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Preface

This volume documents the fifteenth wave of data collected in the Panel Study of Income Dynamics, interviews taken in 1982 on income for 1981. Volumes I and II of A Panel Study of Income Dynamics contain tape codes, indexes, available data, questionnaires and procedures specific to our first five years of data collection (1968-1972). These volumes also describe the early history of the study and some of the basic procedures that are common to all fifteen years of interviewing. Ten supplemental volumes, including this one, cover procedures, codes and questionnaires for Waves VI-XV. Ten volumes of findings entitled Five Thousand American Families--Patterns of Economic Progress are now available. Due to lack of funding, no further volumes are planned in this series.

Board of Overseers

The panel study now has a Board of Overseers. Most of its ten members come from other Universities: California, Chicago, Cornell, Harvard, Wisconsin and Yale and one member from the Department of Labor.

The Board has met four times and its members have many suggestions for improving the study. Among the first to be achieved is a PSID User Guide, available by early 1984. It contains much vital information that a researcher needs to know in order to use the panel study data effectively. It is in loose-leaf format so that new material can be added as needed. The guide describes how to use the data properly for either cross sectional or longitudinal analysis with either the family or the individual as the unit of analysis. See Section I, Part 8 of this volume for a list of some other topics included in the guide.

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SECTION I

PROCEDURES FOR THE 1982 INTERVIEWING YEAR

Part 1: The 1982 Questionnaire, Data Processing, Interviewing
Procedures, Occupation Codes, Data Quality, Independent Part
Samples, Weights

The 1982 Questionnaire

As an economy measure the content of the 1982 Questionnaire was reduced. No new questions were asked and even some of the trend questions about things that don't change often were eliminated temporarily. However, we did retain the series of questions initiated in 1981 about spells of unemployment and periods neither working nor looking for work.

Data Processing

The direct data entry coding that we started using last year continues to save us time and money. This system decreases staff time spent checking

wild codes and consistency and also can be used to generate some variables.

Interviewing Procedures

Most of the interviews were taken by telephone by interviewers in the field. The Ann Arbor interviewers concentrated on call-backs for missing information. They also made numerous follow-up calls to reluctant respondents who had received persuasion letters (we were able to interview 60 percent of the original refusals).

We took 6742 interviews out of an estimated 6919 for an overall response rate of 97.4. Subtracting from the base the 55 respondents who had died since the last interview, had moved into institutions where we were not able to interview them, were too ill to talk to us, or had gone back to being the wife in a reunited couple, raises the response rate to 98.0 percent. This includes interviews with 257 new splitoffs out of a possible 299 for an 86.0 percent response. For the reinterview panel only (again with the deceased, etc., subtracted from the base) the response rate was 98.8 percent.

The average length of the 1982 interview was 20.8 minutes. We paid \$10.00 for it plus the usual \$5.00 for returning the address correction post card.

As of 1982 we have respondents in the District of Columbia and all the states except Vermont ranging from one lone family in Montana to 630 in California. Panel families also live in Puerto Rico and 14 foreign countries.

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Occupation Codes

We use the 1970 Census three-digit occupation and industry codes for the main jobs of employed heads and wives. They are also used for the most recent jobs held by heads and wives who are currently unemployed and looking for work and for any job held in 1981 by a head or wife who is now retired or no longer in the labor force. We continue to use the Survey Research Center's two-digit occupation codes, which are brackets of the 1970 Census codes, for extra jobs held by a head or wife and for the kind of job they were hunting for if they were unemployed and looking for work. For comparability to past data, one-digit occupation codes are used to code head's first job and head's father's occupation, since these data items are collected only for families with new heads.

Data Quality

Ninety-three percent of the 1981 interviews were taken by telephone (Table 2). The remaining 10 percent of respondents have no telephones, or prefer personal interviews due to party lines or hearing difficulties, or live out of range of our interviewers and fill out their own questionnaires. Every year a few more wives answer the questions for their husbands (Table 3). However, there is very little year-to-year variation in the number of assignments we have to make (Table 4), so the quality of the data, according to our measure of it, continues to be good. The overall response rate remained at 97 percent (Table 1). If the cumulative response rate is based on the interviews actually obtained in 1968 and the splitoffs from those families, the cumulative response rate after the fifteenth year is 60.4 percent.

As of 1982, 11,113 members of the original 1968 panel families were still in the sample. Of these, 326 were currently in institutions (away at school or college, in the armed forces, in hospitals, nursing homes, jails, etc.). 4,586 children born to panel families since 1968 still live in these families. There are also 3,799 non sample individuals living in panel families.

Table 1
ANNUAL AND CUMULATIVE PANEL RESPONSE RATES*

| Year | Percent | |
|------|---------|------------|
| | Annual | Cumulative |
| 1968 | 76 | 76 |
| 1969 | 89 | 68 |
| 1970 | 97 | 66 |
| 1971 | 97 | 64 |
| 1972 | 97 | 62 |
| 1973 | 97 | 61 |
| 1974 | 97 | 59 |
| 1975 | 97 | 57 |
| 1976 | 96 | 55 |
| 1977 | 97 | 53 |
| 1978 | 97 | 51 |
| 1979 | 97 | 49 |
| 1980 | 97 | 48 |
| 1981 | 97 | 47 |
| 1982 | 97 | 46 |

*The deceased, those too ill to be interviewed, and recombined families have not been removed from the base.

Table 2
PROPORTION OF INTERVIEWS BY TELEPHONE

| Year | Sample Size | Number of Telephone Interviews | Unweighted Percent of Sample |
|------|-------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1968 | 4,802 | -- | -- |
| 1969 | 4,460 | -- | -- |
| 1970 | 4,655 | 67 | 1.4 |
| 1971 | 4,840 | 108 | 2.2 |
| 1972 | 5,060 | 134 | 2.6 |
| 1973 | 5,185 | 4,047 | 76.6 |
| 1974 | 5,517 | 4,554 | 82.5 |
| 1975 | 5,725 | 4,836 | 84.5 |
| 1976 | 5,862 | 5,360 | 91.4 |
| 1977 | 6,007 | 5,040 | 83.9 |
| 1978 | 6,154 | 5,283 | 85.8 |
| 1979 | 6,373 | 5,635 | 88.4 |
| 1980 | 6,533 | 5,829 | 89.2 |
| 1981 | 6,620 | 6,081 | 91.9 |
| 1982 | 6,742 | 6,257 | 92.8 |

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Table 3
PROPORTION OF FAMILY HEADS INTERVIEWED

| Year | Total Sample | Proportion of Interviews by Head |
|------|-----------------|--|
| 1968 | 4,802 | 92.6 |
| 1969 | 4,460 | 93.1 |

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|------|-------|------|
| 1970 | 4,655 | 93.2 |
| 1971 | 4,840 | 93.3 |
| 1972 | 5,060 | 93.5 |
| 1973 | 5,285 | 91.1 |
| 1974 | 5,517 | 90.0 |
| 1975 | 5,725 | 88.3 |
| 1976 | 5,862 | 92.6 |
| 1977 | 6,007 | 90.0 |
| 1978 | 6,254 | 90.2 |
| 1979 | 6,373 | 88.5 |
| 1980 | 6,533 | 85.8 |
| 1981 | 6,620 | 84.3 |
| 1982 | 6,742 | 83.8 |

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Table 4*

TOTAL ACCURACY CODES ON HUSBAND AND WIFE INCOME VARIABLES

| Year of Data | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 or More | Total |
|--------------|------|-----|-----|-----|--------------|-------|
| 1968 | 94.0 | 2.5 | 2.6 | 0.2 | 0.8 | 100.0 |
| 1969 | 95.6 | 1.6 | 1.9 | 0.1 | 0.8 | 100.0 |
| 1970 | 96.9 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 100.0 |
| 1971 | 97.7 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 100.0 |
| 1972 | 97.8 | 0.8 | 1.1 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 100.0 |
| 1973 | 97.9 | 1.1 | 0.7 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 100.0 |
| 1974 | 98.2 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 100.0 |
| 1975 | 98.3 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 100.0 |
| 1976 | 97.0 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 100.0 |
| 1977 | 97.4 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 100.0 |
| 1978 | 97.4 | 0.7 | 1.3 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 100.0 |

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|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| 1979 | 96.1 | 0.8 | 2.3 | 0.1 | 0.7 | 100.0 |
| 1980 | 95.8 | 0.8 | 2.4 | 0.2 | 0.8 | 100.0 |
| 1981 | 95.6 | 1.2 | 2.5 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 100.0 |
| 1982 | 95.3 | 1.1 | 2.7 | 0.1 | 0.8 | 100.0 |

 *Table 4 is based on four variables:

Accuracy of Head's Labor Income (V8266 + V8271)

Accuracy of Wife's Labor Income (V8274)

Accuracy of Asset Income of Head and Wife (V8282)

Accuracy here is determined by the number of assignments made by the editors in order to recreate data missing from an interview. The more assignments, the less reliable the data. The accuracy code values and their meanings are:

0. Adequate response: No assignments made.
1. Minor assignment: Response was inadequate, but estimates could be made within a probable error of under \$300 or 10 percent of the assignment by using previous years' data or other data in the interview.
2. Major assignment: Response was inadequate, and estimates had a probable error of at least \$300 and at least 10 percent of

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the value of the assignment, using any information available in previous interviews or in the current one. Usually these values were assigned from an assignment table.

This table shows the sum of the accuracy codes for the three different income measures. The maximum number possible here would be eight for married couples, six for single heads.

Independent Part Samples

The use of part samples is suggested for separating the selection of a preferred model from the assessment of its stability and power. Simple random subsamples are not independent of the rest of the sample because of the clustered nature of area probability samples. Therefore, four independent quarter-samples are designated in the code (V8724). How much of the sample should be reserved for statistical testing depends on how unsure one is about the best model and how important the estimation and testing of one optimal model is felt to be. For illustrations of the results of this separation of the searching from the assessing procedures, see the volumes of findings, *Five Thousand American Families--Patterns of Economic Progress*, Volume I, pp. 6-8 and pp. 342-344; Volume II, Chapter 9; and Volume IV, Chapter 2 (Survey Research Center, Ann Arbor, Michigan). There is also a code for use in defining paired strata for repeated replication of half-samples for computing sampling errors (V8725). See Chapter 17 of Vol. IX of *Five Thousand American Families*, and Section I, Part 5 in this volume.

Weights

The sample was reweighted in 1978. For a detailed description of how this was done, see *A Panel Study of Income Dynamics--1978 Interviewing Year, Wave XI*, page 6. This is a population weight for reducing bias in estimates, not a variance weight for efficiency.

Part 2: 1982 Questionnaire

The 1982 questionnaire with variable numbers from the merged family tape was included in the original published documentation. It is not included in this machine readable version.

You may obtain a paper version of the "1982 Questionnaire with Variable Numbers" by sending a request by e-mail to "psid.staff@umich.edu" or by US mail to Jean Yeung, 3263 ISR, University of Michigan, PO Box 1248, Ann Arbor, MI 48106-1248.

Part 3: Editing Procedures and Worksheets

The editing process serves three main purposes: (1) accounting for all year-to-year changes in family membership, (2) rectifying discrepancies

within the interview before coding, and (3) calculating and recording numeric data on the worksheets and interviews for coding. It is a complicated task requiring a high degree of accuracy, so each interview is checked by another editor.

Each interview is screened for discrepancies that require a return trip to the field for further information. Family composition editing and occupation coding comprise the next step. Finally, the massive edit is done, and interviews are considered "clean" for coding.

The full array of past interviews is available to editors, though only the past year's interview is usually consulted to solve problems. It is used when the current interview is vague, contradictory, or incomplete despite previous attempts to clarify the family's situation. Project staff closely oversee the editing process, and substantive decisions regarding the handling of specific problems are made by this staff.

The techniques used to edit previous waves were again used to edit Wave XV. Detailed discussion of these techniques will be found in the Waves I-V (1968-1972) documentation, Volume 1, pp. 270-339. Specific changes since that time have been documented annually in Section I, Part 3 of the succeeding documentation volumes.

Family Composition Editing

All people in a panel family at the time of the previous year's interview must be accounted for in the current year. They may either remain in the family or they may have moved out to form a new family. Sample members 18 or older who move out and form their own households are followed and interviewed as new panel families. Family composition editing remains unchanged for 1982.

Wave XV Changes

In an attempt to economize, a move was initiated to streamline the questionnaire. The entire staff prioritized the 1981 questionnaire and removed a significant number of questions for the 1982 wave. A comparison of the 1982 questionnaire (see Section 1, Part 2 of this volume) with the 1981 questionnaire in the Wave XIV (1981) documentation, Section 1, Part 2, will most easily allow the user to see what has been deleted. Many of the dropped questions will be returning in the 1983 questionnaire.

Below is a summary of question topics not carried over from the 1981 wave to the 1982 questionnaire.

1. Availability of Public Transportation
2. Distance of Household from Center of Nearest City
3. Type of Housing Unit Lived in

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4. Mortgage Information for Home Owners
5. Separate Utilities Costs (however, cost of total utilities was asked)
6. Travel to Work: Time Spent and Type of Transportation (miles to work was asked)
7. Amount of Housework Done by Family Members
8. Perceived Eligibility for Food Stamps
9. Weeks Unemployed and Weeks in School During the Previous Year for Other Family Unit Members (those who are not currently Heads or Wives)
10. Lengths of Hospital Stays and Bed-confining Illnesses for Head and Wife
11. Whether the Family Received Financial Assistance from Government Medical Service (Medicaid, Medicare, etc.)

SALARIED WORKERS' WAGE RATES

We are continuing to use "real work hours" to convert salaried workers' current income into hourly wage rates. This was described in the Wave XIV (1981) documentation, p. 66, and below are the current instructions given to the editors:

In order for you NOT to use one of our conventions for converting a yearly/monthly/weekly salary, the following conditions must ALL be met.¹

1. Head/Wife must not receive overtime pay.
2. Head/Wife must have had their present position for over a year.
3. Head/Wife must work significantly more than our conventional figure (i.e., at least 45 hours per week).

These rules also apply for those working significantly less than 40 hours per week (i.e., less than 35 hours per week) with one difference, it does not matter if they receive any overtime payment.

MARGINAL TAX RATE

For the past few years, our tax estimations and "Marginal Tax Rate" have been calculated using a computer program (see Wave XIII (1980) documentation volume, Section 1, Part 5 for a detailed description). Of the almost 7000 panel interviews, between 20 and 30 require hand tax calculation. This occurs when a New Head or New Wife moves into a panel fami-

¹The conventions are as follows: yearly=2000 hours; monthly=167 hours; and weekly=40 hours.

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ly after December 31st of the previous year but by the time of the current year's interview.

This means that a currently married couple (or family) functioned as two separate family units in the previous year. Since our tax program cannot accommodate this situation, we calculate separate taxes by hand for each and place the sum in the variable for Total Family Taxes (V8676). In the variable for Marginal Tax Rate (V8677) we place whichever of the two tax rates is higher.

ASSIGNMENT TABLES

In Wave XV, as in Waves XII-XIV, we used inflation factors for some of our assignment tables. The tables were first drawn using the unweighted data from last year (Wave XIV); then each figure was increased by the percent of inflation for that category. The inflation factors were derived from the Implicit Price Deflators for gross national product of the Commerce Department's Survey of Current Business, January 1982, by comparing the 4th quarter of 1980 to the 4th quarter of 1981. The factors used are as follows:

House Value for Homeowners (V8217) 106%
(Note that if we have a house value for this dwelling from last year's interview we use that amount, plus 10%, with an accuracy code value of 1 in preference to the table amount, which always carries an accuracy code value of 2.)

Annual Rent for Renters (V8221), 108.5%

Imputed Annual Rent for Nonowners/Nonrenters (V8223), 108.5%

Total Utilities (V8225), 114.1%

Annual Food Cost Except Food Stamps (V8256), 105.4%

Annual Cost of Eating Out (V8258), 105.4%

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Part 4: Coding Procedures

Production coding the questionnaire is the final step to putting the data into usable form for analysis. This occurs after the questionnaire has been edited as described in Part 3 above. The coding process converts non-numerical answers into numerical values.

The coders entered the edited variables and coded the questionnaire using the system designed by the Computer Support Group at ISR's Survey Research Center for direct data entry. The system, Interactive System for Input of Survey Data (ISISD), is compatible with ISR's OSIRIS analysis package and has been used by the PSID for three years. It incorporates wild code and consistency checking of data during the actual coding process. These checks insure that coders cannot enter invalid code values, and the necessity of later data cleaning by the Panel Study staff is greatly reduced.

This section deals only with the question of reliability, or inter-coder variance. Reliability is the measure of ambiguity of codes as well as accuracy of the coders. Approximately 10 percent of the interviews (682) were coded twice, once by the coder and a second time by a Panel Study staff member or a check coder. Check coding consists of an item-by-item check of all data values which have been independently coded by a second person, thus enabling the study staff to determine early in the processing whether any individual coder is having difficulty and whether any codes are causing problems.

Coders are trained by a member of the study staff before they are allowed to production-code interviews. Training begins with a short introduction on the history and purpose of the study and a question-and-answer session. The coders check code two practice interviews which have been coded previously by the study staff member. Then the coders and the study staff member go over the practice interviews in detail, discussing any differences with particular emphasis on problems that could arise during in production coding and responses that may present coding difficulty.

A difference is a disagreement between the coder and the check coder. Differences become errors when so judged by the check coder; for example, a coder may use the wrong code, punch the wrong number on the terminal keyboard, or miss a specific direction in the code. Those disagreements which are not errors involve coding of open-ended questions; decisions on the final codes chosen rest with the study staff member.

Coding Differences for Wave XV

All but one of the differences of 1.3 percent or over were on open-ended questions. Such questions vary in the degree of coding difficulty, depending on question content. Questions ascertaining reasons for various behavior, that is to say, "Why?" questions, are the most difficult ones to build codes for and to actually code.

Questions B18 (V8370) "Why did you move?" and B21 (V8373) "Why might you move?" have periodically shown some history of reliability problems throughout the duration of the study. Replies involving consumptive

reasons are most usually so specific to each respondent's situation that new coders' ability to conceptualize these replies in terms of the given code categories is very difficult.

Question C20 (V8391) "What happened to the job you had before--did the company go out of business, were you laid off, promoted, were you not working, or what?" has problems similar to questions B18 and B21. Although C20 is more specific in content than B18 and B21, it is still asking "why" something occurred. Respondent replies here were not always sufficiently unambiguous for ease in coding. For example, the answer "transfer" could be interpreted as either a lateral transfer or a promotion or demotion. The code was changed early in the coding process to include unspecified transfers in code 7.

Table 5
RELIABILITY SCORES

| Differences 1.3 Percent or Over | | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Question Number | Variable Number | Percent Error |
| A4* | V8359 | 1.7 |
| B18 | V8370 | 3.9 |
| B21 | V8373 | 3.3 |
| C20 | V8391 | 1.3 |

Overall coding rates of difference for 1982 are .84.

*Since question A4 (V8359) asks for factual information, the 1.7 rate of difference may be taken as the error rate for that variable.

When coding question A4 (V8359) "During the last year, about how many miles did you (and your family) drive in your [car(s) (and) truck(s)]?", some coders neglected to code the reply as "99999. NA (not ascertained)" when one or more of the vehicles were deleted from the previous question because they were owned by nonFU members who shared the household with the panel family. This deletion procedure necessitates such a change because in most cases the replies are not broken down into miles for each vehicle; only the annual total on all vehicles is given.

Check Coding of Occupation and Industry Codes

During the coding process, a separate checking procedure was established to attempt to obtain some information on reliability rates for the three-digit 1970 Census occupation and industry codes. A total of 620 interviews were selected for this process. Since each Head must answer either Section C or D or E, the check coder used the occupation and industry information from the appropriate section for overall totals. A similar procedure was followed for Wives, using Sections F, G and H. Of the 620 interviews selected, 483 contained information for Heads and 229

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for Wives. The remainder represent families with non-working Heads or Wives or with no Wife in 1982.

Overall reliabilities (including the inapplicable cases) were:

Head's Occupation: 92.4%
Head's Industry: 95.5%
Wife's Occupation: 97.6%
Wife's Industry: 98.5%

When adjusted for removal of inapplicable cases, these figures became:

Head's Occupation: 89.6%
 Head's Industry: 93.2%
 Wife's Occupation: 93.5%
 Wife's Industry: 96.1%

Matched differences, that is, cases in which the coder and check coder differed in the same way more than once, occurred between the following codes:

| Head | Occupation* | Number of Differences |
|------|--|-----------------------|
| | Managers & Administrators, nec (245) - Restaurant, cafeteria, and bar manager (230) | 3 |
| | Managers & Administrators, nec (245) - Foremen, nec (441) | 2 |
| | Heavy equipment mechanics, including diesel (481) - Mechanics and repairmen, not specified (495) | 2 |
| | Cleaners & Charwomen (902) - Janitors & sextons (903) | 2 |

| Heads | Industry* | Number of Differences |
|-------|--|-----------------------|
| | Manufacturing of pottery and related products (137) - manufacturing of electrical household appliances (199) | 2 |
| | Sanitary services (478) - local public administration (937) | 2 |

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Occupation and industry codes yielding the highest numbers of differences were:

| Head | Occupation | Number of Differences |
|------|---|-----------------------|
| | Managers and Administrators, nec (245) | 14 |
| | Heavy equipment operatives (481) | 4 |
| | Restaurant, cafeteria, and bar managers (230) | 3 |
| | Miscellaneous operatives (694) | 3 |
| Wife | | |
| | Child care workers, exc. private household | 2 |
| Head | Industry | Number of Differences |
| | Industry not reported, NA (999) | 5 |
| | Special trade contractors (069) | 3 |
| | Pulp, paper, and paperboard mills (328) | 3 |
| | Health services, nec (848) | 3 |

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|---|---|
| Manufacturing of pottery and related products (137) | 2 |
| Manufacturing of electrical household ap- pliances (199) | 2 |
| Automobile repair and related services (757) | 2 |
| Federal public administration (917) | 2 |
| Local public administration (937) | 2 |
| Wives | |
| Apparel and accessories (319) | 2 |

*There were no matched differences on occupation or industry for the wives.

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For both Heads and Wives, only 8% of the differences on both occupation and industry occurred within the same Census Major Heading groups.

Heads' occupation differences were predominantly within the Managers and Administrators group, the Craftsmen and Kindred Workers group, and the Service Workers (including Private Household). Wives' occupation problems were mainly confined to the Clerical and Kindred Workers, since Wives tend to be concentrated in that occupation group.

Industry code differences for Heads were most frequent in the Manufacturing group, the Construction group, and the Utilities and Sanitary Services group. Wives' differences in industry codes were spread fairly evenly among the different groups.

Appendix 2 of the Wave XIV (1980) documentation volume lists the three-digit occupation and industry classifications used. These are taken from U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1970 Census of Population Alphabetical Index of Industries and Occupations, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC, 1971, pp. vii-xiv.

Prior to 1981, an attempt was made to reconcile inconsistencies in the coding of the same occupation between years. Cases with the same Head for each pair of years and in which this Head had reported no change in job were inspected for clues as to which occupation code was correct. This task proved to be both monumental and relatively fruitless, and was discontinued.

Part 5: Generated Variables and Additional Data

Various indexes, bracket variables, and complex measures of economic status have been constructed each year using variables derived directly from coded interview data. Each year changes in the interview schedule have made additions and deletions of indexes necessary. In general, if an index could not be built to be exactly comparable to a previous index, no index was constructed.

Income

Several measures of economic status have been generated for all fifteen years, including money income variables and measures of income adequacy. Family Money Income, one of the simplest indexes, is the total of all members' earnings, transfers, and capital income (1982: V8689).

Bracket Variables

Several numerical variables, such as family money income, had been,

until Wave X (1977), given also as bracket (interval) codes. Such interval codes had been constructed for most of the measures where a distribution was useful and appropriate. This includes practically all of the income variables and their components. For Waves X-XV we have provided two pieces of information in the family tape code which allow users to bracket as their own uses dictate: (1) weighted percent of nonzero cases, and (2) weighted mean value of those cases. This information is provided for any variable which was bracketed in 1976.

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Race

Because the interview schedules are now designed for telephone use, race of respondent, which comes from interviewer observation, has not been obtained since the 1972 interviewing year. Families were therefore assigned race codes from the 1972 data. For splitoffs, race was assigned from the 1972 values for their main families (V8723).

Regional Data Measures

In addition to personality and behavior, locational and environmental factors are potentially important determinants of an individual's economic status. Consequently, the interview data have been supplemented with information on some employment and income characteristics of the county where the panel family lives (V's 8728-8730). Questionnaires are sent each year to state employment offices asking about current labor market conditions in these counties. For the past three years, two of the usual five questions asked in previous years were dropped as being inappropriate in the modern world.

Sampling Error Computing Unit (SECU)

Formulas for the sampling errors, or variances, of estimators based on the assumption of having data from a simple random sample are inappropriate for the PSID data. While the PSID is a probability sample, it differs from a simple random sample because of stratification, clustering, and disproportionate selection rates for families. These deviations from simple random sampling complicate proper calculation of sampling errors for estimators, but they do not entirely preclude it.

Methods for calculating the proper sampling errors of estimators do vary, though, according to the type of estimator, the calculation model, and the computer program performing the calculations. Since the PSID is often used for regression analysis, a SECU variable was generated which was specifically designed to allow users to calculate the proper sampling errors for regression statistics in an attempt to reduce computing costs without huge sacrifices in precision.

The code for the SECU variable, its name, and the terminology that follows specifically relate to an OSIRIS IV sampling error computer program with the BHS option for regression statistics. This program, Repeated Replication Sampling Error Analysis (REPERR), has other options for sampling error calculations for regression statistics, and is one of the two OSIRIS IV sampling error programs. The other program, Sampling Error Analysis (PSALMS), is designed to calculate the sampling errors of ratios such as means or proportions. However, a coding of computing units different from that of V8725 is recommended for such calculations. Researchers interested in computing sampling errors of ratios should inquire about obtaining this alternate coding consisting of a considerably larger number of coding units.

For further details, see the Wave XIII (1980) documentation volume, pp. 81-82. Note that 1982 splitoffs received the SECU values of their main families from 1981.

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Linking Data: Splitoffs

For 1981 and 1982, data has been provided to assist the user in link-

ing splitoff information with that of their main families. The family-level data for each main family in 1982 (where V8207=0) contains values for V8732 representing the actual number of 1982 splitoff families from this main family with which interviews were taken. Thus, splitoff nonresponse cases are not included. On each splitoff data record (V8207=1), the family portion of the record contains the current year's interview number (V8202) of the associated main family at V8733; each individual-level record of splitoff persons also contains this interview number (V9075), as well as month and year the splitoff family was formed (V's 9073 and 9074).

