**V3308 "UNSKILLED FEM WAGE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Difference between the typical hourly wage rate for an unskilled male and for an unskilled female, October 1973

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
1,482	28.04		0	No difference	
70	1.32		1	Females earn less than males by \$ .01 - .09	
1,061	20.08		2	\$ .10 - .24 difference	
1,413	26.74		3	\$ .25 - .49 difference	
746	14.12		4	\$ .50 - .99 difference	
115	2.18		5	\$1.00 or more	
2	.04		6	Females earn more than males	
396	7.49		9	NA	

**V3309 "UNEMPLOYMENT RATE"**

**NUM(1.0)**

Unemployment rate in respondent's county, October 1973

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range	Text
157	2.97		1	Under 2%	
2,068	39.13		2	2 - 3.9%	
1,841	34.83		3	4 - 5.9%	
953	18.03		4	6 - 10%	
45	.85		5	Over 10%	
221	4.18		9	NA	

**V3310 "HOUSEHOLD ID # 73"**

NUM(4.0)

Household Identification Number

This variable was generated to simplify the clustering of multiple panel family units residing in the same households. Its values were assigned simply by selecting a 1973 ID number (V3002) with the lowest value from among the 1973 ID numbers of those families comprising each such household group. This value was used in these file positions for all of the related households. Thus, if the user sorts the data ordered by this variable, the family units within larger household groups will be adjacent to each other. Family units who did not share their households with any other family unit or shared only with non-panel family units were given their own values for V3002.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,285	100.00	1 - 5,285		Actual household identification number

**V3311 "FU PRIMACY WITHIN HU"**

NUM(1.0)

FU Primacy within HU

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
63	1.19		1	This family unit is a Primary that shares the household with another family unit that is also interviewed
5,093	96.37		2	This family unit is a Primary that either (a) does not share the household with another family unit, (b) shares the household with a family unit that is not interviewed, or (c) is in a situation in which sharing with another family was not ascertained
68	1.29		3	This family unit is a Secondary that shares the household with at least one other family unit that is also interviewed
61	1.15		4	This family unit is a Secondary that shares the household with at least one other family unit that is not interviewed

**V3312 "CENSUS NEEDS STANDARD-1972"**

NUM(5.0)

Annual Needs Standard for the 1972 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. Otherwise the calculation of needs is similar to that described in Section I, Part 5, of guide to the 1993 PSID data, 93GUIDE.PDF.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code	Value/Range Text
5,285	100.00	2,001 - 7,611		Actual Census needs