

# Nepal - Nepal Labour Force Survey 2008, Second Round

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## Overview

### Identification

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### Overview

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#### ABSTRACT

Nepal Labour Force Survey 2008 is the second attempt in conducting the labour force survey in Nepal. It updates various indicators of labour force statistics obtained from the Nepal Labour Force Survey 1998/99, which was the first of its kind in Nepal. Both surveys provide essential statistics for monitoring employment and labour market developments in Nepal. The surveys of this kind have tried to address the various labour related issues of the country as well.

The concepts of employment and labour underutilisation have been measured more carefully and more precisely in this survey than in the Nepal Living Standards Surveys I & II (1995/1996 and 2003/04). Hence the users should be careful while comparing the labour force statistics with NLSS I & II.

The survey provides a number of valuable indicators to monitor progress towards achieving the Millennium Development Goals which were established by the United Nations Millennium Summit in 2000.

This survey provided new estimates of informal employment and labour underutilisation that are based on the new concept of labour underutilisation which was recently submitted to the ILO's International Conference of Labour Statisticians, (Geneva, November-December 2008).

Alike the first labour force survey, this survey has also given special attention to measure the activities of women and children and hence provides improved estimates of employment and labour underutilisation among them.

KIND OF DATA  
Sample survey data [ssd]

UNITS OF ANALYSIS  
individual, household

### Scope

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NOTES  
The scope of the Nepal Labour Force Survey 2008 includes:

**HOUSEHOLD AND HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS:** Occupancy status, Access to drinking water supply, Fuel used for cooking, Main source used for lighting, Toilet facilities available, Communication facilities available, Agriculture holding.

**DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS:** Household distribution, Household composition, Household heads by sex, Age and sex distribution.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING: Educational status, Literacy rates, Vocational training.

ECONOMIC ACTIVITY: Employment, Unemployment, Underemployment, Current and usual status of economic involvement.

INFORMAL SECTOR AND EMPLOYMENT: Characteristics of the informal sector, Informal employment - Characteristics of non-agricultural informal employment.

NON-ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES: Time spent on non-economic activities.

MIGRATION AND ABSENTEES: Status of migrants, Age and sex distribution, Origin of migration, Reason for migration, Absentees - by place of current residence, Activity status of absentees aged 5 years and above.

REMITTANCES: Households receiving remittance, Source of remittance.

#### TOPICS

Topic	Vocabulary	URI
LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT [3]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>

#### KEYWORDS

Labour Force Participation Rate, Employment-to-Population Ratio

## Coverage

#### GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE (1)

National

#### GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE (2)

Rural/ Urban areas

#### GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE (3)

Development region

#### GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE (4)

6 strata: Mountain, Kathmandu Valley (Urban), Other hills (Urban), Rural hills, Urban Terai, Rural Terai

#### GEOGRAPHIC UNIT

Development Region

Sample Stratum

#### UNIVERSE

The survey covered entire country and no geographical areas were excluded. Similarly, all permanent residents of the country including foreign nationals were considered eligible for inclusion in the survey, but households of diplomatic missions and institutional households such as school hostels, prisons, army camps and hospitals were excluded. The homeless and those people living for six months or more away from the households were not considered eligible and hence were excluded from the survey.

## Producers and Sponsors

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## Sampling

### Sampling Procedure

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The sample size for the NLFS II 2008 is 16,000 households. Half of the sample was allocated to urban areas, and half to rural areas, because of the importance of getting good estimates of economic activity for each of these areas. Urban areas are stratified into three strata as Urban Kathmandu Valley, Other Urban Hills and Urban Tarai, and rural areas are stratified into Rural Mountains, Rural Hills and Rural Tarai respectively. The sample size of 400 PSUs in each urban and rural area was proportionately distributed within their respective strata. In both urban and rural areas the sample was spread out evenly over the three main seasons of the year (rainy season, winter season, and dry season), so as to cover seasonal variations in economic activity. The sample was not large enough to allow separate analysis of the results for each district, but the estimates can be obtained for various groupings of the 15 eco-development regions (five development regions covering three ecological belts).

The primary sampling unit is the ward and sub ward. Within each stratum, wards have been selected on the basis of their size; the likelihood that a ward is selected is proportional to the number of households living in that ward. Within each ward, 20 households have been selected and interviewed. In this way, data have been collected from 800 wards around the country; 400 of them in urban areas and 400 in rural areas. This means that in each season of the year at least 133 urban wards and 133 rural wards have been visited.

Annex A of the NLFS II report provides a detailed description of the sample design and its implementation.

### Response Rate

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Out of the 16000 households selected for the survey, only 24 could not be enumerated yielding a response rate of 99.9985 percent. The difference resulting from this non response has been adjusted while designing the weights for the sample.

### Weighting

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Each PSU has been assigned a weight depending on the number of households it contain. Every households within a PSU are given the PSU weights for raising up purposes.

Because of the way the sample has been designed, it is possible to use all the information arising from the survey to estimate the total number of households and total household population of Nepal. Indeed, because the sample for each season is fully representative, this exercise can be done separately for each season.

The overall raising factor for the survey is 315. This means that, on average, the NLFS II conducted interviews with 1 in 315 of the population of all age. Because of the importance of the urban sector and its relatively small size and greater heterogeneity, an interviewing rate of 1 in 103 was used in the Kathmandu urban area, 1 in 103 in Other Hill Urban and 1 in 100 in Terai Urban compared with 1 in 482 in the rural sector of Mountain area, 1 in 473 in Rural Hill and 1 in 535 in Rural Terai.

# Questionnaires

## Overview

The questionnaire for the survey was prepared in Nepali language. The questionnaire was based on the survey questionnaire used in the first Nepal Labour Force Survey 1998/99. There were some additional subjects such as household characteristics, migration and remittances and absentees information included in the questionnaire for this second round.

The NLFS-I questionnaire (which was developed on the basis of an ILO manual and comprised of 77 questions) provided a concrete base for developing the NLFS-II questionnaire. The NLFS-II questionnaire was substantially expanded to 130 questions in eight sections. The questionnaire structure ensured that respondents (other than heads of households who also had a few additional questions) generally answered a maximum of about 80 questions and most were asked significantly fewer questions.

For the sake of maintaining comparability many questions that were asked in the NLFS-I were retained. However, some important additions were made to address some contemporary issues such as household amenities, absentee population and remittances flowing into the country. Some questions were modified in order to have better response than in the previous survey. The eight sections in the NLFS-II questionnaire were designed to capture data on general information, household information, current activities, unemployment, activity in last 12 months, past employment record, absentee information and remittances received by households. The sections on household information, absentee information and remittances were asked only to head of household.

As already indicated, some modifications were made on questions that aimed to collect accurate and reliable information on informal activity and usual activity. Questions relating to usual activity were asked to collect the number of months he/she had spent in three different categories of activity (working, not working but available for work, and not working and not available for work) over the last 12 months. A month was considered to be "worked" if the person spent most days in that month at work. A month was considered to be "not working but available for work" if the person spent most days in that month not working but available to work. This method of determining usual activity status is simpler than that used in the NLFS-I (see footnote 1) but remains comparable with the international standards on labour statistics. In the household information, some of the questions are intended to provide statistics for monitoring selected Millennium Development Goals. Furthermore, some questions that have been added relate to ownership of house, type of energy used for cooking, lighting source and size of agriculture land. A copy of the questionnaire is mentioned in Annex B, while Annex C contains a detailed flow chart which can be used to identify the paths followed through the questionnaire by people with different characteristics.