Month and year moved out are derived from actual move-out dates of splitoff individuals as reported on the main family coversheets. Thus, in the relatively rare event that two or more individuals move at different times from the main family to form one splitoff family, each individual receives his or her actual date of move as code values for V9073 and V9074. Any other splitoff individuals who appear for the first time in a splitoff family, such as nonsample spouses, friends, miscellaneous relatives and newborn children, receive the move-out date given for the splitoff mover-out. When, rarely, more than one splitoff mover-out date exists, these new persons receive the earlier one.

For those individuals who move from institutions to form their own splitoff families, code values of 98 are inserted into the tape locations for both month and year, and the miscellaneous other splitoff family members appearing for the first time in the study receive missing data code values of 99 for these month and year variables.

Linking Data: Families Sharing Households

It is not uncommon for two or more family units to share living quarters. Panel families involved in such a situation may live with persons or families who are not sample members and who are not included by the study as family members because the arrangement is supposedly temporary and the situation resembles that of roommates, where expenses are split between the individuals involved. However, the members of one panel family may also move in with the members of another panel family. Financial disasters such as divorce and unemployment contribute heavily to such patterns of behavior. Most frequently, a former splitoff child already being interviewed separately returns home to live with panel parents for a period of time until resuming life on his or her own. Occasionally, siblings who are each being interviewed move in together to share an apartment, or aging panel parents go to live with their panel children.

To allow users the opportunity of utilizing the data set for such situations, several link variables were created for 1982. The first step involved expanding the code for V8215, Current Family Composition, to flag cases where this sharing occurred. The code differentiates between both panel and nonpanel primary and secondary families living in the same households. Codes 4, 6, and 8 indicate that such an arrangement exists between panel families. In a few cases, as many as four panel families lived under the same roof at the time of the 1982 interview, and thus there are

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three sets of linking variables so that all panel families living together are linked in every possible direction. V's 8734, 8736 and 8738 contain the 1982 interview numbers or ID numbers (V8202) of these other families. In addition, variables describing kinship ties between these families (V8735, V8737, V8739) were created.

Taxes

Each family's taxes were estimated again this year by computer. In the past, the variable for amount of remaining mortgage principal was used to help determine whether or not a family itemized deductions (for details, see the Wave XIII (1980) documentation volume, pp. 85-86). But because this data item was not included in the 1982 interview schedule, a replacement value was calculated, using 90% of the 1981 value for remaining mortgage principal (V7519).

The table for average fraction of income deducted by itemizers in various income classes has been updated. It is truncated at .40 for all incomes under \$14,000. The fractions are again the ratios of aggregates and were calculated using Table 1 from 1980 Statistics of Income--

Individual Tax Returns, p. 8. As before, these itemized deductions are used only when they exceed the standard deduction or "zero bracket amount" (\$2300 for single and head-of-household returns, \$3400 for married returns in 1981--unchanged from 1980).

| Taxable Income | Average Fraction of Income Deducted | |
|--------------------|-------------------------------------|------------|
| | 1979 & 1978 Taxes | 1981 Taxes |
| Less than \$14,000 | .33 | .40 |
| \$14,000-\$15,999 | .30 | .35 |
| \$16,000-\$17,999 | .28 | .30 |
| \$18,000-\$19,999 | .26 | .285 |
| \$20,000-\$24,999 | .23 | .26 |
| \$25,000-\$29,999 | .215 | .23 |
| \$30,000-\$49,999 | .20 | .21 |
| \$50,000-\$99,999 | .19 | .20 |
| \$100,000 or more | .19 | .19 |

Part 6: Data Available

For each year of this study, both a family-individual and a family-level tape have been created. In addition, the family-level tape has been merged with the previous years' family tapes so that there are two through fifteen-year merged family-level tapes. The individual-level tapes were merged on five through fifteen-year bases only. For a detailed description of these tapes, see the User Guide to the PSID. Two tapes were also created using the 1967 S.E.O. data for the part of the sample that was originally interviewed by the Census.

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All inquiries for information about this study should be made in writing to: Member Services, Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan, P.O. Box 1248, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48106. Refer to Project 457701.

Part 7: Creating Family-Level Data from the Cross-Year Family-Individual Tape

Since the fifteen-year family-individual tape is very unwieldy with its approximately 20,000 cases and 16,600 tape locations, and users might well be interested in analyzing the data largely on a family-level basis, we have appended suggestions here on the creation of family files from the cross-year family-individual tape.

The structure of the family-individual file combines family-level data for each person in the family unit together with information unique to that person. Each individual is assigned a unique sequence number (V9022) which indicates the person's position and status on the 1982 list of people in the family; thus, the first person listed is 01, the second person listed is 02, and so on. To create a family-level file, it is necessary only to write off onto a new tape those cases where V9022 = 01, since each family must have at least one member, although it may or may not have two or more. It is suggested that V9022 be used as opposed to V9023, Relationship to Head, because although each family has one and only one current head (i.e., where V9022 = 01-20 and V9023 = 1), it is possible that the prior year's head of the family has moved out since the previous interview and a new head is present for the current interview. Relationship to head for movers-out is coded with reference to the previous year's head, so for both the current head and the previous head, V9023 = 1.

Part 8: PSID User Guide

The PSID staff has completed a User Guide to the panel study. The volume was designed to supplement, but not replace, the documentation volumes issued for each year's data. It is published in a loose-leaf form, so that updates can easily be made as the need arises. Chapters in this User Guide cover PSID history, sample composition and weighting, how to

deal with family composition and change, structure of the data tapes, study content, and other topics of interest to users. It is included with the set of documentation volumes that accompany an order for PSID tapes and can be ordered separately as well. For information on obtaining the User Guide, and other PSID products, contact Janet Vavra, Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research, P.O. Box 1248, Ann Arbor, Michigan, 48106 (313) 763-5010.

SECTION II

TAPE CODES FOR WAVE XV

Part 1: Fifteenth-Year Family-Level Tape Code

The following is the codebook for the fifteenth wave of family-level data from the interview schedule. The fifteen-year individual-level codebook will be found in Part 2 of this section. The variable numbers and tape locations refer to those on the 1968-1982 cross-year tape. For family-level codes for the first five waves of this study, see A Panel Study of Income Dynamics, Volume II. The remainder of the family-level codes for Waves VI through XIV will be found in successive volumes entitled A Panel Study of Income Dynamics: Procedures and Tape Codes. The distributions for the following variables are weighted and based on all families interviewed in 1982. To generate distributions on field amounts, percent nonzero and mean values are provided for relevant variables.

Tape Code Information

The example below illustrates the information contained in this codebook for a typical variable. The numbers in brackets do not appear in the codebook, but refer to the explanations which follow this example.

[1] 8209 = Cross-year variable number [2] Name ='TELEPHONE INT ? 1982'

[3] 14821 = Cross-year Tape Location [4] MD=9

[5] Whether Telephone Interview in 1982

[9]-----

[10]-----

[6] [7] [8]

| | | |
|------|----|---------------------|
| 7.6 | 0. | Personal Interview |
| 91.4 | 1. | Telephone Interview |
| 0.5 | 2. | Mail Interview |
| 0.5 | 9. | NA |

[1] Indicates the cross-year variable number. A variable number is assigned to each item in the study. (See the introduction to the alphabetical index, Section III, Part I, for a list of the range of variable numbers specific to each year.)

[2] Indicates the abbreviated variable name (maximum of 25 characters) used in the OSIRIS system to identify the variable for the user. This abbreviated variable name is identical to the variable name

listed in the OSIRIS dictionary for this variable. It is also listed as a subheading of the printout when a variable is accessed in an OSIRIS program. When used in this manner, the abbreviated variable name can be useful as a cross-reference tool, as well as a way to avoid errors. Refer to the list of abbreviations below for some help in translating the names into sensible English.

- [3] Indicates the starting location and ending location for this variable when the data are stored on a magnetic tape in the OSIRIS format.
- [4] Indicates the code value for missing data. In this example, code values equalling nine are missing data (MD=9). Alternative statements for other variables are "MD=0 or GE 8" or "MD=GE 7." In cases where nothing is written in this space, missing data are not permitted for the variable; values were usually assigned for such cases.

Some analysis software packages (including the OSIRIS software package) require that certain types of data which the user desires to exclude from analysis can be designated as "missing data," e.g., inappropriate, unascertained, or ambiguous data categories. Although these codes have been defined by the PSID staff as missing data categories, this does not mean that the user should not or cannot use them in a substantive role if so desired.

- [5] Indicates the full question number that was used in the questionnaire, as well as the exact wording of the questionnaire item; for variables not coded directly from the questionnaire, such as generated data, an appropriate title appears here.
- [6] Indicates the weighted percentages for each code value. Blanks indicate that no cases have this value.
- [7] Indicates the code values occurring in the data for this variable. For variables containing field amounts, refer to the notes appearing directly below items [9] and [10] for the range of data values.
- [8] Indicates the textual definitions of the codes. Abbreviations commonly used in the code definitions are "DK" (Don't Know), "NA" (Not Ascertained), and "Inap." (Inappropriate).
- [9] Indicates the "% nonzero" value, where specified. These are weighted.
- [10] Indicates the "mean nonzero" value, where specified. These are weighted.

List of Standardizations of Common Abbreviations Used by the Panel Study in Generating Variable Names with OSIRIS (see item 2 above)

ACC Accuracy

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ANN Annual

E Section of questionnaire (Section C or F) applying to those who are currently employed

EDUC Education

FA Father

H or HD Head

IND Industry; individual
MO Mother
MOS Months
OCC Occupation
OT Overtime
OTR Other person(s)
PAY/HR Hourly rate, in dollars and cents
R Section of questionnaire (Section E or H) applying to those who are currently retired, housewives, or students
REC Receive(d)
TOT Total
U Section of questionnaire (Section D or G) applying to those who are currently unemployed and looking for work
UNEMP Unemployed; unemployment
W or WF Wife
WRK Work
WTR Whether
X Times; cross (as in cross-year)
Y Income

1982 FAMILY TAPE CODE

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8201 = Cross-year variable number Name='STUDY NUMBER (701) '
 14801-14803 = Cross-year Tape Location

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8202 = Cross-year variable number Name='1982 INTERVIEW NUMBER '
 14804-14807 = Cross-year Tape Location

1982 Interview Number

The range of values for this variable is 0001-6742.

8203 = Cross-year variable number Name='CURRENT STATE '
 14808-14809 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

State of Residence at Time of 1982 Interview

Please refer to Appendix 1, Wave XIV documentation volume (1981 data),
for state and county codes.

99. NA; DK

8204 = Cross-year variable number Name='CURRENT COUNTY '
 14810-14812 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

County of Residence at Time of 1982 Interview

Please refer to Appendix 1, Wave XIV documentation volume (1981 data),
for state and county codes.

999. NA; DK

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8205 = Cross-year variable number Name='CURRENT STATE+CNTY '
 14813-14817 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99999

State and County of Residence at Time of 1982 Interview

Please refer to Appendix 1, Wave XIV documentation volume (1981 data), for state and county codes.

V8203 and V8204 are combined into one variable; the first two digits represent the state code and the last three, the county.

8206 = Cross-year variable number Name='SIZE LGST CITY/SMSA-1982'
 14818 = Cross-year tape location MD=9

Size of Largest City in County

29.2 1. SMSA: largest city 500,000 or more
 25.2 2. SMSA: largest city 100,000-499,999
 13.0 3. SMSA: largest city 50,000-99,999
 8.3 4. Non-SMSA: largest city 25,000-49,999
 9.1 5. Non-SMSA: largest city 10,000-24,999
 14.8 6. Non-SMSA: largest city under 10,000

 0.4 9. NA; household is outside USA

8207 = Cross-year variable number Name='COLOR COVERSHEET-1982 '
 14819 = Cross-year Tape Location

Splitoff Indicator: Color of Coversheet

96.7 0. Beige (Main Family)
 3.3 1. Pink (Splitoff)

8208 = Cross-year variable number Name='WHETHER REFUSED-1982 '
 14820 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

Whether Initially Refused in 1982

99.6 0. Never refused
 0.3 1. Refused at least once

 0.1 9. NA

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8209 = Cross-year variable number Name='TELEPHONE INT?-1982 '
 14821 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

Whether Telephone Interview in 1982

- 5.4 0. Personal interview
- 94.1 1. Telephone interview
- 0.4 2. Mail interview

- 0.1 9. NA

8210 = Cross-year variable number Name='FAM COMP CHANGE-1982 '
 14822 = Cross-year Tape Location

Family Composition Change

- 77.7 0. No change; no movers-in or movers-out of the family.
- 12.9 1. Change in members other than Head or Wife only.
- 2.7 2. Head same but Wife left/died and/or Head has new Wife.
- 2.6 3. Wife from 1981 is now Head.
- 0.8 4. Female Head in 1981 got married--husband now Head.
- 2.7 5. Some sample member other than Head or Wife has become Head of this FU.
- 0.5 6. Some female in FU other than 1981 Head got married and her husband is now Head.
- 0.0 7. Female Head in 1981 with husband in institution--husband in FU in 1982 and is now Head.
- 0.0 8. Other

8211 = Cross-year variable number Name='#MOVED IN-1982 '
 14823 = Cross-year Tape Location

Number Moved Into FU between 1981 and 1982

mean nonzero = 1.3

- 87.8 0. None
- 9.5 1. One
- 2.1 2. Two
- 0.5 3. Three
- 0.1 4. Four
- 0.0 5. Five
- 0.0 6. Six
- 7. Seven
- 0.0 8. Eight
- 0.0 9. Nine or more

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8212 = Cross-year variable number Name='WHO MOVED IN-1982 '
 14824 = Cross-year Tape Location

Relationship to 1982 Head of Person(s) who Moved Into FU between 1981 and 1982

If more than one person moved in, the person with the highest priority was coded. The codes are in order of priority.

- 4.0 1. Head of family
- 0.7 2. Wife
- 4.7 3. Child, stepchild
- 0.3 4. Sibling
- 0.2 5. Parent
- 0.4 6. Grandchild, great-grandchild
- 0.3 7. In-laws and other relatives
- 1.6 8. Nonrelative
- 9. Husband of 1982 Head

87.8 0. Inap.; no one moved in; V8211=0

8213 = Cross-year variable number Name='# MOVED OUT-1982 '
14825 = Cross-year Tape Location

Number Moved Out of FU between 1981 and 1982

mean nonzero = 1.3

89.5 0. None
8.1 1. One
1.6 2. Two
0.6 3. Three
0.1 4. Four
0.1 5. Five
0.0 6. Six
0.0 7. Seven
8. Eight
9. Nine or more

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8214 = Cross-year variable number Name='WHO MOVED OUT-1982 '
14826 = Cross-year Tape Location

Relationship to Last Year's Head of Person(s) who Moved Out/Died between 1981 and 1982

If more than one person moved out, the person with the highest priority was coded. The codes are in order of priority.

2.5 1. Head of family
1.7 2. Wife
4.9 3. Child, stepchild
0.4 4. Sibling
0.2 5. Parent
0.2 6. Grandchild, great-grandchild
0.3 7. In-law or other relative
0.3 8. Nonrelative (including foster child)
0.0 9. Husband of 1981 Head

89.5 0. Inap.; no one moved out; V8213=0

8215 = Cross-year variable number Name='CURRENT FAM COMP-1982 '
14827 = Cross-year Tape Location

1982 Family Composition

78.3 1. Head and immediate family (wife and children) only.
5.2 2. FU contains other people related to Head.
2.4 3. FU contains people unrelated to Head who are included in FU because they pool everything.
3.4 4. This FU is a primary household containing a secondary which was interviewed separately.
1.0 5. This FU is a primary household containing a secondary which was neither included nor interviewed.

8219 = Cross-year variable number Name='ANN PROPERTY TAX 81 (B7)'
 14836-14839 = Cross-year Tape Location

Annual Property Tax

% nonzero = 58.6
 mean nonzero = 718.7

The values for this variable in the range 0001-9998 represent the property tax liability in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

0000. Inap.; none; does not own/is not buying; V8217=0
 9999. \$9999 or more

8220 = Cross-year variable number Name='ACC ANN PROPERTY TX-1982'
 14840 = Cross-year Tape Location

Accuracy of V8219 (Annual property tax)

95.5 0. Inap.; no assignment; does not own/is not buying; V8217=0;
 V8219=0
 1.1 1. Minor assignment
 3.4 2. Major assignment

8221 = Cross-year variable number Name='ANN RENT-1982 (B9)'
 14841-14844 = Cross-year Tape Location

Annual Rent

% nonzero = 34.2
 mean nonzero = 2,608.8

The values for this variable in the range 0001-9998 represent the actual annual amount of rent paid in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

0000. Inap.; not a renter
 9999. \$9,999 or more

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8222 = Cross-year variable number Name='ACC ANN RENT-1982'
 14845 = Cross-year Tape Location

Accuracy of V8221 (Annual rent)

99.3 0. Inap.; not a renter; no assignment; V8221=0
 0.2 1. Minor assignment
 0.6 2. Major assignment

8223 = Cross-year variable number Name='ANN VALUE IF RENTED/B14 '
14846-14849 = Cross-year Tape Location

Annual Rent Value of Free Housing for Those Who Neither Own nor Rent

% nonzero = 5.6
mean nonzero = 2,400.7

The values for this variable in the range 0001-9998 represent the actual annual rental value of free housing in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

0000. Inap.; home owner or renter
9999. \$9,999 or more

8224 = Cross-year variable number Name='ACC ANN VALUEIF RENTED '
14850 = Cross-year Tape Location

Accuracy of V8223 (Annual rent value of free housing)

98.0 0. Inap.; home owner or renter; no assignment; V8223=0
0.0 1. Minor assignment
2.0 2. Major assignment

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8225 = Cross-year variable number Name='COST OF HEAT/ELEC/H2O '
14851-14854 = Cross-year Tape Location

Total Annual Utilities for 1981

% nonzero = 86.4
mean nonzero = 1,122.3

The values for this variable in the range 0001-9998 represent the actual dollar amount of utilities payments in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

0000. Inap.; none
9999. \$9999 or more

8226 = Cross-year variable number Name='ACC HEAT/ELEC/H2O '
14855 = Cross-year Tape Location

Accuracy of V8225 (Total annual utilities)

96.2 0. Inap.; no utilities; no assignment; V8225=0
0.3 1. Minor assignment
3.5 2. Major assignment

8227 = Cross-year variable number Name='GOVT SUBSIDY-HTG COST/B4'
14856-14859 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9999

Government Subsidy of Heating Costs

% nonzero = 5.3
mean nonzero = 193.1

The values for this variable in the range 0001-9997 represent the actual amount of the government subsidy of heating costs in whole dollars. Note that this variable contains missing data values.

9998. \$9998 or more
9999. NA; DK
0000. Inap.; none; "No" to B3

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8228 = Cross-year variable number Name='HD ANN WRK HRS IN 1981 '
14860-14863 = Cross-year Tape Location

Head's Annual Hours Working for Money in 1981

% nonzero = 76.6
mean nonzero = 1,938.5

The values for this variable in the range 0001-5840 represent the annual work hours on all jobs; all missing data were assigned. This variable was computed by summing the products of C32 x C33, C40 x C41, and C35 or D23 x D24 and D29 x D30 or E7 x E8.

0000. Inap.; none; did not work in 1981

8229 = Cross-year variable number Name='ACC HD 81 WORK HRS '
14864 = Cross-year Tape Location

Accuracy of V8228 (Head's annual hours working for money in 1981)

94.8 0. Inap.; did not work in 1981; no assignment; V8228=0
3.9 1. Minor assignment
1.3 2. Major assignment

8230 = Cross-year variable number Name='HD HRS WRK LOST OTR ILL '
14865-14868 = Cross-year Tape Location

Head's Annual Hours of Work Missed Because Someone Else was Ill in 1981

% nonzero = 9.5
mean nonzero = 61.0

The values for this variable in the range 0001-2080 represent the actual annual hours; all missing data were assigned. This variable was computed by multiplying C23 or D15 by 40.

0000. Inap.; none; "No" to C22/D14; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, or other

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8246 = Cross-year variable number Name='WF UNEMP HRS 1981 '
 14905-14908 = Cross-year Tape Location

Wife's Annual Hours of Unemployment in 1981

% nonzero = 4.3
mean nonzero = 610.2

The values for this variable in the range 0001-2080 represent the actual annual hours; all missing data were assigned. This variable was computed by multiplying F27 or G19 by 40.

0000. Inap.; none; no wife; "No" to F26/G18; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, or other

8247 = Cross-year variable number Name='ACC WF UNEMP HRS 1981 '
 14909 = Cross-year Tape Location

Accuracy of V8246 (Wife's annual hours of unemployment in 1981)

99.9 0. Inap.; no wife; no unemployment time; no assignment; V8246=0
0.1 1. Minor assignment
0.0 2. Major assignment

8248 = Cross-year variable number Name='# MAJOR ADULTS '
 14910 = Cross-year Tape Location

Number of Major Adults - Head and Wife Only

0.0 0. Single Head who is senile, etc.
45.6 1. One major adult (Head or Wife)
54.4 2. Two major adults (Head and Wife)

8249 = Cross-year variable number Name='1982 FAMILY SIZE '
 14911-14912 = Cross-year Tape Location

Family Size in 1982 (Number of members in family at time of interview)

mean nonzero = 2.5

The range of possible values for this variable is at least 01 but not more than 20. The code value represents the actual number of persons in the FU, and has the same value as V8351. There are no missing data in this variable.

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8250 = Cross-year variable number Name='# REQUIRED ROOMS '
 14913 = Cross-year Tape Location

Required Number of Rooms for FU of This Size, Age, and Sex Composition

The rule for calculating this variable is as follows:

2 rooms--for each Head with or without a Wife
+1 room--for each additional married couple or single person 18 or

over
 +1 room--for every two boys under 18
 +1 room--for every two girls under 18
 If there is an odd number of children, round up. If there is an odd number of girls and an odd number of boys, pair those under 10 years of age regardless of sex.

50.7 2. Two
 29.9 3. Three
 14.5 4. Four
 3.7 5. Five
 0.7 6. Six
 0.3 7. Seven
 0.1 8. Eight
 0.1 9. Nine or more

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8251 = Cross-year variable number Name='1982 WEEKLY FOOD NEEDS '
 14914-14918 = Cross-year Tape Location

Weekly Food Needs

mean = 1597.4

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. Please refer to the wave VII (1974) documentation volume, pp. 39-41, for a complete description of the PSID's use of these standards.

INDIVIDUAL FOOD STANDARD (LOW COST)

| Age | Male | Female |
|---------|--------|--------|
| Under 4 | \$3.90 | \$3.90 |
| 4-6 | 4.60 | 4.60 |
| 7-9 | 5.50 | 5.50 |
| 10-12 | 6.40 | 6.30 |
| 13-15 | 7.40 | 6.90 |
| 16-20 | 8.70 | 7.20 |

| | | |
|--------------|------|------|
| 21-35 | 7.50 | 6.50 |
| 36-55 | 6.90 | 6.30 |
| 56 and older | 6.30 | 5.40 |

This same standard has been used in Waves I-XIV. Adjustments for inflation, etc., are left to users. The actual weekly food needs in dollars and cents is coded here.

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Note that this variable is defined in the dictionary as having two decimal places. The mean value above ignores these decimal places.

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8252 = Cross-year variable number Name='1982 ANNUAL NEED STD '
 14919-14923 = Cross-year Tape Location

Annual Need Standard in 1981

mean = 3,011.0

This is the Orshansky-type poverty threshold based on an annual food needs standard which is derived from the weekly food costs in the preceding variable, converted to an annual amount, and adjusted for economies of scale by USDA rules as follows:

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|       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% |
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An additional adjustment for diseconomies of small households (in rent, etc.) was made as follows:

- 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

Please refer to the wave VII (1974) documentation volume, pp. 39-41, and to the User Guide, Chapter D, for further details on the need standard. Note that this variable is not adjusted for inflation, nor is it exactly comparable to the official poverty standard; such changes are left to users.

This need standard allows for changes in family composition during 1981 and is not adjusted for farmers; see V8691 for an income/needs measure which makes such an adjustment.

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8253 = Cross-year variable number Name='# PERSONS GOT FOOD STAMP'
 14924 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

Number of People in Household for whom Food Stamps were Issued Last Month

mean nonzero = 2.8

The household may include more people than those in the FU or everyone in the FU may not be receiving food stamps; therefore this number might not equal V8249 (Family Size in 1982).

2.1 1. One
1.6 2. Two
1.6 3. Three
1.1 4. Four
0.6 5. Five
0.3 6. Six
0.2 7. Seven
0.1 8. Eight or more
0.0 9. NA; DK

92.4 0. Inap.; food stamps not used last month; "No" to J4

8254 = Cross-year variable number Name='VALUE FD ST LAST MO(J6) 4)'
 14925-14927 = Cross-year Tape Location

Value of Food Stamps Received Last Month

% nonzero = 7.6
mean nonzero = 103.7

The values for this variable in the range 001-998 represent the actual value of the stamps in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

000. Inap.; food stamps not used last month; "No" to J4; V8253=0
999. \$999 or more

8255 = Cross-year variable number Name='ACC VALUE FD ST LAST MO MO'
 14928 = Cross-year Tape Location

Accuracy of V8254 (Value of food stamps received last month)

99.9 0. Inap.; food stamps not used last month; no assignment;
 V8253=0; V8254=0
0.0 1. Minor assignment
0.0 2. Major assignment

8256 = Cross-year variable number Name='ANN FOOD COST EXC FD ST '
14929-14932 = Cross-year Tape Location

Annual Food Expenditure for Meals at Home

% nonzero = 97.0
mean nonzero = 2,656.6

This variable excludes the expenditure for food purchased with food stamps.
Values in the range 0001-9998 represent the annual food expenditure in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

0000. Inap.; none
9999. \$9,999 or more

8257 = Cross-year variable number Name='ACC ANN FOOD COST '
14933 = Cross-year Tape Location

Accuracy of V8256 (Annual food expenditure for meals at home)

98.5 0. Inap.; no assignment; V8256=0
0.3 1. Minor assignment
1.2 2. Major assignment

8258 = Cross-year variable number Name='ANNUAL EATING OUT COST '
14934-14937 = Cross-year Tape Location

Annual Food Expenditure for Meals Away From Home

% nonzero = 83.7
mean nonzero = 789.8

This variable excludes the amount spent for meals at work and/or school. Values in the range 0001-9998 represent the annual expenditure in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

0000. Inap.; none
9999. \$9,999 or more

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8259 = Cross-year variable number Name='ACC ANN EAT OUT COST '
14938 = Cross-year Tape Location

Accuracy of V8258 (Annual food expenditure for meals away from home)

99.0 0. Inap.; no assignment; V8258=0
0.2 1. Minor assignment
0.8 2. Major assignment

8260 = Cross-year variable number Name='VALUE FD ST 1981 (J16) '
14939-14942 = Cross-year Tape Location

Value of Food Stamps Received in 1981

% nonzero = 9.0

00000. None; "Head is not a farmer or rancher" at Kla

99999. \$99,999 or more

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8264 = Cross-year variable number Name='LABOR PART BUS Y 1981 '
 14951-14955 = Cross-year Tape Location

Head's Labor Part of Unincorporated Business Income in 1981

% nonzero = 5.2

mean nonzero = 10,197.2

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the labor portion of business income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None; corporation; "No" to K5

99999. \$99,999 or more

8265 = Cross-year variable number Name='HEAD 1981 WAGES '
 14956-14960 = Cross-year Tape Location

Head's Income from Wages in 1981

% nonzero = 71.4

mean nonzero = 18,243.1

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the wage income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None

99999. \$99,999 or more

8266 = Cross-year variable number Name='ACC HEAD 1981 WAGES '
 14961 = Cross-year Tape Location

Accuracy of V8265 (Head's income from wages in 1981)

98.3 0. Inap.; no wages; no assignment; V8265=0

0.4 1. Minor assignment

1.4 2. Major assignment

8267 = Cross-year variable number Name='HD BONUS/OT/COMM 1981 '
 14962-14966 = Cross-year Tape Location

Head's Income from Bonuses, Overtime, Commissions in 1981

% nonzero = 6.5
 mean nonzero = 3,634.9

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the bonus, overtime and commissions income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None
 99999. \$99,999 or more

8268 = Cross-year variable number Name='HD PROF PRAC/TRADE 1981 '
 14967-14971 = Cross-year Tape Location

Head's Income from Professional Practice or Trade in 1981

% nonzero = 3.5
 mean nonzero = 3,421.4

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the income from professional practice or trade in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None
 99999. \$99,999 or more

8269 = Cross-year variable number Name='LABOR PT MKT GRDNG 1981 '
 14972-14975 = Cross-year Tape Location

Head's Labor Part of Income from Farming or Market Gardening in 1981

% nonzero = 1.2
 mean nonzero = 1,958.7

The values for this variable in the range 0001-9998 represent the labor portion of farming and market gardening income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

0000. None
 9999. \$9,999 or more

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8270 = Cross-year variable number Name='LABOR PT ROOMERS 1981 '
 14976-14979 = Cross-year Tape Location

Head's Labor Part of Income from Roomers and Boarders in 1981

% nonzero = 0.0
 mean nonzero = 4,538.5

8275 = Cross-year variable number Name='ASSET PART FARM Y 1981 '
 14988-14993 = Cross-year Tape Location

Head and Wife's Asset Part of Farm Income in 1981

% nonzero = 1.1
mean nonzero = 4,427.3

The range of values for this variable is -99999 through 999999; 000000
represents zero income and negative values represent overall income
losses. All missing data were assigned.

