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§ 1. Document Description

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Study Scope

Subject Information	
Topic Classification:	Technical Variables -- HOUSEHOLD
	Group Quarters Variables -- HOUSEHOLD

	Technical Variables -- PERSON
	Demographic Variables -- PERSON
	Race, Ethnicity, and Nativity Variables -- PERSON
	Education Variables -- PERSON
	Work Variables -- PERSON
	Income Variables -- PERSON
Summary Data Description	
Time Period:	2022
Country:	United States
Notes	
Note:	Additional notes on a sample that is part of this study: 2018-2022, ACS 5-year Density of the full data file: 5.0% Density of this extract: 5.0%

Data Access - Use Statement

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Study Notes

Notes	
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	This extract is a revision of the user's previous extract, ID 22039997.

§ 3. File Description

File

File Name:	usa_00004.dat
Contents of Files:	Microdata records
Type:	rectangular
File Type:	ISO-8859-1 data file
Data Format:	fixed length fields
Place of File Production:	IPUMS, 50 Willey Hall, 225 - 19th Avenue South, Minneapolis, MN 55455

§ 4. Variable Description

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1. YEAR (Census year)
2. MULTYEAR (Actual year of survey, multi-year ACS/PRCS)
3. SAMPLE (IPUMS sample identifier)
4. SERIAL (Household serial number)
5. CBSERIAL (Original Census Bureau household serial number)
6. HHWT (Household weight)
7. CLUSTER (Household cluster for variance estimation)
8. STRATA (Household strata for variance estimation)
9. GQ (Group quarters status)
10. PERNUM (Person number in sample unit)
11. PERWT (Person weight)
12. SEX (Sex)
13. AGE (Age)
14. RACE (Race [general version])
15. RACED (Race [detailed version])
16. HISPAN (Hispanic origin [general version])
17. HISPAND (Hispanic origin [detailed version])
18. SCHOOL (School attendance)
19. EDUC (Educational attainment [general version])
20. EDUCD (Educational attainment [detailed version])
21. DEGFIELD (Field of degree [general version])
22. DEGFIELDD (Field of degree [detailed version])
23. EMPSTAT (Employment status [general version])
24. EMPSTATD (Employment status [detailed version])
25. LABFORCE (Labor force status)
26. OCC (Occupation)
27. OCC2010 (Occupation, 2010 basis)
28. OCCSOC (Occupation, SOC classification)
29. IND (Industry)
30. WKSWORK2 (Weeks worked last year, intervalled)
31. UHRSWORK (Usual hours worked per week)
32. INCTOT (Total personal income)
33. INCWAGE (Wage and salary income)

Variable: "YEAR"

Name:	YEAR
Label:	Census year
Variable Text:	YEAR reports the four-digit year when the household was enumerated or included in the census, the ACS, and the PRCS. For the multi-year ACS/PRCS samples, YEAR indicates the last year of data included (e.g., 2007 for the 2005-2007 3-year ACS/PRCS; 2008 for the 2006-2008 3-year ACS/PRCS; and so on). For the actual year of survey in these multi-year data, see MULTYEAR.

https://live.usa.datadownload.ipums.org/web/extracts/usa/2283341/usa_00004.xml?jwt=eyJhbGciOiJSUzI1NiJ9.eyJpc3MiOiJbWEiLCJleHAiOjE…   5/144

Concept:	Technical Variables -- HOUSEHOLD
Start Position:	1
End Position:	4
Width:	4
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

Categories

Value	Label
1850	1850
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1870	1870
1880	1880
1900	1900
1910	1910
1920	1920
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1940	1940
1950	1950
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2015	2015
2016	2016
2017	2017
2018	2018
2019	2019
2020	2020
2021	2021
2022	2022

Variable: "MULTYEAR"

Name:	MULTYEAR
Label:	Actual year of survey, multi-year ACS/PRCS

Variable Text:	MULTYEAR identifies the actual year of survey in multi-year ACS/PRCS samples. For example, the 3-year ACS and PRCS data files each include cases from three single-year files. For these multi-year samples, the YEAR variable identifies the last year of data (2007 for the 2005-2007 3-year data; 2008 for the 2006-2008 data; and so on). MULTYEAR gives the single-year sample from which the case was drawn (2005, 2006, or 2007 for the 2005-2007 3-year data; 2006, 2007, or 2008 for the 2006-2008 3-year data; and so on).
Concept:	Technical Variables -- HOUSEHOLD
Start Position:	5
End Position:	8
Width:	4
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0
Coder Instructions:	CodesThis variable is valid only for multi-year ACS and PRCS samples. MULTYEAR is a 4-digit numeric variable which reports the actual year of survey in multi-year ACS/PRCS samples. MULTYEAR specific variable codes for missing, edited, or unidentified observations, observations not applicable (N/A), observations not in universe (NIU), top and bottom value coding, etc. are provided below if applicable by Census year (and data sample if specified).

Variable: "SAMPLE"

Name:	SAMPLE
Label:	IPUMS sample identifier
Variable Text:	SAMPLE identifies the IPUMS sample from which the case is drawn. Each sample receives a unique 6-digit code. The codes are structured as follows: The first four digits are the year of the census/survey. The next two digits identify the sample within the year. For most censuses, IPUMS has multiple datasets which were constructed using different sampling techniques (i.e. size/demographic of the sample population, geographic coverage level or location, or duration of the sampling period for the ACS/PRCS samples). The availability table for each variable indicates whether that variable is available in only certain samples for a given year. For further discussion of sample differences, see "Sample Designs.". Note: SAMPLE replaces DATANUM. Though the last two digits in SAMPLE do not correlate exactly with the now-deprecated DATANUM, the variable serves the same purpose of assigning a unique id to all cases that belong to the same dataset.
Concept:	Technical Variables -- HOUSEHOLD

Start Position:	9
End Position:	14
Width:	6
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

Categories

Value	Label
202204	2018-2022, PRCS 5-year
202203	2018-2022, ACS 5-year
202202	2022 PRCS
202201	2022 ACS
202104	2017-2021, PRCS 5-year
202103	2017-2021, ACS 5-year
202102	2021 PRCS
202101	2021 ACS
202004	2016-2020, PRCS 5-year
202003	2016-2020, ACS 5-year
202001	2020 ACS
201904	2015-2019, PRCS 5-year
201903	2015-2019, ACS 5-year
201902	2019 PRCS
201901	2019 ACS
201804	2014-2018, PRCS 5-year

201803	2014-2018, ACS 5-year
201802	2018 PRCS
201801	2018 ACS
201704	2013-2017, PRCS 5-year
201703	2013-2017, ACS 5-year
201702	2017 PRCS
201701	2017 ACS
201604	2012-2016, PRCS 5-year
201603	2012-2016, ACS 5-year
201602	2016 PRCS
201601	2016 ACS
201504	2011-2015, PRCS 5-year
201503	2011-2015, ACS 5-year
201502	2015 PRCS
201501	2015 ACS
201404	2010-2014, PRCS 5-year
201403	2010-2014, ACS 5-year
201402	2014 PRCS
201401	2014 ACS
201306	2009-2013, PRCS 5-year
201305	2009-2013, ACS 5-year
201304	2011-2013, PRCS 3-year
201303	2011-2013, ACS 3-year
201302	2013 PRCS
201301	2013 ACS
201206	2008-2012, PRCS 5-year

201205	2008-2012, ACS 5-year
201204	2010-2012, PRCS 3-year
201203	2010-2012, ACS 3-year
201202	2012 PRCS
201201	2012 ACS
201106	2007-2011, PRCS 5-year
201105	2007-2011, ACS 5-year
201104	2009-2011, PRCS 3-year
201103	2009-2011, ACS 3-year
201102	2011 PRCS
201101	2011 ACS
201008	2010 Puerto Rico 10%
201007	2010 10%
201006	2006-2010, PRCS 5-year
201005	2006-2010, ACS 5-year
201004	2008-2010, PRCS 3-year
201003	2008-2010, ACS 3-year
201002	2010 PRCS
201001	2010 ACS
200906	2005-2009, PRCS 5-year
200905	2005-2009, ACS 5-year
200904	2007-2009, PRCS 3-year
200903	2007-2009, ACS 3-year
200902	2009 PRCS
200901	2009 ACS
200804	2006-2008, PRCS 3-year

200803	2006-2008, ACS 3-year
200802	2008 PRCS
200801	2008 ACS
200704	2005-2007, PRCS 3-year
200703	2005-2007, ACS 3-year
200702	2007 PRCS
200701	2007 ACS
200602	2006 PRCS
200601	2006 ACS
200502	2005 PRCS
200501	2005 ACS
200401	2004 ACS
200301	2003 ACS
200201	2002 ACS
200101	2001 ACS
200008	2000 Puerto Rico 1%
200007	2000 1%
200006	2000 Puerto Rico 1% sample (old version)
200005	2000 Puerto Rico 5%
200004	2000 ACS
200003	2000 Unweighted 1%
200002	2000 1% sample (old version)
200001	2000 5%
199007	1990 Puerto Rico 1%
199006	1990 Puerto Rico 5%
199005	1990 Labor Market Area

199004	1990 Elderly
199003	1990 Unweighted 1%
199002	1990 1%
199001	1990 5%
198007	1980 Puerto Rico 1%
198006	1980 Puerto Rico 5%
198005	1980 Detailed metro/non-metro
198004	1980 Labor Market Area
198003	1980 Urban/Rural
198002	1980 1%
198001	1980 5%
197009	1970 Puerto Rico Neighborhood
197008	1970 Puerto Rico Municipio
197007	1970 Puerto Rico State
197006	1970 Form 2 Neighborhood
197005	1970 Form 1 Neighborhood
197004	1970 Form 2 Metro
197003	1970 Form 1 Metro
197002	1970 Form 2 State
197001	1970 Form 1 State
196002	1960 5%
196001	1960 1%
195002	1950 100% database
195001	1950 1%
194002	1940 100% database
194001	1940 1%

193004	1930 100% database
193003	1930 Puerto Rico
193002	1930 5%
193001	1930 1%
192003	1920 100% database
192002	1920 Puerto Rico sample
192001	1920 1%
191004	1910 100% database
191003	1910 1.4% sample with oversamples
191002	1910 1%
191001	1910 Puerto Rico
190004	1900 100% database
190003	1900 1% sample with oversamples
190002	1900 1%
190001	1900 5%
188003	1880 100% database
188002	1880 10%
188001	1880 1%
187003	1870 100% database
187002	1870 1% sample with black oversample
187001	1870 1%
186003	1860 100% database
186002	1860 1% sample with black oversample
186001	1860 1%
185002	1850 100% database
185001	1850 1%