As in the NLFS-I, the lower age cut-off point for the questions on economic activity was maintained at 5 years. This enables in the collection of data on the economic activities of children. This time as well, the objective to make the questionnaire more gender sensitive has been retained. Information on those activities such as cooking, cleaning and childminding which are performed without pay for the household, mainly by women, was collected.

Initially, the draft questionnaire was presented to the Technical Committee and underwent several rounds of discussions. Improvements and modifications were made according to the suggestions and comments received from members of the Technical Committee representing various interest groups. The questionnaire thereafter was pre-tested several times and revised intensively in accordance to the feedback received from each pre-test. The pre-tests were carried out to cover a wide range of areas and included different ecological zones, development regions and urban/rural areas. The questionnaire in the final Nepali version was translated into English to see if there were any misunderstandings likely to emerge. Probable confusions were removed in the final Nepali version of the questionnaire that was to be administered to the field for data collection so that there would be less chance of misunderstanding about the intended meaning of each question. At the same time an interviewers manual was prepared to elaborate the concept and objective of each question that led to collect reliable and accurate information.

## Data Collection

### Data Collection Dates

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Start	End	Cycle
2008-01	2008-05	Dry season
2008-05	2008-09	Wet season
2008-09	2008-12	Winter season

### Data Collection Mode

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Face-to-face [f2f]

### Data Collection Notes

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The survey was spread over a complete 12 months period from January 2008 until December 2008, splitting annual sample into three sub-groups for three seasons, namely, dry, rainy and winter seasons. Each sub-group was representing four months in the Nepalese calendar. Data collection actually started on 25 December 2007 but households enumerated in these first few days of the survey were classified as part of the sample for the "Dry" season.

Fieldwork continued throughout the survey year, but was curtailed for one month from mid-April 2008 because of an impending constitution assembly election. The delay in data collection was recovered within the following two months, but there may be some effect on sample allocation as between the "Dry" season and "Rainy" season as a result.

Although extensive cartographic work had already been done in connection with the NLSS-II, the staff of NLFS-II carried out further cartographic work where it was considered necessary, so as to establish clear boundaries for the selected areas.

In many rural areas interviewing of young women by young men posed difficulties for cultural reasons. Consequently, data often had to be collected through proxies possibly affecting data quality to some extent. There were two teams assigned for Kathmandu due to the larger sample in this city.

#### Training

Four master trainers who belonged to the Household Survey Section of the Central Bureau of Statistics were responsible for carrying out the training programme for the survey. In the beginning, a separate training programme was launched for the BSO officers so that they would be able to provide adequate supervision and support to the field staff wherever necessary. This was then followed by a three-week training course for supervisors and enumerators together at the Staff College in Kathmandu. Because of the large number of field staffs involved (22 supervisors plus 65 enumerators, allowing for some reserves), three separate training groups were run simultaneously. Two days were spent in discussion of the interviewers' duties and general issues relating to the fieldwork, and a further three days in clarifying the key concepts used in labour force surveys. Only after that did the classes move into detailed discussion of the questionnaire. Towards the end of the training class, all field staff spent a day in urban and rural areas, with each person being required to interview at least four households. The final day was spent on a debriefing of this fieldwork exercise.

A short questionnaire was administered towards the end of the training, to evaluate the quality of the training courses and find out which aspects were still unclear, and the results were used on the final day to re-emphasize certain points.

The Nepalese terrain has always provided challenges for data gathering because many areas cannot be reached by road. In addition, for this NLFS-I survey, there was a further challenge for field operations in the Terai due to social and political disruptions. As a result, three teams were formulated in such a way as to be representative of various communities, and to be familiar with local dialects. These teams were assigned to undertake interviews in sensitive districts of the Terai.

In designing the survey, there was a concern to keep interviews to a manageable length. There was an obvious desire not to impose unnecessary burden on household members, who were giving freely their time in responding to the questions asked. There was also the consideration that the interviews within each household should not take too long, so that interviewers could complete their work load of 20 households and move on to the next PSU. Despite the increase in the number of questions when compared with the NLFS-I, the interviews with each selected person normally took about 20 minutes, with the result that interviews with the whole household were usually completed within two hours. Only in exceptional

circumstances where a household was very large did it take longer than two hours to complete a household.

#### Reference period

In collecting data on work activities, two reference periods (short and long) have been used. A week (i.e. the seven days leading up to the interview) has been used as the short reference period, and a year (12 months leading up to the interview date) as the long reference period. The short reference period is used to measure current activity, while the long period is used to measure usual activity. For many people (for instance in the case of those in government service) the main economic activity of the short period will probably be the same as the usual activity of the longer period, unless they have recently changed their jobs. In addition, one month (last 30 days) is the reference period for unemployed and underemployed people to look for work or for more hours respectively. These reference periods (one week for current activity, one year for usual activity and one month for job search activity) are all in accordance with international statistical standards.

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accurate information.

## Data Collectors

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation
Central Bureau of Statistics	CBS	National Planning Commission

## Supervision

Altogether 20 field teams were formed to undertake fieldwork in different parts of the country. Each team was assigned particular areas to carry out the interviews. The field work assigned to teams was on the basis of geographical area and the purview of the Branch Statistical Offices (BSOs). Other factors considered were based on the workload and travelling time required. Each team, on an average was supposed to cover 40 PSUs. Manpower composition in each team consisted of a supervisor and three interviewers. All the field staffs were selected from the BSOs. A majority of them were males with only a few female staff.

Day to day control of each team was in the hands of the supervisor who was a member of the team, but additional supervisory visits were made by staff from the headquarters of the Central Bureau of Statistics and the National Planning Commission Secretariat. These visits were particularly important in the early stages of the field period, when interviewers were still not very familiar with the questionnaire. Thus the extensive field supervision both from the centre and from the districts (BSOs) was carried out during the survey period. Moreover the central supervision was carried out not only by the core team member of household survey section but also by the Director General and Deputy Director General of the Bureau. In addition, district level supervision was also made by the statistical officers of the BSOs.

## Data Processing

### Data Editing

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A centralised data processing system was used for this survey. Thus, all data processing activities from data entry to tabulations were done at the Central Bureau of Statistics. The Census and Survey Processing System (CSPRO) package was used for data management in the NLFS II. The required tables for NLFS II were produced using STATA. The data entry exercise in whole was carried out by at most three data entry operators for 12 months simultaneously with the field work. The data entry activity was supervised by an experienced computer officer in the section. Labour force surveys generally use very technical definitions of key terms (such as the 'currently active') and as in the past, special programs were therefore written in CSPRO to produce these derived variables, based on how each person responded to various different questions.

## Data Appraisal

### Estimates of Sampling Error

In a survey of this size, the robustness of the sample design means that the sampling errors for statistics at the national level are likely to be fairly small. Non-sampling errors are likely to be the major source of concern, and every effort has been made at all stages of the survey to try to minimise these non-sampling errors.

Data are available giving an indication of the likely sampling errors for some of the key aggregates measured in this survey. These sampling errors have been calculated in STATA application that was used for processing this survey. In order to derive these estimates of sampling error, account was taken of the structural design of the survey, with PSUs being assigned to six strata consisting three urban and three rural stratum, and with different sampling fractions being used in each stratum. However the resulting sampling errors probably substantially overstate the width of the true confidence intervals, since they take no account of the very strong implicit stratification by region and ecological zone incorporated into the design. The true confidence intervals for sampling errors will therefore be much narrower.

All estimates can be found in the appropriate chapter of the survey report. In the case of estimate for the total currently active population aged 15 years and above (shown in Table 6.1 as being 12.032 million), the 95 percent lower and upper bounds for this estimate are 11.649 and 12.414 million respectively. This means that we can be 95 percent confident that the number of people currently economically active lies within this range. Put another way, we can say that we are 95 percent confident that the true value lies within the range 11.649 million plus or minus 382 thousand.