-99999. Loss of \$99,999 or more

999999. \$999,999 or more

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8276 = Cross-year variable number Name='ASSET PART BUS Y 1981 '
 14994-14999 = Cross-year Tape Location

Head and Wife's Asset Part of Unincorporated Business Income in 1981

% nonzero = 5.7
mean nonzero = 9,079.3

The range of values for this variable is -99999 through 999999; 000000
represents zero income and negative values represent overall income
losses. All missing data were assigned.

-99999. Loss of \$99,999 or more

999999. \$999,999 or more

8277 = Cross-year variable number Name='ASSET PT MKT GRDNG 1981 '
 15000-15004 = Cross-year Tape Location

Head and Wife's Asset Part of Farming or Market Gardening in 1981

% nonzero = 1.4
mean nonzero = 205.6

The range of values for this variable is -9999 through 99999; 00000
represents zero income and negative values represent overall income
losses. All missing data were assigned.

-9999. Loss of \$9,999 or more

99999. \$99,999 or more

8278 = Cross-year variable number Name='ASSET PT ROOMERS 1981 '
 15005-15009 = Cross-year Tape Location

Head and Wife's Asset Part of Income from Roomers and Boarders in 1981

% nonzero = 0.1

mean nonzero =2,203.0

The range of values for this variable is -9999 through 99999; 00000 represents zero income and negative values represent overall income losses. All missing data were assigned.

-9999. Loss of \$9,999 or more

99999. \$99,999 or more

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8279 = Cross-year variable number Name='HD RENT/INT/DIVDNDS 1981'
15010-15014 = Cross-year Tape Location

Head's Income from Rent, Interest, Dividends, etc. in 1981

% nonzero = 45.2

mean nonzero = 3,609.4

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the income from rent, dividends, interest, etc. in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None

99999. \$99,999 or more

8280 = Cross-year variable number Name='ALIMONY Y HEAD 1981'
15015-15018 = Cross-year Tape Location

Head's Alimony in 1981

% nonzero = 0.5

mean nonzero = 3,252.0

The values for this variable in the range 0001-9998 represent alimony income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

0000. None

9999. \$9,999 or more

8281 = Cross-year variable number Name='WF 1981 OTHER ASSET Y'
15019-15023 = Cross-year Tape Location

Wife's Other Income from Assets (Including rent, interest, dividends, alimony, etc.)

% nonzero = 3.7

mean nonzero = 1,921.3

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the asset income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None; no wife

99999. \$99,999 or more

8286 = Cross-year variable number Name='H+W TOTAL 1981 EXEMPTION'
15038-15039 = Cross-year Tape Location

Total Exemptions of Head and Wife

mean nonzero = 2.7

The values for this variable represent the actual number of exemptions assumed by the staff for tax calculations and always equal 01 or greater, i.e. there are no zero values.

8287 = Cross-year variable number Name='1981 TAX TABLE USED-H+W '
15040 = Cross-year Tape Location

Tax Table Used for Head and Wife

34.8 1. Single
55.4 2. Married
8.9 3. Head of Household
0.2 4. Got married in 1982
0.8 5. Head/Wife died since last interview; Head/Wife moved out during 1982

9. NA; other

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8288 = Cross-year variable number Name='H+W 1981 ADC/AFDC '
15041-15045 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of ADC/AFDC of Head and Wife in 1981

% nonzero = 3.3
mean nonzero = 2,775.7

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the income from ADC/AFDC in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None
99999. \$99,999 or more

8289 = Cross-year variable number Name='ACC H+W 1981 ADC/AFDC '
15046 = Cross-year Tape Location

Accuracy of V8288 (Amount of ADC/AFDC for Head and Wife in 1981)

100.0 0. Inap.; no assignment; V8288=0
0.0 1. Minor assignment
0.0 2. Major assignment

8290 = Cross-year variable number Name='H+W 1981 SSI '
15047-15050 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Supplemental Security Income of Head and Wife in 1981

% nonzero = 2.9
mean nonzero = 2,067.0

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the SSI income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

0000. None
9999. \$9,999 or more

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8291 = Cross-year variable number Name='H+W 1981 OTR WELFARE '
15051-15055 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Other Welfare Payments to Head and Wife in 1981

% nonzero = 1.5
mean nonzero = 1,993.7

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the other welfare income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None
99999. \$99,999 or more

8292 = Cross-year variable number Name='H+W 1981 SOCIAL SECURITY'
15056-15060 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Social Security Payments to Head and Wife in 1981

% nonzero = 25.1
mean nonzero = 5,063.7

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the Social Security income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None
99999. \$99,999 or more

8293 = Cross-year variable number Name='HD OTHER RETIREMENT 1981'
15061-15065 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Head's Other Retirement, Pensions and Annuities in 1981

% nonzero = 14.1
mean nonzero = 5,051.3

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the retirement, pension, and annuity income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None
99999. \$99,999 or more

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8294 = Cross-year variable number Name='HD 1981 UNEMPLMT COMP '
 15066-15070 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Head's Unemployment Pay (Including strike benefits) in 1981

% nonzero = 7.1
mean nonzero = 1,483.4

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the unemployment pay in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None
99999. \$99,999 or more

8295 = Cross-year variable number Name='HD 1981 WORKMANS COMP '
 15071-15074 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Head's Worker's Compensation in 1981

% nonzero = 1.9
mean nonzero = 2,315.6

The values for this variable in the range 0001-9998 represent the amount of worker's compensation in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

0000. None
9999. \$9,999 or more

8296 = Cross-year variable number Name='HD 1981 CHILD SUPPORT '
 15075-15079 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Child Support Received by Head in 1981

% nonzero = 2.9
mean nonzero = 2,054.9

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the amount of child support received in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None
99999. \$99,999 or more

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8297 = Cross-year variable number Name='HD 1981 HELP FROM RELS '
 15080-15083 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Help Received from Relatives by Head in 1981

% nonzero = 7.1
mean nonzero = 1,290.8

The values for this variable in the range 0001-9998 represent the amount of financial help received from relatives in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

0000. None

9999. \$9,999 or more

8298 = Cross-year variable number Name='HD 1981 OTHER TRANSFER Y'
15084-15087 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Head's Other Transfer Income in 1981

% nonzero = 5.7

mean nonzero = 1,184.5

The values for this variable in the range 0001-9998 represent the amount of other transfer income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

0000. None

9999. \$9,999 or more

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8299 = Cross-year variable number Name='WF 1981 OTHER TRANSFER Y'
15088-15092 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Wife's Other Transfer Income in 1981

% nonzero = 5.0

mean nonzero = 1,859.2

This variable excludes ADC/AFDC, other welfare, Social Security and Supplemental Security Income, and includes child support if clearly received only before marriage to the current Head. Values in the range 00001-99998 represent the amount of these other transfers in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None; no wife

99999. \$99,999 or more

8300 = Cross-year variable number Name='ACC H+W 1981 TRAN YNOADC'
15093 = Cross-year Tape Location

Accuracy of V8290 through V8299 (Transfer income of Head and Wife in

1981 excluding ADC/AFDC)

98.7 0. Inap.; no assignment; V's 8290-8299=0
0.7 1. Minor assignment
0.6 2. Major assignment

8301 = Cross-year variable number Name='H+W 1981 TOT TRANSFER Y '
15094-15098 = Cross-year Tape Location

Total Transfer Income of Head and Wife in 1981 (sum of V8288 and V8290 through V8299)

% nonzero = 53.0
mean nonzero = 4,987.5

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the total amount of transfer income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None
99999. \$99,999 or more

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8302 = Cross-year variable number Name='TXBL Y 1ST XTRA EARNER '
15099-15103 = Cross-year Tape Location

Taxable Income of First Other FU Member (and Spouse) with Highest Income

% nonzero = 24.8
mean nonzero = 5,610.3

If Head or Wife has moved out or died during 1982, then their income, if any, is included here. The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the amount in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None; no Other FU Member with taxable income
99999. \$99,999 or more

8303 = Cross-year variable number Name='# EXEMP 1ST XTRA EARNER '
15104-15105 = Cross-year Tape Location

Number of Exemptions--First Other FU Member

% nonzero = 24.0
mean nonzero = 1.1

The values for this variable represent the actual number of exemptions allowed the First Other FU Member.

00. Inap.; no Other FU Member with taxable income; Head/Wife died since last interview; Head/Wife moved out in 1982; V8302=0

8307 = Cross-year variable number Name='TAX TABLE 2ND XTRA EARNR'
 15114 = Cross-year Tape Location

Tax Table Used--Second Other FU Member

- 6.3 1. Single
 - 0.0 2. Married
 - 0.0 3. Head of Household
 - 1.1 6. Single (taxable income is for part of 1981)
 - 0.1 7. Married (taxable income is for part of 1981)
 - 0.1 8. Head of Household (taxable income is for part of 1981)

 - 9. NA; other
- 92.5 0. Inap.; no Second Other FU Member with taxable income;
 V8302=0; V8305=0

8308 = Cross-year variable number Name='TXBL Y 3RD XTRA EARNER '
 15115-15119 = Cross-year Tape Location

Taxable Income of Third Other FU Member (with third highest income)

% nonzero = 1.9
mean nonzero = 4,536.3

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the taxable income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned

- 00000. None; no Third Other FU Member with taxable income;
 V8302=0; V8305=0

- 99999. \$99,999 or more

8309 = Cross-year variable number Name='# EXEMP 3RD XTRA EARNER '
 15120-15121 = Cross-year Tape Location

Number of Exemptions--Third Other FU Member

% nonzero = 1.9
mean nonzero = 1.0

The values for this variable represent the actual number of exemptions allowed the Third Other FU Member.

- 00. Inap.; no Third Other FU Member with taxable income;
 V8302=0; V8305=0; V8308=0

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8310 = Cross-year variable number Name='TAX TABLE 3RD XTRA EARNR'
 15122 = Cross-year Tape Location

Tax Table Used--Third Other FU Member

- 1.7 1. Single
 - 0.0 2. Married
 - 3. Head of Household
 - 0.2 6. Single (taxable income is for part of 1981)
 - 7. Married (taxable income is for part of 1981)
 - 8. Head of Household (taxable income is for part of 1981)

 - 9. NA; other
- 98.1 0. Inap.; no Third Other FU Member with taxable income; V8302=0;

8311 = Cross-year variable number Name='TXBL Y 4TH XTRA EARNER '
 15123-15127 = Cross-year Tape Location

Taxable Income of Fourth Other FU Member (with fourth highest income)

% nonzero = 0.5
 mean nonzero = 4,357.2

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the taxable income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned

00000. Inap.; none; no Fourth Other FU Member with taxable income; V8302=0; V8305=0; V8308=0

99999. \$99,999 or more

8312 = Cross-year variable number Name='# EXEMP 4TH XTRA EARNER '
 15128-15129 = Cross-year Tape Location

Number of Exemptions--Fourth Other FU Member

% nonzero = 0.5
 mean nonzero = 1.0

The values for this variable represent the actual number of exemptions allowed the Fourth Other FU Member

00. Inap.; no Fourth Other FU Member with taxable income; V8302=0; V8305=0; V8308=0; V8311=0

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8313 = Cross-year variable number Name='TAX TABLE 4TH XTRA EARNR'
 15130 = Cross-year Tape Location

Tax Table Used--Fourth Other FU Member

0.4 1. Single
 2. Married
 3. Head of Household
 0.1 6. Single (taxable income is for part of 1981)
 7. Married (taxable income is for part of 1981)
 8. Head of Household (taxable income is for part of 1981)
 9. NA; other

99.5 0. Inap.; no Fourth Other FU Member with taxable income; V8302=0; V8305=0; V8308=0; V8311=0

8314 = Cross-year variable number Name='TXBL Y 5TH XTRA EARNER '
 15131-15135 = Cross-year Tape Location

Taxable Income of Fifth Other FU Member (with fifth highest income)

% nonzero = 0.1
 mean nonzero = 7,035.9

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the taxable income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned

00000. Inap.; none; no Fifth Other FU Member with taxable income; V8302=0; V8305=0; V8308=0; V8311=0

99999. \$99,999 or more

8315 = Cross-year variable number Name='# EXEMP 5TH XTRA EARNER '
15136-15137 = Cross-year Tape Location

Number of Exemptions--Fifth Other FU Member

% nonzero = 0.1
mean nonzero = 1.0

The values for this variable represent the actual number of exemptions allowed the Fifth Other FU Member.

00. Inap.; no Fifth Other FU Member with taxable income;
V8302=0; V8305=0; V8308=0; V8311=0; V8314=0

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8316 = Cross-year variable number Name='TAX TABLE 5TH XTRA EARNR '
15138 = Cross-year Tape Location

Tax Table Used--Fifth Other FU Member

0.1 1. Single
2. Married
3. Head of Household
0.0 6. Single (taxable income is for part of 1981)
7. Married (taxable income is for part of 1981)
8. Head of Household (taxable income is for part of 1981)
9. NA; other

99.9 0. Inap.; no Fifth Other FU Member with taxable income; V8302=0;
V8305=0; V8308=0; V8311=0; V8314=0

8317 = Cross-year variable number Name='OTRS 1981 ANN WRK HRS '
15139-15142 = Cross-year Tape Location

Annual Work Hours of All Others in FU in 1981

% nonzero = 23.5
mean nonzero = 1,297.4

The values for this variable in the range 0001-9998 represent the actual annual hours worked; all missing data were assigned.

0000. Inap.; none; no one other than Head and Wife worked in 1981; no one else in FU; V8302=0

9999. 9,999 hours or more

8318 = Cross-year variable number Name='OTR 1981 TOT ANN TXBL Y '
15143-15147 = Cross-year Tape Location

Total Taxable Income of All Others in FU in 1981

% nonzero = 24.8
mean nonzero = 7,162.1

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the taxable income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None

mean nonzero = 2,520.5

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the SSI income in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None

99999. \$99,999 or more

8323 = Cross-year variable number Name='OTR 1981 OTHR WELFARE ' '
15160-15164 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Other Welfare of All Others in FU in 1981

% nonzero = 0.4

mean nonzero = 1,485.6

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the amount of other welfare in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None

99999. \$99,999 or more

8324 = Cross-year variable number Name='OTR 1981 SOCIAL SECURITY '
15165-15169 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Social Security of All Others in FU in 1981

% nonzero = 3.7

mean nonzero = 3,420.5

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the amount of Social Security in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None

99999. \$99,999 or more

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8325 = Cross-year variable number Name='OTR 1981 OTR RETIREMENT ' '
15170-15174 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Other Retirement, Pensions, and Annuities of All Others in FU in 1981

% nonzero = 1.3

mean nonzero = 4,050.1

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the amount of other retirement, pensions and annuities in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None

99999. \$99,999 or more

8326 = Cross-year variable number Name='OTR 1981 UNEMPL COMP ' '
15175-15179 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Unemployment Compensation of All Others in FU in 1981

% nonzero = 0.6
mean nonzero = 1,313.7

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the amount of unemployment pay in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None
99999. \$99,999 or more

8327 = Cross-year variable number Name='OTR 1981 WORKERS COMP ' '
15180-15183 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Worker's Compensation of All Others in FU in 1981

% nonzero = 0.1
mean nonzero = 420.0

The values for this variable in the range 0001-9998 represent the amount of worker's compensation in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

0000. None
9999. \$9,999 or more

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8328 = Cross-year variable number Name='OTR 1981 CHILD SUPPORT ' '
15184-15188 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Child Support of All Others in FU in 1981

% nonzero = 0.1
mean nonzero = 1,173.7

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the amount of child support received in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

00000. None
99999. \$99,999 or more

8329 = Cross-year variable number Name='OTR 1981 HELP FR RELS ' '
15189-15192 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Help Received from Relatives by All Others in FU in 1981

% nonzero = 0.1
mean nonzero = 1,119.0

The values for this variable in the range 00001-99998 represent the amount of financial help received from relatives in whole dollars; all missing data were assigned.

0000. None
9999. \$9,999 or more

8330 = Cross-year variable number Name='OTR 1981 MISC TRANSFERS ' '
15193-15196 = Cross-year Tape Location

Amount of Other Transfer Income of All Others in FU in 1981

15217-15220 = Cross-year Tape Location

1971 Interview Number

Values for this variable in the range 0001-4840 indicate the 1971 interview number of Head of FU.

0000. Current Head of FU, if sample member, was not in any panel family in 1971

8339 = Cross-year variable number Name='1972 ID '
15221-15224 = Cross-year Tape Location

1972 Interview Number

Values for this variable in the range 0001-5060 indicate the 1972 interview number of Head of FU.

0000. Current Head of FU, if sample member, was not in any panel family in 1972

8340 = Cross-year variable number Name='1973 ID '
15225-15228 = Cross-year Tape Location

1973 Interview Number

Values for this variable in the range 0001-5285 indicate the 1973 interview number of Head of FU.

0000. Current Head of FU, if sample member, was not in any panel family in 1973

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8341 = Cross-year variable number Name='1974 ID '
15229-15232 = Cross-year Tape Location

1974 Interview Number

Values for this variable in the range 0001-5517 indicate the 1974 interview number of Head of FU.

0000. Current Head of FU, if sample member, was not in any panel family in 1974

8342 = Cross-year variable number Name='1975 ID '
15233-15236 = Cross-year Tape Location

1975 Interview Number

Values for this variable in the range 0001-5725 indicate the 1975 interview number of Head of FU.

0000. Current Head of FU, if sample member, was not in panel family in 1975

8343 = Cross-year variable number Name='1976 ID '
15237-15240 = Cross-year Tape Location

1976 Interview Number

Values for this variable in the range 0001-5862 indicate the 1976 interview number of Head of FU.

0000. Current Head of FU, if sample member, was not in any panel family in 1976

8344 = Cross-year variable number Name='1977 ID '
15241-15244 = Cross-year Tape Location

1977 Interview Number

Values for this variable in the range 0001-6007 indicate the 1977 interview number of Head of FU.

0000. Current Head of FU, if sample member, was not in any panel family in 1977

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8345 = Cross-year variable number Name='1978 ID '
15245-15248 = Cross-year Tape Location

1978 Interview Number

Values for this variable in the range 0001-6154 indicate the 1978 interview number of Head of FU.

0000. Current Head of FU, if sample member, was not in any panel family in 1978

8346 = Cross-year variable number Name='1979 ID '
15249-15252 = Cross-year Tape Location

1979 Interview Number

Values for this variable in the range 0001-6373 indicate the actual 1979 interview number of Head of FU

0000. Current Head of FU, if sample member, was not in any panel family in 1979

8347 = Cross-year variable number Name='1980 ID '
15253-15256 = Cross-year Tape Location

1980 Interview Number

Values for this variable in the range 0001-6533 indicate the 1980 interview number of Head of FU.

0000. Current Head of FU, if sample member, was not in any panel family in 1980

8348 = Cross-year variable number Name='1981 ID '
15257-15260 = Cross-year Tape Location

1981 Interview Number

Values for this variable in the range 0001-6620 indicate the 1981 interview number of Head of FU.

0000. Current Head of FU, if sample member, was not in any

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8349 = Cross-year variable number Name='DATE OF 1982 INT '
 15261-15264= Cross-year Tape Location MMD=9999

4. Date of Interview

The first two digits represent the month that the interview was taken;
03=March, 04=April, etc. The last two digits represent the day of the
month that the interview was taken. Interviewing for 1982 began
March 13 (0313).

9999. NA; DK; mail interview

8350 = Cross-year variable number Name='LENGTH OF 1982 INT '
 15265-15267 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

5. Length of Interview

mean nonzero = 27.6

The actual number of minutes taken by the interviewer to administer
the questionnaire is coded here.

999. NA; mail interview

8351 = Cross-year variable number Name='# IN FU '
 15268-15269 = Cross-year Tape Location

Number in FU

mean nonzero = 2.5

This variable is identical to V8249. Its values range from 01 through
20. The code values represent the actual number of persons currently
in the FU.

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8352 = Cross-year variable number Name='AGE OF 1982 HEAD '
 15270-15271 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

Age of Head

8362 = Cross-year variable number Name='B2 TYPE FUEL FOR HEAT:2 '
 15289-15290 = Cross-year Tape Location

B2. How is your (home/apartment) heated--with gas, electricity, oil,
 or what? - Second Mention

The codes below are in priority order.

01. Gas
 1.0 02. Electricity
 0.5 03. Oil
 4.9 04. Wood
 0.3 05. Coal
 0.0 06. Solar
 0.2 10. Bottled gas; propane
 0.4 11. Kerosene
 97. Other

 98. Don't know

 92.7 00. Inap.; no heat in dwelling; no second mention; V8361=0

8363 = Cross-year variable number Name='B3 RECD GOVT HTNG SUBSDY '
 15291 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

B3. There are government programs that give money to people to help
 them pay for heating their homes. Did you receive any such help
 with heating bills from this last winter (1981-82)?

5.3 1. Yes
 94.4 5. No

 0.3 9. NA; DK

8364 = Cross-year variable number Name='B5 OWN/RENT OR WHAT '
 15292 = Cross-year Tape Location

B5. Do you own the (home/apartment), pay rent, or what?

60.3 1. Owns or is buying home, either fully or jointly; mobile home
 owners who rent lots are included here
 34.2 5. Pays rent
 5.6 8. Neither owns nor rents

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8365 = Cross-year variable number Name='PAY FOR HEAT/ELEC/H2O? '
 15293 = Cross-year Tape Location

B10. Do you pay for heat, electricity, or water yourself?

25.0 1. Yes
 9.2 5. No

 0.1 9. NA; DK

 65.8 0. Inap.; does not rent home; V8364=1 or 8

% nonzero = 58.9
mean nonzero = 100.5

The values for this variable in the range 001-997 represent the actual number of months worked.

- 001. One month or less
- 998. 998 months or more

- 999. NA; DK

- 000. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; works for self only; V8374=3-8; V8375=3 or 9

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8380 = Cross-year variable number Name='C7-8 MAIN OCC:3DIG(H-E) '
15310-15312 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

- C7. What is your main occupation? What sort of work do you do?
- C8. Tell me a little more about what you do.

The 3-digit occupation code from 1970 Census of Population; Alphabetical Index of Industries and Occupation issued June 1971 by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Bureau of the Census was used for this variable. Please refer to Appendix 2, Wave XIV documentation, for specific listings.

- 12.7 001-195. Professional, Technical, and Kindred Workers
- 10.9 201-245. Managers and Administrators, Except Farm
- 1.3 260-280. Sales Workers
- 10.2 301-395. Clerical and Kindred Workers
- 11.9 401-600. Craftsmen and Kindred Workers
- 6.3 601-695. Operatives, Except Transport
- 3.4 701-715. Transport Equipment Operatives
- 2.1 740-785. Laborers, Except Farm
- 1.5 801-802. Farmers and Farm Managers
- 0.5 821-824. Farm Laborers and Farm Foremen
- 5.9 901-965. Service Workers, Except Private Household
- 0.5 980-984. Private Household Workers

- 0.1 999. NA; DK

- 32.6 000. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8

8381 = Cross-year variable number Name='C9 MAIN IND:3 DIGT(H-E) '
 15313-15315 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

C9. What kind of business or industry is that in?

The 3-digit industry code from 1970 Census of Population; Alphabetical Index of Industries and Occupations issued June 1971 by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Bureau of the Census was used for this variable. Please refer to Appendix 2, Wave XIV documentation, for specific listings.

- 2.5 017-028. Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries
- 0.8 047-057. Mining
- 5.0 067-077. Construction
- 17.5 107-398. Manufacturing
- 5.6 407-479. Transportation, Communications, and Other Public Utilities
- 10.5 507-698. Wholesale and Retail Trade
- 3.2 707-718. Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate
- 3.0 727-759. Business and Repair Services
- 2.1 769-798. Personal Services
- 0.6 807-809. Entertainment and Recreation Services
- 11.7 828-897. Professional and Related Services
- 4.2 907-937. Public Administration

- 0.7 999. NA; DK

- 32.6 000. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8

8382 = Cross-year variable number Name='C10 SLRY/HRLY/OTR (H-E) '
 15316 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

C10. (On your main job,) are you salaried, paid by the hour, or what?

- 28.9 1. Salaried
- 27.2 3. Paid by hour
- 11.3 7. Other

- 0.1 9. NA; DK

- 32.6 0. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8

8383 = Cross-year variable number Name='C11 PAY/HR-SALARY(HD-E) '
 15317-15320 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9999

C11. How much is your salary?