Variable: "SERIAL"

Name:	SERIAL
Label:	Household serial number
Variable Text:	SERIAL is an identifying number unique to each household record in a given sample. All person records are assigned the same serial number as the household record that they follow. (Person records also have their own unique identifiers - see PERNUM.) A combination of SAMPLE and SERIAL provides a unique identifier for every household in the IPUMS; the combination of SAMPLE, SERIAL, and PERNUM uniquely identifies every person in the database. For 1850-1930, households that are part of a multi-household dwelling can be identified by using the DWELLING and DWSEQ variables. See "Sample Designs" for further discussion of sampling from within multi-household dwellings.
Concept:	Technical Variables -- HOUSEHOLD
Start Position:	15
End Position:	22
Width:	8
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0
Coder Instructions:	CodesSERIAL is an 8-digit numeric variable which assigns a unique identification number to each household record in a given sample (See PERNUM for the analogous person record identifier). A combination of SAMPLE and SERIAL provides a unique identifier for every household in the IPUMS; the combination of SAMPLE, SERIAL, and PERNUM uniquely identifies every person in the database. SERIAL specific variable codes for missing, edited, or unidentified observations, observations not applicable (N/A), observations not in universe (NIU), top and bottom value coding, etc. are provided below if applicable by Census year (and data sample if specified). SERIAL Specific Variable Codes

Variable: "CBSERIAL"

Name:	CBSERIAL
Label:	Original Census Bureau household serial number
Variable Text:	CBSERIAL is the unique, original identification number assigned to each household record in a given sample by the Census Bureau. All person records are assigned the same serial number as the household record that they follow. (The original person record unique identification numbers assigned by the Census Bureau are provided by CBPERNUM.) A combination of SAMPLE and CBSERIAL provides a unique identifier for every household in

the IPUMS; the combination of SAMPLE, CBSERIAL, and CBPERNUM uniquely identifies every person in the database.

Concept:	Technical Variables -- HOUSEHOLD
Start Position:	23
End Position:	35
Width:	13
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0
Coder Instructions:	CodesCBSERIAL is an 8-digit numeric variable which assigns a unique identification number to each household record in a given sample (See CBPERNUM for the analogous person record identifier). CBSERIAL specific variable codes for missing, edited, or unidentified observations, observations not applicable (N/A), observations not in universe (NIU), top and bottom value coding, etc. are provided below if applicable by Census year (and data sample if specified). CBSERIAL Specific Variable Codes

Variable: "HHWT"

Name:	HHWT
Label:	Household weight
Variable Text:	HHWT indicates how many households in the U.S. population are represented by a given household in an IPUMS sample. It is generally a good idea to use HHWT when conducting a household-level analysis of any IPUMS sample. The use of HHWT is optional when analyzing one of the "flat" or unweighted IPUMS samples. Flat IPUMS samples include the 1% samples from 1850-1930, all samples from 1960, 1970, and 1980, the 1% unweighted samples from 1990 and 2000, the 10% 2010 sample, and any of the full count 100% census datasets. HHWT must be used to obtain nationally representative statistics for household-level analyses of any sample other than those. Users should also be sure to select one person (e.g., PERNUM = 1) to represent the entire household. For further explanation of the sample weights, see "Sample Designs" and "Sample Weights". See also PERWT for a corresponding variable at the person level, and SLWT for a weight variable used with sample-line records in 1940 1% and 1950.
Concept:	Technical Variables -- HOUSEHOLD
Start Position:	36
End Position:	45

Width:	10
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	2
Coder Instructions:	CodesHHWT is a 6-digit numeric variable which indicates how many households in the U.S. population are represented by a given household in an IPUMS sample and has two implied decimals. For example, a HHWT value of 010461 should be interpreted as 104.61. HHWT specific variable codes for missing, edited, or unidentified observations, observations not applicable (N/A), observations not in universe (NIU), top and bottom value coding, etc. are provided below if applicable by Census year (and data sample if specified). User Note: Users should also be sure to select one person (e.g., PERNUM = 1) to represent the entire household when using HHWT. HHWT Specific Variable Codes

Variable: "CLUSTER"

Name:	CLUSTER
Label:	Household cluster for variance estimation
Variable Text:	CLUSTER is designed for use with STRATA in Taylor series linear approximation for correction of complex sample design characteristics. See the STRATA variable description for more details.
Concept:	Technical Variables -- HOUSEHOLD
Start Position:	46
End Position:	58
Width:	13
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0
Coder Instructions:	CodesCLUSTER is an 11-digit numeric variable designed for use with STRATA in Taylor series linear approximation for correction of complex sample design characteristics (See the Description of STRATA for more details). CLUSTER specific variable codes for missing, edited, or unidentified observations, observations not applicable (N/A), observations not in universe (NIU), top and bottom value coding, etc. are provided below if applicable by Census year (and data sample if specified). CLUSTER Specific Variable Codes

Variable: "STRATA"

Name:	STRATA
Label:	Household strata for variance estimation
Variable Text:	STRATA is designed for use with CLUSTER in Taylor series linear approximation for correction of complex sample design characteristics. While appropriate use of the sampling weights PERWT and HHWT allow users to produce correct point estimates (such as means and proportions), many researchers believe that additional statistical techniques are also necessary to produce correct standard errors and statistical tests that account for complex sample design. For further information on why and how to use STRATA and CLUSTER, see Analysis and Variance Estimation with the IPUMS . For more details on the mathematics behind this method, see Issues Concerning the Calculation of Standard Errors Using IPUMS Data Products .
Concept:	Technical Variables -- HOUSEHOLD
Start Position:	59
End Position:	70
Width:	12
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0
Coder Instructions:	CodesSTRATA is a 12-digit numeric variable designed for use with CLUSTER in Taylor series linear approximation for correction of complex sample design characteristics. While appropriate use of the sampling weights PERWT and HHWT allow users to produce correct point estimates (such as means and proportions), many researchers believe that additional statistical techniques are also necessary to produce correct standard errors and statistical tests that account for complex sample design. STRATA specific variable codes for missing, edited, or unidentified observations, observations not applicable (N/A), observations not in universe (NIU), top and bottom value coding, etc. are provided below if applicable by Census year (and data sample if specified). User Note: For further information on why and how to use STRATA and CLUSTER, see Analysis and Variance Estimation with the IPUMS. For more details on the mathematics behind this method, see Issues Concerning the Calculation of Standard Errors Using IPUMS Data Products. STRATA Specific Variable Codes

Variable: "GQ"

Name:	GQ
Label:	Group quarters status

Variable Text:	GQ classifies all housing units as falling into one of three main categories: households, group quarters, or vacant units. It also identifies fragmentary sample units for 1850-1930 (see below). In all years, the data available about a person and their co-residents depend on whether the person lives in a household or in group quarters. Households are sampled as units, meaning that everyone in the household is included in the sample, and most household-level variables are available. People living in group quarters are generally sampled as individuals; other people in their unit may or may not be included in the sample, and there is no way of linking co-residents' records to one another. If, however, a sampled person in group quarters was living with relatives, the related group was sampled for 1850-1930. Most household-level variables are not available for group quarters or for vacant units.
	Group quarters are largely institutions and other group living arrangements, such as rooming houses and military barracks. The definitions vary from year to year, but the pre-1940 samples have generally used a definition of group quarters that includes units with 10 or more individuals unrelated to the householder. See the comparability discussion below and "Sample Designs" for more details about changing definitions of group quarters. Group-quarters types are identified in further detail by GQTYPE and GQFUNDS.
Concept:	Group Quarters Variables -- HOUSEHOLD
Start Position:	71
End Position:	71
Width:	1
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

Categories

Value	Label
0	Vacant unit
1	Households under 1970 definition
2	Additional households under 1990 definition
3	Group quarters--Institutions
4	Other group quarters
5	Additional households under 2000 definition
6	Fragment

Variable: "PERNUM"

Name:	PERNUM
Label:	Person number in sample unit
Variable Text:	PERNUM numbers all persons within each household consecutively in the order in which they appear on the original census or survey form. When combined with SAMPLE and SERIAL, PERNUM uniquely identifies each person within the IPUMS.
Concept:	Technical Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	72
End Position:	75
Width:	4
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0
Coder Instructions:	CodesPERNUM is a 4-digit numeric variable which numbers all persons within each household consecutively in the order in which they appear on the original census or survey form. PERNUM specific variable codes for missing, edited, or unidentified observations, observations not applicable (N/A), observations not in universe (NIU), top and bottom value coding, etc. are provided below if applicable by Census year (and data sample if specified).

Variable: "PERWT"

Name:	PERWT
Label:	Person weight
Variable Text:	PERWT indicates how many persons in the U.S. population are represented by a given person in an IPUMS sample.

It is generally a good idea to use PERWT when conducting a person-level analysis of any IPUMS sample. The use of PERWT is optional when analyzing one of the "flat" or unweighted IPUMS samples. Flat IPUMS samples include the 1% samples from 1850-1930, all samples from 1960, 1970, and 1980, the 1% unweighted samples from 1990 and 2000, the 10% 2010 sample, and any of the full count 100% census datasets. PERWT must be used to obtain nationally representative statistics for person-level analyses of any sample other than those.

