The variables related to jobs are in two files:

1. Job\_History.csv - This file shows for each calendar year between 1979-2017, for each person in the survey, the jobs held by them in that calendar year, the start and end dates of the job. We have the employment history of everyone in this table.

| Variable Name | Description |
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| PERSON\_ID | ID of each person. |
| Calendar\_Year | 1979-2017 |
| U\_Job | Unique job ID for each person. Can vary from 1-67. |
| Start\_Year | Year in which the job was started. |
| Stop\_Year | Year in which the job ended. |

1. Jobs\_Data.csv - This uses the Job\_History.csv to create the following variables:

| Variable Name | Description |
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| PERSON\_ID | ID of each person. |
| Calendar\_Year | 1979-2017 |
| Switch\_Job\_1 | Did the PERSON\_ID switch the job in Calendar\_Year where job switching is defined as starting a new job and stopping a job in the year. |
| Switch\_Job\_2 | Did the PERSON\_ID switch the job in Calendar\_Year where job switching is defined as starting a new job in the year. |
| N\_Jobs | Number of jobs held by PERSON\_ID in the Calendar\_Year. |
| Total\_Jobs | Total jobs held by PERSON\_ID between 1979-2017. |