% nonzero = 28.9
 mean nonzero = 1126.8

The values for this variable represent dollars and cents per hour; if salary is given as an annual figure, it is divided by 2000 hours per year; if weekly, by 40 hours per week.

OSIRIS USERS:

Note that this variable is defined in the dictionary as having no decimal places.

9998. \$99.98 or more per hour

9999. NA; DK

0000. Inap.; is not salaried; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8; V8382=3-9

8384 = Cross-year variable number Name='C12 WTR SAL PD OT(HD-E) '
 15321 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

C12. If you were to work more hours than usual during some week, would you get paid for those extra hours of work?

7.4 1. Yes
 21.1 5. No

0.4 9. NA; DK

71.1 0. Inap.; is not salaried; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8; V8382=3-9

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8385 = Cross-year variable number Name='C13 PAY/HR-SLRYOT(HD-E) '
 15322-15325 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9999

C13. About how much would you make per hour for those extra hours?

% nonzero = 7.4
 mean nonzero = 1325.4

The values for this variable represent dollars and cents per hour.

OSIRIS USERS:

Note that this variable is defined in the dictionary as having no

decimal places.

9998. \$99.98 or more per hour

9999. NA; DK

0000. Inap.; would not get paid; is not salaried; unemployed;
retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other;
V8374=3-8; V8382=3-9; V8384=5 or 9

8386 = Cross-year variable number Name='C14 PAY/HR-HOURLY(HD-E) '
15326-15329 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9999

C14. What is your hourly wage rate for your regular work time?

% nonzero = 27.2

mean nonzero = 814.1

The values for this variable represent dollars and cents per hour.

OSIRIS USERS:

Note that this variable is defined in the dictionary as having no
decimal places.

9998. \$99.98 or more per hour

9999. NA; DK

0000. Inap.; is not paid an hourly wage; unemployed; retired,
permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-
8; V8382=1, 7 or 9

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8387 = Cross-year variable number Name='C15 PAY/HR-HRLY OT(H-E) '
15330-15333 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9999

C15. What is your hourly wage rate for overtime?

% nonzero = 24.8

mean nonzero = 1245.0

The values for this variable represent dollars and cents per hour.

OSIRIS USERS:

Note that this variable is defined in the dictionary as having no
decimal places.

9998. \$99.98 or more per hour

9999. NA; DK

0000. Inap.; does not get overtime; is not paid an hourly wage;
unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, stu-
dent, other; V8374=3-8; V8382=1, 7 or 9

8388 = Cross-year variable number Name='C16 HOW PAID-OTR (HD-E) '
15334 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

C16. How is that? (For those Heads who are neither salaried nor paid
hourly)

- 0.6 1. Piecework; hourly plus piecework/production
- 2.3 2. Commission
- 0.2 3. Tips; tips and salary/hourly wage
- 1.3 4. Salary plus commission
- 3.5 5. Self-employed; farmer; "profits"
- 2.4 6. By the job/day/mile
- 0.9 7. Other

- 0.0 9. NA; DK

- 88.7 0. Inap.; is paid a salary or hourly wage; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8; V8382=1, 3 or 9

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8389 = Cross-year variable number Name='C17 PAY/HR-OTR OT (H-E) '
 15335-15338 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9999

C17. If you worked an extra hour, how much would you earn for that hour?

% nonzero = 7.4
 mean nonzero = 1918.3

The values for this variable represent dollars and cents per hour.

OSIRIS USERS:

Note that this variable is defined in the dictionary as having no decimal places.

- 9998. \$99.98 or more per hour
- 9999. NA; DK
- 0000. Inap.; nothing; is paid a salary or hourly wage; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8; V8382=1, 3 or 9

8390 = Cross-year variable number Name='C18 # MOS THIS JOB(H-E) '
 15339-15341 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

C18. How long have you had your present position?

% nonzero = 67.4
 mean nonzero = 71.8

The values for this variable in the range 001-997 represent the actual number of months the position has been held.

- 001. One month or less
- 998. 998 months or more
- 999. NA; DK
- 000. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8

C22. We're interested in how you spent your time from January through December, 1981. Did you miss any work in 1981 because someone else in the family was sick?

9.0 1. Yes
58.4 5. No

0.0 9. NA; DK

32.6 0. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8

8394 = Cross-year variable number Name='C23 # WKS OTR ILL(HD-E) '
 15345-15346 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C23. How much work did you miss?

% nonzero = 9.0
mean nonzero = 1.7

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) missed through illness of persons other than the Head.

01. One week or less

99. NA; DK

00. Inap.; none; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8; V8393=5 or 9

8395 = Cross-year variable number Name='C24 WTR SELF ILL (HD-E) '
 15347 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

C24. Did you miss any work in 1981 because you were sick?

31.4 1. Yes
35.9 5. No

0.0 9. NA; DK

32.6 0. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8

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8396 = Cross-year variable number Name='C25 # WKS SELF ILL(HD-E) '
 15348-15349 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C25. How much work did you miss?

% nonzero = 31.4
mean nonzero = 2.5

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) missed through Head's own illness.

01. One week or less

99. NA; DK

00. Inap.; none; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8; V8395=5 or 9

- C30. Did you miss any work in 1981 because you were unemployed or temporarily laid off?
- 10.6 1. Yes
 56.7 5. No
- 0.0 9. NA; DK
- 32.6 0. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8

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8402 = Cross-year variable number Name='C31 # WK UNEMPLYD(HD-E) '
 15357-15358 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C31. How much work did you miss?

% nonzero = 10.6
 mean nonzero = 11.9

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) missed due to unemployment or temporary layoff of Head.

01. One week or less
99. NA; DK
00. Inap.; none; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8; V8401=5 or 9

8403 = Cross-year variable number Name='C32 # WKS WORKED (HD-E) '
 15359-15360 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C32. Then, how many weeks did you actually work on your main job in 1981?

% nonzero = 67.0
 mean nonzero = 45.6

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) Head worked on his/her main job.

01. One week or less
99. NA; DK
00. Inap.; none; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8

- 0.1 11. Other Medical and Paramedical: chiropractors, optometrists, pharmacists, veterinarians, nurses, therapists, healers, dieticians (except medical and dental technicians, see 16) (061,063,064,071-076)
- 0.3 12. Accountants and Auditors (001)
- 0.3 13. Teachers, Primary and Secondary Schools (including NA type) (141-145)
- 0.4 14. Teachers, College; Social Scientists; Librarians; Archivists (032-036,091-096,102-140)
- 0.1 15. Architects; Chemists; Engineers; Physical and Biological Scientists (002,006-023,042-054)
- 0.2 16. Technicians: Airplane pilots and navigators, designers, draftsmen, foresters and conservationists, embalmers, photographers, radio operators, surveyors, technicians (medical, dental, testing, n.e.c.) (003-005,025,055,080-085,150-173,183,191)
- 0.2 17. Public Advisors: Clergymen, editors and reporters, farm and home management advisors, personnel and labor relations workers, public relations persons, publicity workers, religious, social and welfare workers (024,026,056,086,090,100-101,184,192)
- 0.1 18. Judges; Lawyers (030,031)
- 1.2 19. Professional, technical and kindred workers not listed above (174,175-182,185,190,193-195)

MANAGERS, OFFICIALS AND PROPRIETORS (EXCEPT FARM) (201-245)

- 0.6 20. Not self-employed
- 1.0 31. Self-employed (unincorporated businesses)

CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS

- 0.1 40. Secretaries, stenographers, typists (370-372,376,391)
- 0.7 41. Other Clerical Workers: agents (n.e.c.) library assistants and attendants, bank tellers, cashiers, bill collectors, ticket, station and express agents, etc., receptionists (301-364,374-375,381,392-395)

SALES WORKERS

- 1.2 45. Retail store salesmen and sales clerks, newsboys, hucksters, peddlers, traveling salesmen, advertising agents and salesmen, insurance agents, brokers, and salesmen, etc. (260-280)

CRAFTSMEN, FOREMEN, AND KINDRED WORKERS

- 50. Foremen, n.e.c. (441)

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- 1.9 51. Other craftsmen and kindred workers (401-440,442-580)
- 0.1 52. Government protective service workers: firemen, police, marshals, and constables (960-965)

MILITARY PERSONNEL

- 0.6 55. Members of armed forces

OPERATIVES AND KINDRED WORKERS

- 0.4 61. Transport equipment operatives (701-715)
- 0.4 62. Operatives, except transport (601-695)

LABORERS

- 0.7 70. Unskilled laborers--nonfarm (740-785)
- 0.3 71. Farm laborers and foremen (821-824)

SERVICE WORKERS

- 0.1 73. Private household workers (980-984)
- 1.7 75. Other service workers: barbers, beauticians, manicurists, bartenders, boarding and lodging housekeepers, counter and fountain workers, housekeepers and stewards, waiters, cooks, midwives, practical nurses, babysitters, attendants in physicians' and dentists' offices (901-965 except 960-965 when work for local, state, or federal government)

FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS

- 1.0 80. Farmers (owners and tenants) and managers (except code 71) (801-802)

0000. Inap.; no extra jobs; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8; V8406=5 or 9

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8410 = Cross-year variable number Name='C40 # WKS XTRA JOB(H-E) '
15372-15373 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C40. And, how many weeks did you work on your extra job(s) in 1981?

% nonzero = 14.2
mean nonzero = 23.3

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) Head worked on all of his/her extra jobs.

01. One week or less

99. NA; DK

00. Inap.; no extra jobs; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8; V8406=5 or 9

8411 = Cross-year variable number Name='C41 HR/WK XTRA JOB(H-E) '
15374-15375 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C41. On the average, how many hours a week did you work on your extra job(s)?

% nonzero = 14.2
mean nonzero = 17.0

The values for this variable represent the actual number of hours per week Head worked on his/her extra job or jobs. If Head had more than one extra job, the value here represents a weighted average of hours spent on all extra jobs.

01. One hour or less

98. 98 hours or more

99. NA; DK

00. Inap.; no extra jobs; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8; V8406=5 or 9

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8412 = Cross-year variable number Name='C43 MNTH LST UNEMP(H-E) '
15376-15377 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C43. Now I'd like to ask you about the last time in 1981 that you were unemployed or temporarily laid off. In what month and year did that period begin?

- 0.9 01. January
- 0.3 02. February
- 0.5 03. March
- 0.5 04. April
- 0.6 05. May
- 0.6 06. June
- 0.7 07. July
- 0.9 08. August
- 0.6 09. September
- 1.0 10. October
- 1.2 11. November
- 1.6 12. December

- 0.1 98. DK month
- 0.3 99. NA month

90.2 00. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a time in 1981; V8374=3-8; V8401=5 or 9

8413 = Cross-year variable number Name='C43 YEAR LAST UNEMP(H-E)'
15378-15379 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C43. Now I'd like to ask you about the last time in 1981 that you were unemployed or temporarily laid off. In what month and year did that period begin?

The values for this variable represent the last two digits of the year the most recent period of unemployment began.

- 98. DK year
- 99. NA year

00. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a time in 1981; V8374=3-8; V8401=5 or 9; V8412=00

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8414 = Cross-year variable number Name='C44 #WK UNEMP-LST(HD-E)'
15380-15382 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

C44. How many weeks was it before you returned to work?

% nonzero = 9.8
mean nonzero = 14.0

The values for this variable represent the actual duration in weeks of the most recent spell of unemployment.

- 997. Still temporarily laid off
- 998. NA or DK, but more than 8 weeks
- 999. NA; DK

000. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a

8420 = Cross-year variable number Name='C51 MNTH 2ND UNEM(H-E) '
 15388-15389 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C51. In what month and year did that period begin?

- 0.4 01. January
- 0.1 02. February
- 0.1 03. March
- 0.1 04. April
- 0.1 05. May
- 0.1 06. June
- 0.3 07. July
- 0.1 08. August
- 0.1 09. September
- 0.2 10. October
- 0.4 11. November
- 0.1 12. December

- 0.0 98. DK month
- 0.1 99. NA month

- 98.0 00. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed only once or not at all for a full week at a time in 1981; Head's last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; V8374=3-8; V8401=5 or 9; V8412=00; V8413<81; V8419=5 or 9

8421 = Cross-year variable number Name='C51 YEAR 2ND UNEMP(H-E) '
 15390-15391 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C51. In what month and year did that period begin?

The values for this variable represent the last two digits of the year that the next most recent period of unemployment began.

- 98. DK year
- 99. NA year

- 00. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed only once or not at all for a full week at a time in 1981; Head's last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; V8374=3-8; V8401=5 or 9; V8412=0; V8413<81; V8419=5 or 9

8422 = Cross-year variable number Name='C52 #WK UNEMP-2ND(HD-E) '
 15392-15394 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

C52. How many weeks was it before you returned to work?

% nonzero = 2.0
 mean nonzero = 7.5

The values for this variable represent the actual duration in weeks of the next most recent spell of unemployment.

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8428 = Cross-year variable number Name='C58 MNTH 3RD UNEMP(H-E) '
 15400-15401 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C58. In what month and year did that period begin?

- 0.1 01. January
- 0.0 02. February
- 0.1 03. March
- 0.1 04. April
- 0.1 05. May
- 0.1 06. June
- 0.0 07. July
- 0.0 08. August
- 0.1 09. September
- 0.1 10. October
- 0.0 11. November
- 0.0 12. December

- 0.1 98. DK month
- 0.1 99. NA month

99.1 00. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed only twice or less for a full week at a time in 1981; Head's next to last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; V8374=3-8; V8401=5 or 9; V8412=00; V8413<81; V8419=5 or 9; V8421<81; V8427=5 or 9

8429 = Cross-year variable number Name='C58 YEAR 3RD UNEMP(H-E) '
 15402-15403 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C58. In what month and year did that period begin?

The values for this variable represent the last two digits of the year that the third most recent period of unemployment began.

- 98. DK year
- 99. NA year

00. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed only twice or less for a full week at a time in 1981; Head's next to last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; V8374=3-8; V8401=5 or 9; V8412=00; V8413<81; V8419=5 or 9; V8421<81; V8427=5 or 9

8430 = Cross-year variable number Name='C59 #WK UNEMP-3RD(HD-E) '

C59. How many weeks was it before you returned to work?

% nonzero = 0.9
mean nonzero = 3.1

The values for this variable represent the actual duration in weeks of the third most recent spell of unemployment.

998. NA or DK but more than 8 weeks

999. NA; DK

000. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed only twice or less for a full week at a time in 1981; Head's next to last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; V8374=3-8; V8401=5 or 9; V8412=00; V8413<81 V8419=5 or 9; V8421<81; V8427=5 or 9

8431 = Cross-year variable number Name='C60 WTR 4+ WK-3RD(HD-E) '
15407 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

C60. Sometimes people become discouraged with job-hunting. During this -week period, was there ever a time when 4 or more weeks passed during which you did not look for a job?

0.0 1. Yes

0.1 5. No

9. NA; DK

99.9 0. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed only twice or less for a full week at a time in 1981; Head's next to last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; returned to work in less than 5 weeks or more than 8 weeks; V8374=3-8; V8401=5 or 9; V8412=00; V8413<81; V8419=5 or 9; V8421<81; V8427=5 or 9; V8430=001-004, 009-999

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8432 = Cross-year variable number Name='C61 WTR 4+ WK-3RD(HD-E) '
15408 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

C61. Sometimes people become discouraged with job-hunting. During this -week period, was there ever a time when 4 or more weeks passed during which you did not look for a job?

0.0 1. Yes

0.0 5. No

0.0 9. NA; DK

100.0 0. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed only twice or less for a full week at a time in 1981; Head's next to last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; returned to work in less than 9 weeks; V8374=3-8; V8401=5 or 9; V8412=00; V8413<81; V8419=5 or 9;

8438 = Cross-year variable number Name='C67 WTR ELIG UNEM(HD-E) '
 15415 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

C67. Do you think you were eligible?

1.3 1. Yes
 3.1 5. No

0.3 8. Don't know
 0.1 9. NA

95.3 0. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife,
 student, other; was not unemployed at any time during 1981;
 was unemployed for less than a full week at a time in 1981;
 received unemployment compensation; V8374=3-8; V8401=5 or 9;
 V8412=00; V8435=1 or 9

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8439 = Cross-year variable number Name='C68 WHY NO UNEMP-1(H-E) '
 15416-15417 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C68. Why didn't you apply? - First Mention

0.2 01. Administrative access problems: attitudes of local offi-
 cials; "too much red tape"; "have to wait too long"

0.0 02. Physical access problems: transportation difficulties;
 physical disability and can't get around

0.1 03. Information access problems: don't know how to apply;
 didn't know anything about it
 0.1 04. Don't need it
 0.1 05. Attitude: don't like charity; feel it is inappropriate to
 apply
 0.0 06. Receiving other assistance
 0.0 07. Have other sources of income (except code 06)
 08. Saving it up to use later; waiting to apply when other
 resources are used up.
 0.3 09. Did apply; was denied unemployment; "was turned down."
 0.4 80. Did not apply; "because I was looking for a job"; "thought I
 would return to work sooner"; "was only unemployed a short
 time"; "found another job."
 0.0 90. Did not apply, NA why: "I never applied," "I didn't check
 it out"; "I never thought about it"
 0.2 97. Other
 0.0 99. NA; DK
 98.5 00. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife,
 student, other; was not unemployed at any time during 1981;
 was unemployed for less than a week at a time in 1981;
 received unemployment compensation; did not think was
 eligible; V8374=3-8; V8401=5 or 9; V8412=00; V8435=1 or 9;
 V8438=5 or 9

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8440 = Cross-year variable number Name='C68 WHY NO UNEMP-2(H-E) '
 15418-15419 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C68. Why didn't you apply? -Second Mention

0.0 01. Administrative access problems: attitudes of local offi-
 cials; "too much red tape"; "have to wait too long"
 02. Physical access problems: transportation difficulties;
 physical disability and can't get around
 0.0 03. Information access problems: don't know how to apply;
 didn't know anything about it
 0.0 04. Don't need it
 05. Attitude: don't like charity; feel it is inappropriate to
 apply
 06. Receiving other assistance
 0.0 07. Have other sources of income (except code 06)
 08. Saving it up to use later; waiting to apply when other
 resources are used up.
 0.0 09. Did apply; was denied unemployment; "was turned down."
 0.1 80. Did not apply; "because I was looking for a job"; "thought I
 would return to work sooner"; "was only unemployed a short
 time"; "found another job."
 90. Did not apply, NA why: "I never applied," "I didn't check
 it out"; "I never thought about it"
 97. Other

99.8 00. Inap.; no second mention; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a time in 1981; received unemployment compensation; did not think was eligible; V8374=3-8; V8401=5 or 9; V8412=00; V8435=1 or 9; V8438=5 or 9

8441 = Cross-year variable number Name='C69 OTR Y/UNEMP? (HD-E) '
15420 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

C69. (Still) thinking about your last period of (unemployment/layoff) in 1981, did you have any (other) sources of income?

3.5 1. Yes
6.1 5. No

0.2 9. NA; DK

90.2 0. Inap.; unemployed; retired; permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a time in 1981; V8374=3-8; V8401=5 or 9; V8412=00

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8442 = Cross-year variable number Name='C70 TYPE OTR Y-1 (HD-E) '
15421-15422 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C70. What were they? (Any other sources of income?) - First Mention

1.1 01. Transfer income: welfare; ADC; gifts
1.1 02. Earned income: assets
0.6 03. Capital income: assets income; interest
0.6 04. Others' income: "wife working"; someone else in family working
0.0 05. Vacation/sick pay from previous job
06. Windfall income; gambling
0.1 97. Other
0.0 99. NA; DK

96.5 00. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a time in 1981; no other sources of income; V8374=3-8; V8401=5 or 9; V8412=00; V8441=5 or 9

8443 = Cross-year variable number Name='C70 TYPE OTR Y-2 (HD-E) '
15423-15424 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C70. What were they? (Any other sources of income?) - Second Mention

0.1 01. Transfer income: welfare; ADC; gifts
0.1 02. Earned income: assets
0.1 03. Capital income: assets income; interest
0.1 04. Others' income: "wife working"; someone else in family working
05. Vacation/sick pay from previous job
06. Windfall income; gambling
0.0 97. Other

99.7 00. Inap.; no second mention; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a time in 1981; no other sources of income; V8374=3-8; V8401=5 or 9; V8412=00; V8441=5 or 9

C79. Could you have worked less if you wanted to?

8.5 1. Yes
13.7 5. No

0.4 9. NA; DK

77.4 0. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife,
student, other; more work available; would have liked more
work; V8374=3-8; V8447=1; V8451=1

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8453 = Cross-year variable number Name='C80 WANT WRK LESS?(H-E) '
15437 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

C80. Would you have preferred to work less even if you had earned
less money?

1.7 1. Yes
12.0 5. No

0.4 9. NA; DK

85.9 0. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife,
student, other; more work available; could have worked less;
V8374=3-8; V8447=1; V8451=1; V8452=1

8454 = Cross-year variable number Name='C81 # MI TO WORK (HD-E) '
15438-15439 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C81. About how many miles is it to where you work? (one way)

% nonzero = 61.5
mean nonzero = 10.7

The values for this variable represent the actual number of miles to
work one way.

01. One mile or less
98. 98 miles or more

99. NA; DK

00. Inap.; varies; doesn't travel to work; unemployed; retired,
permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=3-8

8455 = Cross-year variable number Name='C82 GET NEW JOB? (HD-E) '
15440 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

C82. Have you been thinking about getting a new job, or will you keep
the job you have now?

13.1 1. Thinking about getting a new job
54.0 5. Keep job have now

0.2 9. NA; DK

32.6 0. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife,
student, other; V8374=3-8

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8456 = Cross-year variable number Name='C83 WHAT DO-NEW JB(H-E) '
 15441 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

C83. Have you been doing anything in particular about it?

7.7 1. Yes

5.4 5. No

0.1 9. NA; DK

86.9 0. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife,
student, other; keep job has now; V8374=3-8; V8455=5 or 9

8457 = Cross-year variable number Name='C84 HD AGE 45-64?(HD-E) '
 15442 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

C84. INTERVIEWER CHECKPOINT

44.3 1. Head is under age 45

20.8 2. Head is age 45 to 64

2.3 3. Head is age 65 or older

9. NA; DK

32.6 0. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife,
student, other; V8374=3-8

8458 = Cross-year variable number Name='C85 AGE PLAN RETR(HD-E) '
 15443-15444 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C85. Now I have a question about retirement and planning for the fu-
ture. At what age do you think you will retire from the main
work you are now doing?

The values for this variable represent the actual age in years (45-95)
at which Head plans to retire.

96. Ninety-six years old or more

97. Never

98. Don't know

99. NA

00. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife,
student, other; Head is under age 45 or Head is age 65 or
older; V8374=3-8; V8457=1,3 or 9

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8459 = Cross-year variable number Name='C86 RET BEFORE 65?(H-E) '
 15445 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

C86. Do you think you will retire before you are 65?

0.7 1. Yes

1.4 5. No

1.3 8. Don't know; depends
0.1 9. NA

96.5 0. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife,
student, other; Head is under 45 or Head is age 65 or older;
knows what age plans to retire; V8374=3-8; V8457=1,3, or 9;
V8458=45-97, 99

8460 = Cross-year variable number Name='C87 AGE PLAN RETR(HD-E) '
15446-15447 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

C87. Now I have a question about retirement and planning for the fu-
ture. At what age do you think you will retire from the main
work you are now doing?

The values for this variable represent the actual age in years (65-95)
at which Head plans to retire.

96. Ninety-six years or older
97. Never

98. Don't know
99. NA

00. Inap.; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife,
student, other; Head is under age 65; V8374=3-8; V8457=1,2,
or 9

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8461 = Cross-year variable number Name='D1 OCC-JOB SOUGHT(HD-U) '
15448-15449 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D1. What kind of job are you looking for?

The values in parentheses to the right of the code descriptions
represent the comparable 3-digit code values from the 1970 Census code
book.

PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS (001-195)

- 10. Physicians (medical & osteopathic), Dentists (062,065)
- 0.0 11. Other Medical and Paramedical: chiropractors, optometrists,
pharmacists, veterinarians, nurses, therapists, healers,
dieticians (except medical and dental technicians, see 16)
(061,063,064,071-076)
- 0.0 12. Accountants and Auditors (001)
- 0.1 13. Teachers, Primary and Secondary Schools (including NA type)
(141-145)
- 0.0 14. Teachers, College; Social Scientists; Librarians; Archivists
(032-036,091-096,102-140)
- 0.0 15. Architects; Chemists; Engineers; Physical and Biological
Scientists (002,006-023,042-054)
- 0.1 16. Technicians: Airplane pilots and navigators, designers,
draftsmen, foresters and conservationists, embalmers,
photographers, radio operators, surveyors, technicians

0.6 8. Don't know
0.1 9. NA
95.0 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife,
student, other; V8374=1-2, 4-8

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8463 = Cross-year variable number Name='D3 WTR LOOKNG JOB(HD-U) '
15451 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D3. Have you been doing anything in the last four weeks to find a
job?

3.7 1. Yes

1.3 5. No

9. NA; DK

95.0 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife,
student, other; V8374=1-2, 4-8

8464 = Cross-year variable number Name='D4 # PLAC LOOKED (HD-U) '
15452 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D4. How many places have you been to in the last four weeks to find
out about a job?

0.3 1. One

0.1 2. Two

0.4 3. Three

0.5 4. Four

2.4 5. Five or more

0.0 8. Don't know

9. NA

96.3 0. Inap.; none; employed; retired, permanently disabled,
housewife, student, other; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8463=5 or 9

8465 = Cross-year variable number Name='D5 RESERVATN WAGE(HD-U) '
15453-15456 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9999

D5. What is the lowest wage or salary you would accept on any job?

% nonzero = 5.0
mean nonzero = 547.5

The values for this variable represent actual dollars and cents per hour for Head's reservation wage.

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Note that this variable is defined in the dictionary as having no decimal places.

- 9998. \$99.98 per hour or more
- 9999. NA; DK
- 0000. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=1-2, 4-8

8466 = Cross-year variable number Name='D6 #WKS LOOK WORK(HD-U) '
15457-15458 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D6. How long have you been looking for work?

% nonzero = 5.0
mean nonzero = 25.0

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks Head spent looking for work.

- 01. One week or less
- 98. Ninety-eight weeks or more
- 99. NA; DK
- 00. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=1-2, 4-8

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8467 = Cross-year variable number Name='D7 EVER HAD JOB? (HD-U) '
15459 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D7. Have you ever had a job?

5.0 1. Yes
0.0 5. No

9. NA; DK

95.0 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8374=1-2, 4-8

8468 = Cross-year variable number Name='D8 OCC-LAST JOB (HD-U) '

D8. What sort of work did you do on your last job? What was your occupation?