For further explanation of the sample weights, see "Sample Designs" and "Sample Weights". See also HHWT for a corresponding variable at the household level, and SLWT for a weight variable used with sample-line records in 1940 and 1950. |
| Concept: | Technical Variables -- PERSON |

Start Position:	76
End Position:	85
Width:	10
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	2
Coder Instructions:	CodesPERWT is a 6-digit numeric variable which indicates how many persons in the U.S. population are represented by a given person in an IPUMS sample and has two implied decimals. For example, a PERWT value of 010461 should be interpreted as 104.61. PERWT specific variable codes for missing, edited, or unidentified observations, observations not applicable (N/A), observations not in universe (NIU), top and bottom value coding, etc. are provided below if applicable by Census year (and data sample if specified). PERWT Specific Variable Codes

Variable: "SEX"

Name:	SEX
Label:	Sex
Variable Text:	SEX reports whether the person was male or female.
Concept:	Demographic Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	86
End Position:	86
Width:	1
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0
Categories	

Value	Label
1	Male
2	Female

9	Missing/blank

Variable: "AGE"

Name:	AGE
Label:	Age
Variable Text:	AGE reports the person's age in years as of the last birthday. Please see the Comparability section regarding a known Universe issue with AGE and AGEORIG which effects EMPSTAT and LABFORCE for the 2004 ACS Sample.
Concept:	Demographic Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	87
End Position:	89
Width:	3
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

Categories

Value	Label
000	Less than 1 year old
001	1
002	2
003	3
004	4
005	5
006	6
007	7
008	8
009	9

010	10
011	11
012	12
013	13
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079	79
080	80
081	81
082	82
083	83
084	84
085	85
086	86
087	87

088	88
089	89
090	90 (90+ in 1980 and 1990)
091	91
092	92
093	93
094	94
095	95
096	96
097	97
098	98
099	99
100	100 (100+ in 1960-1970)
101	101
102	102
103	103
104	104
105	105
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107	107
108	108
109	109
110	110
111	111
112	112 (112+ in the 1980 internal data)
113	113

114	114
115	115 (115+ in the 1990 internal data)
116	116
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134	134
135	135
140	140
999	Missing

Variable: "RACE"

Name:	RACE
Label:	Race [general version]
Variable Text:	The concept of race has changed over the more than 150 years represented in IPUMS. Currently, the Census Bureau and others consider race to be a sociopolitical construct, not a scientific or anthropological one. Many detailed RACE categories consist of national origin groups. With the exception of the 1970-1990 Puerto Rican censuses, RACE was asked of every person in all years.

Beginning in 2000, the race question changed substantially to allow respondents to report as many races as they felt necessary to describe themselves. In earlier years, only one race response was coded. Beginning in 2020, the Census Bureau updated the questionnaire text, processing, and coding of the race and Hispanic origin questions, resulting in major changes to the distribution of race and Hispanic origin categories. As a result, users should proceed with caution when comparing RACE and HISPAN in 2019-prior samples with 2020-onward samples. See the comparability tab for more details.

IPUMS offers several variables describing the answer(s) to the race question. RACE provides the full detail given by the respondent and/or released by the Census Bureau; it is not always historically compatible (see comparability discussion below). Users primarily interested in historical compatibility should consider using RACHSING. RACHSING codes race and Hispanic origin responses into a simple, historically compatible scheme that includes only federally defined race and Hispanic origin groups. Please note that RACESING, an earlier version of RACHSING, is also available on the IPUMS website.

In addition, specific combinations of major races can be discerned using the following bivariate indicators of whether a particular race group was reported: RACAMIND, RACASIAN, RACBLK, RACOTHER, RACPACIS, and RACWHT. RACNUM indicates the total number of major race groups reported for an individual. The information contained in the bivariate indicators and in RACNUM is integrated into the detailed version of RACE.

Prior to 1960, the census enumerator was responsible for categorizing persons and was not specifically instructed to ask the individual his or her race. In 1970 and later years, an individual's race was reported by someone in the household or group quarters. In the 1990 U.S. census, the 2000 U.S. and Puerto Rican censuses, the ACS, and the PRCS respondents were specifically asked what race the person "considers himself/herself" to be, although such self-description was more or less operative since 1960.

User Note: Race questions were not asked in the Puerto Rican censuses of 1970, 1980, and 1990. They were asked in the 1910 and 1920 Puerto Rican censuses, the 2000-2010 Puerto Rican censuses, and the PRCS. |
Concept:	Race, Ethnicity, and Nativity Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	90
End Position:	90
Width:	1
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

Categories

Value	Label
1	White
2	Black/African American
3	American Indian or Alaska Native
4	Chinese
5	Japanese
6	Other Asian or Pacific Islander
7	Other race, nec
8	Two major races
9	Three or more major races

Variable: "RACED"

Name:	RACED
Label:	Race [detailed version]
Variable Text:	The concept of race has changed over the more than 150 years represented in IPUMS. Currently, the Census Bureau and others consider race to be a sociopolitical construct, not a scientific or anthropological one. Many detailed RACE categories consist of national origin groups. With the exception of the 1970-1990 Puerto Rican censuses, RACE was asked of every person in all years.

Beginning in 2000, the race question changed substantially to allow respondents to report as many races as they felt necessary to describe themselves. In earlier years, only one race response was coded. Beginning in 2020, the Census Bureau updated the questionnaire text, processing, and coding of the race and Hispanic origin questions, resulting in major changes to the distribution of race and Hispanic origin categories. As a result, users should proceed with caution when comparing RACE and HISPAN in 2019-prior samples with 2020-onward samples. See the comparability tab for more details.

IPUMS offers several variables describing the answer(s) to the race question. RACE provides the full detail given by the respondent and/or released by the Census Bureau; it is not always historically compatible (see comparability discussion below). Users primarily interested in historical compatibility should consider using RACHSING. RACHSING codes race and Hispanic origin responses into a simple, historically compatible scheme that includes only federally defined race and Hispanic origin groups. Please note that RACESING, an earlier version of RACHSING, is also available on the IPUMS website.

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User Note: Race questions were not asked in the Puerto Rican censuses of 1970, 1980, and 1990. They were asked in the 1910 and 1920 Puerto Rican censuses, the 2000-2010 Puerto Rican censuses, and the PRCS.

Concept:	Race, Ethnicity, and Nativity Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	91
End Position:	93
Width:	3
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

Categories

Value	Label
100	White
110	Spanish write_in
120	Blank (white) (1850)
130	Portuguese
140	Mexican (1930)
150	Puerto Rican (1910 Hawaii)
200	Black/African American
210	Mulatto
300	American Indian/Alaska Native
302	Apache

303	Blackfoot
304	Cherokee
305	Cheyenne
306	Chickasaw
307	Chippewa
308	Choctaw
309	Comanche
310	Creek
311	Crow
312	Iroquois
313	Kiowa
314	Lumbee
315	Navajo
316	Osage
317	Paiute
318	Pima
319	Potawatomi
320	Pueblo
321	Seminole
322	Shoshone
323	Sioux
324	Tlingit (Tlingit_Haida, 2000/ACS)
325	Tohono O Odham
326	All other tribes (1990)
328	Hopi
329	Central American Indian

330	Spanish American Indian
350	Delaware
351	Latin American Indian
352	Puget Sound Salish
353	Yakama
354	Yaqui
355	Colville
356	Houma
357	Menominee
358	Yuman
359	South American Indian
360	Mexican American Indian
361	Other Amer. Indian tribe (2000,ACS)
362	2+ Amer. Indian tribes (2000,ACS)
370	Alaskan Athabaskan
371	Aleut
372	Eskimo
373	Alaskan mixed
374	Inupiat
375	Yup'ik
379	Other Alaska Native tribe(s) (2000,ACS)
398	Both Am. Ind. and Alaska Native (2000,ACS)
399	Tribe not specified
400	Chinese
410	Taiwanese
420	Chinese and Taiwanese

500	Japanese
600	Filipino
610	Asian Indian (Hindu 1920_1940)
620	Korean
630	Hawaiian
631	Hawaiian and Asian (1900,1920)
632	Hawaiian and European (1900,1920)
634	Hawaiian mixed
640	Vietnamese
641	Bhutanese
642	Mongolian
643	Nepalese
650	Other Asian or Pacific Islander (1920,1980)
651	Asian only (CPS)
652	Pacific Islander only (CPS)
653	Asian or Pacific Islander, n.s. (1990 Internal Census files)
660	Cambodian
661	Hmong
662	Laotian
663	Thai
664	Bangladeshi
665	Burmese
666	Indonesian
667	Malaysian
668	Okinawan
669	Pakistani

670	Sri Lankan
671	Other Asian, n.e.c.
672	Asian, not specified
673	Chinese and Japanese
674	Chinese and Filipino
675	Chinese and Vietnamese
676	Chinese and Asian write_in
677	Japanese and Filipino
678	Asian Indian and Asian write_in
679	Other Asian race combinations
680	Samoan
681	Tahitian
682	Tongan
683	Other Polynesian (1990)
684	1+ other Polynesian races (2000,ACS)
685	Chamorro
686	Northern Mariana Islander
687	Palauan
688	Other Micronesian (1990)
689	1+ other Micronesian races (2000,ACS)
690	Fijian
691	Other Melanesian (1990)
692	1+ other Melanesian races (2000,ACS)
698	2+ PI races from 2+ PI regions
699	Pacific Islander, n.s.
700	Other race, n.e.c.

801	White and Black
802	White and AIAN
810	White and Asian
811	White and Chinese
812	White and Japanese
813	White and Filipino
814	White and Asian Indian
815	White and Korean
816	White and Vietnamese
817	White and Asian write_in
818	White and other Asian race(s)
819	White and two or more Asian groups
820	White and PI
821	White and Native Hawaiian
822	White and Samoan
823	White and Chamorro
824	White and PI write_in
825	White and other PI race(s)
826	White and other race write_in
827	White and other race, n.e.c.
830	Black and AIAN
831	Black and Asian
832	Black and Chinese
833	Black and Japanese
834	Black and Filipino
835	Black and Asian Indian

836	Black and Korean
837	Black and Asian write_in
838	Black and other Asian race(s)
840	Black and PI
841	Black and PI write_in
842	Black and other PI race(s)
845	Black and other race write_in
850	AIAN and Asian
851	AIAN and Filipino (2000 1%)
852	AIAN and Asian Indian
853	AIAN and Asian write_in (2000 1%)
854	AIAN and other Asian race(s)
855	AIAN and PI
856	AIAN and other race write_in
860	Asian and PI
861	Chinese and Hawaiian
862	Chinese, Filipino, Hawaiian (2000 1%)
863	Japanese and Hawaiian (2000 1%)
864	Filipino and Hawaiian
865	Filipino and PI write_in
866	Asian Indian and PI write_in (2000 1%)
867	Asian write_in and PI write_in
868	Other Asian race(s) and PI race(s)
869	Japanese and Korean (ACS)
880	Asian and other race write_in
881	Chinese and other race write_in

882	Japanese and other race write_in
883	Filipino and other race write_in
884	Asian Indian and other race write_in
885	Asian write_in and other race write_in
886	Other Asian race(s) and other race write_in
887	Chinese and Korean
890	PI and other race write_in:
891	PI write_in and other race write_in
892	Other PI race(s) and other race write_in
893	Native Hawaiian or PI other race(s)
899	API and other race write_in
901	White, Black, AIAN
902	White, Black, Asian
903	White, Black, PI
904	White, Black, other race write_in
905	White, AIAN, Asian
906	White, AIAN, PI
907	White, AIAN, other race write_in
910	White, Asian, PI
911	White, Chinese, Hawaiian
912	White, Chinese, Filipino, Hawaiian (2000 1%)
913	White, Japanese, Hawaiian (2000 1%)
914	White, Filipino, Hawaiian
915	Other White, Asian race(s), PI race(s)
916	White, AIAN and Filipino
917	White, Black, and Filipino