# File Description

# Variable List

## household\_info

Content	This data file contains information from identification section, section-1 (all), section-7 (question 111) and section-8 (question 122) of the survey questionnaire. The identification section contains information from the cover page of the questionnaire. The section-1 contains questions related to the household characteristics of the selected household and questions that determine whether the household own or operated any agricultural land. Question 111 determines whether a household has any absentee member. Question 122 determines whether a household has received remittance from any one other than the absentee member. This data file needs to be merged with sample data file in order to obtain weighted estimates.
Cases	0
Variable(s)	61
Structure	Type: relational Keys: psu(PSU), hhid(Household ID)
Version	v2.1: Edited, anonymous dataset for public distribution (under certain legal conditions)
Producer	Central Bureau of Statistics, Nepal
Missing Data	

## Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V1	rt	Record Type	discrete	numeric	Record Type
V2	psu	PSU	discrete	numeric	Primary Sampling Unit
V3	hhid	Household ID	discrete	numeric	Household ID
V4	season	Season	discrete	numeric	Season
V5	devreg	Development Region	discrete	numeric	
V6	ecobelt	Ecological Belt	discrete	numeric	
V7	dist	District	discrete	numeric	
V8	dname	District Name	discrete	character	District
V9	vdcmun	VDC/Municipality	discrete	numeric	
V10	vname	VDC/Municipality Name	discrete	character	VDC/Municipality
V11	urbrur	Urban/Rural	discrete	numeric	
V12	ward	Ward	discrete	numeric	Ward
V13	subward	Sub-Ward	discrete	numeric	Sub-ward
V14	hhname	Name of Household Head	discrete	character	Name of the Household Head
V15	team	Team Number	discrete	numeric	Team No.
V16	intrdate	Date of Interview	discrete	numeric	Date of Interview
V17	iday	Interview Day	discrete	numeric	DD
V18	imonth	Interview Month	discrete	numeric	MM
V19	iyear	Interview Year	discrete	numeric	YY
V20	intervwr	Interviewer	discrete	numeric	Interviewer's Name
V21	suprvisr	Supervisor	discrete	numeric	Supervisor's Name
V22	operator	Data Entry Operator	discrete	numeric	Data Entry Operator's Name
V23	religion	Religion of HH Head	discrete	numeric	Religion of Household Head

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V24	fmlmemb	Total Family Members	contin	numeric	
V25	tot5plus	Total Household Members 5 years and above	contin	numeric	Total household members 5 years and above (Usual Residents)
V26	totmemb	Total Members in the Household	contin	numeric	Total Household Members (Usual Residents)
V27	q01	Q.1 Type of ownership of the dwelling occupied by household	discrete	numeric	What is the type of tenancy of the dwelling occupied by your household?
V28	q02	Q.2 Main source of drinking water of Hhld	discrete	numeric	What is the main source of drinking water of your household?
V29	q03	Q.3 Most often used fuel by household for cooking	discrete	numeric	Which is the most used fuel for cooking in your household?
V30	q04	Q.4 Main source of lighting in the dwelling	discrete	numeric	What is the main source of lighting in your household?
V31	q05	Q.5 Type of toilet used by household	discrete	numeric	What type of toilet is used by your household?
V32	q061	Q.6.1 Having Radio	discrete	numeric	Is radio available in your household?
V33	q061n	Q.6.1 No. of Radio	contin	numeric	If yes, write the number
V34	q062	Q.6.2 Having Television	discrete	numeric	Is television available in your household?
V35	q062n	Q.6.2 No. of Television	contin	numeric	If yes, write the number
V36	q063	Q.6.3 Having Telephone	discrete	numeric	Is telephone available in your household?
V37	q063n	Q.6.3 No. of Telephone	contin	numeric	If yes, write the number
V38	q064	Q.6.4 Having Mobile Phone	discrete	numeric	Is mobile phone available in your household?
V39	q064n	Q.6.4 No. of Mobile Phone	contin	numeric	If yes, write the number
V40	q065	Q.6.5 Having Computer	discrete	numeric	Is computer available in your household?
V41	q065n	Q.6.5 No. of Computer	contin	numeric	If yes, write the number
V42	q07	Q.7 Have Agricultural Land	discrete	numeric	Do you own any agricultural land, including land operated by yourself, or operate land owned by others?
V43	q081	Q.8.1 Having own land cultivated by Hhld	discrete	numeric	What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by HH
V44	q081unit	Q.8.1 Unit of own land cultivated by Hhld	discrete	numeric	What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by HH
V45	q081rb	Q.8.1 Own land cultivated by Hhld (Ropani / Bigha)	contin	numeric	What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by HH
V46	q081ak	Q.8.1 Own Land cultivated by Hhld (Aana / Kattha)	contin	numeric	What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by HH
V47	q081pd	Q.8.1 Own Land cultivated by Hhld (Paissa / Dhur)	contin	numeric	What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by HH
V48	q082	Q.8.2 Having other's land cultivated by Hhld	discrete	numeric	What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Other's land operated by HH

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V49	q082unit	Q.8.2 Unit of other's land cultivated by Hhld	discrete	numeric	What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Other's land operated by HH
V50	q082rb	Q.8.2 Other's land cultivated by Hhld (Ropani / Bigha)	contin	numeric	What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Other's land operated by HH
V51	q082ak	Q.8.2 Other's land cultivated by Hhld (Aana / Kattha)	contin	numeric	What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Other's land operated by HH
V52	q082pd	Q.8.2 Other's land cultivated by Hhld (Paisa / Dhur)	contin	numeric	What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Other's land operated by HH
V53	q083	Q.8.3 Having own land cultivate by others	discrete	numeric	What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by others
V54	q083unit	Q.8.3 Unit of own land cultivated by others	discrete	numeric	What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by others
V55	q083rb	Q.8.3 Own land cultivated by others (Ropani / Bigha)	contin	numeric	What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by others
V56	q083ak	Q.8.3 Own land cultivated by others (Aana / Kaththa)	contin	numeric	What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by others
V57	q083pd	Q.8.3 Own land cultivated by others (Paisa / Dhur)	contin	numeric	What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by others
V58	q111	Q.111 Any persons away (absent) from household	discrete	numeric	Is/are there any person/s, who is/are currently away (absent) from your household?
V59	q111n	Q.111 Number of Absentees	contin	numeric	If yes, metion number of absentees
V60	q122	Q.122 Receive remittance	discrete	numeric	Did your household receive any money or goods from the source other than the person absent from your household in the last 12 months?
V61	q122n	Q.122 Number of Remittance sender	contin	numeric	If yes, number of donors

