This data set is structured to match the original in Boas's *Materials for the Study of Inheritance in Man*, with each individual assigned to a unique case. In the companion data set (boas-family), only second-generation immigrants are assigned to cases, with the data for each case's mother and father assigned to variables.

Variable	Definition	Source in Boas (1928)
ID	Case ID	
FAM_ID	Boas's original family ID (not unique values)	Fam.
FAM_ID2	Recoded family ID (unique values)	
SUBJ_ID	Boas's subject ID (not unique values)	Ind.
IMMGROUP	Immigrant group: 1=Sicilian; 2=Central Italian; 3=Bohemian; 4=Hungarian & Slovak; 5=Polish; 6=Scotch; 7=Hebrew	Nationality
SEX	Sex: 0=Female; 1=Male	Immigration
RELATION	Relation of case within family: D=daughter; F=father; M=mother; S=son	Immigration
IMM_YR	Case's year of immigration to U.S. –999=born in U.S.	Immigration
AGE	Age (years)	Age
HD_LNG	Head length (mm)	LH
HD_WDT	Max head width (mm)	WH
BIZYG	Bizygomatic breadth (mm)	WF
STATURE	Stature (cm)	St
CEPHALIC	Cephalic index (max head width as percentage of head length)	Ci
WFI	Facial index (Bizygomatic breadth as percentage of max head width)	Wfi

EYECOLOR	Eye Color (NOTE: data entered only up to case ID 2636):
	  1=blue
	  2=brown
	  3=lt brown
	  4=dk brown
	  5=green
	  6=lt blue
		Color: Eyes
		  Bl.
		  Br.
		  l. Br.
		  d. Br.
		  Gr.
		  l. Bl.

HAIRCOL	Hair Color (NOTE: data entered only up to case ID 2636):
	  1-?
	  0=Gr.
	  1.5=1-2
	  3.5=3-4
	  10.5=10-11
	  1-Gr.=1-Gr.
	  2-Gr.=2-Gr.
	  Gr.-Red=Gr.-Red
	  Br.=Br.
	  Gr.-Br.=Gr.-Br.
		Color: Hair

GENERAT	Generation: 0=Parents; 1=Children	Immigration
USBORN	Birthplace: 0=Foreign-born; 1=U.S.-born	Immigration
PAGE_NUM	Page number in Boas's original *Materials for the Study of Inheritance in Man*	