920	White, Asian, other race write_in
921	White, Filipino, other race write_in (2000 1%)
922	White, Asian write_in, other race write_in (2000 1%)
923	Other White, Asian race(s), other race write_in (2000 1%)
925	White, PI, other race write_in
930	Black, AIAN, Asian
931	Black, AIAN, PI
932	Black, AIAN, other race write_in
933	Black, Asian, PI
934	Black, Asian, other race write_in
935	Black, PI, other race write_in
940	AIAN, Asian, PI
941	AIAN, Asian, other race write_in
942	AIAN, PI, other race write_in
943	Asian, PI, other race write_in
944	Asian (Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Vietnamese); and Native Hawaiian or PI; and Other
949	2 or 3 races (CPS)
950	White, Black, AIAN, Asian
951	White, Black, AIAN, PI
952	White, Black, AIAN, other race write_in
953	White, Black, Asian, PI
954	White, Black, Asian, other race write_in
955	White, Black, PI, other race write_in
960	White, AIAN, Asian, PI
961	White, AIAN, Asian, other race write_in
962	White, AIAN, PI, other race write_in

963	White, Asian, PI, other race write_in
964	White, Chinese, Japanese, Native Hawaiian
970	Black, AIAN, Asian, PI
971	Black, AIAN, Asian, other race write_in
972	Black, AIAN, PI, other race write_in
973	Black, Asian, PI, other race write_in
974	AIAN, Asian, PI, other race write_in
975	AIAN, Asian, PI, Hawaiian other race write_in
976	Two specified Asian (Chinese and other Asian, Chinese and Japanese, Japanese and other Asian, Korean and other Asian); Native Hawaiian/PI; and Other Race
980	White, Black, AIAN, Asian, PI
981	White, Black, AIAN, Asian, other race write_in
982	White, Black, AIAN, PI, other race write_in
983	White, Black, Asian, PI, other race write_in
984	White, AIAN, Asian, PI, other race write_in
985	Black, AIAN, Asian, PI, other race write_in
986	Black, AIAN, Asian, PI, Hawaiian, other race write_in
989	4 or 5 races (CPS)
990	White, Black, AIAN, Asian, PI, other race write_in
991	White race; Some other race; Black or African American race and/or American Indian and Alaska Native race and/or Asian groups and/or Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander groups
996	2+ races, n.e.c. (CPS)
997	Unknown

Variable: "HISPAN"

Name:	HISPAN
Label:	Hispanic origin [general version]

Variable Text:	HISPAN identifies persons of Hispanic/Spanish/Latino origin and classifies them according to their country of origin when possible. Origin is defined by the Census Bureau as ancestry, lineage, heritage, nationality group, or country of birth. People of Hispanic origin may be of any race; see RACE for a discussion of coding issues involved. Users should note that race questions were not asked in the Puerto Rican censuses of 1970, 1980 and 1990. They were asked in the 1910 and 1920 Puerto Rican censuses, and in the 2000 and 2010 Puerto Rican census and the PRCS. However, questions assessing Spanish/Hispanic origin were not asked in the Puerto Rican censuses prior to 2000. The HISPAN general code covers country-of-origin classifications common to all years; the detailed code distinguishes additional groups and subgroups. See HISPRULE for details on how country of origin information was assigned prior to 1980. In 2020, the Census Bureau updated the questionnaire text, processing, and coding of the race and Hispanic origin questions, resulting in major changes to the distribution of race and Hispanic origin categories. As a result, users should proceed with caution when comparing HISPAN and RACE in 2019-prior samples with 2020-onward samples. See the comparability tab for more details.
Concept:	Race, Ethnicity, and Nativity Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	94
End Position:	94
Width:	1
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

Categories

Value	Label
0	Not Hispanic
1	Mexican
2	Puerto Rican
3	Cuban
4	Other
9	Not Reported

Variable: "HISPAND"

Name:	HISPAND
Label:	Hispanic origin [detailed version]
Variable Text:	HISPAN identifies persons of Hispanic/Spanish/Latino origin and classifies them according to their country of origin when possible. Origin is defined by the Census Bureau as ancestry, lineage, heritage, nationality group, or country of birth. People of Hispanic origin may be of any race; see RACE for a discussion of coding issues involved. Users should note that race questions were not asked in the Puerto Rican censuses of 1970, 1980 and 1990. They were asked in the 1910 and 1920 Puerto Rican censuses, and in the 2000 and 2010 Puerto Rican census and the PRCS. However, questions assessing Spanish/Hispanic origin were not asked in the Puerto Rican censuses prior to 2000.
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	In 2020, the Census Bureau updated the questionnaire text, processing, and coding of the race and Hispanic origin questions, resulting in major changes to the distribution of race and Hispanic origin categories. As a result, users should proceed with caution when comparing HISPAN and RACE in 2019-prior samples with 2020-onward samples. See the comparability tab for more details.
Concept:	Race, Ethnicity, and Nativity Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	95
End Position:	97
Width:	3
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

Categories

Value	Label
000	Not Hispanic
100	Mexican
102	Mexican American
103	Mexicano/Mexicana
104	Chicano/Chicana

105	La Raza
106	Mexican American Indian
107	Mexico
200	Puerto Rican
300	Cuban
401	Central American Indian
402	Canal Zone
411	Costa Rican
412	Guatemalan
413	Honduran
414	Nicaraguan
415	Panamanian
416	Salvadoran
417	Central American, n.e.c.
420	Argentinean
421	Bolivian
422	Chilean
423	Colombian
424	Ecuadorian
425	Paraguayan
426	Peruvian
427	Uruguayan
428	Venezuelan
429	South American Indian
430	Criollo
431	South American, n.e.c.

450	Spaniard
451	Andalusian
452	Asturian
453	Castillian
454	Catalonian
455	Balearic Islander
456	Gallego
457	Valencian
458	Canarian
459	Spanish Basque
460	Dominican
465	Latin American
470	Hispanic
480	Spanish
490	Californio
491	Tejano
492	Nuevo Mexicano
493	Spanish American
494	Spanish American Indian
495	Meso American Indian
496	Mestizo
498	Other, n.s.
499	Other, n.e.c.
900	Not Reported

Variable: "SCHOOL"

Name:	SCHOOL
Label:	School attendance
Variable Text:	SCHOOL indicates whether the respondent attended school during a specified period.
Concept:	Education Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	98
End Position:	98
Width:	1
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

Categories

Value	Label
0	N/A
1	No, not in school
2	Yes, in school
8	Unknown
9	Missing

Variable: "EDUC"

Name:	EDUC
Label:	Educational attainment [general version]
Variable Text:	EDUC indicates respondents' educational attainment, as measured by the highest year of school or degree completed. Note that completion differs from the highest year of school attendance; for example, respondents who attended 10th grade but did not finish were classified in EDUC as having completed 9th grade. For additional detail on grade attendance, see GRADEATT as well as the detailed version of HIGRADE.
Concept:	Education Variables -- PERSON

Start Position:	99
End Position:	100
Width:	2
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0
Categories	

Value	Label
00	N/A or no schooling
01	Nursery school to grade 4
02	Grade 5, 6, 7, or 8
03	Grade 9
04	Grade 10
05	Grade 11
06	Grade 12
07	1 year of college
08	2 years of college
09	3 years of college
10	4 years of college
11	5+ years of college
99	Missing

Variable: "EDUCD"

Name:	EDUCD

Label:	Educational attainment [detailed version]
Variable Text:	EDUC indicates respondents' educational attainment, as measured by the highest year of school or degree completed. Note that completion differs from the highest year of school attendance; for example, respondents who attended 10th grade but did not finish were classified in EDUC as having completed 9th grade. For additional detail on grade attendance, see GRADEATT as well as the detailed version of HIGRADE.
Concept:	Education Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	101
End Position:	103
Width:	3
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

Categories

Value	Label
000	N/A or no schooling
001	N/A
002	No schooling completed
010	Nursery school to grade 4
011	Nursery school, preschool
012	Kindergarten
013	Grade 1, 2, 3, or 4
014	Grade 1
015	Grade 2
016	Grade 3
017	Grade 4

020	Grade 5, 6, 7, or 8
021	Grade 5 or 6
022	Grade 5
023	Grade 6
024	Grade 7 or 8
025	Grade 7
026	Grade 8
030	Grade 9
040	Grade 10
050	Grade 11
060	Grade 12
061	12th grade, no diploma
062	High school graduate or GED
063	Regular high school diploma
064	GED or alternative credential
065	Some college, but less than 1 year
070	1 year of college
071	1 or more years of college credit, no degree
080	2 years of college
081	Associate's degree, type not specified
082	Associate's degree, occupational program
083	Associate's degree, academic program
090	3 years of college
100	4 years of college
101	Bachelor's degree
110	5+ years of college

111	6 years of college (6+ in 1960-1970)
112	7 years of college
113	8+ years of college
114	Master's degree
115	Professional degree beyond a bachelor's degree
116	Doctoral degree
999	Missing

Variable: "DEGFIELD"

Name:	DEGFIELD
Label:	Field of degree [general version]
Variable Text:	DEGFIELD reports the field in which the person received a Bachelor's degree, if the person holds a Bachelor's degree.
Concept:	Education Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	104
End Position:	105
Width:	2
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

Categories

Value	Label
00	N/A
11	Agriculture
13	Environment and Natural Resources
14	Architecture

15	Area, Ethnic, and Civilization Studies
19	Communications
20	Communication Technologies
21	Computer and Information Sciences
22	Cosmetology Services and Culinary Arts
23	Education Administration and Teaching
24	Engineering
25	Engineering Technologies
26	Linguistics and Foreign Languages
29	Family and Consumer Sciences
32	Law
33	English Language, Literature, and Composition
34	Liberal Arts and Humanities
35	Library Science
36	Biology and Life Sciences
37	Mathematics and Statistics
38	Military Technologies
40	Interdisciplinary and Multi-Disciplinary Studies (General)
41	Physical Fitness, Parks, Recreation, and Leisure
48	Philosophy and Religious Studies
49	Theology and Religious Vocations
50	Physical Sciences
51	Nuclear, Industrial Radiology, and Biological Technologies
52	Psychology
53	Criminal Justice and Fire Protection
54	Public Affairs, Policy, and Social Work