## individual\_info

Content	This data file contains individual information of the household members that have been collected in Household roster and section-2 to section-6 of the survey questionnaire. In other words the variables included in this data file are from q09 to q110 of the questionnaire.
Cases	0
Variable(s)	153
Structure	Type: relational Keys: psu(PSU), hhid(Household ID), idcode(ID Code No.)
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ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V62	rt	Record Type	discrete	numeric	Record Type
V63	psu	PSU	discrete	numeric	Primary Sampling Unit
V64	hhid	Household ID	discrete	numeric	Household ID
V65	idcode	ID Code No.	discrete	numeric	Write the name of the household members in the following order: 01 household head 02 head's spouse 03 son/daughter 04 grandson/granddaughter 05 parents 06 others
V66	q09	Q.09 Sex	discrete	numeric	First of all, I would like to ask questions on general information about the members of your household. What is the sex of [Name]?
V67	q10	Q.10 Age	contin	numeric	How old is [Name]?
V68	q11	Q.11 Caste/Ethnicity	discrete	numeric	What is [Name's] Caste/Ethnicity?
V69	q12	Q.12 Relationship to the HH Head	discrete	numeric	What is the relationship of [Name] to the head of household?
V70	q13	Q.13 Marital Status	discrete	numeric	What is the present marital status of [Name]?
V71	q14	Q.14 Citizenship	discrete	numeric	What is the citizenship of [Name]?
V72	q15	Q.15 Months Lived in HH During Last 12 Months	contin	numeric	During the last 12 months, how many months did [Name] live here?
V73	q16	Q.16 Whether Member of HH According to Definition	discrete	numeric	Is [Name] a member of the household as determined by the definition?
V74	q17	Q.17 Whether Born in VDC/Municipality	discrete	numeric	Was [Name] born in this VDC/Municipality?
V75	q18	Q.18 Birth District	discrete	numeric	Where was [Name] born?
V76	q19	Q.19 Whether VDC/Municipality then was Urban/Rural	discrete	numeric	Was the birth place of [Name] then an urban or rural area?
V77	q20	Q.20 Main Reason for Leaving Birth Place	discrete	numeric	What is the main reason for [Name] to leave birth place?
V78	q21	Q.21 Current Residence Same as Past	discrete	numeric	Was [Name's] last usual place of residence before this one is the same VDC/Municipality?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V79	q22	Q.22 Last Usual Place of Residence (District)	discrete	numeric	What was [Name's] last usual place of residence before this one?
V80	q23	Q.23 Whether Last Usual Place of Residence then was Urban/Rural	discrete	numeric	Was it then an urban or rural area?
V81	q24	Q.24 Duration of Stay (Years)	contin	numeric	How many years ago did [Name] move last time to this place?
V82	q25	Q.25 Main Reason for Migration	discrete	numeric	What is the main reason for [Name] to migrate here?
V83	q26	Q.26 Can Read	discrete	numeric	Can [Name] read?
V84	q27	Q.27 Can Write	discrete	numeric	Can [Name] write?
V85	q28	Q.28 Currently Attending School/College	discrete	numeric	Is [Name] currently attending school/college?
V86	q29	Q.29 Ever Attended School/College	discrete	numeric	Has [Name] ever attended school/college?
V87	q30	Q.30 Highest Level of Education Completed	discrete	numeric	What is the highest level of education that [Name] completed?
V88	q31	Q.31 Received Any Formal Vocational/Professional Training	discrete	numeric	Has [Name] received any formal vocational/ professional training?
V89	q32	Q.32 Main Subject of Training	discrete	numeric	What was the main area/subject of the training?
V90	q33	Q.33 Duration of Training (Months)	contin	numeric	How many months did it take to complete this training?
V91	q34	Q.34 Wants to Take Any Additional Vocational/Professional Training	discrete	numeric	Does [Name] want to receive any (additional) vocational/professional training?
V92	q35	Q.35 Main Subject of Training	discrete	numeric	What type of training does [Name] want to receive mainly?
V93	q36a	Q.36A Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Agriculture	contin	numeric	Hours worked in wage job: Agriculture
V94	q36b	Q.36B Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Non-Agriculture	contin	numeric	Hours worked in wage job: Non-Agriculture
V95	q36c	Q.36C Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Own Business	contin	numeric	Self employed: Hours in Business
V96	q36d	Q.36D Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Own Agriculture	contin	numeric	Self employed: Hours in Agriculture
V97	q36e	Q.36E Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Food Processing	contin	numeric	Self employed: Hours in Milling and Food Processing
V98	q36f	Q.36F Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Handicrafts	contin	numeric	Self employed: Hours in Handicrafts, Tailoring
V99	q36g	Q.36G Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Construction & Repairs	contin	numeric	Self employed: Hours in Construction and Major Repairs
V100	q36h	Q.36H Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Fetching Water	contin	numeric	Self employed: Hours in Fetching water
V101	q36i	Q.36I Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Firewood Collection	contin	numeric	Self employed: Hours in Collecting firewood/Cow Dung
V102	q36j	Q.36J Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Other Activities	contin	numeric	Self employed: Hours in Other Work Activities
V103	q36t	Q.36T Hours Worked During Last 7 Days (For Economic Activity)	contin	numeric	Total hours work activities from A-J