The 3-digit occupation code from 1970 Census of Population; Alphabetical Index of Industries and Occupation issued June 1971 by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Bureau of the Census was used for this variable. Please refer to Appendix 2, Wave XIV documentation, for specific listings.

0.3 001-195. Professional, Technical, and Kindred Workers
 0.4 201-245. Managers and Administrators, Except Farm
 0.1 260-280. Sales Workers
 0.7 301-395. Clerical and Kindred Workers
 0.9 401-600. Craftsmen and Kindred Workers
 1.0 601-695. Operatives, Except Transport
 0.3 701-715. Transport Equipment Operatives
 0.3 740-785. Laborers, Except Farm
 801-802. Farmers and Farm Managers
 0.1 821-824. Farm Laborers and Farm Foremen
 0.8 901-965. Service Workers, Except Private Household
 0.0 980-984. Private Household Workers

0.1 999. NA; DK

95.0 000. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9

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8469 = Cross-year variable number Name='D9 IND-LAST JOB (HD-U) '
 15463-15465 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

D9. What kind of business or industry was that in?

The 3-digit industry code from 1970 Census of Population; Alphabetical Index of Industries and Occupations issued June 1971 by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Bureau of the Census was used for this variable. Please refer to Appendix 2, Wave XIV documentation, for specific listings.

0.1 017-028. Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries
 0.0 047-057. Mining
 0.7 067-077. Construction
 1.4 107-398. Manufacturing
 0.4 407-479. Transportation, Communications, and Other Public Utilities
 1.1 507-698. Wholesale and Retail Trade
 0.0 707-718. Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate
 0.3 727-759. Business and Repair Services
 0.1 769-798. Personal Services
 0.1 807-809. Entertainment and Recreation Services
 0.5 828-897. Professional and Related Services
 0.2 907-937. Public Administration

0.1 999. NA; DK

95.0 000. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9

D18. Did you miss any work in 1981 because you were on strike?

0.0 1. Yes

5.0 5. No

9. NA; DK

95.0 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife,
student, other; never worked; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9

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8479 = Cross-year variable number Name='D19 #WKS ON STRIKE(H-U) '
15479-15480 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D19. How much work did you miss?

% nonzero = 0.0

mean nonzero = 1.7

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) missed because of time Head spent on strike.

01. One week or less

99. NA; DK

00. Inap.; none; employed; retired, permanently disabled,
housewife, student, other; never worked; V8374=1-2, 4-8;
V8467=5 or 9; V8478=5 or 9

8480 = Cross-year variable number Name='D20 WTR UNEMPLOYD(HD-U) '
15481 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D20. Did you miss any work in 1981 because you were unemployed or
temporarily laid off?

3.7 1. Yes

1.3 5. No

9. NA; DK

95.0 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife,
student, other; never worked; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9

8481 = Cross-year variable number Name='D21 #WKS UNEMPLYD(HD-U) '
 15482-15483 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D21. How much work did you miss?

% nonzero = 3.7
 mean nonzero = 25.8

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) missed due to unemployment or temporarily layoff of Head.

- 01. One week or less
- 99. NA; DK
- 00. Inap.; none; employed; retired, permanently disabled,
 housewife, student, other; never worked; V8374=1-2, 4-8;
 V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9

8482 = Cross-year variable number Name='D22 #WKS WORKED (HD-U) '
 15484-15485 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D22. Then, how many weeks did you actually work on your job in 1981?

% nonzero = 4.2
 mean nonzero = 33.1

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) Head worked on his/her job.

- 01. One week or less
- 99. NA; DK
- 00. Inap.; none; employed; retired, permanently disabled,
 housewife, student, other; never worked; V8374=1-2, 4-8;
 V8467=5 or 9

8483 = Cross-year variable number Name='D23 HR/WK WORKED (HD-U) '
15486-15487 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D23. And, on the average, how many hours a week did you work on your main job in 1981?

% nonzero = 4.2
mean nonzero = 42.8

The values for this variable represent the actual number of hours per week Head worked on his/her job.

- 01. One hour or less
- 98. 98 hours or more

- 99. NA; DK

- 00. Inap.; none; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; V8374=1-2,4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8482=00

8484 = Cross-year variable number Name='D25 MNTH LST UNEM(H-U) '
15488-15489 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D25. Now I'd like to ask you about the last time in 1981 that you were unemployed or temporarily laid off. In what month and year did that period begin?

- 0.2 01. January
- 0.2 02. February
- 0.1 03. March
- 0.1 04. April
- 0.1 05. May
- 0.2 06. June
- 0.2 07. July
- 0.3 08. August
- 0.3 09. September
- 0.6 10. October
- 0.6 11. November
- 0.4 12. December

- 0.0 98. DK month
- 0.2 99. NA month

- 96.4 00. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time in 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a time in 1981; V8374=1-2,4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9

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8485 = Cross-year variable number Name='D25 YEAR LST UNEMP(H-U) '
15490-15491 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D25. Now I'd like to ask you about the last time in 1981 that you were unemployed or temporarily laid off. In what month and year did that period begin?

The values for this variable represent the last two digits of the year the most recent period of unemployment began.

- 98. DK year
- 99. NA Year

- 00. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time

in 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a time
in 1981; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9;
V8484=00

8486 = Cross-year variable number Name='D26 #WK UNEMP-LST(HD-U) '
15492-15494 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

D26. How many weeks was it before you returned to work?

% nonzero = 3.6
mean nonzero = 15.3

The values for this variable represent the actual duration in weeks of
the most recent spell of unemployment.

- 997. Still looking
- 998. NA or DK, but more than 8 weeks

- 999. NA; DK

- 000. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife,
student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any
time in 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a
time in 1981; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9;
V8484=00

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8487 = Cross-year variable number Name='D27 WTR 4+ WK-LST(HD-U) '
15495 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D27. Sometimes people become discouraged with job-hunting. During
this -week period, was there ever a time when 4 or more
weeks passed during which you did not look for a job?

0.0 1. Yes
0.1 5. No

9. NA; DK

- 99.9 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife,
student, other; never worked; was not unemployed during 1981;
was unemployed for less than a full week at a time in 1981;
returned to work in less than 5 weeks or more than 8 weeks;
still looking; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9;
V8484=00; V8486=001-004, 009-999

8488 = Cross-year variable number Name='D28 WTR 4+ WK-LST(HD-U) '
15496 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D28. Sometimes people become discouraged with job-hunting. During
this -week period, was there ever a time when 4 or more
weeks passed during which you did not look for a job?

1.6 1. Yes
1.6 5. No

0.1 9. NA; DK

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8491 = Cross-year variable number Name='D32 WTR 2ND UNEMP(HD-U) '
15499 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D32. Was there another period in 1981 before the last one, when you were unemployed or temporarily laid off?

1.0 1. Yes
1.8 5. No

0.0 9. NA; DK

97.2 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time in 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a time in 1981; last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8485<81

8492 = Cross-year variable number Name='D33 MNTH 2ND UNEM(H-U) '
15500-15501 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D33. In what month and year did that period begin?

0.2 01. January
0.1 02. February
0.1 03. March
0.1 04. April
0.0 05. May
0.0 06. June
0.0 07. July
0.1 08. August
0.1 09. September
0.0 10. October
0.0 11. November
0.0 12. December

0.0 98. DK month
0.1 99. NA month

99.0 00. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed only once or not at all for a full week at a time in 1981; Head's last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; V8374=1-2,4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8485<81; V8491=5 or 9

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8493 = Cross-year variable number Name='D33 YEAR 2ND UNEM(H-U) '
15502-15503 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D33. In what month and year did that period begin?

The values for this variable represent the last two digits of the year

that the next most recent period of unemployment began.

- 98. DK year
- 99. NA Year

- 00. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time in 1981; was unemployed only once or not at all for a full week at a time in 1981; last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8485<81; V8491=5 or 9

8494 = Cross-year variable number Name='D34 #WK UNEMP-2ND(HD-U) '
15504-15506 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

D34. How many weeks was it before you returned to work?

% nonzero = 1.0
mean nonzero = 37.6

The values for this variable represent the actual duration in weeks of the next most recent spell of unemployment.

- 998. NA or DK, but more than 8 weeks
- 999. NA; DK

- 000. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time in 1981; was unemployed only once or not at all for a full week at a time in 1981; last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8485<81; V8491=5 or 9

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8495 = Cross-year variable number Name='D35 WTR 4+ WK-2ND(HD-U) '
15507 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D35. Sometimes people become discouraged with job-hunting. During this -week period, was there ever a time when 4 or more weeks passed during which you did not look for a job?

- 0.1 1. Yes
- 0.1 5. No

- 9. NA; DK

- 99.8 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time in 1981; was unemployed only once or not at all for a full week at a time in 1981; last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; returned to work in less than 5 weeks or more than 8 weeks; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8485<81; V8491=5 or 9; V8494=001-004, 009-999

8496 = Cross-year variable number Name='D36 WTR 4+ WK-2ND(HD-U) '

D36. Sometimes people become discouraged with job-hunting. During this -week period, was there ever a time when 4 or more weeks passed during which you did not look for a job?

0.2 1. Yes

0.3 5. No

0.0 9. NA; DK

99.5 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time in 1981; was unemployed only once or not at all for a full week at a time in 1981; last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; returned to work in less than 9 weeks; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8485<81; V8491=5 or 9; V8494=001-008, 999

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8497 = Cross-year variable number Name='D37 4+ WK> ONCE?2(HD-U) '
15509 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D37. Did this happen more than once?

0.1 1. Yes

0.1 5. No

0.0 9. NA; DK

99.8 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time in 1981; was unemployed only once or not at all for a full week at a time in 1981; last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; returned to work in less than 9 weeks; was not discouraged; V8374=1,2 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8485<81; V8491=5 or 9; V8494=001-008, 999; V8496=5 or 9

8498 = Cross-year variable number Name='D38 # X NO LOOK-2(HD-U) '
15510 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D38. How many times did this happen?

0.0 2. Two separate times

0.1 3. Three separate times

0.0 4. Four separate times

5. Five separate times

0.0 6. Six separate times

7. Seven separate times

8. Eight or more separate times

0.0 9. NA; DK

99.9 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time in 1981; was unemployed only once or not at all for a full week at a time in 1981; last period of unemployment began in

1980 or earlier; returned to work in less than 9 weeks; was not discouraged; happened only once; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8485<81; V8491=5 or 9; V8494=001-008, 999; V8496=5 or 9; V8497=5 or 9

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8499 = Cross-year variable number Name='D39 WTR 3RD UNEMP(HD-U) '
 15511 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D39. Was there another period in 1981 before this one, when you were unemployed or temporarily laid off?

0.2 1. Yes

0.6 5. No

0.0 9. NA; DK

99.3 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed only once or not at all for a full week at a time in 1981; next to last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8485<81; V8491=5 or 9; V8493<81

8500 = Cross-year variable number Name='D40 MNTH 3RD UNEM(H-U) '
 15512-15513 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D40. In what month and year did that period begin?

0.1 01. January

02. February

0.0 03. March

04. April

05. May

06. June

07. July

08. August

0.0 09. September

10. October

11. November

12. December

0.0 98. DK month

99. NA month

99.8 00. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed only twice or less for a full week at a time in 1981; Head's next to last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; V8374=1-2,4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8485<81; V8491=5 or 9; V8493<81; V8499=5 or 9

8501 = Cross-year variable number Name='D40 YEAR 3RD UNEM(H-U) '
 15514-15515 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D40. In what month and year did that period begin?

The values for this variable represent the last two digits of the year that the third most recent period of unemployment began.

98. DK year
 99. NA year

00. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed only twice or less for a full week at a time in 1981; Head's next to last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8485<81; V8491=5 or 9; V8493<81; V8499=5 or 9

8502 = Cross-year variable number Name='D41 #WK UNEMP-3RD(HD-U) '
 15516-15518 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

D41. How many weeks was it before you returned to work?

% nonzero = 0.2
 mean nonzero = 39.6

The values for this variable represent the actual duration in weeks of the third most recent spell of unemployment.

998. NA or DK, but more than 8 weeks
 999. NA; DK

000. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed only twice or less for a full week at a time in 1981; Head's next to last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8485<81; V8491=5 or 9; V8493<81; V8499=5 or 9

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8503 = Cross-year variable number Name='D42 WTR 4+ WK-3RD(HD-U) '
 15519 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D42. Sometimes people become discouraged with job-hunting. During this -week period, was there ever a time when 4 or more weeks passed during which you did not look for a job?

1. Yes
 0.0 5. No

9. NA; DK

100.0 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time

during 1981; was unemployed only twice or less for a full week at a time in 1981; Head's next to last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; returned to work in less than 5 weeks or more than 9 weeks; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8485<81; V8491=5 or 9; V8493<81; V8499=5 or 9; V8502=001-004, 009-999

8504 = Cross-year variable number Name='D43 WTR 4+ WK-3RD(HD-U) '
15520 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D43. Sometimes people become discouraged with job-hunting. During this -week period, was there ever a time when 4 or more weeks passed during which you did not look for a job?

- 0.0 1. Yes
- 5. No

- 9. NA; DK

100.0 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed only twice or less for a full week at a time in 1981; Head's next to last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; returned to work in less than 9 weeks; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8485<81; V8491=5 or 9; V8493<81; V8499=5 or 9; V8502=001-008, 999

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8505 = Cross-year variable number Name='D44 4+ WK> ONCE?3(HD-U) '
15521 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D44. Did this happen more than once?

- 0.0 1. Yes
- 5. No

- 9. NA; DK

100.0 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; returned to work in less than 9 weeks; was not discouraged; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8485<81; V8491=5 or 9; V8493<81; V8499=5 or 9; V8502=001-008, 999; V8504=5 or 9

8506 = Cross-year variable number Name='D45 # X NO LOOK-3(HD-U) '
15522 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D45. How many times did this happen?

- 2. Two separate times
- 3. Three separate times
- 4. Four separate times
- 5. Five separate times
- 6. Six separate times
- 7. Seven separate times

8. Eight or more separate times

0.0 9. NA; DK

100.0 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed only twice or less for a full week at a time in 1981; Head's next to last period of unemployment began in 1980 or earlier; returned to work in less than 9 weeks; was not discouraged; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8485<81; V8491=5 or 9; V8493<81; V8499=5 or 9; V8502=001-008, 999; V8504=5 or 9; V8505=5 or 9

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8507 = Cross-year variable number Name='D46 WTR REC UNEMP(HD-U) '
 15523 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D46. We are interested in how people replace lost earnings during unemployment. During your last period of (unemployment/layoff) in 1981 did you receive unemployment compensation?

1.4 1. Yes

2.1 5. No

0.0 9. NA; DK

96.4 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a time in 1981; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00

8508 = Cross-year variable number Name='D47 USE UP BENEFIT(H-U) '
 15524 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D47. Did you use up your benefits?

0.6 1. Yes

0.9 5. No

0.0 9. NA; DK

98.6 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a time during 1981; did not receive unemployment compensation; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8507=5 or 9

8509 = Cross-year variable number Name='D48 #WK NO BENEFIT(H-U) '
 15525-15526 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D48. How many weeks was it from the time you used up your benefits until you were back at work?

% nonzero = 0.6
 mean nonzero = 71.6

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks in the interval between the time benefits were exhausted and the time Head returned to work.

- 01. One week or less
- 97. Still looking
- 99. NA; DK
- 00. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a time in 1981; did not receive unemployment compensation; did not use up benefits; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8507=5 or 9; V8508=5 or 9

8510 = Cross-year variable number Name='D49 WTR ELIG UNEM(HD-U) '
 15527 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D49. Do you think you were eligible?

- 0.4 1. Yes
- 1.5 5. No
- 0.1 8. Don't know
- 0.1 9. NA

97.9 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a time in 1981; received unemployment compensation; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8507=1 or 9

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8511 = Cross-year variable number Name='D50 WHY NO UNEMP-1(H-U) '
 15528-15529 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D50. Why didn't you apply? - First Mention

- 0.0 01. Administrative access problems: attitudes of local officials; "too much red tape"; "have to wait too long"
- 02. Physical access problems: transportation difficulties; physical disability and can't get around
- 03. Information access problems: don't know how to apply; didn't know anything about it
- 04. Don't need it
- 0.0 05. Attitude: don't like charity; feel it is inappropriate to apply
- 0.0 06. Receiving other kinds of assistance
- 0.1 07. Have other sources of income (except code 06)
- 08. Saving it up to use later; waiting to apply when other resources are used up
- 0.2 09. Did apply; was denied unemployment; "was turned down."
- 0.0 80. Did not apply; "because I was looking for a job"; "thought I would return to work sooner"; "was only unemployed a short time"; "found another job."
- 0.1 90. Did not apply, NA why: "I never applied"; I didn't check it out"; "I never thought about it"
- 0.1 97. Other
- 0.0 99. NA; DK
- 99.5 00. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a time in 1981; received unemployment compensation; did not think was eligible; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8507=1 or 9; V8510=5 or 9

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8512 = Cross-year variable number Name='D50 WHY NO UNEMP-2(H-U) '
 15530-15531 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D50. Why didn't you apply? - Second Mention

- 01. Administrative access problems: attitudes of local officials; "too much red tape"; "have to wait too long"
- 02. Physical access problems: transportation difficulties; physical disability and can't get around
- 0.0 03. Information access problems: don't know how to apply; didn't know anything about it
- 04. Don't need it
- 05. Attitude: don't like charity; feel it is inappropriate to apply
- 06. Receiving other kinds of assistance
- 07. Have other sources of income (except code 06)
- 0.0 08. Saving it up to use later; waiting to apply when other resources are used up
- 09. Did apply; was denied unemployment; "was turned down."
- 0.0 80. Did not apply; "because I was looking for a job"; "thought I would return to work sooner"; "was only unemployed a short time"; "found another job."

90. Didnot apply, NA why: "I never applied"; I didn't check it out"; "I never thought about it"
97. Other

100.0 00. Inap.; no second mention; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a time in 1981; received unemployment compensation; did not think was eligible; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8507=1 or 9; V8510=5 or 9

8513 = Cross-year variable number Name='D51 OTR Y/UNEMP? (HD-U) '
15532 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

D51. (Still) thinking about your last period of (unemployment/layoff) in 1981, did you have any (other) sources of income?

1.8 1. Yes
1.8 5. No

0.1 9. NA;DK

96.4 0. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at any time in 1981; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00

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8514 = Cross-year variable number Name='D52 TYPE OTR Y-1 (HD-U) '
15533-15534 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D52. What were they? (Any other sources of income?) - First Mention

1.1 01. Transfer income: welfare; ADC; gifts
0.3 02. Earned income: odd jobs
0.1 03. Capital income: asset income; interest
0.1 04. Other's income: wife working; someone else in family is working
0.0 05. Vacation/sick pay from previous job
0.0 06. Windfall income; gambling
97. Other
99. NA; DK

98.2 00. Inap.; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; was not unemployed at any time during 1981; was unemployed for less than a full week at a time in 1981; no other sources of income; V8374=1-2, 4-8; V8467=5 or 9; V8480=5 or 9; V8484=00; V8513=5 or 9

8515 = Cross-year variable number Name='D52 TYPE OTR Y-2 (HD-U) '
15535-15536 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

D52. What were they? (Any other sources of income?) - Second Mention

0.0 01. Transfer income: welfare; ADC; gifts
0.1 02. Earned income: odd jobs
0.0 03. Capital income: asset income; interest
04. Other's income: wife working; someone else in family is working
05. Vacation/sick pay from previous job
0.0 06. Windfall income; gambling
97. Other

99.8 00. Inap.; no second mention; employed; retired, permanently

72.4 0. Inap.; employed; unemployed; V8374=1-3

8524 = Cross-year variable number Name='E2 YEAR RETIRED (HD-R) '
15547-15548 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

E2. In what year did you retire?

The values for this variable represent the last two digits of the year in which Head retired.

99. NA; DK

00. Inap.; employed; unemployed; permanently disabled,
housewife, student, other; V8374=1-3; V8523=5

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8525 = Cross-year variable number Name='E3 WRK FOR PAY-81?(H-R) '
15549 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

E3. During 1981, did you do any work for money?

5.4 1. Yes
22.2 5. No

9. NA; DK

72.4 0. Inap.; employed; unemployed; V8374=1-3

8526 = Cross-year variable number Name='E4 OCCUPATION (HD-R) '
15550-15552 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

E4. What kind of work did you do? What was your occupation?

The 3-digit occupation code from 1970 Census of Population; Alphabetical Index of Industries and Occupation issued June 1971 by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Bureau of the Census was used for this variable. Please refer to Appendix 2, wave XIV documentation, for specific listings.

0.7 001-195. Professional, Technical, and Kindred Workers
0.5 201-245. Managers and Administrators, Except Farm
0.1 260-280. Sales Workers
0.8 301-395. Clerical and Kindred Workers
0.7 401-600. Craftsmen and Kindred Workers
0.6 601-695. Operatives, Except Transport
0.2 701-715. Transport Equipment Operatives
0.4 740-785. Laborers, Except Farm
0.2 801-802. Farmers and Farm Managers
0.1 821-824. Farm Laborers and Farm Foremen
0.9 901-965. Service Workers, Except Private Household
0.2 980-984. Private Household Workers

0.0 999. NA; DK

94.6 000. Inap.; employed; unemployed; did not work for money in
1981; V8374=1-3; V8525=5 or 9

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8527 = Cross-year variable number Name='E5 INDUSTRY (HD-R) '
15553-15555 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

E5. What kind of business or industry was that in?

The 3-digit industry code from 1970 Census of Population; Alphabetical Index of Industries and Occupations issued June 1971 by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Bureau of the Census was used for this variable. Please refer to Appendix 2, wave XIV documentation, for specific listings.

0.6 017-028. Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries
047-057. Mining
0.3 067-077. Construction
0.8 107-398. Manufacturing
0.3 407-479. Transportation, Communications, and Other Public
Utilities
0.8 507-698. Wholesale and Retail Trade
0.2 707-718. Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate
0.1 727-759. Business and Repair Services
0.6 769-798. Personal Services
0.1 807-809. Entertainment and Recreation Services
1.0 828-897. Professional and Related Services
0.3 907-937. Public Administration

0.1 999. NA; DK
94.6 000. Inap.; employed; unemployed; did not work for money in
1981; V8374=1-3; V8525=5 or 9

8528 = Cross-year variable number Name='E6 #WKS WORKED (HD-R) '
15556-15557 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

E6. How many weeks did you work last year?

% nonzero = 5.4
mean nonzero = 25.0

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) Head worked.

01. One week or less
99. NA; DK
00. Inap.; none; employed; unemployed; did not work for money in
1981; V8374=1-3; V8525=5 or 9

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8529 = Cross-year variable number Name='E7 HR/WK WORKED (HD-R) '
15558-15559 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

E7. About how many hours a week did you work?

% nonzero = 5.4
mean nonzero = 29.8

The values for this variable represent the actual number of hours per week Head worked.

- 01. One hour or less
- 98. 98 hours or more

- 99. NA; DK

- 00. Inap.; none; employed; unemployed; did not work for money in 1981; V8374=1-3; V8525=5 or 9; V8528=00

8530 = Cross-year variable number Name='E8 WORKING NOW? (HD-R) '
 15560 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

E8. Are you still working?

- 1.4 1. Yes
- 3.7 5. No

0.2 9. NA; DK

94.6 0. Inap.; employed; unemployed; did not work for money in 1981;
V8374=1-3; V8525=5 or 9

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8531 = Cross-year variable number Name='E9 HAPPND LST JOB(HD-R) '
 15561 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

E9. What happened to that job--did the company go out of business,
were you laid off, or what?

- 0.1 1. Company folded/changed hands/moved out of town; employer
died/went out of business
- 2. Strike; lockout
- 0.2 3. Laid off; fired
- 2.6 4. Quit; resigned; retired; pregnant; needed more money; just
wanted to change jobs
- 5. Wasn't working before this
- 0.0 6. Was self-employed before
- 0.3 7. Other--(transfers; any mention of armed services)
- 0.4 8. Job was completed; seasonal work

0.0 9. NA; DK

96.3 0. Inap.; employed; unemployed; did not work for money in 1981;
still has job; V8374=1-3; V8525=5 or 9; V8530=1 or 9

8532 = Cross-year variable number Name='E10 JOB IN FUTURE?(H-R) '
 15562 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

E10. Are you thinking of getting (a/another) job in the future?

3.6 1. Yes
23.8 5. No

0.2 9. NA; DK

72.4 0. Inap.; employed; unemployed; V8374=1-3

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8533 = Cross-year variable number Name='E11 WHEN GET JOB (HD-R) '
 15563-15564 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

E11. When might that be? (How soon?)

The values for this variable represent the actual number of years that Head expects to elapse until he/she begins working.

01. One year from now, or sooner
96. Mentions family events only, no dates given
97. Educational reasons for self only, no dates given

98. Don't Know
99. NA

00. Inap.; employed; unemployed; is not thinking of getting a job in the future; V8374=1-3; V8532=5 or 9

8534 = Cross-year variable number Name='E12 WTR NEED TRNG(HD-R) '
 15565 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

E12. Would you have to get any training to qualify?

1.1 1. Yes
2.0 5. No

0.5 8. Don't know
0.0 9. NA

96.4 0. Inap.; employed; unemployed; not thinking about getting a job; V8374=1-3; V8532=5 or 9

8535 = Cross-year variable number Name='E13 LOOK FOR JOB?(HD-R) '
 15566 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

E13. Have you been doing anything in the last four weeks to find a job?

0.6 1. Yes
 2.9 5. No

0.0 9. NA; DK

96.4 0. Inap.; employed; unemployed; not thinking about getting a job; V8374=1-3; V8532=5 or 9

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8536 = Cross-year variable number Name='E14 #PLACES LOOKD(HD-R) '
 15567 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

E14. How many places have you been to in the last four weeks to find out about a job?

0.2 1. One
 0.1 2. Two
 0.1 3. Three
 0.1 4. Four
 0.1 5. Five or more

8. Don't know
 9. NA

99.4 0. Inap.; none; employed; unemployed; not thinking about getting a job; has been doing nothing to find a job; V8374=1-3; V8532=5 or 9; V8535=5 or 9

8537 = Cross-year variable number Name='F1 WIFE IN FU? '
 15568 = Cross-year Tape Location

F1. INTERVIEWER CHECKPOINT

54.4 1. Head is male who has wife/friend in FU
 14.5 2. Head is male who does not have wife/friend in FU
 31.1 3. Head is female

8538 = Cross-year variable number Name='F2 EMPLOYMENT STAT-WF '
 15569 = Cross-year Tape Location

F2. We would like to know about what your (wife/friend) does--is she working now, looking for work, retired, a student, a housewife, or what?

26.2 1. Working now
 0.7 2. Only temporarily laid off
 1.2 3. Looking for work, unemployed
 2.9 4. Retired
 0.6 5. Permanently disabled
 22.3 6. Housewife
 0.5 7. Student
 0.0 8. Other

45.6 0. Inap; no wife/friend in FU; V8537=2 or 3

8543 = Cross-year variable number Name='F7 #MO THIS EMPLR(WF-E) '
15574-15576 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

F7. How long has your (wife/friend) worked for her present employer?