55	Social Sciences
56	Construction Services
57	Electrical and Mechanic Repairs and Technologies
58	Precision Production and Industrial Arts
59	Transportation Sciences and Technologies
60	Fine Arts
61	Medical and Health Sciences and Services
62	Business
64	History

Variable: "DEGFIELDD"

Name:	DEGFIELDD
Label:	Field of degree [detailed version]
Variable Text:	DEGFIELD reports the field in which the person received a Bachelor's degree, if the person holds a Bachelor's degree.
Concept:	Education Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	106
End Position:	109
Width:	4
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

Categories

Value	Label
0000	N/A
1100	General Agriculture

1101	Agriculture Production and Management
1102	Agricultural Economics
1103	Animal Sciences
1104	Food Science
1105	Plant Science and Agronomy
1106	Soil Science
1199	Miscellaneous Agriculture
1300	Environment and Natural Resources
1301	Environmental Science
1302	Forestry
1303	Natural Resources Management
1401	Architecture
1501	Area, Ethnic, and Civilization Studies
1900	Communications
1901	Communications
1902	Journalism
1903	Mass Media
1904	Advertising and Public Relations
2001	Communication Technologies
2100	Computer and Information Systems
2101	Computer Programming and Data Processing
2102	Computer Science
2105	Information Sciences
2106	Computer Information Management and Security
2107	Computer Networking and Telecommunications
2201	Cosmetology Services and Culinary Arts

2300	General Education
2301	Educational Administration and Supervision
2303	School Student Counseling
2304	Elementary Education
2305	Mathematics Teacher Education
2306	Physical and Health Education Teaching
2307	Early Childhood Education
2308	Science and Computer Teacher Education
2309	Secondary Teacher Education
2310	Special Needs Education
2311	Social Science or History Teacher Education
2312	Teacher Education: Multiple Levels
2313	Language and Drama Education
2314	Art and Music Education
2399	Miscellaneous Education
2400	General Engineering
2401	Aerospace Engineering
2402	Biological Engineering
2403	Architectural Engineering
2404	Biomedical Engineering
2405	Chemical Engineering
2406	Civil Engineering
2407	Computer Engineering
2408	Electrical Engineering
2409	Engineering Mechanics, Physics, and Science
2410	Environmental Engineering

2411	Geological and Geophysical Engineering
2412	Industrial and Manufacturing Engineering
2413	Materials Engineering and Materials Science
2414	Mechanical Engineering
2415	Metallurgical Engineering
2416	Mining and Mineral Engineering
2417	Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering
2418	Nuclear Engineering
2419	Petroleum Engineering
2499	Miscellaneous Engineering
2500	Engineering Technologies
2501	Engineering and Industrial Management
2502	Electrical Engineering Technology
2503	Industrial Production Technologies
2504	Mechanical Engineering Related Technologies
2599	Miscellaneous Engineering Technologies
2600	Linguistics and Foreign Languages
2601	Linguistics and Comparative Language and Literature
2602	French, German, Latin and Other Common Foreign Language Studies
2603	Other Foreign Languages
2901	Family and Consumer Sciences
3200	Law
3201	Court Reporting
3202	Pre-Law and Legal Studies
3300	English Language, Literature, and Composition
3301	English Language and Literature

3302	Composition and Speech
3400	Liberal Arts and Humanities
3401	Liberal Arts
3402	Humanities
3501	Library Science
3600	Biology
3601	Biochemical Sciences
3602	Botany
3603	Molecular Biology
3604	Ecology
3605	Genetics
3606	Microbiology
3607	Pharmacology
3608	Physiology
3609	Zoology
3611	Neuroscience
3699	Miscellaneous Biology
3700	Mathematics
3701	Applied Mathematics
3702	Statistics and Decision Science
3801	Military Technologies
4000	Interdisciplinary and Multi-Disciplinary Studies (General)
4001	Intercultural and International Studies
4002	Nutrition Sciences
4003	Neuroscience
4005	Mathematics and Computer Science

4006	Cognitive Science and Biopsychology
4007	Interdisciplinary Social Sciences
4008	Multi-disciplinary or General Science
4101	Physical Fitness, Parks, Recreation, and Leisure
4801	Philosophy and Religious Studies
4901	Theology and Religious Vocations
5000	Physical Sciences
5001	Astronomy and Astrophysics
5002	Atmospheric Sciences and Meteorology
5003	Chemistry
5004	Geology and Earth Science
5005	Geosciences
5006	Oceanography
5007	Physics
5008	Materials Science
5098	Multi-disciplinary or General Science
5102	Nuclear, Industrial Radiology, and Biological Technologies
5200	Psychology
5201	Educational Psychology
5202	Clinical Psychology
5203	Counseling Psychology
5205	Industrial and Organizational Psychology
5206	Social Psychology
5299	Miscellaneous Psychology
5301	Criminal Justice and Fire Protection
5400	Public Affairs, Policy, and Social Work

5401	Public Administration
5402	Public Policy
5403	Human Services and Community Organization
5404	Social Work
5500	General Social Sciences
5501	Economics
5502	Anthropology and Archeology
5503	Criminology
5504	Geography
5505	International Relations
5506	Political Science and Government
5507	Sociology
5599	Miscellaneous Social Sciences
5601	Construction Services
5701	Electrical and Mechanic Repairs and Technologies
5801	Precision Production and Industrial Arts
5901	Transportation Sciences and Technologies
6000	Fine Arts
6001	Drama and Theater Arts
6002	Music
6003	Visual and Performing Arts
6004	Commercial Art and Graphic Design
6005	Film, Video and Photographic Arts
6006	Art History and Criticism
6007	Studio Arts
6099	Miscellaneous Fine Arts

6100	General Medical and Health Services
6102	Communication Disorders Sciences and Services
6103	Health and Medical Administrative Services
6104	Medical Assisting Services
6105	Medical Technologies Technicians
6106	Health and Medical Preparatory Programs
6107	Nursing
6108	Pharmacy, Pharmaceutical Sciences, and Administration
6109	Treatment Therapy Professions
6110	Community and Public Health
6199	Miscellaneous Health Medical Professions
6200	General Business
6201	Accounting
6202	Actuarial Science
6203	Business Management and Administration
6204	Operations, Logistics and E-Commerce
6205	Business Economics
6206	Marketing and Marketing Research
6207	Finance
6209	Human Resources and Personnel Management
6210	International Business
6211	Hospitality Management
6212	Management Information Systems and Statistics
6299	Miscellaneous Business and Medical Administration
6402	History
6403	United States History

Variable: "EMPSTAT"

Name:	EMPSTAT
Label:	Employment status [general version]
Variable Text:	EMPSTAT indicates whether the respondent was a part of the labor force -- working or seeking work -- and, if so, whether the person was currently unemployed. The second digit preserves additional related information available for some years but not others. See LABFORCE for a dichotomous variable that identifies whether a person participated in the labor force or not and is available for all years in the IPUMS.
Concept:	Work Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	110
End Position:	110
Width:	1
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

Categories

Value	Label
0	N/A
1	Employed
2	Unemployed
3	Not in labor force
9	Unknown/Illegible

Variable: "EMPSTATD"

Name:	EMPSTATD
Label:	Employment status [detailed version]

Variable Text:	EMPSTAT indicates whether the respondent was a part of the labor force -- working or seeking work -- and, if so, whether the person was currently unemployed. The second digit preserves additional related information available for some years but not others. See LABFORCE for a dichotomous variable that identifies whether a person participated in the labor force or not and is available for all years in the IPUMS.
Concept:	Work Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	111
End Position:	112
Width:	2
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

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Value	Label
00	N/A
10	At work
11	At work, public emerg
12	Has job, not working
13	Armed forces
14	Armed forces--at work
15	Armed forces--not at work but with job
20	Unemployed
21	Unemp, exper worker
22	Unemp, new worker
30	Not in Labor Force
31	NILF, housework

32	NILF, unable to work
33	NILF, school
34	NILF, other
99	Unknown/Illegible

Variable: "LABFORCE"

Name:	LABFORCE
Label:	Labor force status
Variable Text:	LABFORCE is a dichotomous variable indicating whether a person participated in the labor force. See EMPSTAT for a non-dichotomous variable that indicates whether the respondent was part of the labor force -- working or seeking work -- and, if so, whether the person was currently unemployed.
Concept:	Work Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	113
End Position:	113
Width:	1
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

Categories

Value	Label
0	N/A
1	No, not in the labor force
2	Yes, in the labor force
9	Unclassifiable (employment status unknown)

Variable: "OCC"

Name:	OCC
Label:	Occupation
Variable Text:	OCC reports the person's primary occupation, coded into a contemporary census classification scheme (some non-occupational activities are also recorded in the pre-1940 samples). Generally, the primary occupation is the one from which the person earns the most money; if respondents were not sure about this, they were to report the one at which they spent the most time. Unemployed persons were to give their most recent occupation. For persons listing more than one occupation, the samples use the first one listed. Universe Note: "New Workers" are persons seeking employment for the first time, who had not yet secured their first job. Note Regarding Multi-Year Samples: In Multi-Year ACS files, OCC codes are based on the year that the file was publicly released (see YEAR). For example, in the 2011-2015 5-year ACS sample, the OCC codes for respondents in 2011 were crosswalked by the Census Bureau to the set of OCC codes used in 2015 to create a single vintage of the occupation variable. See the Industry and Occupation Code Lists and Crosswalks page on the Census Bureau's website for more guidance on how codes are matched across years.
Concept:	Work Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	114
End Position:	117
Width:	4
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

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Variable: "OCC2010"

Name:	OCC2010
Label:	Occupation, 2010 basis
Variable Text:	OCC2010 is a harmonized occupation coding scheme based on the Census Bureau's 2010 ACS occupation classification scheme. Similar variables are offered for the 1950 (OCC1950) and 1990 (OCC1990) classifications. OCC2010 offers researchers a consistent, long-term classification of occupations. The Census Bureau has reorganized its occupational classification system in almost every census administered since 1850. All original occupational information is stored in the OCC variable. The meaning of codes in the OCC variable changes with each census year. The 2010 occupation coding scheme for OCC has 493 categories. In the interest of harmonization, however, the scheme has been modified to achieve the most consistent categories across time. That is, some categories that provide more detail in the 2010 scheme were grouped together because earlier categories are inseparable when more than one occupation is coded together. For users who wish to further aggregate occupation to broader categories, the 2010 scheme is generally organized by the following groups: Management, Business, Science, and Arts = 10-430 Business Operations Specialists = 500-730 Financial Specialists = 800-950 Computer and Mathematical = 1000-1240 Architecture and Engineering = 1300-1540 Technicians = 1550-1560 Life, Physical, and Social Science = 1600-1980 Community and Social Services = 2000-2060 Legal = 2100-2150 Education, Training, and Library = 2200-2550 Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media = 2600-2920 Healthcare Practitioners and Technicians = 3000-3540 Healthcare Support = 3600-3650 Protective Service = 3700-3950 Food Preparation and Serving = 4000-4150 Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance = 4200-4250 Personal Care and Service = 4300-4650 Sales and Related = 4700-4965 Office and Administrative Support = 5000-5940 Farming, Fishing, and Forestry = 6005-6130 Construction = 6200-6765 Extraction = 6800-6940 Installation, Maintenance, and Repair = 7000-7630 Production = 7700-8965 Transportation and Material Moving = 9000-9750 Military Specific = 9800-9830

Unemployed (no occupation for 5+ years) or Never Worked = 9920

We followed a process of constructing and testing OCC2010 that is similar to OCC1990's process, which is discussed in more detail in this BLS working paper.