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V104	q37a	Q.37A Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Cooking/Serving Food for Household	contin	numeric	Hours engaged in Cooking/Serving food for the household
V105	q37b	Q.37B Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Cleaning Utensils/House	contin	numeric	Hours engaged in Cleaning utensils/house
V106	q37c	Q.37C Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Minor Household Repairs	contin	numeric	Hours engaged in Minor household repairs
V107	q37d	Q.37D Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Shopping for Household	contin	numeric	Hours engaged in Shopping for household
V108	q37e	Q.37E Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Caring for the Old/Sick/Infirm	contin	numeric	Hours engaged in Caring for the old/sick/infirm
V109	q37f	Q.37F Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Child Care	contin	numeric	Hours engaged in Child care
V110	q37g	Q.37G Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Other Volunteer/Community Services	contin	numeric	Hours engaged in Other volunteer/community services
V111	q37t	Q.37T Hours Worked During Last 7 Days for House/Community	contin	numeric	Total hours engaged in household chores (A-G)
V112	q36tot	Q.36T Total Hours in Q.36	contin	numeric	Total hours in Q. No. 36
V113	cat	Q.37 CAT - Grand Total (Q.36T + Q.37T)	contin	numeric	Total hours worked
V114	q38	Q.38 Possibility of Returning to Work	discrete	numeric	Though [Name] did not work in last 7 days, does [Name] have a job or business to which he/she will return to work?
V115	q39	Q.39 Receives Any Remuneration From Job	discrete	numeric	Is [Name] receiving any pay (in cash or kind) or other returns from a job or business while not at work?
V116	q40	Q.40 Length of Time Away from Job/Business Without Pay	discrete	numeric	How long has [Name] been away from the job or business without pay?
V117	q41	Q.41 Main Sort of Work Done in the Last 7 Days [NSCO]	discrete	numeric	What was the main type of work [Name] did in last 7 days?
V118	q42	Q.42 Length of Time Doing Sort of Work	discrete	numeric	For how long has [Name] been doing this sort of work?
V119	q43	Q.43 Main Product of the Place of Work [NSIC]	discrete	numeric	What is the main goods or service produced at the place where [Name] works/worked?
V120	q44	Q.44 Involvement in Main Job	discrete	numeric	What is/was the status of [Name] involved in this main job?
V121	q45	Q.45 Basis for Employment	discrete	numeric	What is/was the basis for [Name's] employment?
V122	q46	Q.46 Duration of Contract	discrete	numeric	What is/was the basis for [Name's] employment?
V123	q47	Q.47 Whether Employer Pays Social Security Contribution for Employee	discrete	numeric	Does [Name's] employer pay social security contribution for [Name]?
V124	q48	Q.48 Gets Paid Leave or Compensation for Unused Leave	discrete	numeric	Does [Name] benefit from paid leave or get compensation for unused leave?
V125	q49	Q.49 Place of Work	discrete	numeric	Where is/was [Name] working?
V126	q50	Q.50 No. of Regular Paid Employees	discrete	numeric	How many regular paid employees are/were employed in this business where [Name] works/worked?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V127	q51	Q.51 Enterprise/Business/Farm Location	discrete	numeric	Where is/was the enterprise/business/farm located?
V128	q52	Q.52 Payment Basis	discrete	numeric	How is/was [Name] paid?
V129	q53	Q.53 Periodicity of Payment at Main Work	discrete	numeric	What is the periodicity of the payment at his/her main work?
V130	q54a	Q.54A Amount of Cash Earned Last Week from Main Work	contin	numeric	How much did [Name] earn in cash last week from his/her main work?
V131	q54b	Q.54B Amount of In-Kind Earned Last Week from Main Work	contin	numeric	How much did [Name] earn in kind last week from his/her main work?
V132	q55a	Q.55A Amount of Cash Earned Last Month from Main Work	contin	numeric	How much did [Name] earn in cash last month from his/her main work?
V133	q55b	Q.55B Amount of Kind Earned Last Month from Main Work	contin	numeric	How much did [Name] earn in kind last month from his/her main work?
V134	q56	Q.56 Performed Work other than Main Work in the Last 7 Days	discrete	numeric	Did [Name] also do any other work within the last 7 days?
V135	q57	Q.57 Secondary Work in the Last 7 Days [NSCO]	discrete	numeric	What type of secondary work did [Name] do in last 7 days?
V136	q58	Q.58 Main Product of Secondary Work Place [NSIC]	discrete	numeric	What is the main goods or service produced at the place where [Name] works in this secondary job?
V137	q59	Q.59 Involvement in Secondary Job	discrete	numeric	What is/was the status of [Name] involved in this secondary job?
V138	q60	Q.60 Usual Work Hours per Week [Main Job]	contin	numeric	How many hours does [Name] USUALLY work per week in main activity?
V139	q61	Q.61 Usual Work Hours per Week [Other Jobs]	contin	numeric	How many hours does [Name] USUALLY work per week in other activity?
V140	q62	Q.62 Usual Work Hours per Week [Usual Total]	contin	numeric	Total hours per week, usually worked.
V141	q63	Q.63 Actual Work Hours per Week [Main Job]	contin	numeric	How many hours does [Name] worked last week in main activity?
V142	q64	Q.64 Actual Work Hours per Week [Other Jobs]	contin	numeric	How many hours does [Name] worked last week in other activity?
V143	q65	Q.65 Actual Work Hours per Week [Actual Total]	contin	numeric	Total hours actually worked last week
V144	q66	Q.66 Gap Between Usual and Actual Work Hours per Week	contin	numeric	Subtract Q60 from Q63 and follow the post question instruction
V145	q67	Q.67 Main Reason for Working More Hours Last Week	discrete	numeric	
V146	q68	Q.68 Reason for Not Working More Hours in Last 7 Days	discrete	numeric	Why didn't [Name] work more hours in last 7 days?
V147	q69	Q.69 Additional Hours Wanted to Work in the Last 7 Days	contin	numeric	How many more hours did [Name] want to work in last 7 days?
V148	q70	Q.70 Looked for More Work in the Last 30 Days	discrete	numeric	Has [Name] looked for more work in the last 30 days?
V149	q71	Q.71 Applied to Any Employers in the Last 30 Days	discrete	numeric	Did [Name] apply to any employers in the last 30 days?
V150	q72	Q.72 Asked Friends/Relatives for Additional Work in the Last 30 Days	discrete	numeric	Did [Name] ask friends or relatives to find additional work in the last 30 days?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V151	q73	Q.73 Took Action to Start Own Business in the Last 30 Days	discrete	numeric	Did [Name] take action to start own business in the last 30 days?
V152	q74	Q.74 Looked for More Work in Other Ways in the Last 30 Days	discrete	numeric	Did [Name] look for more work in other ways in the last 30 days?
V153	q75	Q.75 Length of Time Has Been Available for More Work	discrete	numeric	How long has [Name] been available for more work?
V154	q76	Q.76 Whether Available to Work During the Last 7 Days	discrete	numeric	Was [Name] available to work during the last 7 days?
V155	q77	Q.77 Looked for Work During the Last 30 Days	discrete	numeric	Did [Name] look for work during the last 30 days?
V156	q78	Q.78 Applied to Any Employers During the Last 30 Days	discrete	numeric	Did [Name] apply to any employers during the last 30 days?
V157	q79	Q.79 Asked Friends/Relatives to Finding Work During the Last 30 Days	discrete	numeric	Did [Name] ask friends or relatives to find work during the last 30 days?
V158	q80	Q.80 Took Action to Start Own Business During the Last 30 Days	discrete	numeric	Did [Name] take action to start own business during the last 30 days?
V159	q81	Q.81 Looked for More Work in Other Ways During the Last 30 Days	discrete	numeric	Did [Name] look for more work in other ways during the last 30 days?
V160	q82	Q.82 Reason for Not Looking for Work in the Last 30 Days	discrete	numeric	Why didn't [Name] look for work in the last 30 days?
V161	q83	Q.83 Length of Time has been Available for Work	discrete	numeric	How long has [Name] been available for work?
V162	q84	Q.84 Main Activity in the Last 7 Days	discrete	numeric	What was the reason for [Name] not being available for work in the last 7 days?
V163	q85	Q.85 Number of Months Worked During the Last 12 Months, Section 5	contin	numeric	We have finished talking about the activities of last 7 days. Now I would like to know about your activities during the last 12 months. During the last 12 months, how many months did [Name] work?
V164	q86	Q.86 Number of Months Available for Work in the Remaining Period, Section 5	contin	numeric	Of the months [Name] was not working during the last 12 months, how many months was [Name] available for work?
V165	q87	Q.87 Number Months was Not Working and Not Available for Work as well, Section 5	contin	numeric	During the last 12 months, how many months was [Name] not working and not available for work as well?
V166	q88	Q.88 Total Months of Q.85 and Q.86, Section 5	contin	numeric	Write the total months of q85 and q86
V167	q89	Q.89 Reason for Not Being Available for Work Most of the Year, Section 5	discrete	numeric	What was the reason for [Name] not being available for work most of the last year?
V168	q90	Q.90 Main Sort of Work in the Last 12 Months [NSCO], Section 5	discrete	numeric	What was the main type of work [Name] did in the last 12 months?
V169	q91	Q.91 Work Same as Main Activity in the Last 7 Days, Section 5	discrete	numeric	Was this work the same as [Name's] main activity reported for the last 7 days?
V170	q92	Q.92 Length of Time Doing Particular Sort of Work, Section 5	discrete	numeric	How long has been/was [Name] doing this type of work for?
V171	q93	Q.93 Main Activity of Place of Work [NSIC], Section 5	discrete	numeric	What is the main goods or service produced at the place where [Name] works?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V172	q94	Q.94 Involvement in Main Job, Section 5	discrete	numeric	What is/was the status of [Name] involved in this main job?
V173	q95	Q.95 Basis for Employment, Section 5	discrete	numeric	What is the recruitment condition for [Name's] employment?
V174	q96	Q.96 Duration of Contract, Section 5	discrete	numeric	What is the duration of [Name's] the contract?
V175	q97	Q.97 Whether Employer Pays Social Security Contribution, Section 5	discrete	numeric	Does employer pay social security contribution for [Name]?
V176	q98	Q.98 Benefits From Paid Leave/Get Compensation for Unuse, Section 5	discrete	numeric	Does [Name] benefit from paid leave or get compensation for unused leave?
V177	q99	Q.99 Periodicity of Payment, Section 5	discrete	numeric	What is/was the periodicity of the payment?
V178	q100	Q.100 Place of Work, Section 5	discrete	numeric	Where is/was [Name] working?
V179	q101	Q.101 Number of Regular Paid Employees in Place of Work, Section 5	discrete	numeric	How many regular paid employees are/were employed in this business where [Name] works/worked?
V180	q102	Q.102 Enterprise/Business/Farm Location, Section 5	discrete	numeric	Where is/was the enterprise/business/farm located?
V181	q103	Q.103 Has Ever Worked in the Past, Section 6	discrete	numeric	Now I would like to ask you about previous work you might have done. Has [Name] ever worked in the past?
V182	q104	Q.104 Last Sort of Work Done [NSCO], Section 6	discrete	numeric	What was the last type of work which [Name] did?
V183	q105	Q.105 Main Activity of Place of Work [NSIC], Section 6	discrete	numeric	What was the main goods or service produced at the place where [Name] worked?
V184	q106	Q.106 Length of Time Worked in the Last Job, Section 6	discrete	numeric	For how long did [Name] work in the last job?
V185	q107	Q.107 Number of Months Stopped Working Job, Section 6	discrete	numeric	When did [Name] stop working in that job?
V186	q108	Q.108 Involvement in Main Job, Section 6	discrete	numeric	What was the status of [Name] involved in that main job?
V187	q109	Q.109 Place of Work, Section 6	discrete	numeric	Where was [Name] working?
V188	q110	Q.110 Reason for Leaving Previous Work, Section 6	discrete	numeric	What was the reason for leaving the previous work?
V189	ustat	Usual Economic Status	discrete	numeric	Usual economic status
V190	cstat	Current Economic Status	discrete	numeric	Current economic status
V191	ujobst	Usual Status in Employment	discrete	numeric	Usual status in employment
V192	cjobst	Current Status in Employment	discrete	numeric	Current status in employment
V193	usector	Usual Institutional Sector	discrete	numeric	Usual institutional sector
V194	csector	Current Institutional Sector	discrete	numeric	Current institutional sector
V195	uocc3	Usual Occupation (3 Digit)	discrete	numeric	Usual Occupation (3 digit)
V196	cocc3	Current Occupation (3 Digit)	discrete	numeric	Current Occupation (3 digit)
V197	uind2	Usual Industry (2 Digit)	discrete	numeric	Usual Industry (2 digit)
V198	cind2	Current Industry (2 Digit)	discrete	numeric	Current Industry (2 digit)
V199	uocc	Usual Occupation (Grouped)	discrete	numeric	Current Industry (2 digit)