% nonzero = 24.9
mean nonzero = 71.3

The values for this variable represent the actual number of months worked.

- 001. One month or less
- 998. 998 months or more

- 999. NA; DK

- 000. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; works for self only; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=3-8; V8539=3 or 9

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8544 = Cross-year variable number Name='F8/9 OCCUPATION (WF-E) '
15577-15579 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

F8. What is your (wife's/friend's) main occupation? What sort of work does she do?
F9. Tell me a little more about what she does.

The 3-digit occupation code from 1970 Census of Population; Alphabetical Index of Industries and Occupation issued June 1971 by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Bureau of the Census was used for this variable. Please refer to Appendix 2, wave XIV documentation, for specific listings.

- 5.2 001-195. Professional, Technical, and Kindred Workers
- 2.6 201-245. Managers and Administrators, Except Farm
- 0.6 260-280. Sales Workers
- 9.9 301-395. Clerical and Kindred Workers
- 0.5 401-600. Craftsmen and Kindred Workers
- 2.8 601-695. Operatives, Except Transport
- 0.3 701-715. Transport Equipment Operatives
- 0.2 740-785. Laborers, Except Farm
- 0.1 801-802. Farmers and Farm Managers
- 0.1 821-824. Farm Laborers and Farm Foremen
- 4.2 901-965. Service Workers, Except Private Household
- 0.4 980-984. Private Household Workers

- 0.0 999. NA; DK

- 73.1 000. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, per-

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8545 = Cross-year variable number Name='C10 INDUSTRY (WF-E) '
 15580-15582 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

F10. What kind of business or industry is that in?

The 3-digit industry code from 1970 Census of Population; Alphabetical Index of Industries and Occupations issued June 1971 by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Bureau of the Census was used for this variable. Please refer to Appendix 2, wave XIV documentation, for specific listings.

- 0.3 017-028. Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries
- 0.0 047-057. Mining
- 0.3 067-077. Construction
- 4.8 107-398. Manufacturing
- 1.1 407-479. Transportation, Communications, and Other Public Utilities
- 4.8 507-698. Wholesale and Retail Trade
- 2.2 707-718. Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate
- 0.7 727-759. Business and Repair Services
- 1.5 769-798. Personal Services
- 0.2 807-809. Entertainment and Recreation Services
- 9.5 828-897. Professional and Related Services
- 1.2 907-937. Public Administration

- 0.1 999. NA; DK

- 73.1 000. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=3-8

8546 = Cross-year variable number Name='F11 SLRY/HRLY/OTR(WF-E) '
 15583 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

F11. Is your (wife/friend) salaried, paid by the hour, or what?

- 10.6 1. Salaried
- 13.0 3. Paid by hour
- 3.3 7. Other

- 0.0 9. NA; DK

- 73.1 0. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=3-8

8547 = Cross-year variable number Name='F12 PAY/HR-SALARY(WF-E) '
 15584-15587 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9999

F12. How much is her salary?

% nonzero = 10.6
 mean nonzero = 767.3

The values for this variable represent dollars and cents per hour; if salary is given as an annual figure, it is divided by 2000 hours per year; if weekly, by 40 hours per week.

OSIRIS USERS:

Note that this variable is defined in the dictionary as having no decimal places.

9998. \$99.98 or more per hour

9999. NA; DK

0000. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; is not salaried; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=3-8; V8546=3-9

8548 = Cross-year variable number Name='F13 PAY/HR-HOURLY(WF-E) '
 15588-15591 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9999

F13. What is her hourly wage rate for her regular work time?

% nonzero = 13.0
 mean nonzero = 578.7

The values for this variable represent dollars and cents per hour.

OSIRIS USERS:

Note that this variable is defined in the dictionary as having no decimal places.

9998. \$99.98 or more per hour

9999. NA; DK

0000. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; is not salaried; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=3-8; V8546=1, 7-9

8549 = Cross-year variable number Name='F14 HOW PAID-OTR (WF-E) '
 15592 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

F14. How is that? (For those wives who are neither salaried nor paid hourly)

- 0.3 1. Piecework
 - 0.6 2. Commission
 - 0.3 3. Tips; tips and salary
 - 0.2 4. Salary plus commission
 - 0.6 5. Self-employed; farmer; "profits"
 - 0.7 6. By the job/day/mile
 - 0.2 7. Other
 - 0.2 8. Works in husband's business; shares profits with head
 - 9. NA; DK
- 96.7 0. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; salaried or paid by hour; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=3-8; V8546=1,3,9

8550 = Cross-year variable number Name='F15 #MOS THIS JOB(WF-E) '
15593-15595 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

F15. How long has your (wife/friend) had her present position?

% nonzero = 26.9
mean nonzero = 53.4

The values for this variable represent the actual number of months the position has been held.

- 001. One month or less
- 998. 998 months or more
- 999. NA; DK
- 000. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=3-8

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8551 = Cross-year variable number Name='F17 HAPPND PREV JB(W-E) '
15596 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

F17. What happened to the job she had before--did the company go out of business, was she laid off, promoted, not working, or what?

- 0.3 1. Company folded/changed hands/moved out of town; employer died/sent out of business
- 2. Strike; lockout
- 0.6 3. Laid off; fired
- 2.6 4. Quit; resigned; retired; pregnant; needed more money; just wanted a change in jobs; was self-employed before; still has previous job (in addition to the job in F7)
- 1.1 5. No previous job; first full-time or permanent job wife/friend ever had; wasn't working before this
- 0.8 6. Promotion
- 0.3 7. Other--(transfers; any mention of armed services)
- 0.1 8. Job was completed; seasonal work; was a temporary job
- 0.2 9. NA; DK

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8555 = Cross-year variable number Name='F21 #WKS SELF ILL(WF-E) '
15601-15602 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

F21. How much work did she miss?

% nonzero = 12.7
mean nonzero = 2.3

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) missed through Wife's own illness.

01. One week or less

99. NA; DK

00. Inap.; none; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=3-8; V8554=5,9

8556 = Cross-year variable number Name='F22 WTR VACATION (WF-E) '
15603 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

F22. Did your (wife/friend) take any vacation or time off during 1981?

21.5 1. Yes
5.4 5. No

9. NA; DK

73.1 0. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=3-8

8557 = Cross-year variable number Name='F23 #WKS VACATION(WF-E) '
15604-15605 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

F23. How much vacation or time off did she take?

% nonzero = 21.5
mean nonzero = 4.9

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) of vacation or time off taken by the Wife.

01. One week or less

99. NA; DK

00. Inap.; none; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=3-8; V8556=5 or 9

8558 = Cross-year variable number Name='F24 WTR ON STRIKE(WF-E) '
15606 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

F24. Did your (wife/friend) miss any work in 1981 because she was on strike?

0.2 1. Yes
26.7 5. No

9. NA; DK

73.1 0. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=3-8

8559 = Cross-year variable number Name='F25 #WKS ON STRIK(WF-E) '
15607-15608 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

F25. How much work did she miss?

% nonzero = 0.2
mean nonzero = 3.2

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) missed because of time Wife spent on strike.

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8565 = Cross-year variable number Name='F32 WTR XTRA JOBS(WF-E) '
15617 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

F32. Did your (wife/friend) have any extra jobs or other ways of
making money in addition to her main job in 1981?

2.1 1. Yes
24.8 5. No

0.0 9. NA; DK

73.1 0. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, permanently
disabled, housewife, student, other; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=3-8

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8566 = Cross-year variable number Name='F33 OCC-XTRA JOB (WF-E) '
15618-15619 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

F33. What did she do?

The values in parentheses to the right of the code descriptions represent the comparable 3-digit code values from the 1970 Census code book.

PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS (001-195)

- 10. Physicians (medical & osteopathic), Dentists (062,065)
- 0.1 11. Other Medical and Paramedical: chiropractors, optometrists, pharmacists, veterinarians, nurses, therapists, healers, dieticians (except medical and dental technicians, see 16) (061,063,064,071-076)
- 0.1 12. Accountants and Auditors (001)
- 0.2 13. Teachers, Primary and Secondary Schools (including NA type) (141-145)
- 0.1 14. Teachers, College; Social Scientists; Librarians; Archivists (032-036,091-096,102-140)
- 15. Architects; Chemists; Engineers; Physical and Biological Scientists (002,006-023,042-054)
- 0.0 16. Technicians: Airplane pilots and navigators, designers, draftsmen, foresters and conservationists, embalmers, photographers, radio operators, surveyors, technicians (medical, dental, testing, n.e.c.) (003-005,025,055,080-085,150-173,183,191)
- 0.0 17. Public Advisors: Clergymen, editors and reporters, farm and home management advisors, personnel and labor relations workers, public relations persons, publicity workers, religious, social and welfare workers (024,026,056,086,090,100-101,184,192)
- 0.0 18. Judges; Lawyers (030,031)
- 0.1 19. Professional, technical and kindred workers not listed above (174,175-182,185,190,193-195)

MANAGERS, OFFICIALS AND PROPRIETORS (EXCEPT FARM) (201-245)

- 0.1 20. Not self-employed
- 0.1 31. Self-employed (unincorporated businesses)

CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS

- 0.1 40. Secretaries, stenographers, typists (370-372,376,391)
- 0.4 41. Other Clerical Workers: agents (n.e.c.) library assistants and attendants, bank tellers, cashiers, bill collectors, ticket, station and express agents, etc., receptionists (301-364,374-375,381,392-395)

SALES WORKERS

- 0.2 45. Retail store salesmen and sales clerks, newsboys, hucksters, peddlers, traveling salesmen, advertising agents and salesmen, insurance agents, brokers, and salesmen, etc. (260-280)

CRAFTSMEN, FOREMEN, AND KINDRED WORKERS

- 50. Foremen, n.e.c. (441)

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- 0.1 51. Other craftsmen and kindred workers (401-440,442-580)
- 52. Government protective service workers; firemen, police, marshals, and constables (960-965)

MILITARY PERSONNEL

- 0.0 55. Members of armed forces

OPERATIVES AND KINDRED WORKERS

- 0.0 61. Transport equipment operatives (701-715)
- 0.1 62. Operatives, except transport (601-695)

LABORERS

- 70. Unskilled laborers--nonfarm (740-785)
- 71. Farm laborers and foremen (821-824)

SERVICE WORKERS

- 0.0 73. Private household workers (980-984)
- 0.3 75. Other service workers: barbers, beauticians, manicurists, bartenders, boarding and lodging housekeepers, counter and

fountain workers, housekeepers and stewards, waiters, cooks, midwives, practical nurses, babysitters, attendants in physicians' and dentists' offices (901-965 except 960-965 when work for local, state or federal government)

FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS

- 0.0 80. Farmers (owners and tenants) and managers (except code 71) (801-802)
- 0.0 99. NA; DK
- 97.9 00. Inap.; "No" to F32; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=3-8; V8565=5 or 9

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8567 = Cross-year variable number Name='F34 #WKS-XTRA JOB(WF-E) '
15620-15621 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

F34. And how many weeks did your (wife/friend) work on her extra job in 1981?

% nonzero = 2.1
mean nonzero = 23.5

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) Wife worked on all of her extra jobs.

- 01. One week or less
- 99. NA; DK
- 00. Inap.; none; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=3-8; V8565=5 or 9

8568 = Cross-year variable number Name='F35 HR/WK-XTRA JOB(W-E) '
15622-15623 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

F35. On the average, how many hours a week did she work on her extra job(s)?

% nonzero = 2.1
mean nonzero = 15.2

The values for this variable represent the actual number of hours per week Wife worked on her extra job or jobs. If Wife had more than one extra job, the value here represents a weighted average of hours spent on all extra jobs.

- 01. One hour or less
- 98. 98 hours or more
- 99. NA; DK
- 00. Inap.; none; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=3-8; V8565=5,9; V8567=00

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8569 = Cross-year variable number Name='F36 #MI TO WORK (WF-E) '
15624-15625 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

F36. About how many miles is it to where your (wife/friend) works?

% nonzero = 24.9
mean nonzero = 8.0

The values for this variable represent the actual number of miles traveled on a one-way journey to work.

- 01. One mile or less
- 98. Ninety-eight miles or more
- 99. NA; DK
- 00. Inap.; none; no wife/friend in FU; unemployed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=3-8

8570 = Cross-year variable number Name='G1 OCC-JOB SOUGHT(WF-U) '
 15626-15627 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

G1. What kind of job is your (wife/friend) looking for?

The values in parentheses to the right of the code descriptions represent the comparable 3-digit code values from the 1970 Census code book.

PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS

- 10. Physicians (medical & osteopathic), Dentists (062,065)
- 0.0 11. Other Medical and Paramedical: chiropractors, optometrists, pharmacists, veterinarians, nurses, therapists, healers, dieticians (except medical and dental technicians, see 16) (061,063,064,071-076)
- 12. Accountants and Auditors (001)
- 0.0 13. Teachers, Primary and Secondary Schools (including NA type) (141-145)
- 0.0 14. Teachers, College; Social Scientists; Librarians; Archivists (032-036,091-096,102-140)
- 15. Architects; Chemists; Engineers; Physical and Biological Scientists (002,006-023,042-054)
- 0.0 16. Technicians: Airplane pilots and navigators, designers, draftsmen, foresters and conservationists, embalmers, photographers, radio operators, surveyors, technicians (medical, dental, testing, n.e.c.) (003-005,025,055,080-085,150-173,183,191)
- 17. Public Advisors: Clergymen, editors and reporters, farm and home management advisors, personnel and labor relations workers, public relations persons, publicity workers, religious, social and welfare workers (024,026,056,086,090,100-101,184,192)
- 18. Judges; Lawyers (030,031)
- 0.1 19. Professional, technical and kindred workers not listed above (174,175-182,185,190,193-195)

MANAGERS, OFFICIALS AND PROPRIETORS (EXCEPT FARM) (201-245)

- 20. Not self-employed
- 31. Self-employed (unincorporated businesses)

CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS

- 0.1 40. Secretaries, stenographers, typists (370-372,376,391)
- 0.3 41. Other Clerical Workers: agents (n.e.c.) library assistants and attendants, bank tellers, cashiers, bill collectors, ticket, station and express agents, etc., receptionists (301-364,374-375,381,392-395)

SALES WORKERS

- 0.1 45. Retail store salesmen and sales clerks, newsboys, hucksters, peddlers, traveling salesmen, advertising agents and salesmen, insurance agents, brokers, and salesmen, etc. (260-280)

CRAFTSMEN, FOREMEN, AND KINDRED WORKERS

- 50. Foremen, n.e.c. (441)

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- 0.0 51. Other craftsmen and kindred workers (401-440,442-580)
- 52. Government protective service workers; firemen, police, marshals, and constables (960-965)

MILITARY PERSONNEL

- 55. Members of armed forces

OPERATIVES AND KINDRED WORKERS

- 0.0 61. Transport equipment operatives (701-715)
- 0.2 62. Operatives, except transport (601-695)

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks spent looking for work by the Wife.

- 01. One week or less
- 99. NA; DK
- 00. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2, 4-8

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8574 = Cross-year variable number Name='G5 EVER HAD JOB? (WF-U) '
15632 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

G5. Has your (wife/friend) ever had a job?

- 1.2 1. Yes
- 0.0 5. No

9. NA; DK

98.8 0. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2, 4-8

8575 = Cross-year variable number Name='G6 OCC-LAST JOB (WF-U) '
15633-15635 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

G6. What sort of work did your (wife/friend) do on her last job?
(What was her occupation?)

The 3-digit occupation code from 1970 Census of Population; Alphabetical Index of Industries and Occupation issued June 1971 by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Bureau of the Census was used for this variable. Please refer to Appendix 2, wave XIV documentation, for specific listings.

- 0.1 001-195. Professional, Technical, and Kindred Workers
- 0.1 201-245. Managers and Administrators, Except Farm
- 260-280. Sales Workers
- 0.5 301-395. Clerical and Kindred Workers
- 0.0 401-600. Craftsmen and Kindred Workers
- 0.2 601-695. Operatives, Except Transport
- 0.0 701-715. Transport Equipment Operatives
- 0.0 740-785. Laborers, Except Farm
- 801-802. Farmers and Farm Managers
- 0.0 821-824. Farm Laborers and Farm Foremen
- 0.3 901-965. Service Workers, Except Private Household
- 0.0 980-984. Private Household Workers

0.0 999. NA; DK

98.8 000. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, per-

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8576 = Cross-year variable number Name='G7 IND-LAST JOB (WF-U) '
15636-15638 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

G7. What kind of business or industry was that in?

The 3-digit industry code from 1970 Census of Population; Alphabetical Index of Industries and Occupations issued June 1971 by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Bureau of the Census was used for this variable. Please refer to Appendix 2, wave XIV documentation, for specific listings.

- 0.0 017-028. Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries
- 047-057. Mining
- 0.0 067-077. Construction
- 0.4 107-398. Manufacturing
- 0.0 407-479. Transportation, Communications, and Other Public Utilities
- 0.4 507-698. Wholesale and Retail Trade
- 0.0 707-718. Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate
- 0.1 727-759. Business and Repair Services
- 0.0 769-798. Personal Services
- 0.0 807-809. Entertainment and Recreation Services
- 0.2 828-897. Professional and Related Services
- 0.0 907-937. Public Administration

- 0.0 999. NA; DK

- 98.8 000. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2, 4-8; V8574=5 or 9

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8577 = Cross-year variable number Name='G8 HAPPND LST JOB(WF-U) '

- G8. What happened to that job--did the company go out of business, was she laid off, or what?
- 0.2 1. Company folded/changed hands/moved out of town; employer died/went out of business
 - 2. Strike; lockout
 - 0.5 3. Laid off; fired
 - 0.4 4. Quit; resigned; retired; pregnant; just wanted to change jobs
 - 5. Wasn't working before this
 - 6. Was self-employed before
 - 0.0 7. Other (transfer; any mention of armed services)
 - 0.1 8. Job was completed; seasonal work
 - 0.0 9. NA; DK
- 98.8 0. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked, V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2, 4-8; V8574=5 or 9

8578 = Cross-year variable number Name='G9 YEAR LAST WRKD(WF-U) '
15640-15641 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

G9. When did your (wife/friend) last work?

The values for this variable represent the last two digits of the actual year in which the Wife last worked.

99. NA; DK

00. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked, V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2, 4-8; V8574=5 or 9

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8579 = Cross-year variable number Name='G10 WTR VACATION (WF-U) '
15642 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

G10. We're interested in how your (wife/friend) spent her time from January through December, 1981, regardless of whether or not she was employed. Did she take any vacation or time off during 1981?

0.7 1. Yes

0.6 5. No

9. NA; DK

98.8 0. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked, V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2, 4-8; V8574=5 or 9

8580 = Cross-year variable number Name='G11 #WKS VACATION(WF-U) '
15643-15644 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

G11. How much vacation or time off did she take?

% nonzero = 0.7
mean nonzero = 3.7

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) of vacation or time off taken by the Wife.

- 01. One week or less
- 99. NA; DK
- 00. Inap.; none; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2, 4-8; V8574=5 or 9; V8579=5 or 9

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8581 = Cross-year variable number Name='G12 WTR OTRS ILL (WF-U) '
15645 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

G12. Did your (wife/friend) miss any work in 1981 because you or someone else in the family was sick?

- 0.2 1. Yes
- 1.0 5. No
- 9. NA; DK

98.8 0. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2, 4-8; V8574=5 or 9

8582 = Cross-year variable number Name='G13 #WKS OTRS ILL(WF-U) '
15646-15647 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

G13. How much work did she miss?

% nonzero = 0.2
mean nonzero = 1.5

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) missed through illness of persons other than the Wife.

- 01. One week or less
- 99. NA; DK
- 00. Inap.; none; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2, 4-8; V8574=5 or 9; V8581=5 or 9

8583 = Cross-year variable number Name='G14 WTR SELF ILL (WF-U) '
 15648 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

G14. Did your (wife/friend) miss any work in 1981 because she was sick?

0.3 1. Yes
0.9 5. No

9. NA; DK

98.8 0. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2, 4-8; V8574=5 or 9

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8584 = Cross-year variable number Name='G15 #WKS SELF ILL(WF-U) '
 15649-15650 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

G15. How much work did she miss?

% nonzero = 0.3
mean nonzero = 2.4

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) missed through Wife's own illness.

01. One week or less

99. NA; DK

00. Inap.; none; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2, 4-8; V8574=5 or 9; V8583=5 or 9

8585 = Cross-year variable number Name='G16 WTR ON STRIKE(WF-U) '
 15651 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

G16. Did your (wife/friend) miss any work in 1981 because she was on strike?

1.2 1. Yes
5. No

9. NA; DK

98.8 0. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2, 4-8; V8574=5 or 9

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8586 = Cross-year variable number Name='G17 #WKS ON STRIK(WF-U) '
 15652-15653 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

G17. How much work did she miss?

% nonzero: no nonzero cases for 1982 data
mean nonzero = 0.0

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) missed because of time Wife spent on strike.

01. One week or less

99. NA; DK

00. Inap.; none; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2, 4-8; V8574=5 or 9; V8585=5 or 9

8587 = Cross-year variable number Name='G18 WTR UNEMPLOYD(WF-U) '
 15654 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

G18. Did your (wife/friend) miss any work in 1981 because she was unemployed or temporarily laid off?

0.7 1. Yes

0.5 5. No

9. NA; DK

98.8 0. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2, 4-8; V8574=5 or 9

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8588 = Cross-year variable number Name='G19 #WKS UNEMPLD (WF-U) '
 15655-15656 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

G19. How much work did she miss?

% nonzero = 0.7
mean nonzero = 20.3

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-

52) missed due to unemployment or temporary layoff of Wife.

01. One week or less

99. NA; DK

00. Inap.; none; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2, 4-8; V8574=5 or 9; V8587=5 or 9

8589 = Cross-year variable number Name='G20 #WKS WORKED (WF-U) '
15657-15658 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

G20. Then, how many weeks did your (wife/friend) actually work on her main job in 1981?

% nonzero = 1.0
mean nonzero = 36.6

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) Wife worked on her job.

01. One week or less

99. NA; DK

00. Inap.; none; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2,4-8; V8574=5 or 9

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8590 = Cross-year variable number Name='G21 HR/WK WORKED (WF-U) '
15659-15660 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

G21. And, on the average, how many hours a week did she work when she worked?

% nonzero = 1.0
mean nonzero = 36.3

The values for this variable represent the actual number of hours per week Wife worked on her job.

01. One hour or less

98. Ninety-eight hours or more

99. NA; DK

00. Inap.; none; no wife/friend in FU; employed; retired, permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; never worked; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-2,4-8; V8574=5 or 9

8591 = Cross-year variable number Name='H1 WTR RETIRED (WF-R) '
15661 = Cross-year Tape Location

H1. INTERVIEWER CHECKPOINT

- 2.9 1. Wife is retired
- 23.4 5. Wife is permanently disabled, housewife, student, or other
- 73.7 0. Inap; no wife/friend in FU; employed; unemployed; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-3

8592 = Cross-year variable number Name='H2 YEAR RETIRED (WF-R) '
15662-15663 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

H2. In what year did your (wife/friend) retire?

The values for this variable represent the last two digits of the year in which Wife retired.

99. NA; DK

00. Inap; no wife/friend in FU; employed; unemployed; permanently disabled, housewife, student, other; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-3; V8591=5

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8593 = Cross-year variable number Name='H3 WRK FOR PAY-81?(W-R) '
15664 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

H3. During 1981, did your (wife/friend) do any work for money?

- 5.6 1. Yes
- 20.7 5. No

9. NA; DK

73.7 0. Inap; no wife/friend in FU; employed; unemployed; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-3

8594 = Cross-year variable number Name='H4 OCCUPATION (WF-R) '
15665-15667 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

H4. What kind of work did she do? What was her occupation?

The 3-digit occupation code from 1970 Census of Population; Alphabetical Index of Industries and Occupation issued June 1971 by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Bureau of the Census was used for this variable. Please refer to Appendix 2, wave XIV documentation, for specific listings.

- 0.8 001-195. Professional, Technical, and Kindred Workers
- 0.2 201-245. Managers and Administrators, Except Farm
- 0.2 260-280. Sales Workers
- 1.8 301-395. Clerical and Kindred Workers
- 0.1 401-600. Craftsmen and Kindred Workers
- 0.4 601-695. Operatives, Except Transport
- 0.0 701-715. Transport Equipment Operatives
- 0.1 740-785. Laborers, Except Farm
- 801-802. Farmers and Farm Managers
- 0.1 821-824. Farm Laborers and Farm Foremen
- 1.6 901-965. Service Workers, Except Private Household
- 0.3 980-984. Private Household Workers

0.2 999. NA; DK

94.4 000. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; employed; unemployed; did not work for money in 1981; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-3;

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8595 = Cross-year variable number Name='H5 INDUSTRY (WF-R) '
 15668-15670 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

H5. What kind of business or industry was that in?

The 3-digit industry code from 1970 Census of Population; Alphabetical Index of Industries and Occupations issued June 1971 by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Bureau of the Census was used for this variable. Please refer to Appendix 2, wave XIV documentation, for specific listings.

0.1 017-028. Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries
 0.0 047-057. Mining
 0.1 067-077. Construction
 0.6 107-398. Manufacturing
 0.1 407-479. Transportation, Communications, and Other Public
 Utilities
 1.2 507-698. Wholesale and Retail Trade
 0.1 707-718. Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate
 0.2 727-759. Business and Repair Services
 1.1 769-798. Personal Services
 0.1 807-809. Entertainment and Recreation Services
 1.6 828-897. Professional and Related Services
 0.2 907-937. Public Administration

 0.2 999. NA; DK

 94.4 000. Inap.; no wife/friend in FU; employed; unemployed; did
 not work for money in 1981; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-3;
 V8593=5 or 9

8596 = Cross-year variable number Name='H6 # WKS WORKED (WF-R) '
 15671-15672 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

H6. How many weeks did your (wife/friend) work last year?

% nonzero = 5.6
 mean nonzero = 22.8

The values for this variable represent the actual number of weeks (01-52) Wife worked.

01. One week or less

 99. NA; DK

 00. Inap; none; no wife/friend in FU; employed; unemployed; did
 not work for money in 1981; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-3; V8593=5
 or 9

8597 = Cross-year variable number Name='H7 HR/WK WORKED (WF-R) '
15673-15674 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

H7. About how many hours a week did your (wife/friend) work?

% nonzero = 5.6
mean nonzero = 27.1

The values for this variable represent the actual number of hours per week Wife worked.

- 01. One hour or less
- 98. Ninety-eight hours or more

- 99. NA; DK

- 00. Inap; none; no wife/friend in FU; employed; unemployed; did not work for money in 1981; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-3; V8593=5 or 9

8598 = Cross-year variable number Name='H8 WTR WORK NOW (WF-R) '
15675 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

H8. Is she still working?