OCC1990 was created using a series of technical papers published by the Census Bureau shortly after each census was administered. These papers provide detailed analyses of how the occupational coding scheme for each census year differed from the scheme used during the previous census year. These occupational "crosswalks" are based on samples of cases that are "double coded" into the occupational schemes of the current and previous census year. The original Census Bureau crosswalks are available via links in "Occupation and Industry Variables" of the IPUMS documentation.

Using the information from the occupational crosswalks, we traced the proportion of each occupation as it broke out into more specific occupations or as it was combined with others into a more general occupation. To take one example from the technical paper produced after the 2000 census: of persons coded as "Gaming managers" in 2000 (2000 code 33), the Census Bureau determined that 35% would have been coded as "Managers, service organizations" in 1990 (1990 code 21), while 65% would have been coded as "Managers, food serving and lodging establishments" (1990 code 17). Thus, OCC1990 assigns a code of 17 to the cases in the 2000 IPUMS sample having an original 2000 OCC value of 33. We generated the same information for every occupational code in every census year from 1950-2000.

Researchers at the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) then used the resulting tables to create aggregated occupational categories that were more useful for long-term analyses. We have performed a variety of tests to ensure that the new categories are as robust as possible over the long-term. More specifics on their methods and a detailed comparison of OCC1950 and OCC1990 can be found in the BLS Working Paper on the topic.

Concept:	Work Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	118
End Position:	121
Width:	4
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

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0010	Chief executives and legislators/public administration
0020	General and Operations Managers
0030	Managers in Marketing, Advertising, and Public Relations
0100	Administrative Services Managers

0110	Computer and Information Systems Managers
0120	Financial Managers
0130	Human Resources Managers
0140	Industrial Production Managers
0150	Purchasing Managers
0160	Transportation, Storage, and Distribution Managers
0205	Farmers, Ranchers, and Other Agricultural Managers
0220	Constructions Managers
0230	Education Administrators
0300	Architectural and Engineering Managers
0310	Food Service and Lodging Managers
0320	Funeral Directors
0330	Gaming Managers
0350	Medical and Health Services Managers
0360	Natural Science Managers
0410	Property, Real Estate, and Community Association Managers
0420	Social and Community Service Managers
0430	Managers, nec (including Postmasters)
0500	Agents and Business Managers of Artists, Performers, and Athletes
0510	Buyers and Purchasing Agents, Farm Products
0520	Wholesale and Retail Buyers, Except Farm Products
0530	Purchasing Agents, Except Wholesale, Retail, and Farm Products
0540	Claims Adjusters, Appraisers, Examiners, and Investigators
0560	Compliance Officers, Except Agriculture
0600	Cost Estimators
0620	Human Resources, Training, and Labor Relations Specialists

0700	Logisticians
0710	Management Analysts
0720	Meeting and Convention Planners
0730	Other Business Operations and Management Specialists
0800	Accountants and Auditors
0810	Appraisers and Assessors of Real Estate
0820	Budget Analysts
0830	Credit Analysts
0840	Financial Analysts
0850	Personal Financial Advisors
0860	Insurance Underwriters
0900	Financial Examiners
0910	Credit Counselors and Loan Officers
0930	Tax Examiners and Collectors, and Revenue Agents
0940	Tax Preparers
0950	Financial Specialists, nec
1000	Computer Scientists and Systems Analysts/Network systems Analysts/Web Developers
1010	Computer Programmers
1020	Software Developers, Applications and Systems Software
1050	Computer Support Specialists
1060	Database Administrators
1100	Network and Computer Systems Administrators
1200	Actuaries
1220	Operations Research Analysts
1230	Statisticians
1240	Mathematical science occupations, nec

1300	Architects, Except Naval
1310	Surveyors, Cartographers, and Photogrammetrists
1320	Aerospace Engineers
1350	Chemical Engineers
1360	Civil Engineers
1400	Computer Hardware Engineers
1410	Electrical and Electronics Engineers
1420	Environmental Engineers
1430	Industrial Engineers, including Health and Safety
1440	Marine Engineers and Naval Architects
1450	Materials Engineers
1460	Mechanical Engineers
1520	Petroleum, mining and geological engineers, including mining safety engineers
1530	Engineers, nec
1540	Drafters
1550	Engineering Technicians, Except Drafters
1560	Surveying and Mapping Technicians
1600	Agricultural and Food Scientists
1610	Biological Scientists
1640	Conservation Scientists and Foresters
1650	Medical Scientists, and Life Scientists, All Other
1700	Astronomers and Physicists
1710	Atmospheric and Space Scientists
1720	Chemists and Materials Scientists
1740	Environmental Scientists and Geoscientists
1760	Physical Scientists, nec

1800	Economists and market researchers
1820	Psychologists
1830	Urban and Regional Planners
1840	Social Scientists, nec
1900	Agricultural and Food Science Technicians
1910	Biological Technicians
1920	Chemical Technicians
1930	Geological and Petroleum Technicians, and Nuclear Technicians
1960	Life, Physical, and Social Science Technicians, nec
1980	Professional, Research, or Technical Workers, nec
2000	Counselors
2010	Social Workers
2020	Community and Social Service Specialists, nec
2040	Clergy
2050	Directors, Religious Activities and Education
2060	Religious Workers, nec
2100	Lawyers, and judges, magistrates, and other judicial workers
2140	Paralegals and Legal Assistants
2150	Legal Support Workers, nec
2200	Postsecondary Teachers
2300	Preschool and Kindergarten Teachers
2310	Elementary and Middle School Teachers
2320	Secondary School Teachers
2330	Special Education Teachers
2340	Other Teachers and Instructors
2400	Archivists, Curators, and Museum Technicians

2430	Librarians
2440	Library Technicians
2540	Teacher Assistants
2550	Education, Training, and Library Workers, nec
2600	Artists and Related Workers
2630	Designers
2700	Actors, Producers, and Directors
2720	Athletes, Coaches, Umpires, and Related Workers
2740	Dancers and Choreographers
2750	Musicians, Singers, and Related Workers
2760	Entertainers and Performers, Sports and Related Workers, All Other
2800	Announcers
2810	Editors, News Analysts, Reporters, and Correspondents
2825	Public Relations Specialists
2840	Technical Writers
2850	Writers and Authors
2860	Media and Communication Workers, nec
2900	Broadcast and Sound Engineering Technicians and Radio Operators, and media and communication equipment workers, all other
2910	Photographers
2920	Television, Video, and Motion Picture Camera Operators and Editors
3000	Chiropractors
3010	Dentists
3030	Dieticians and Nutritionists
3040	Optometrists
3050	Pharmacists
3060	Physicians and Surgeons

3110	Physician Assistants
3120	Podiatrists
3130	Registered Nurses
3140	Audiologists
3150	Occupational Therapists
3160	Physical Therapists
3200	Radiation Therapists
3210	Recreational Therapists
3220	Respiratory Therapists
3230	Speech Language Pathologists
3240	Therapists, nec
3250	Veterinarians
3260	Health Diagnosing and Treating Practitioners, nec
3300	Clinical Laboratory Technologists and Technicians
3310	Dental Hygienists
3320	Diagnostic Related Technologists and Technicians
3400	Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics
3410	Health Diagnosing and Treating Practitioner Support Technicians
3500	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses
3510	Medical Records and Health Information Technicians
3520	Opticians, Dispensing
3530	Health Technologists and Technicians, nec
3540	Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations, nec
3600	Nursing, Psychiatric, and Home Health Aides
3610	Occupational Therapy Assistants and Aides
3620	Physical Therapist Assistants and Aides

3630	Massage Therapists
3640	Dental Assistants
3650	Medical Assistants and Other Healthcare Support Occupations, nec
3700	First-Line Supervisors of Correctional Officers
3710	First-Line Supervisors of Police and Detectives
3720	First-Line Supervisors of Fire Fighting and Prevention Workers
3730	Supervisors, Protective Service Workers, All Other
3740	Firefighters
3750	Fire Inspectors
3800	Sheriffs, Bailiffs, Correctional Officers, and Jailers
3820	Police Officers and Detectives
3900	Animal Control
3910	Private Detectives and Investigators
3930	Security Guards and Gaming Surveillance Officers
3940	Crossing Guards
3950	Law enforcement workers, nec
4000	Chefs and Cooks
4010	First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers
4030	Food Preparation Workers
4040	Bartenders
4050	Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food
4060	Counter Attendant, Cafeteria, Food Concession, and Coffee Shop
4110	Waiters and Waitresses
4120	Food Servers, Nonrestaurant
4130	Food preparation and serving related workers, nec
4140	Dishwashers