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V200	cocc	Current Occupation (Grouped)	discrete	numeric	Current Industry (2 digit)
V201	uind	Usual Industry (Grouped)	discrete	numeric	Usual Industry (Grouped)
V202	cind	Current Industry (Grouped)	discrete	numeric	Current Industry (Grouped)
V203	uformal	Whether in Informal Sector - Usual Employment	discrete	numeric	Whether in informal sector - usual status
V204	cformal	Whether in Informal Sector - Current Employment	discrete	numeric	Whether in informal sector - current status
V205	uform_n	No. of Paid Employees in Informal Sector - Usual Employment	discrete	numeric	Number of regular paid employees in informal sector or business
V206	cform_n	No. of Paid Employees in Informal Sector - Current Employment	discrete	numeric	Number of regular paid employees in informal sector or business
V207	uformemp	Whether in Informal Sector - Usual Employment - Employed	discrete	numeric	Whether informally employed - usual status employed only
V208	cformemp	Whether in Informal Sector - Current Employment - Employed	discrete	numeric	Whether informally employed - current status employed only
V209	sechrs	Number of Hours in Other Job	contin	numeric	Number of hours in other jobs
V210	payfreq	Payment Frequency	discrete	numeric	Applies to employed paid employees only
V211	cundrutl	Current Underutilization	discrete	numeric	Current Under Utilization
V212	erngcash	Monthly Earnings in Cash	discrete	numeric	Monthly earnings in cash
V213	erngkind	Monthly Earnings in Kind	discrete	numeric	Monthly earnings in kind
V214	erngtotl	Total Monthly Earnings, Cash and In Kind	discrete	numeric	Total monthly earnings

## absentee\_info

Content	This data file contains information on absentees, section 7 (Absentees Information) of the survey questionnaire.
Cases	0
Variable(s)	14
Structure	Type: relational Keys: psu(PSU), hhid(Household ID), absntid(ID Code of Absentees)
Version	v2.1: Edited, anonymous dataset for public distribution (under certain legal conditions)
Producer	Central Bureau of Statistics, Nepal
Missing Data	

## Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V215	rt	Record Type	discrete	numeric	Record Type
V216	psu	PSU	discrete	numeric	Primary Sampling Unit
V217	hhid	Household ID	discrete	numeric	Household ID
V218	absntid	ID Code of Absentees	discrete	numeric	Absentee ID
V219	q113	Q.113 Sex of Absentees	discrete	numeric	What is the sex of [Name]?
V220	q114	Q.114 Age at the time of leaving home	contin	numeric	What was the age of [Name] at the time of leaving home?
V221	q115	Q.115 Relationship with HH Head	discrete	numeric	What is the relationship of [Name] to the head of the household?
V222	q116	Q.116 Education completed at the time of leaving home	discrete	numeric	What was the highest level of education that [Name] completed at the time of leaving home?
V223	q117	Q.117 Duration of absence (months)	contin	numeric	What is the duration of [Name's] absence?
V224	q118	Q.118 Place of living now (District)	discrete	numeric	Where is [Name] living now?
V225	q119	Q.119 Occupation of Absentees [NSCO]	discrete	numeric	What is [Name's] occupation over there?
V226	q120	Q.120 Received any Cash and Kinds during past 12 month	discrete	numeric	Did your household receive any money or goods from [Name] during the past 12 months?
V227	q121a	Q.121a If Yes, Cash received during past 12 month	contin	numeric	How much did your household receive during past 12 months? Cash (Rs)
V228	q121b	Q.121b If Yes, In-kind received during past 12 month	contin	numeric	How much did your household receive during past 12 months? In-kind (Rs)

## remittance\_info

Content	This data file contains information on remittances, section 8 (Remittance Received from Other Sources) of the survey questionnaire.
Cases	0
Variable(s)	12
Structure	Type: relational Keys: psu(PSU), hhid(Household ID), remitid(ID Code of Remittance Sender)
Version	v2.1: Edited, anonymous dataset for public distribution (under certain legal conditions)
Producer	Central Bureau of Statistics, Nepal
Missing Data	

## Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V229	rt	Record Type	discrete	numeric	Record Type
V230	psu	PSU	discrete	numeric	Primary Sampling Unit
V231	hhid	Household ID	discrete	numeric	Household ID
V232	remitid	ID Code of Remittance Sender	discrete	numeric	Donor Code
V233	q124	Q.124 Sex of Remittance Sender	discrete	numeric	What is the sex of [Name]?
V234	q125	Q.125 Age at the time of leaving home	contin	numeric	What is the age of [Name]?
V235	q126	Q.126 Relationship with HH Head	discrete	numeric	What is the relationship of the [Name] to the head of household?
V236	q127	Q.127 Education completed at the time of leaving home	discrete	numeric	What is the highest level of education that [Name] completed?
V237	q128	Q.128 Place of living now (District)	discrete	numeric	Where is [Name] living now?
V238	q129	Q.129 Occupation of Remittance Sender [NSCO]	discrete	numeric	What is [Name's] occupation over there?
V239	q130a	Q.130a If yes, Cash received during past 12 month	contin	numeric	How much did your household receive during past 12 months? Cash (Rs)
V240	q130b	Q.130b If yes, In-kind received during past 12 month	contin	numeric	How much did your household receive during past 12 months? In-kind (Rs)

## sample

Content	
Cases	0
Variable(s)	13
Structure	Type: relational Keys: psu(PSU)
Version	v2.1: Edited, anonymous dataset for public distribution (under certain legal conditions)
Producer	Central Bureau of Statistics, Nepal
Missing Data	

## Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V241	psu	PSU	discrete	numeric	Primary Sampling Unit
V242	region	Region	discrete	numeric	Region
V243	belt	Ecological Belt	discrete	numeric	Ecological Belt
V244	dcode	District	discrete	numeric	District
V245	ddvvv	VDC/Municipality	discrete	numeric	VDC/Municipality
V246	urbrurl	Urban/Rural area	discrete	numeric	Urban/Rural area
V247	stratum	NLFS-II Stratum	discrete	numeric	NLFS-II Stratum
V248	urbcat	Urban Category	discrete	numeric	Urban category
V249	rurcat	Rural Category	discrete	numeric	Rural category
V250	ur_group	Grouping of urban/rural sector	discrete	numeric	Grouping of urban/rural sector
V251	househld	Census Household	contin	numeric	Census household
V252	sweight	Seasonal Weight	contin	numeric	Seasonal weight
V253	aweight	Annual Weight	contin	numeric	Annual weight



## Record Type (rt)

### File: household\_info

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-4	

#### Description

This is a derived variable and this helps the user to identify the information that it came from, for example 1-household information, 2-individual information, 3- absentee information and 4-remittance information.

#### Source of information

derived item in the computer program.

#### Literal question

Record Type

## PSU (psu)

### File: household\_info

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 4	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1001-1800	

#### Description

A ward or subward (in case of large wards) or segment of a subward (in case of larger subward) or combination of wards (in case of smaller wards) was taken as a PSU in NLFS.

PSU number is a 4 digits code that starts from 1001 to 1800 as there are 800 PSUs in the sample.

#### Universe

The sampling frame consisted of 35,069 enumeration areas or PSUs (wards or sub-wards or merged wards) spread over 3 ecological zones, 5 development regions, 75 districts, 58 Municipalities and 3,914 Village Development Committees (VDCs) of the country.

#### Source of information

Pre-assigned in sample selection.

#### Literal question

Primary Sampling Unit

## Household ID (hhid)

### File: household\_info

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-20	

#### Description

This number identifies the household in a selected PSU. This number varies from 1 to 20 in a PSU. The PSU and hhid together is a unique identifier for a selected household.

#### Source of information

Pre-assigned in sample selection.

#### Literal question

## Household ID (hhid)

File: household\_info

Household ID

## Season (season)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-3

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

The survey was spread over a complete 12 months period from January 2008 to December 2008 splitting annual sample into three sub-groups for three seasons. Where, each sub-group was representing four months in the Nepalese calendar. The three seasons are as follows:

Season : 1 2 3

Characteristics : Dry Rainy Winter

Nepalese calendar : Magh Jeth Ashoj

Fagun Asar Kartik

Chait Saun Mangsir

Baishakh Bhadau Push

English calendar : Jan to May May to Sep Sep to Jan

**Source of information**

Pre-assigned in sample selection.

**Literal question**

Season

## Development Region (devreg)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Development regions divide the country vertically into five (north to south) parts from east to west. Each development region contains a certain number of mountain, hill and terai districts.

**Source of information**

Pre-assigned in sample selection.

## Ecological Belt (ecobelt)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-3

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## Ecological Belt (ecobelt)

File: household\_info

### Description

These divide the country into three horizontal(east to west) parts from north to south. These are mountain, hill and terai. Each ecological belt consists of districts from every development regions.

### Source of information

Pre-assigned in sample selection.

## District (dist)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-75

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

These are administrative units smaller than development regions. These ranges from 1 to 75.

### Source of information

Pre-assigned in sample selection.

## District Name (dname)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 16

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

The name of the district.

### Literal question

District

## VDC/Municipality (vdcmun)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-112

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

These are administrative units smaller than districts. These are called village development committee for rural areas and municipality for urban areas. There are about 4000 such units in the country.

### Source of information

Pre-assigned in sample selection.

## VDC/Municipality Name (vname)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 30

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

VDC/Municipality

## Urban/Rural (urbrur)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

The village development committees have been considered as rural areas and municipalities as urban areas.

**Source of information**

Pre-assigned in sample selection.

## Ward (ward)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-35

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

A ward is the lowest administrative and political unit of the country. A village development committee(VDC) or municipality(MUN) is further divided into smaller parts called wards. Each VDC consists of 9 wards whereas a MUN consists of wards that vary from 1 to 35.

**Source of information**

Pre-assigned in sample selection.

**Literal question**

Ward

## Sub-Ward (subward)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-27

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

A ward with large population size has been divided further into subwards.

## Sub-Ward (subward)

File: household\_info

**Source of information**

Pre-assigned in sample selection.

**Literal question**

Sub-ward

## Name of Household Head (hhname)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 30

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

**Description**

The head of the household is the person who manages the income earned and expenses incurred by the household and who is the most knowledgeable person concerning other members of the household. The head of the household should be usually living in the household and may be either male or female. It is noted that children (aged less than 10 years) couldn't be the head of the household. Refer to 5.2 of data collection manual for details.

**Source of information**

This is the name of the household selected in the sample after listing all the households in the selected PSU.

**Literal question**

Name of the Household Head

## Team Number (team)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 2

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-20

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

**Description**

The team number for which the PSU has been assigned.

**Literal question**

Team No.

## Date of Interview (intrdate)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 6

Decimals: 0

Range: 10265-320465

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

**Description**

The date according to Nepali calendar on which the interview has been carried out.

**Literal question**

Date of Interview

## Interview Day (iday)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-32

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

DD

## Interview Month (imonth)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-12

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

MM

## Interview Year (iyear)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 64-65

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

YY

## Interviewer (intervwr)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 3  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 11-204

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Pre-assigned interviewer's code.

**Literal question**

Interviewer's Name

## Supervisor (suprvisr)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 3  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 11-201

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Pre-assigned supervisor's code.

**Literal question**

Supervisor's Name

## Data Entry Operator (operator)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Pre-assigned Data Entry Operator's code.

**Literal question**

Data Entry Operator's Name

## Religion of HH Head (religion)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-9

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Source of information**

As reported by the household head.

**Literal question**

Religion of Household Head

## Total Family Members (fmlymemb)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-28

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

## Total Family Members (fmlymemb)

### File: household\_info

The total number of household members usually residing in the household.

Total number of household members (usual residents) must be filled in after question 16 has been asked for all people in the household. Only those people coded 1 in question 16 are counted as members of the household.

Refer to 5.2 of data collection manual for details.

## Total Household Members 5 years and above (tot5plus)

### File: household\_info

#### Overview

Type: Continuous

Format: numeric

Width: 2

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-23

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

#### Description

Total number of household members with 5 years and above age usually residing in the household.

#### Literal question

Total household members 5 years and above (Usual Residents)

## Total Members in the Household (totmemb)

### File: household\_info

#### Overview

Type: Continuous

Format: numeric

Width: 2

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-29

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

#### Description

The replicate of the variable v24.

#### Literal question

Total Household Members (Usual Residents)

## Q.1 Type of ownership of the dwelling occupied by household (q01)

### File: household\_info

#### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 1

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-3

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

What is the type of tenancy of the dwelling occupied by your household?

## Q.2 Main source of drinking water of Hhld (q02)

### File: household\_info

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File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

What is the main source of drinking water of your household?

## Q.3 Most often used fuel by household for cooking (q03)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-7

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

Which is the most used fuel for cooking in your household?

## Q.4 Main source of lighting in the dwelling (q04)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-3

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

What is the main source of lighting in your household?

## Q.5 Type of toilet used by household (q05)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

What type of toilet is used by your household?

## Q.6.1 Having Radio (q061)

File: household\_info

### Overview

## Q.6.1 Having Radio (q061)

File: household\_info

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Is radio available in your household?