1.5 1. Yes
4.0 5. No

0.1 9. NA; DK

94.4 0. Inap; no wife/friend in FU; employed; unemployed; did not work for money in 1981; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-3; V8593=5 or 9

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8599 = Cross-year variable number Name='H9 HAPPND PREV JOB(W-R) '
15676 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

H9. What happened to that job--did the company go out of business, was she laid off, or what?

- 0.2 1. Company folded/changed hands/moved out of town; employer died/went out of business
- 2. Strike; lockout
- 0.4 3. Laid off; fired
- 2.4 4. Quit; resigned; retired; pregnant; just want to change jobs
- 5. Wasn't working before this
- 0.0 6. Was self-employed before
- 0.1 7. Other (including drafted into service or any mention of service)
- 0.8 8. Job completed; seasonal work

0.0 9. NA; DK
96.0 0. Inap; no wife/friend in FU; employed; unemployed; did not
work for money in 1981; still has job; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-
3; V8593=5 or 9; V8598=1 or 9

8600 = Cross-year variable number Name='H10 JOB IN FUTURE?(W-R) '
15677 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

H10. Is your (wife/friend) thinking of getting (a/another) job in the
future?

5.5 1. Yes

20.6 5. No

0.1 9. NA; DK

73.7 0. Inap; no wife/friend in FU; employed; unemployed; V8537=2 or
3; V8538=1-3

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8601 = Cross-year variable number Name='H11 LOOK FOR JOB?(WF-R) '
15678 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

H11. Has your (wife/friend) been doing anything in the last four
weeks to find a job?

0.8 1. Yes

4.7 5. No

9. NA; DK

94.5 0. Inap; no wife/friend in FU; employed; unemployed; not think-
ing about getting a job; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-3; V8600=5 or
9

8602 = Cross-year variable number Name='H12 #PLACES LOOKED(W-R) '
15679 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

H12. How many places has your (wife/friend) been to in the last four
weeks to find out about a job?

0.2 1. One

0.1 2. Two

0.1 3. Three

0.0 4. Four

0.2 5. Five or more

0.0 9. NA; DK

99.4 0. Inap; none; no wife/friend in FU; employed; unemployed; not
thinking about getting a job; has been doing nothing to find
a job; V8537=2 or 3; V8538=1-3; V8600=5 or 9; V8601=5 or 9

8603 = Cross-year variable number Name='J1 MARITAL STATUS
 15680 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

J1. Are you (HEAD) married, widowed, divorced, separated, or single?

53.8 1. Married
16.7 2. Single
13.3 3. Widowed
11.5 4. Divorced
4.6 5. Separated

0.0 9. NA; DK

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8604 = Cross-year variable number Name='J2 WTR EVER MARRIED '
 15681 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

J2. Were you ever married?

0.8 1. Yes
15.8 5. No

0.1 9. NA; DK

83.3 0. Inap; "Married", "Widowed," "Divorced," or "Separated" in J1;
V8603=1, 3-5

8605 = Cross-year variable number Name='J3 WHAT HAPND LST MARR '
 15682 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

J3. What happened to your last marriage--were you widowed, divorced,
separated, or what?

0.1 3. Widowed
0.7 4. Divorced
0.1 5. Separated
0.0 7. Other; annulled

9. NA; DK

99.2 0. Inap; "Married," "Widowed," "Divorced," or "Separated" in J1;
never married; V8603=1, 3-5; V8604=5 or 9

8606 = Cross-year variable number Name='K1 WTR HEAD FARMER '
 15683 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

K1a. INTERVIEWER CHECKPOINT:

1.4 1. Head is a farmer or rancher
98.6 5. Head is not a farmer or rancher

9. NA; DK

8607 = Cross-year variable number Name='K2 TOT FARM RECEIPTS BKT'
 15684 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

K2. What were your total receipts from farming in 1981, including soil bank payments and commodity credit loans?

- 1. \$0-499 (including negative amounts)
- 0.1 2. \$500-2,999
- 3. \$3,000-4,999
- 0.0 4. \$5,000-9,999
- 0.1 5. \$10,000-14,999
- 0.1 6. \$15,000-19,999
- 0.3 7. \$20,000-49,999
- 0.8 8. \$50,000 or more
- 0.1 9. NA; DK

98.6 0. Inap; not a farmer; V8606=5 or 9

8608 = Cross-year variable number Name='K5 WHETHER BUSINESS'
 15685 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

K5. Did you (or anyone else in the family here) own a business at any time in 1981, or have a financial interest in any business enterprise?

- 9.6 1. Yes
- 90.4 5. No
- 0.0 9. NA; DK

8609 = Cross-year variable number Name='K6 CORP/UNINCORP BUSINES'
 15686 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

K6. Was it a corporation or an unincorporated business, or did you have an interest in both kinds?

- 3.0 1. Corporation
- 6.1 2. Unincorporated
- 0.3 3. Both
- 0.1 8. Don't know
- 0.1 9. NA

90.4 0. Inap; does not own a business; V8608=5 or 9

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8610 = Cross-year variable number Name='K56 WTR LUMP SUM PAYMNTS'
 15687 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

K56. Did you get any other money in 1981--like a big settlement from an insurance company, or an inheritance?

- 6.3 1. Yes
- 93.5 5. No

0.1 9. NA; DK

8611 = Cross-year variable number Name='K57 BKT LUMP SUM PAYMNTS'
 15688 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

K57. How much did that amount to?

- 0.8 1. Less than \$500
- 0.6 2. \$500-999
- 0.8 3. \$1,000-1,999
- 0.3 4. \$2,000-2,999
- 1.0 5. \$3,000-4,999
- 0.8 6. \$5,000-7,499
- 0.2 7. \$7,500-9,999
- 1.6 8. \$10,000 or more

0.2 9. NA; DK

93.7 0. Inap; received no lump sum payments; V8610=5 or 9

8612 = Cross-year variable number Name='K58 WTR HELP SUPPORT OTR'
 15689 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

K58. Last year did you help support anyone who doesn't live here with you now?

- 13.3 1. Yes
- 86.5 5. No

0.2 9. NA; DK

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8613 = Cross-year variable number Name='K59 # OTRS SUPPORTED'
 15690 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

K59. How many?

- 8.2 1. One
- 3.3 2. Two
- 1.2 3. Three
- 0.3 4. Four
- 0.1 5. Five
- 0.1 6. Six
- 0.0 7. Seven
- 0.0 8. Eight or more persons

0.0 9. NA; DK

86.7 0. Inap; none; does not support others outside FU; V8612=5 or 9

8614 = Cross-year variable number Name='K61 WTR DEPENDENT OTRS'
 15691 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

K60. Were any of these people dependent on you for more than half of their total support?

8624 = Cross-year variable number Name='L4 TYPE OTR SCHOOLING-WF'
15702 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

L4. What other schooling did she have?

See note following V8621 above.

- 0.0 1. Government or other subsidized program (nonmilitary)-- Man-power training; Vista; Peace Corps; Poverty Program
- 7.5 2. Job-specific (not codeable in 1)--Nurses' training; business school; welding; apprenticeship; repair course
- 0.3 3. Company-specific: on-the-job training; company training program; army/navy training course
- 0.4 7. Other
- 1.5 8. Vague; NA whether vocationally related; "college courses"
- 0.0 9. NA; DK
- 90.3 0. Inap; no wife/friend in FU; finished more than twelve years of school; had no other schooling; V8354=00; V8622=13-17,99; V8623=5 or 9

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8625 = Cross-year variable number Name='L6 WTR BA/BS DEGREE-WF'
15703 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

L6. Does she have a college degree?

See note following V8621 above.

- 7.5 1. Yes
- 7.4 5. No (include associate degree)
- 0.1 9. NA; DK
- 85.1 0. Inap; no wife/friend in FU; finished twelve or fewer grades of school; V8354=00; V8622=00-12,99

8626 = Cross-year variable number Name='L7 WTR ADVANCED DEG-WF'
15704 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

L7. Does she have any advanced degrees?

See note following V8621 above.

- 1.6 1. Yes
- 5.9 5. No
- 0.0 9. NA; DK
- 92.5 0. Inap; no wife/friend in FU; finished twelve or fewer grades of school; has no degree; V8354=00; V8622=00-12,99; V8625=5 or 9

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8629 = Cross-year variable number Name='L10 #YRS WRK SINCE 18-WF'
15707-15708 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

L10. How many years altogether has your (wife/friend) worked for money since she was 18?

% nonzero = 50.2
mean nonzero = 10.5

The values for this variable represent in whole years the actual amount of time the Wife had worked since the age of 18 until the time when this question was actually asked for her. See notes immediately above and following V8621.

- 01. One year or less
- 98. Ninety-eight years or more
- 99. NA; DK
- 00. Inap; none; no wife/friend in FU; wife/friend has never worked; V8354=00

8630 = Cross-year variable number Name='L11 #YRS WRKD FULLTIME-W'
15709-15710 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

L11. How many of these years did she work full time for most or all of the year?

% nonzero = 46.8
mean nonzero = 8.9

The values for this variable represent in whole years the actual amount of time the Wife had worked full time since the age of 18 until the time when this question was actually asked for her. See notes following V8621 and V8628 above.

- 01. One year or less
- 98. Ninety-eight years or more
- 99. NA; DK
- 00. Inap; none; no wife/friend in FU; never worked; never worked full time; V8354=00; V8629=00

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8631 = Cross-year variable number Name='L12 % TIME WORKED-WF'
15711-15712 = Cross-year Tape Location

L12. During the years that she was not working full time, how much of the time did she work?

% nonzero = 23.6

999. NA; DK county

8636 = Cross-year variable number Name='M2 STATE MO GREW UP-HD '
15720-15721 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

Mother's State

Please refer to Appendix 1, wave XIV documentation, for state and county codes.

99. NA; DK state

00. Inap; foreign country

8637 = Cross-year variable number Name='M2 CNTY MO GREW UP-HD '
15722-15724 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

Mother's County

Please refer to Appendix 1, wave XIV documentation, for state and county codes.

999. NA; DK county

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8638 = Cross-year variable number Name='M3 OCCUPATION OF FA-HD '
15725 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

M3. What was your father's usual occupation when you were growing up?

- 8.0 1. Professional, technical, and kindred workers
- 4.4 2. Managers, officials, and proprietors
- 5.2 3. Self-employed businessmen
- 6.2 4. Clerical and sales workers
- 19.7 5. Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred workers
- 15.3 6. Operatives and kindred workers
- 9.9 7. Laborers and service workers, farm laborers
- 20.0 8. Farmers and farm managers

- 10.6 9. Miscellaneous (armed services, protective workers); NA; DK

- 0.7 0. Inap; no father; deceased; did nothing

8639 = Cross-year variable number Name='M4 FIRST OCCUPATION-HD '
15726 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

M4. Thinking of your (HEAD'S) first full-time regular job, what did you do?

- 9.7 1. Professional, technical, and kindred workers
- 1.5 2. Managers, officials, and proprietors
- 0.5 3. Self-employed businessmen
- 19.0 4. Clerical and sales workers
- 7.9 5. Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred workers
- 19.0 6. Operatives and kindred workers
- 27.0 7. Laborers and service workers, farm laborers
- 3.2 8. Farmers and farm managers

- 8.4 9. Miscellaneous (armed services, protective workers); NA; DK

- 3.8 0. Inap; never worked

8643 = Cross-year variable number Name='M6-10 AGE 3RD OLD KID-HD'
15732-15733 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

M6-M10. Ages of the three oldest children: Head's third oldest child

The values for this variable represent the age in years of the Head's third oldest child; these values have not been incremented since the time when the questions were actually asked of the Head.

99. NA age

00. Inap.; two children or less

8644 = Cross-year variable number Name='M6-10 TOT # CHILDREN-HD '
15734-15735 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

M6-M10. Total number of children of Head

% nonzero = 61.8
mean nonzero = 3.0

The values for this variable represent the actual number of children of the Head. Adopted children and stepchildren are included in this total, although they are not included in V's 8641-8643. Deceased children (but not stillbirths) are included in all of these variables. The values for V8644 have not been incremented since the time when the questions were actually asked of the Head.

99. NA; DK

00. Inap; no children

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8645 = Cross-year variable number Name='M6-10 # KIDS BY 25-HD '
15736 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

M6-M10. Number of children Head had by age 25

mean nonzero = 1.8

The values for this variable include all children living with the Head before he/she became 26 years of age. "All children" means natural, adopted and stepchildren. The values for V8645 have not been incremented since the time when the questions were actually asked of the Head, although many values are already correct for the present, since the values for any Head initially over the age of 25 do not change.

20.1 1. One

Please refer to Appendix 1, Wave XIV documentation, for state and county codes.

99. NA; DK state

00. Inap; foreign country

8650 = Cross-year variable number Name='M14-15 CNTY GREW UP-HD '
 15742-15744 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=999

M14. In what state and county was that?

M15. What was the name of the nearest town?--County

Please refer to Appendix 1, wave XIV documentation, for state and county codes.

999. NA; DK county

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8651 = Cross-year variable number Name='M14-16 #REGIONS LIVED-HD'
 15745 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

M14. In what state and county was that?

M15. What was the name of the nearest town?

M16. What other states or countries have you lived in, including time spent abroad while in the armed forces? (Number of regions)

mean nonzero = 1.7

The region current at the time these questions were actually asked was also taken into account for the coding of this variable. See note following V8633 above.

- 54.1 1. Lived in one region
- 27.1 2. Lived in two regions
- 9.4 3. Lived in three regions
- 5.5 4. Lived in four regions
- 0.8 5. Lived in five regions
- 0.3 6. Lived in six regions
- 0.0 7. Lived in seven regions
- 0.1 8. Lived in eight or more regions
- 2.8 9. NA; DK

Region Code

| Northeast | North Central | Deep South | Other South |
|---------------|------------------------|----------------------------|------------------|
| Connecticut | Illinois | Alabama | Arkansas |
| Maine | Indiana | Georgia | Delaware |
| New Hampshire | Iowa | Louisiana | Florida |
| New Jersey | Kansas | Mississippi | Kentucky |
| New York | Michigan | South Carolina | Maryland |
| Pennsylvania | Minnesota | | North Carolina |
| Rhode Island | Missouri | | Oklahoma |
| Vermont | Nebraska | | Tennessee |
| Massachusetts | North Dakota | | Texas |
| | Ohio | | Virginia |
| | South Dakota | | Washington, D.C. |
| | Wisconsin | | West Virginia |
| West | Other English Speaking | Other Non-English Speaking | |
| Arizona | Alaska | All others | |
| California | Australia | | |
| Colorado | Canada | | |

8660 = Cross-year variable number Name='M26 #YRS WRKD FULLTIME-H'
15755-15756 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99

M26. How many of these years did you work full-time for most of the year?

% nonzero = 91.9
mean nonzero = 18.2

The values for this variable represent in whole years the actual amount of time the Head had worked full time since the age of 18 until the time when this question was actually asked for him/her. See notes following V8633 and V8658 above.

- 01. One year or less
- 98. 98 years or more

- 99. NA; DK

- 00. Inap.; none; never worked; never worked full time; V8659=00

8661 = Cross-year variable number Name='M27 % TIME WORKED-HD '
15757-15758 = Cross-year Tape Location

M27. During the years that you were not working full time, how much of the time did you work?

% nonzero = 35.9
mean nonzero = 46.4

The values for this variable represent the actual percentage of time the Head had worked since the age of 18 until the time when this question was actually asked for him/her. The answers have been given in part years as well as part weeks and converted to percentages. See notes following V8633 and V8658 above.

- 01. One percent or less
- 99. Ninety-nine percent

- 00. Inap.; none; never worked; worked full time; V8659=00;
V8659=V8660

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8670 = Cross-year variable number Name='M36 WTR ADVANCED DEG-HD '
15768 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

M36. Do you have any advanced degrees?

See note following V8633 above.

5.4 1. Yes
12.7 5. No

0.2 9. NA; DK

81.7 0. Inap.; finished twelve or fewer grades; has no degree;
V8663=00-12, 99; V8669=5 or 9

8671 = Cross-year variable number Name='M37 RECORD RELIG PREF?HD '
15769 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

M37. Now we would like to ask for your religious preference. This involves a right that is protected by the United States Constitution. You are under no obligation to answer these questions; and, if for any reason you decide you do not wish to answer them, we will accept your request and respect your decision. The information requested is important to us, and we hope you will decide to answer them. May we record your religious preference?

This question was not asked of any Head until 1976 nor of new Heads in 1978. Please see note below for V8672. If the family has had the same Head since 1975 or has had a new Head only in 1978, the value for this variable is zero.

20.9 1. Yes
0.7 5. No

0.3 9. NA; DK

78.1 0. Inap.; not asked of 1968 through 1975 Heads nor of new Heads in 1978.

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8672 = Cross-year variable number Name='M38-39 RELIGIOUS PREF-HD '
15770 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

M38, M39. Is your religious preference Protestant, Catholic, or Jewish, or what? What denomination is that?

Total Number of Individual Data Records Associated with 1982 Family

mean nonzero = 2.7

The values for this variable represent the number of individual-level data records having the same family-level data in 1982.

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8676 = Cross-year variable number Name='H+W 1981 FED TAXES '
 15775-15779 = Cross-year Tape Location

Total Estimated Federal Income Taxes of Head and Wife in 1981

mean nonzero = 4,665.8

The values for this variable in the range -9999 through 99998 represent the actual estimate made for taxes.

V8676 and V8677 were computed using the following variables:

V8283 Taxable Income of Head and Wife
 V8286 Total Number of Exemptions of Head and Wife
 V8287 Tax Table Used

Negative values are allowed for this variable for those eligible for the earned income credit and whose taxes are less than the amount of the credit. For highly detailed information on the PSID's estimation of taxes, see the 1980 (wave XIII) documentation volume, pp. 83-88.

00000. None
 99999. \$99,999 or more

8677 = Cross-year variable number Name='H+W 81 MARGINAL TAX RATE'
 15780-15781 = Cross-year Tape Location

Marginal Tax Rate for Head's and Wife's 1981 Estimated Federal Income Taxes

% nonzero = 73.2
 mean nonzero = 27.8

The values for this variable represent the actual marginal tax rate based on Head and Wife's taxable income, number of exemptions, and the tax table used. See the 1980 (wave XIII) documentation volume, pp. 83-88, for a complete description of the tax variables.

00. Zero taxes

8680 = Cross-year variable number Name='2ND XTRA ERNER 81 TAXES '
 15788-15791 = Cross-year Tape Location

Estimated Federal Income Taxes of Second Extra Earner in 1981

mean nonzero = 1,054.1

The values for this variable in the range 0001-9998 represent the actual estimate made for taxes.

V8680 and V8681 were computed using the following variables:

 V8305 Taxable Income of Second Extra Earner

 V8306 Total Number of Exemptions

 V8307 Tax Table Used

See the 1980 (wave XIII) documentation volume, pp. 83-88, for a complete description of the tax variables.

 9999. \$9,999 or more

 0000. Inap.; none; no such person

8681 = Cross-year variable number Name='MARG TAX RATE ERNR TWO '
 15792-15793 = Cross-year Tape Location

Marginal Tax Rate for Second Extra Earner

mean nonzero = 19.7

The values for this variable represent the actual marginal tax rate based on this person's taxable income, number of exemptions, and the tax table used.

See the 1980 (wave XIII) documentation volume, pp. 83-88, for a complete description of the tax variables.

 00. Inap.; zero taxes; no such person

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8682 = Cross-year variable number Name='3RD XTRA ERNER 81 TAXES '
 15794-15797 = Cross-year Tape Location

Estimated Federal Income Taxes of Third Extra Earner in 1981

mean nonzero = 1,097.8

The values for this variable in the range 0001-9998 represent the actual estimate made for taxes.

V8682 and V8683 were computed using the following variables:

 V8308 Taxable Income of Third Extra Earner

 V8309 Total Number of Exemptions

V8310 Tax Table Used

See the 1980 (wave XIII) documentation volume, pp. 83-88, for a complete description of the tax variables.

9999. \$9,999 or more

0000. Inap.; none; no such person

8683 = Cross-year variable number Name='MARG TAX RATE ERNR THREE'
15798-15799 = Cross-year Tape Location

Marginal Tax Rate for Third Extra Earner

mean nonzero = 20.0

The values for this variable represent the actual marginal tax rate based on this person's taxable income, number of exemptions, and tax table used.

See the 1980 (wave XIII) documentation volume, pp. 83-88, for a complete description of the tax variables.

00. Inap.; zero taxes; no such person

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8684 = Cross-year variable number Name='4TH XTRA ERNER 81 TAXES '
15800-15803 = Cross-year Tape Location

Estimated Federal Income Taxes of Fourth Extra Earner in 1981

mean nonzero = 1,448.3

The values for this variable in the range 0001-9998 represent the actual estimate made for taxes.

V8684 and V8685 were computed using the following variables:

V8311 Taxable Income of Fourth Extra Earner

V8312 Total Number of Exemptions

V8313 Tax Table Used

See the 1980 (wave XIII) documentation volume, pp. 83-88, for a complete description of the tax variables.

9999. \$9,999 or more

0000. Inap.; none; no such person

8685 = Cross-year variable number Name='MARG TAX RATE ERNR FOUR '
15804-15805 = Cross-year Tape Location

Marginal Tax Rate for Fourth Extra Earner

mean nonzero = 22.0

% nonzero = 76.3
mean nonzero = 18,382.0

The values for this variable represent the actual amount of Head's labor income in whole dollars and sum the following variables:

V8263 Labor Part of Farm Income
V8264 Labor Part of Business Income
V8265 Head's Wages Income
V8267 Head's Bonuses, Overtime, Commissions
V8268 Head's Income from Professional Practice or Trade
V8269 Labor Part of Market Gardening Income
V8270 Labor Part of Roomers and Boarders Income

99999. \$99,999 or more

00000. None; Head did no work for money in 1981

8691 = Cross-year variable number Name='1981 \$ Y/NEEDS '
 15829-15832 = Cross-year Tape Location

Total 1981 Family Money Income/Needs (1982)

mean nonzero = 808.3

The formula used in generating this variable is as follows:

Total 1981 Family Money Income (V8689)/1981 Family Needs (V8252).

This ratio is multiplied by 1.25 for farmers (those coded 801 in V8380 or 80 in V8407) to adjust for lower food costs. This is the only measure of income to needs on this tape which makes this adjustment for farmers. For a full description on the needs standard used, please refer to the wave VII (1974) documentation volume, pp. 39-41. Note that this need standard has not been adjusted for inflation.

OSIRIS USERS:

Note that this variable is defined in the dictionary as having two decimal places. The mean value above ignores these decimal places.

9999. Income/needs ratio of 99.99 or more

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8692 = Cross-year variable number Name='ANNUAL FOOD STD '
 15833-15836 = Cross-year Tape Location

Annual Food Standard

mean nonzero = 864.5

This variable is generated by multiplying the weekly food needs (V8251) by 52 and then making the following adjustments for economies of scale:

+20% for one-person families
+10% for two-person families
+ 5% for three-person families
no adjustment for four-person families
- 5% for five-person families
-10% for families with six or more persons

The values represent the actual annual food standard in whole dollars for the 1982 family.

9999. Food standard of \$9,999 or more

8693 = Cross-year variable number Name='HEAD 81 AVG HRLY EARNING'
15837-15840 = Cross-year Tape Location

1981 Average Hourly Earnings--Head

% nonzero = 76.3
mean nonzero = 938.9

The values for this variable represent the Head's average hourly earnings in dollars and cents per hour. The formula used for this variable's generation is as follows:

1981 Labor Income of Head (V8690)/1981 Hours of Work of Head
(V8228)

OSIRIS USERS:

Note that this variable is defined in the dictionary as having two decimal places. The mean value above ignores these decimal places.

9999. \$99.99 per hour or more

0000. Zero hourly earnings; Head did not work for money;
V8228=0000; V8690=00000

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8694 = Cross-year variable number Name='WIFE 81 AVG HRLY EARNING'
15841-15844 = Cross-year Tape Location

1981 Average Hourly Earnings--Wife

% nonzero = 32.8
mean nonzero = 637.6

The values for this variable represent the Wife's average hourly earnings in dollars and cents per hour. The formula used for this variable's generation is as follows:

1981 Labor Income of Wife (V8273)/1981 Hours of Work of Wife
(V8238)

OSIRIS USERS:

Note that this variable is defined in the dictionary as having two decimal places. The mean value above ignores these decimal places.

9999. \$99.99 per hour or more

0000. Zero hourly earnings; Wife did not work for money; no Wife
in FU; V8238=0000; V8354=00; V8273=0000

8695 = Cross-year variable number Name='REGION 1982 INT '
15845 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

Region at Time of 1982 Interview

Please refer to the region code following V8651 for specific state listings.

22.3 1. Northeast
27.9 2. North Central
30.4 3. South
18.7 4. West

8698 = Cross-year variable number Name='REGION 82 HD MO GREW UP '
 15848 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

Region Where Mother of 1982 Head Grew Up

Please refer to the region code following V8651 for specific state listings.

19.4 1. Northeast
 29.3 2. North Central
 32.4 3. South
 6.2 4. West
 0.1 5. Alaska, Hawaii
 10.8 6. Foreign Country

 1.9 9. NA where mother of 1982 Head grew up

8699 = Cross-year variable number Name='GEOGRAPHIC MOBILITY '
 15849 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

Geographic Mobility: Where Head of Family Lived at Time of 1982 Interview Versus Where Grew Up

66.8 1. Same state at both times: V8649 equals V8203
 11.6 2. Same region but different state: V8649 does not equal V8203
 but V8695 equals V8696
 20.5 3. Different regions: V8695 does not equal V8696

 1.2 9. NA: V8203 or V8649 equals 99

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8700 = Cross-year variable number Name='ACC 81 Y COMPONENTS '
 15850 = Cross-year Tape Location

Accuracy of 1981 Money Income Components

The values for this variable represent the sum of the values for the following variables:

V8266 Accuracy: Head's wages income
 V8271 Accuracy: Head's other labor income
 V8274 Accuracy: Wife's labor income
 V8282 Accuracy: Capital income of Head and Wife

V8289 Accuracy: ADC/AFDC of Head and Wife
 V8300 Accuracy: Other transfers of Head and Wife
 V8319 Accuracy: Taxable income of others
 V8332 Accuracy: Transfer income of others

Sums greater than 9 were truncated at 9.

90.0 0. None
 2.0 1. One
 6.1 2. Two
 0.6 3. Three
 1.0 4. Four
 0.1 5. Five
 0.2 6. Six
 7. Seven
 0.0 8. Eight
 0.0 9. Nine or more

8701 = Cross-year variable number Name='# MINOR ASSGMTS IN 82 '
 15851-15852 = Cross-year Tape Location

Number of Minor Assignments Made in 1982 Interview

% nonzero = 10.1
 mean nonzero = 1.2

The values for this variable represent the summation of the number of codes equalling 1 (minor assignment) in the accuracy variables in the variable sequence V8218 through V8332; the maximum value is 27.