4150	Host and Hostesses, Restaurant, Lounge, and Coffee Shop
4200	First-Line Supervisors of Housekeeping and Janitorial Workers
4210	First-Line Supervisors of Landscaping, Lawn Service, and Groundskeeping Workers
4220	Janitors and Building Cleaners
4230	Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners
4240	Pest Control Workers
4250	Grounds Maintenance Workers
4300	First-Line Supervisors of Gaming Workers
4320	First-Line Supervisors of Personal Service Workers
4340	Animal Trainers
4350	Nonfarm Animal Caretakers
4400	Gaming Services Workers
4420	Ushers, Lobby Attendants, and Ticket Takers
4430	Entertainment Attendants and Related Workers, nec
4460	Funeral Service Workers and Embalmers
4500	Barbers
4510	Hairdressers, Hairstylists, and Cosmetologists
4520	Personal Appearance Workers, nec
4530	Baggage Porters, Bellhops, and Concierges
4540	Tour and Travel Guides
4600	Childcare Workers
4610	Personal Care Aides
4620	Recreation and Fitness Workers
4640	Residential Advisors
4650	Personal Care and Service Workers, All Other
4700	First-Line Supervisors of Sales Workers

4720	Cashiers
4740	Counter and Rental Clerks
4750	Parts Salespersons
4760	Retail Salespersons
4800	Advertising Sales Agents
4810	Insurance Sales Agents
4820	Securities, Commodities, and Financial Services Sales Agents
4830	Travel Agents
4840	Sales Representatives, Services, All Other
4850	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing
4900	Models, Demonstrators, and Product Promoters
4920	Real Estate Brokers and Sales Agents
4930	Sales Engineers
4940	Telemarketers
4950	Door-to-Door Sales Workers, News and Street Vendors, and Related Workers
4965	Sales and Related Workers, All Other
5000	First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers
5010	Switchboard Operators, Including Answering Service
5020	Telephone Operators
5030	Communications Equipment Operators, All Other
5100	Bill and Account Collectors
5110	Billing and Posting Clerks
5120	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks
5130	Gaming Cage Workers
5140	Payroll and Timekeeping Clerks
5150	Procurement Clerks

5160	Bank Tellers
5165	Financial Clerks, nec
5200	Brokerage Clerks
5220	Court, Municipal, and License Clerks
5230	Credit Authorizers, Checkers, and Clerks
5240	Customer Service Representatives
5250	Eligibility Interviewers, Government Programs
5260	File Clerks
5300	Hotel, Motel, and Resort Desk Clerks
5310	Interviewers, Except Eligibility and Loan
5320	Library Assistants, Clerical
5330	Loan Interviewers and Clerks
5340	New Account Clerks
5350	Correspondent clerks and order clerks
5360	Human Resources Assistants, Except Payroll and Timekeeping
5400	Receptionists and Information Clerks
5410	Reservation and Transportation Ticket Agents and Travel Clerks
5420	Information and Record Clerks, All Other
5500	Cargo and Freight Agents
5510	Couriers and Messengers
5520	Dispatchers
5530	Meter Readers, Utilities
5540	Postal Service Clerks
5550	Postal Service Mail Carriers
5560	Postal Service Mail Sorters, Processors, and Processing Machine Operators
5600	Production, Planning, and Expediting Clerks

5610	Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks
5620	Stock Clerks and Order Fillers
5630	Weighers, Measurers, Checkers, and Samplers, Recordkeeping
5700	Secretaries and Administrative Assistants
5800	Computer Operators
5810	Data Entry Keyers
5820	Word Processors and Typists
5840	Insurance Claims and Policy Processing Clerks
5850	Mail Clerks and Mail Machine Operators, Except Postal Service
5860	Office Clerks, General
5900	Office Machine Operators, Except Computer
5910	Proofreaders and Copy Markers
5920	Statistical Assistants
5940	Office and administrative support workers, nec
6005	First-Line Supervisors of Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Workers
6010	Agricultural Inspectors
6040	Graders and Sorters, Agricultural Products
6050	Agricultural workers, nec
6100	Fishing and hunting workers
6120	Forest and Conservation Workers
6130	Logging Workers
6200	First-Line Supervisors of Construction Trades and Extraction Workers
6210	Boilermakers
6220	Brickmasons, Blockmasons, and Stonemasons
6230	Carpenters
6240	Carpet, Floor, and Tile Installers and Finishers

6250	Cement Masons, Concrete Finishers, and Terrazzo Workers
6260	Construction Laborers
6300	Paving, Surfacing, and Tamping Equipment Operators
6320	Construction equipment operators except paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators
6330	Drywall Installers, Ceiling Tile Installers, and Tapers
6355	Electricians
6360	Glaziers
6400	Insulation Workers
6420	Painters, Construction and Maintenance
6430	Paperhangers
6440	Pipelayers, Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters
6460	Plasterers and Stucco Masons
6500	Reinforcing Iron and Rebar Workers
6515	Roofers
6520	Sheet Metal Workers, metal-working
6530	Structural Iron and Steel Workers
6600	Helpers, Construction Trades
6660	Construction and Building Inspectors
6700	Elevator Installers and Repairers
6710	Fence Erectors
6720	Hazardous Materials Removal Workers
6730	Highway Maintenance Workers
6740	Rail-Track Laying and Maintenance Equipment Operators
6765	Construction workers, nec
6800	Derrick, rotary drill, and service unit operators, and roustabouts, oil, gas, and mining
6820	Earth Drillers, Except Oil and Gas

6830	Explosives Workers, Ordnance Handling Experts, and Blasters
6840	Mining Machine Operators
6940	Extraction workers, nec
7000	First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers
7010	Computer, Automated Teller, and Office Machine Repairers
7020	Radio and Telecommunications Equipment Installers and Repairers
7030	Avionics Technicians
7040	Electric Motor, Power Tool, and Related Repairers
7100	Electrical and electronics repairers, transportation equipment, and industrial and utility
7110	Electronic Equipment Installers and Repairers, Motor Vehicles
7120	Electronic Home Entertainment Equipment Installers and Repairers
7125	Electronic Repairs, nec
7130	Security and Fire Alarm Systems Installers
7140	Aircraft Mechanics and Service Technicians
7150	Automotive Body and Related Repairers
7160	Automotive Glass Installers and Repairers
7200	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics
7210	Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists
7220	Heavy Vehicle and Mobile Equipment Service Technicians and Mechanics
7240	Small Engine Mechanics
7260	Vehicle and Mobile Equipment Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers, nec
7300	Control and Valve Installers and Repairers
7315	Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers
7320	Home Appliance Repairers
7330	Industrial and Refractory Machinery Mechanics
7340	Maintenance and Repair Workers, General

7350	Maintenance Workers, Machinery
7360	Millwrights
7410	Electrical Power-Line Installers and Repairers
7420	Telecommunications Line Installers and Repairers
7430	Precision Instrument and Equipment Repairers
7510	Coin, Vending, and Amusement Machine Servicers and Repairers
7540	Locksmiths and Safe Repairers
7550	Manufactured Building and Mobile Home Installers
7560	Riggers
7610	Helpers--Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers
7630	Other Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers Including Wind Turbine Service Technicians, and Commercial Divers, and Signal and Track Switch Repairers
7700	First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers
7710	Aircraft Structure, Surfaces, Rigging, and Systems Assemblers
7720	Electrical, Electronics, and Electromechanical Assemblers
7730	Engine and Other Machine Assemblers
7740	Structural Metal Fabricators and Fitters
7750	Assemblers and Fabricators, nec
7800	Bakers
7810	Butchers and Other Meat, Poultry, and Fish Processing Workers
7830	Food and Tobacco Roasting, Baking, and Drying Machine Operators and Tenders
7840	Food Batchmakers
7850	Food Cooking Machine Operators and Tenders
7855	Food Processing, nec
7900	Computer Control Programmers and Operators
7920	Extruding and Drawing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic
7930	Forging Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic

7940	Rolling Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, metal and Plastic
7950	Cutting, Punching, and Press Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic
7960	Drilling and Boring Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic
8000	Grinding, Lapping, Polishing, and Buffing Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic
8010	Lathe and Turning Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic
8030	Machinists
8040	Metal Furnace Operators, Tenders, Pourers, and Casters
8060	Model Makers and Patternmakers, Metal and Plastic
8100	Molders and Molding Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic
8130	Tool and Die Makers
8140	Welding, Soldering, and Brazing Workers
8150	Heat Treating Equipment Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic
8200	Plating and Coating Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic
8210	Tool Grinders, Filers, and Sharpeners
8220	Metal workers and plastic workers, nec
8230	Bookbinders, Printing Machine Operators, and Job Printers
8250	Prepress Technicians and Workers
8300	Laundry and Dry-Cleaning Workers
8310	Pressers, Textile, Garment, and Related Materials
8320	Sewing Machine Operators
8330	Shoe and Leather Workers and Repairers
8340	Shoe Machine Operators and Tenders
8350	Tailors, Dressmakers, and Sewers
8400	Textile bleaching and dyeing, and cutting machine setters, operators, and tenders
8410	Textile Knitting and Weaving Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders
8420	Textile Winding, Twisting, and Drawing Out Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders

8450	Upholsterers
8460	Textile, Apparel, and Furnishings workers, nec
8500	Cabinetmakers and Bench Carpenters
8510	Furniture Finishers
8530	Sawing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Wood
8540	Woodworking Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Except Sawing
8550	Woodworkers including model makers and patternmakers, nec
8600	Power Plant Operators, Distributors, and Dispatchers
8610	Stationary Engineers and Boiler Operators
8620	Water Wastewater Treatment Plant and System Operators
8630	Plant and System Operators, nec
8640	Chemical Processing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders
8650	Crushing, Grinding, Polishing, Mixing, and Blending Workers
8710	Cutting Workers
8720	Extruding, Forming, Pressing, and Compacting Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders
8730	Furnace, Kiln, Oven, Drier, and Kettle Operators and Tenders
8740	Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers
8750	Jewelers and Precious Stone and Metal Workers
8760	Medical, Dental, and Ophthalmic Laboratory Technicians
8800	Packaging and Filling Machine Operators and Tenders
8810	Painting Workers and Dyers
8830	Photographic Process Workers and Processing Machine Operators
8850	Adhesive Bonding Machine Operators and Tenders
8860	Cleaning, Washing, and Metal Pickling Equipment Operators and Tenders
8910	Etchers, Engravers, and Lithographers
8920	Molders, Shapers, and Casters, Except Metal and Plastic

8930	Paper Goods Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders
8940	Tire Builders
8950	Helpers--Production Workers
8965	Other production workers including semiconductor processors and cooling and freezing equipment operators
9000	Supervisors of Transportation and Material Moving Workers
9030	Aircraft Pilots and Flight Engineers
9040	Air Traffic Controllers and Airfield Operations Specialists
9050	Flight Attendants and Transportation Workers and Attendants
9100	Bus and Ambulance Drivers and Attendants
9130	Driver/Sales Workers and Truck Drivers
9140	Taxi Drivers and Chauffeurs
9150	Motor Vehicle Operators, All Other
9200	Locomotive Engineers and Operators
9230	Railroad Brake, Signal, and Switch Operators
9240	Railroad Conductors and Yardmasters
9260	Subway, Streetcar, and Other Rail Transportation Workers
9300	Sailors and marine oilers, and ship engineers
9310	Ship and Boat Captains and Operators
9350	Parking Lot Attendants
9360	Automotive and Watercraft Service Attendants
9410	Transportation Inspectors
9420	Transportation workers, nec
9510	Crane and Tower Operators
9520	Dredge, Excavating, and Loading Machine Operators
9560	Conveyor operators and tenders, and hoist and winch operators
9600	Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators

9610	Cleaners of Vehicles and Equipment
9620	Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand
9630	Machine Feeders and Offbearers
9640	Packers and Packagers, Hand
9650	Pumping Station Operators
9720	Refuse and Recyclable Material Collectors
9750	Material moving workers, nec
9800	Military Officer Special and Tactical Operations Leaders
9810	First-Line Enlisted Military Supervisors
9820	Military Enlisted Tactical Operations and Air/Weapons Specialists and Crew Members
9830	Military, Rank Not Specified
9920	Unemployed, with No Work Experience in the Last 5 Years or Earlier or Never Worked

Variable: "OCCSOC"

Name:	OCCSOC
Label:	Occupation, SOC classification
Variable Text:	OCCSOC reports the person's primary occupation, classified according to the 2000 Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) system for 2000-2009, according to the 2010 Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) for 2010-2017, and according to 2018 Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) for 2018-onward.
	For workers employed during the previous week, the data refer to the job at which the person worked the greatest number of hours. For persons who were unemployed or out of the labor force, the data refer to the most recent job, if it was within the previous five years.
	The variable OCC provides a numeric occupational classification that is closely related to the OCCSOC scheme. The crosswalk between the OCC and OCCSOC codes are available here:
	OCC to OCCSOC Crosswalk
	User caution: OCCSOC contains alphabetic characters (See OCC for a fully numeric classification of occupations).
	Note: The OCC to OCCSOC crosswalk is reflective of the codes in the ACS PUMS data files, which slightly differ from the codes found here: Full list of Census provided Industry and Occupation Codes.
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Start Position:	122
End Position:	127
Width:	6
Variable Format:	character
Implied Decimal Places:	0
Coder Instructions:	CodesOCCSOC is a 6-digit alphanumeric string variable which reports the person's primary occupation, classified according to the 2000 Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) system for 2000-2009, according to the 2010 Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) for 2010-2017, and according to 2018 Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) for 2018-onward. A crosswalk of OCCSOC codes for the 2000 Census and the ACS/PRCS from 2000-onward is available here: OCCSOC Crosswalk Please note that in some cases the SOC occupation codes are aggregated if they do not have an exact match to a Census occupation code or to preserve confidentiality in cases where the category contained fewer than 10,000 people nationwide (Lauger, Wisniewski, McKenna, 2014). Reference: Lauger, A., Bisniewski, B., McKenna, L. (2014). Disclosure avoidance techniques at the U.S. Census Bureau: Current practices and research (Research Report Series #2014-02). U.S. Census Bureau: https://www.census.gov/content/census/en/about/policies/privacy/statistical_safeguards/working-papers.html.

Variable: "IND"

Name:	IND
Label:	Industry
Variable Text:	IND is an un-recoded variable that reports the type of industry in which the person performed an occupation, which is recorded in the variables OCC (Occupation) and OCC1950 (Occupation, 1950 basis). In census usage, "industry" currently refers to work setting and economic sector, as opposed to the worker's specific technical function, or "occupation". Prior to 1930, the occupation and industry concepts were not so clearly distinguishable from one another. Some persons work in more than one industry. Generally, the instructions asked for the industry from which the person earned the most money. Respondents not sure about this were to report the industry in which they spent the most time. For persons listing more than one industry, the samples use the first one listed. Persons not currently employed were to give their most recent industry. Universe Note: "New Workers" are persons seeking employment for the first time, who had not yet secured their first job. Note Regarding Multi-Year Samples: In Multi-Year ACS files, IND codes are based on the year that the file was publicly released (see YEAR). For example, in the 2011-2015 5-year ACS sample, the IND codes for respondents from 2011 and 2012 were crosswalked by the Census Bureau to the set of IND codes used in 2015 to create a single vintage of the industry variable.

	See the Industry and Occupation Code Lists and Crosswalks page on the Census Bureau's website for more guidance on how codes are matched across years.
Concept:	Work Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	128
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Width:	4
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

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Variable: "WKSWORK2"

Name:	WKSWORK2
Label:	Weeks worked last year, intervalled
Variable Text:	WKSWORK2, like WKSWORK1, reports the number of weeks that the respondent worked for profit, pay, or as an unpaid family worker during the previous year. For the census, the reference period is the previous calendar year; for the ACS, the reference period is the previous 12 months. WKSWORK2 differs from WKSWORK1 in that responses are given in intervals (1-13 weeks, 14-26 weeks, and so on), instead of the precise number of weeks. This is because the 1960 and 1970 samples recorded weeks worked only in intervals. For the other years contained in WKSWORK2 (the 1940-1950 and 1980-2000 censuses, the ACS, and the PRCS), the exact number of weeks worked is recorded in WKSWORK1. For further discussion, see the WKSWORK1 variable description. See EMPSTAT for definitions of key labor force and employment terminology.
Concept:	Work Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	132
End Position:	132

Width:	1
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

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Value	Label
0	N/A
1	1-13 weeks
2	14-26 weeks
3	27-39 weeks
4	40-47 weeks
5	48-49 weeks
6	50-52 weeks

Variable: "UHRSWORK"

Name:	UHRSWORK
Label:	Usual hours worked per week
Variable Text:	UHRSWORK reports the number of hours per week that the respondent usually worked, if the person worked during the previous year. The census inquiry relates to the previous calendar year, while the ACS and the PRCS uses the previous 12 months as the reference period.
Concept:	Work Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	133
End Position:	134
Width:	2
Variable Format:	numeric

Implied Decimal Places:	0

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Variable: "INCTOT"

Name:	INCTOT
Label:	Total personal income
Variable Text:	INCTOT reports each respondent's total pre-tax personal income or losses from all sources for the previous year. The censuses collected information on income received from these sources during the previous calendar year; for the ACS and the PRCS, the reference period was the past 12 months. Amounts are expressed in contemporary dollars, and users studying change over time must adjust for inflation: Users studying change over time must adjust for inflation. Consumer Price Index adjustment factors for the appropriate years can be found in the CPI99 variable. The exception is the ACS/PRCS multi-year files, where all dollar amounts have been standardized to dollars as valued in the final year of data included in the file (e.g., 2007 dollars for the 2005-2007 3-year file). Additionally, more detail may be available than exists in the original ACS samples. User Note: ACS respondents are surveyed throughout the year, and amounts do not reflect calendar year dollars. While the Census Bureau provides an adjustment factor (available in ADJUST), this is an imperfect solution. See the ACS income variables note for further details. For a more complete discussion of the use of these factors to adjust for inflation, users may wish to see the IPUMS-CPS note on adjusting dollar amount variables for inflation.
Concept:	Income Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	135
End Position:	141
Width:	7
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0
Coder Instructions:	CodesINCTOT is a 7-digit numeric code reporting each respondent's total pre-tax personal income or losses from all sources for the previous year. INCTOT specific variable codes for missing, edited, or unidentified observations, observations not applicable (N/A), observations not in universe (NIU), top and bottom value coding, etc. are provided below by Census year (and data sample if specified). User Note: Users studying change over time must adjust for inflation (See Description). INCTOT Specific Variable Codes -009995 = -$9,900 (1980) -000001 = Net loss (1950) 0000000 = None

0000001 = $1 or break even (2000, 2005-onward ACS and PRCS)
9999999 = N/A
9999998 = Unknown

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INCTOT

Census
Bottom Code
Top Code

1950
Net loss
$10,000

1960
-$9,900
$25,000

1970
-$9,900
$50,000

1980
-$9,990
$75,000

1990
-$19,998
 $400,000*

2000
-$20,000
$999,998

ACS
-$19,998
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PRCS
-$19,998
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Variable: "INCWAGE"

Name:	INCWAGE
Label:	Wage and salary income

Variable Text:	INCWAGE reports each respondent's total pre-tax wage and salary income - that is, money received as an employee - for the previous year. The censuses collected information on income received from these sources during the previous calendar year; for the ACS and the PRCS, the reference period was the past 12 months. Sources of income in INCWAGE include wages, salaries, commissions, cash bonuses, tips, and other money income received from an employer. Payments-in-kind or reimbursements for business expenses are not included. See the comparability discussion below for further information. Amounts are expressed in contemporary dollars, and users studying change over time must adjust for inflation (See INCTOT for Consumer Price Index adjustment factors). The exception is the ACS/PRCS multi-year files, where all dollar amounts have been standardized to dollars as valued in the final year of data included in the file (e.g., 2007 dollars for the 2005-2007 3-year file). Additionally, more detail may be available than exists in the original ACS samples. User Note: ACS respondents are surveyed throughout the year, and amounts do not reflect calendar year dollars. While the Census Bureau provides an adjustment factor (available in ADJUST), this is an imperfect solution. See the ACS income variables note for further details.
Concept:	Income Variables -- PERSON
Start Position:	142
End Position:	147
Width:	6
Variable Format:	numeric
Implied Decimal Places:	0

Coder Instructions:	CodesINCWAGE is a 7-digit numeric code reporting each respondent's total pre-tax wage and salary income - that is, money received as an employee - for the previous year. INCWAGE specific variable codes for missing, edited, or unidentified observations, observations not applicable (N/A), observations not in universe (NIU), top and bottom value coding, etc. are provided below by Census year (and data sample if specified).
	
	User Note: Amounts are expressed in contemporary dollars, and users studying change over time must adjust for inflation (See Description).
	
	INCWAGE Specific Variable Codes
	999999 = N/A
	999998 = Missing
	
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INCWAGE

Census
Top Code

1940
$5,001

1950
$10,000

1960
$25,000

1970
$50,000

1980
$75,000

1990
 $140,000*

2000
  $175,000**

ACS (2000-2002)
  $200,000**

ACS (2003-onward)
 99.5th Percentile in State**

 PRCS (2005-onward)
 99.5th Percentile in State**