00. No minor assignments made

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8702 = Cross-year variable number Name='# MAJOR ASSGMTS IN 82 '
 15853-15854 = Cross-year Tape Location

Number of Major Assignments Made in 1982 Interview

% nonzero = 16.4
 mean nonzero = 1.5

The values for this variable represent the summation of the number of codes equalling 2 or 3 (major assignment) in the accuracy variables in the variable sequence V8218 through V8332; the maximum value is 27.

00. No major assignments made

8703 = Cross-year variable number Name='DU VALUE/ROOM - 1982 '
 15855-15859 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=99999

Value Per Room of 1982 Dwelling Unit

mean nonzero = 11,774.5

The values for this variable represent the actual value per room, calculated according to the following formula:

$$\frac{V8217 + [(V8221 + V8223) \times 10]}{V8360}$$

(1982 (1982 (1982 Value (Number of

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8706 = Cross-year variable number Name='# 18 OR OLDER IN 82 '
 15863-15864 = Cross-year Tape Location

Number of Adults (Those aged 18 or older) in Family (1982)

mean nonzero = 1.8

The values for this variable represent the actual number of persons 18 years of age and older in the family. If the Head or Wife is under 18, he or she is also included here. No missing data are allowed. The formula used for creation of this variable is as follows:

Number in Family (V8351) - Number of Persons under 18 Years of Age, excluding Head and Wife, in the Family (V8355)

8707 = Cross-year variable number Name='BKT AGE HEAD 1982 '
 15865 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

(Bkt. V8352) Age of Head

9.6 1. Under 25 years of age
26.2 2. 25-34 years old
15.8 3. 35-44 years old
14.0 4. 45-54 years old
13.9 5. 55-64 years old
11.4 6. 65-74 years old
9.2 7. 75 years old and older

9. NA

8708 = Cross-year variable number Name='BKT AGE WIFE 1982 '
 15866 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

(Bkt. V8354) Age of Wife

4.8 1. Under 25 years of age
14.8 2. 25-34 years old
10.6 3. 35-44 years old
10.3 4. 45-54 years old
7.5 5. 55-64 years old
4.9 6. 65-74 years old
1.5 7. 75 years old and older

9. NA

45.6 0. Inap; no wife/friend in FU; V8354=00

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8709 = Cross-year variable number Name='EDUCATION 1982 HEAD '
 15867 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

Head's Education

This variable is comparable to those of early waves of data collection; since 1975, variables comparable to V8663-V8670 have been coded as well. Note that this variable is calculated from those series of questions asked only when the FU acquires a new Head, and therefore may not take account of recent educational attainments.

- 1.2 0. Cannot read or write, or has trouble reading or writing:
V8666 equals 1
- 2.4 1. 0-5 grades: V8663 equals 00-05 but V8666 does not equal 1
- 11.2 2. 6-8 grades; "grade school": V8663 equals 06-08
- 15.8 3. 9-11 grades: V8663 equals 09-11
- 18.8 4. 12 grades and no further training; "high school": V8663
equals 12 but V8667 does not equal 1
- 15.6 5. 12 grades plus nonacademic training: V8663 equals 12 and
V8667 equals 1
- 17.0 6. College but no degree: V8663 equals 13-15 or V8663 equals 16-
17 but V8669 does not equal 1
- 11.9 7. College BA but no advanced degree: V8663 equals 16-17 and
V8669 equals 1 but V8070 does not equal 1
- 5.4 8. College and advanced or professional degree: V8663 equals 16-
17 and V8070 equals 1
- 0.6 9. NA; DK: V8663 equals 99

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8710 = Cross-year variable number Name='EDUCATION 1982 WIFE '
15868 = Cross-year Tape Location MD=9

Wife's Education

This variable is comparable to those of early waves of data collection; since 1975, variables comparable to V8622-V8626 have been coded as well. Note that this variable is calculated from those series of questions asked only when the FU acquires a new Wife, and therefore may not take account of recent educational attainments.

- 0.6 1. 0-5 grades: V8622 equals 00-05
- 4.0 2. 6-8 grades; "grade school": V8622 equals 06-08
- 8.2 3. 9-11 grades: V8622 equals 09-11
- 18.2 4. 12 grades; "high school": V8622 equals 12 but V8623 does not
equal 1
- 8.2 5. 12 grades plus nonacademic training: V8622 equals 12 and
V8623 equals 1
- 7.8 6. College but no degree: V8622 equals 13-15 or V8622 equals 16-
17 but V8625 does not equal 1

NOTE:

The following variables, V8714-V8722, summate the actual number of children in the FU by various sex and age categories. Only persons whose relationships to Head are those of child, stepchild, grandchild, sibling or other relative, such as niece or nephew, are included (Relationship to Head = 3, 4, 6, 7). These variables are built by accessing individual-level data.)

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8714 = Cross-year variable number Name='# CHILDS AGE 1-2 '
 15872 = Cross-year Tape Location

Number of Children of Both Sexes, Ages One and Two Years

| | | |
|------|----|--------------|
| 89.3 | 0. | None |
| 9.6 | 1. | One |
| 1.2 | 2. | Two |
| 0.0 | 3. | Three |
| | 4. | Four |
| | 5. | Five |
| | 6. | Six |
| | 7. | Seven |
| | 8. | Eight |
| | 9. | Nine or more |

8715 = Cross-year variable number Name='# CHILDS AGE 3-5 '
 15873 = Cross-year Tape Location

Number of Children of Both Sexes, Ages Three through Five

| | | |
|------|----|--------------|
| 89.7 | 0. | None |
| 9.2 | 1. | One |
| 1.1 | 2. | Two |
| 0.0 | 3. | Three |
| | 4. | Four |
| | 5. | Five |
| | 6. | Six |
| | 7. | Seven |
| | 8. | Eight |
| | 9. | Nine or more |

8716 = Cross-year variable number Name='# CHILDS AGE 6-13 '
 15874 = Cross-year Tape Location

Number of Children of Both Sexes, Ages Six through Thirteen

| | | |
|------|----|--------------|
| 79.2 | 0. | None |
| 13.1 | 1. | One |
| 6.2 | 2. | Two |
| 1.2 | 3. | Three |
| 0.3 | 4. | Four |
| 0.0 | 5. | Five |
| 0.0 | 6. | Six |
| | 7. | Seven |
| | 8. | Eight |
| | 9. | Nine or more |

- 23.8 2. Second quarter sample
- 26.4 3. Third quarter sample
- 24.7 4. Fourth quarter sample

8725 = Cross-year variable number Name='SAMP ERR COMP UNIT(SECU)'
 15883-15885 = Cross-year Tape Location

Sampling Error Computation Unit (SECU)

This variable, identical to 1980 V7449 and 1981 V8101, was constructed to allow users to calculate the proper sampling error, or variance, values of regression statistics. Splitoffs since 1980 have received the same value as their main families. See the 1980 (Wave XIII) documentation volume, pp. 81-82, for a comprehensive explanation.

The values for this variable represent the SECU into which a sample unit is classified and take the form xxy. Values for the xx portion range from 01 to 32, whereas the value for the y portion is either 1 or 2.

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8726 = Cross-year variable number Name='15YR FAM COMP CHANGE'
 15886 = Cross-year Tape Location

Fifteen-Year Changes in FU Composition

The highest number coded in any of the following variables is reproduced here: V542, V1109, V1809, V2410, V3010, V3410, V3810, V4310, V5210, V5710, V6310, V6910, V7510, V8210. For example, this variable enables the user to select only those families with the same Head since the beginning of the study.

- 11.6 0. No change in family members
- 28.4 1. Change in members other than Head or Wife
- 5.8 2. Head same, but Wife left/died and/or Head has new Wife
- 8.8 3. Wife from previous years became Head
- 3.7 4. Female Head got married--husband (nonsample member) became Head
- 30.6 5. Some sample member other than Head or Wife became Head
- 9.4 6. Some female other than Head got married, and nonsample member became Head
- 0.7 7. Female Head with husband in institution in previous year(s) became Wife, as he came home to be the Head of the FU
- 0.8 8. Other

8727 = Cross-year variable number Name='1982 FAMILY WEIGHT'
 15887-15888 = Cross-year Tape Location

1982 Updated Family Weight

This weight variable was completely revised in 1978 to account for both marriages to nonsample persons and differential nonresponse since 1968. Since 1979 it has been updated annually for marriages, divorces, etc. but not for nonresponse.

NOTE:

The values for V's 8728-8730 are obtained from questionnaires sent to state employment offices. See Section I, Part 5 of this volume for further details.

1981-1982 Change in Marital Status

- 52.0 1. 1981 Head and Wife or Head and Husband of Head remained married to each other in 1982
- 38.6 2. 1981 Head remained unmarried (single, separated, widowed, divorced) in 1982. There no spouse in FU in either year.
- 3.4 3. 1981 Head and Wife, or Head and Husband of Head, were married in 1981; 1982 Head is one of these two individuals and divorced or separated (Included here are cohabitators who have moved apart)
- 1.0 4. 1981 Head and Wife, or Head and Husband of Head, were married in 1981; 1982 Head is one of these two individuals and is widowed
- 1.8 5. 1981 Head was unmarried in 1981 but was married by 1982 and has either stayed Head or become Wife or Husband of Head by 1982
- 0.1 6. 1981 Head and Wife, or Head and Husband of Head, were married in 1981, became divorced and remarried by 1982
- 7. 1981 Head and Wife, or Head and Husband of Head, were married in 1981, became widowed and remarried by 1982
- 3.1 8. Other, including all splitoffs except those who were either Head or Wife in 1981

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8732 = Cross-year variable number Name='# 82 S/O FROM THIS FAM ' '
15897 = Cross-year Tape Location

Number of 1982 Splitoff Interviews Taken from This Main Family Interview

The values for this variable represent the actual number of 1982 Splitoff interviews taken as a result of recontacting and reinterviewing the main family; it is intended primarily for use as a linking variable.

- 3.1 1. One Splitoff interview from this main family
- 0.4 2. Two
- 3. Three
- 4. Four
- 5. Five
- 6. Six
- 7. Seven
- 8. Eight

0.1 7. Other

92.2 0. Inap.; no other panel family shares the household; V8215=1-3, 5, 7, or 9

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8736 = Cross-year variable number Name='82ID OF 2ND OTR FU IN HU'
15907-15910 = Cross-year Tape Location

1982 Interview Number of the Second Other PSID Family Unit Sharing the Household with This Family

% nonzero = 1.2

Values for this variable in the range 0001-6742 represent the actual 1982 ID number of the second other family living with this one.

0000. No other panel family shares the household; only one other panel family shares the household; V8215=1-3, 5, 7, or 9

8737 = Cross-year variable number Name='REL OF 2ND OTHER FU '
15911 = Cross-year Tape Location

Relationship of the Head (or Wife) of the Second Other Family Unit Sharing the Household to the Head (or Wife) of this Family

0.2 1. The Head (or Wife) of the second other FU is the parent of the Head (or Wife) of this FU.

0.4 2. The Head (or Wife) of the second other FU is the child of the Head (or Wife) of this FU.

3. The Head (or Wife) of the second other FU is the grandparent of the Head (or Wife) of this FU.

4. The Head (or Wife) of the second other FU is the grandchild of the Head (or Wife) of this FU.

0.6 5. The Head (or Wife) of the second other FU is the sibling of the Head (or Wife) of this FU.

7. Other

98.8 0. Inap.; no other panel family shares the household; only one other panel family shares the household; V8215=1-3, 5, 7, or 9

8738 = Cross-year variable number Name='82ID OF 3RD OTR FU IN HU'
15912-15915 = Cross-year Tape Location

1982 Interview Number of the Third Other PSID Family Unit Sharing the Household with This Family

% nonzero = 0.0

The values for this variable represent the actual 1982 ID number of the third other family living with this one.

0000. No other panel family shares the household; only one or two other panel families share the household; V8215=1-3, 5, 7, or 9

8739 = Cross-year variable number Name='REL OF 3RD OTHER FU '
15916 = Cross-year Tape Location

Relationship of the Head (or Wife) of the Third Other Family Unit Sharing the Household to the Head (or Wife) of This Family

0.0 1. The Head (or Wife) of the third other FU is the parent of the Head (or Wife) of this FU.

0.0 2. The Head (or Wife) of the third other FU is the child of the Head (or Wife) of this FU.

3. The Head (or Wife) of the third other FU is the grandparent of the Head (or Wife) of this FU.

4. The Head (or Wife) of the third other FU is the grandchild of the Head (or Wife) of this FU.

0.0 5. The Head (or Wife) of the third other FU is the sibling of the Head (or Wife) of this FU.

7. Other

100.0 0. Inap.; no other panel family shares the household; only one or two other panel families share the household; V8215=1-3, 5, 7, or 9

Part 5: Index of the 1982 Employment Sections

This index compares all the variables from the employment sections for Heads (C, D & E) and Wives of Heads (F, G & H); if there is a Wife of Head in the Family Unit, V8537=1. Which section is asked is based on employment status (V8374 for Heads, V8538 for Wives).

Many of these variables represent the same or similar questions asked

in more than one section. In analysis it might be desirable, for instance, to look at weeks worked in 1981 for all Heads regardless of whether they are currently employed or not. With the tabulations in this index, the user can tell at a glance whether or not the same question was asked of all Heads. Using the example given above, one could generate a new variable on weeks worked in 1981 simply by adding V8403 + V8482 + V8528, since one and only one of these variables contains this information for each Head, the other two containing zeros indicating that the question is inappropriate.

Footnotes earmark variables where the wording or framework of the questions varies significantly from those to which they are compared.

1982 Comparative Index for Employment Sections C & F
 (Employed or Only Temporarily Laid Off);
 D & G (Unemployed, Looking for Work); E & H
 (Retired, Disabled, Housewife, Student, Other)
 Sections C, D & E are for Heads and Sections F, G & H are for Wives

| Description of Variable | Employed | | Unemployed | | Retired, etc. | |
|--|------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| | C. Head (V8374=1,2) | F. Wife (V8538=1,2) | D. Head (V8374=3) | G. Wife (V8538=3) | E. Head (V8374=4-8) | H. Wife (V8538=4-8) |
| Variables comparable across all sections for Heads & Wives | | | | | | |
| Occupation | 8380 | 8544 | 8468*a | 8575*a | 8526*b | 8594*b |
| Industry | 8381 | 8545 | 8469*a | 8576*a | 8527*b | 8595*b |
| What Happened to Job | 8391*c | 8551*c | 8470*a | 8577*a | 8531 | 8599 |
| Weeks Worked in 1981 | 8403 | 8562 | 8482 | 8589 | 8528 | 8596 |

| Hours Per Week Worked in 1981 | 8404 | 8563 | 8483 | 8590 | 8529 | 8597 |
|--|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| ----- | | | | | | |
| Variables comparable across sections C & D (Heads) and F & G (Wives) | | | | | | |
| ----- | | | | | | |
| Whether Missed Work Be- cause Others Ill in 1981 | 8393 | 8552 | 8474 | 8581 | | |
| Number Weeks Others Ill | 8394 | 8553 | 8475 | 8582 | | |
| Whether Missed Work Be- cause Self Ill in 1981 | 8395 | 8554 | 8476 | 8583 | | |

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| Description of Variable | Employed | | Unemployed | | Retired, etc. | |
|--|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | C. Head (V8374= 1,2) | F. Wife (V8538= 1,2) | D. Head (V8374=3) | G. Wife (V8538=3) | E. Head (V8374= 4-8) | H. Wife (V8538= 4-8) |
| ----- | | | | | | |
| Variables comparable across sections C & D (Heads) and F & G (Wives) | | | | | | |
| ----- | | | | | | |
| Number Weeks Self Ill | 8396 | 8555 | 8477 | 8584 | | |
| Whether Took Vaca- tion in 1981 | 8397 | 8556 | 8472 | 8579 | | |
| Number Weeks Vacation Taken | 8398 | 8557 | 8473 | 8580 | | |
| Whether on Strike in 1981 | 8399 | 8558 | 8478 | 8585 | | |
| Number Weeks on Strike | 8400 | 8559 | 8479 | 8586 | | |
| Whether Unemployed in 1981 | 8401 | 8560 | 8480 | 8587 | | |
| Number Weeks Unemployed | 8402 | 8561 | 8481 | 8588 | | |
| Number of | 8454 | 8569 | | | | |

1982 Comparative Index for Employment Sections (continued)

| Description of Variable | Employed | | Unemployed | | Retired, etc. | |
|---|------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| | C. Head (V8374=1,2) | F. Wife (V8538=1,2) | D. Head (V8374=3) | G. Wife (V8538=3) | E. Head (V8374=4-8) | H. Wife (V8538=4-8) |
| Variables comparable between sections C & D (Heads only) | | | | | | |
| When Most Recent Unemployed Period Began—Month Year | 8412 | | 8484 | | | |
| Number of Weeks Off | 8414 | | 8486 | | | |
| Whether Did Not Look for Job for 4 or More Weeks | 8415, 8416 | | 8487, 8488 | | | |
| Whether Happened More Than Once | 8417 | | 8489 | | | |
| How Many Times | 8418 | | 8490 | | | |
| Was There Another Unemployed Period in 1981 (2nd Mention) | 8419 | | 8491 | | | |
| When Did That Period Begin (2nd Mention) | | | | | | |

| Description of Variable | Employed | | Unemployed | | Retired, etc. | |
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| | C. Head (V8374=1,2) | F. Wife (V8538=1,2) | D. Head (V8374=3) | G. Wife (V8538=3) | E. Head (V8374=4-8) | H. Wife (V8538=4-8) |

Variables comparable between sections C & D (Heads only)

| | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|--|---------------|--|--|--|
| Month | 8420 | | 8492 | | | |
| Year | 8421 | | 8493 | | | |
| Number of Weeks Off (2nd Mention) | 8422 | | 8494 | | | |
| Whether Did Not Look for Job for 4 or More Weeks (2nd Mention) | 8423, 8424 | | 8495, 8496 | | | |
| Whether Happened More Than Once (2nd Mention) | 8425 | | 8497 | | | |
| How Many Times (2nd Mention) | 8426 | | 8498 | | | |
| Was There Another Unemployed Period in 1981 (3rd Mention) | 8427 | | 8499 | | | |
| When Did That Period Begin (3rd Mention) | | | | | | |
| Month | 8428 | | 8500 | | | |
| Year | 8429 | | 8501 | | | |

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| Description of Variable | Employed | | Unemployed | | Retired, etc. | |
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| | C. Head (V8374=1,2) | F. Wife (V8538=1,2) | D. Head (V8374=3) | G. Wife (V8538=3) | E. Head (V8374=4-8) | H. Wife (V8538=4-8) |

Variables comparable between sections C & D (Heads only)

| | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|------|--|------|--|--|--|
| Number of Weeks Off (3rd Mention) | 8430 | | 8502 | | | |
|-----------------------------------|------|--|------|--|--|--|

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|--|---------------|---------------|
| Whether Did Not Look for Job for 4 or More Weeks (3rd Mention) | 8431, 8432 | 8503, 8504 |
| Whether Happened More Than Once (3rd Men- tion) | 8433 | 8505 |
| How Many Times (3rd Mention) | 8434 | 8506 |
| Whether Received Un- employment Compensa- tion | 8435 | 8507 |
| Whether Benefits Used Up | 8436 | 8508 |

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| Description of Variable | Employed | | Unemployed | | Retired, etc. | |
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| | C. Head (V8374= 1,2) | F. Wife (V8538= 1,2) | D. Head (V8374=3) | G. Wife (V8538=3) | E. Head (V8374= 4-8) | H. Wife (V8538= 4-8) |
| Variables comparable between sections C & D (Heads only) | | | | | | |
| Number of Weeks Be- tween Benefit Depletion and Return to Work | 8437 | | 8509 | | | |
| Whether Thought Eligible | 8438 | | 8510 | | | |
| Why Did Not Apply (1st Men- tion) | 8439 | | 8511 | | | |
| Why Did Not Apply (2nd Men- tion) | 8440 | | 8512 | | | |

| | | |
|---|------|------|
| Whether Any (Other) Source of Income During Most Recent Unemployment Period | 8441 | 8513 |
| What Were They (1st Mention) | 8442 | 8514 |
| What Were They (2nd Mention) | 8443 | 8515 |

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| Description of Variable | Employed | | Unemployed | | Retired, etc. | |
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| | C. Head (V8374=1,2) | F. Wife (V8538=1,2) | D. Head (V8374=3) | G. Wife (V8538=3) | E. Head (V8374=4-8) | H. Wife (V8538=4-8) |
| Variables comparable between sections C & D (Heads only) | | | | | | |

| | | |
|---|------------|------------|
| Whether Returned to Same Employer | 8444 | 8516 |
| Whether Same Type Job | 8445 | 8517 |
| Whether Returned to Lower, Higher or Same Wage Rate | 8446 | 8518 |
| Whether Under Age 45, 45 to 64, or Over 65 | 8457 | 8519 |
| What Age Will Retire From Main Work | 8458, 8460 | 8520, 8522 |
| Whether Will Retire Before 65 | 8459 | 8521 |

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| Description of Variable | Employed | | Unemployed | | Retired, etc. | |
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| | C. Head (V8374=1,2) | F. Wife (V8538=1,2) | D. Head (V8374=3) | G. Wife (V8538=3) | E. Head (V8374=4-8) | H. Wife (V8538=4-8) |
| Variable comparable across sections C & E (Heads) & H (Wives) | | | | | | |
| Whether Thinking of Getting (a/ another) Job | 8455 | | | | 8532*f | 8600*f |
| Variables comparable between sections C (Heads) and F (Wives) | | | | | | |
| Whether Self-employed | 8375 | 8539 | | | | |
| Whether Employed by Government | 8376 | 8540 | | | | |
| Whether Current Job Covered by Union Contract | 8377 | 8541 | | | | |
| Whether Belongs to That Union | 8378 | 8542 | | | | |
| Months Worked for Present Employer | 8379 | 8543 | | | | |
| Whether Salaried or Paid by Hour | 8382 | 8546 | | | | |
| Regular Salary | 8383 | 8547 | | | | |

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| Description of Variable | Employed | | Unemployed | | Retired, etc. | |
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| | C. Head (V8374=1,2) | F. Wife (V8538=1,2) | D. Head (V8374=3) | G. Wife (V8538=3) | E. Head (V8374=4-8) | H. Wife (V8538=4-8) |

Variables comparable between sections C (Heads) and F (Wives)

| | | |
|--|------|------|
| Hourly Wage | 8386 | 8548 |
| Mode of Pay Other Than Salaried or Hourly Wage | 8388 | 8549 |
| Months Worked on Present Job | 8390 | 8550 |
| Whether Worked Overtime in 1980 | 8405 | 8564 |
| Whether Extra Job(s) in 1981 | 8406 | 8565 |
| Occupation-- Extra Job | 8407 | 8566 |
| Weeks Worked on Extra Job(s) | 8410 | 8567 |
| Hours Per Week Worked on Extra Job(s) | 8411 | 8568 |

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| Description of Variable | Employed | | Unemployed | | Retired, etc. | |
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| | C. Head (V8374=1,2) | F. Wife (V8538=1,2) | D. Head (V8374=3) | G. Wife (V8538=3) | E. Head (V8374=4-8) | H. Wife (V8538=4-8) |

Variables for questions asked only in Section C (Heads)

| | |
|----------------------------------|------|
| Whether Paid Overtime (Salaried) | 8384 |
| Overtime Rate (Salaried) | 8385 |
| Hourly Wage for Overtime | 8387 |

Overtime 8389
 Rate for
 Other
 Mode of
 Pay
 Whether 8392
 New Job
 Better

 Number of 8408
 Extra Jobs

 Hourly Pay 8409
 for Extra
 Job(s)

 Whether 8447
 Could Have
 Worked
 More

 Pay Rate 8448
 to Work
 More

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| Description of Variable | Employed | | Unemployed | | Retired, etc. | |
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| | C. Head (V8374=1,2) | F. Wife (V8538=1,2) | D. Head (V8374=3) | G. Wife (V8538=3) | E. Head (V8374=4-8) | H. Wife (V8538=4-8) |

Variables for questions asked only in Section C (Heads)

Whether 8449,
 Could Have 8452
 Worked
 Less

 Whether 8450,
 Wanted to 8453
 Work Less

 Whether 8451
 Wanted to
 Work More

 Whether 8456
 Doing Any-
 thing
 About
 Getting
 Another
 Job

Variables comparable across sections D & E (Heads) and G & H (Wives)

| | | | |
|--|------|------|------|
| Whether 8463 Looked for Job in Last Four Weeks | 8571 | 8535 | 8601 |
| Number 8464 | 8572 | 8536 | 8602 |

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| Description of Variable | Employed | | Unemployed | | Retired, etc. | |
|---|------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| | C. Head (V8374=1,2) | F. Wife (V8538=1,2) | D. Head (V8374=3) | G. Wife (V8538=3) | E. Head (V8374=4-8) | H. Wife (V8538=4-8) |
| Variable comparable between sections D & E (Heads only) | | | | | | |
| Whether Need Training for Job Sought | | | 8462 | | 8534*f | |
| Variables comparable between sections D (Heads) and G (Wives) | | | | | | |
| Occupation Sought | | | 8461 | 8570 | | |
| Number Weeks Looking for Job | | | 8466 | 8573 | | |
| Whether Ever Employed | | | 8467 | 8574 | | |
| Year Last Worked | | | 8471 | 8578 | | |
| Variables for questions asked only in section D (Heads) | | | | | | |
| Lowest Acceptable Wage | | | 8465 | | | |
| Variables comparable between sections E (Heads) and H (Wives) | | | | | | |
| Whether Retired | | | | | 8523 | 8591 |
| What Year Retired | | | | | 8524 | 8592 |

| Description of Variable | Employed | | Unemployed | | Retired, etc. | |
|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | C. Head (V8374= 1,2) | F. Wife (V8538= 1,2) | D. Head (V8374=3) | G. Wife (V8538=3) | E. Head (V8374= 4-8) | H. Wife (V8538= 4-8) |
| Variables comparable between sections E (Heads) and H (Wives) | | | | | | |
| Whether Worked for Money in 1981 | | | | | 8525 | 8593 |
| Whether (Still) Working Now | | | | | 8530 | 8598 |
| Variable for question asked only in section E (Heads) | | | | | | |
| When Might Get (a/ another) Job | | | | | 8533 | |

*aRefers to the last job held

*bRefers to job held during 1981, if any.

*cRefers to previous job and is only asked where Head or Wife has changed jobs in the last year.

*dRefers to last job and is only asked where Head or Wife worked during 1981 or 1982.

*eIn section C, this question is in terms of moving in order to earn more money.

In section D, it is in terms of moving in order to get a good job.

*fHead may or may not be currently employed.

*fThis job is in a highly speculative framework.