**Post question**

No [2] -&gt; NEXT FACILITY

## Q.6.1 No. of Radio (q061n)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

If yes, write the number

## Q.6.2 Having Television (q062)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Is television available in your household?

## Q.6.2 No. of Television (q062n)

File: household\_info

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-9

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

If yes, write the number

## Q.6.3 Having Telephone (q063)

File: household\_info

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File: household\_info

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

Is telephone available in your household?

### Q.6.3 No. of Telephone (q063n)

File: household\_info

#### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-10

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

If yes, write the number

### Q.6.4 Having Mobile Phone (q064)

File: household\_info

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

Is mobile phone available in your household?

### Q.6.4 No. of Mobile Phone (q064n)

File: household\_info

#### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-10

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

If yes, write the number

### Q.6.5 Having Computer (q065)

File: household\_info

#### Overview

## Q.6.5 Having Computer (q065)

File: household\_info

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

Is computer available in your household?

## Q.6.5 No. of Computer (q065n)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

If yes, write the number

## Q.7 Have Agricultural Land (q07)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

See data collection manual for the definition of agricultural land.

### Literal question

Do you own any agricultural land, including land operated by yourself, or operate land owned by others?

### Post question

no [2] -> 9

## Q.8.1 Having own land cultivated by Hhld (q081)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Households with agricultural land (q07 = 1)

### Literal question

What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by HH

## Q.8.1 Unit of own land cultivated by Hhld (q081unit)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Unit of land is Bigha, Kaththa and Dhur in terai districts and Ropani, Aanaa, Paisa in hill and mountain districts of Nepal.

### Universe

Households with agricultural land (q07 = 1)

### Literal question

What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by HH

## Q.8.1 Own land cultivated by Hhld (Ropani / Bigha) (q081rb)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-401

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Households with agricultural land (q07 = 1)

### Literal question

What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by HH

## Q.8.1 Own Land cultivated by Hhld (Aana / Kattha) (q081ak)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-19

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Households with agricultural land (q07 = 1)

### Literal question

What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by HH

## Q.8.1 Own Land cultivated by Hhld (Paisa / Dhur) (q081pd)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-19

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Q.8.1 Own Land cultivated by Hhld (Paisa / Dhur) (q081pd)

File: household\_info

#### Universe

Households with agricultural land (q07 = 1)

#### Literal question

What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by HH

### Q.8.2 Having other's land cultivated by Hhld (q082)

File: household\_info

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Universe

Households with agricultural land (q07 = 1)

#### Literal question

What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Other's land operated by HH

### Q.8.2 Unit of other's land cultivated by Hhld (q082unit)

File: household\_info

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Universe

Households with agricultural land (q07 = 1)

#### Literal question

What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Other's land operated by HH

### Q.8.2 Other's land cultivated by Hhld (Ropani / Bigha) (q082rb)

File: household\_info

#### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-84

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Universe

Households with agricultural land (q07 = 1)

#### Literal question

What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Other's land operated by HH

## Q.8.2 Other's land cultivated by Hhld (Aana / Kattha) (q082ak)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-19	

### Universe

Households with agricultural land (q07 = 1)

### Literal question

What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Other's land operated by HH

## Q.8.2 Other's land cultivated by Hhld (Paisa / Dhur) (q082pd)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-17	

### Universe

Households with agricultural land (q07 = 1)

### Literal question

What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Other's land operated by HH

## Q.8.3 Having own land cultivate by others (q083)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

### Universe

Households with agricultural land (q07 = 1)

### Literal question

What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by others

## Q.8.3 Unit of own land cultivated by others (q083unit)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

### Universe

Households with agricultural land (q07 = 1)

### Q.8.3 Unit of own land cultivated by others (q083unit)

File: household\_info

#### Literal question

What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by others

### Q.8.3 Own land cultivated by others (Ropani / Bigha) (q083rb)

File: household\_info

#### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-200

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Universe

Households with agricultural land (q07 = 1)

#### Literal question

What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by others

### Q.8.3 Own land cultivated by others (Aana / Kaththa) (q083ak)

File: household\_info

#### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-19

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Universe

Households with agricultural land (q07 = 1)

#### Literal question

What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by others

### Q.8.3 Own land cultivated by others (Paisa / Dhur) (q083pd)

File: household\_info

#### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-18

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Universe

Households with agricultural land (q07 = 1)

#### Literal question

What is the total area of agricultural land owned or operated? Own land operated by others

### Q.111 Any persons away (absent) from household (q111)

File: household\_info

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File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

### Description

Refer to the data collection manual for the definition of absentee.

### Literal question

Is/are there any person/s, who is/are currently away (absent) from your household?

### Post question

No [2] -> 122

## Q.111 Number of Absentees (q111n)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-16	

### Universe

Households with absentee members (q111 = 1)

### Literal question

If yes, mention number of absentees

## Q.122 Receive remittance (q122)

File: household\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

### Description

Refer to the data collection manual for the definition of remittance.

### Literal question

Did your household receive any money or goods from the source other than the person absent from your household in the last 12 months?

### Post question

No [2] -> END

## Q.122 Number of Remittance sender (q122n)

File: household\_info

### Overview

## Q.122 Number of Remittance sender (q122n)

File: household\_info

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### **Universe**

Households that received remittance from other people in the last 12 months (q122 = 1)

### **Literal question**

If yes, number of donors

## Record Type (rt)

## File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

This is a derived variable and this helps the user to identify the information that it came from, for example 1-household information, 2-individual information, 3- absentee information and 4-remittance information.

**Literal question**

Record Type

## PSU (psu)

## File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 4  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1001-1800

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

A ward or subward (in case of large wards) or segment of a subward (in case of larger subward) or combination of wards (in case of smaller wards) was taken as a PSU in NLFS.

PSU number is a 4 digits code that starts from 1001 to 1800 as there are 800 PSUs in the sample.

**Literal question**

Primary Sampling Unit

## Household ID (hhid)

## File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-20

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

This number identifies the household in a selected PSU. This number varies from 1 to 20 in a PSU. The PSU and hhid together is a unique identifier for a selected household.

**Literal question**

Household ID

## ID Code No. (idcode)

## File: individual\_info

**Overview**

## ID Code No. (idcode)

### File: individual\_info

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-29

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

#### Description

The idcode is the unique identifier of an individual in a selected household of the selected PSU.

The psu, hhid and idcode together identifies an individual uniquely.

For detail on writing the names of the family members in the household, please refer to the household roster section of the data collection manual.

#### Literal question

Write the name of the household members in the following order:

- 01 household head
- 02 head's spouse
- 03 son/daughter
- 04 grandson/granddaughter
- 05 parents
- 06 others

## Q.09 Sex (q09)

### File: individual\_info

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

First of all, I would like to ask questions on general information about the members of your household.  
 What is the sex of [Name]?

## Q.10 Age (q10)

### File: individual\_info

#### Overview

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 3  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-104

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

How old is [Name]?

#### Post question

Age in complete years

## Q.11 Caste/Ethnicity (q11)

### File: individual\_info

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File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-103

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

What is [Name's] Caste/Ethnicity?

## Q.12 Relationship to the HH Head (q12)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-11

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

What is the relationship of [Name] to the head of household?

## Q.13 Marital Status (q13)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Persons aged 10 years and above

### Pre question

(Only for persons aged 10 years and above)

### Literal question

What is the present marital status of [Name]?

### Post question

Only for persons aged 10 years and above

## Q.14 Citizenship (q14)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-6

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

## Q.14 Citizenship (q14)

File: individual\_info

### Literal question

What is the citizenship of [Name]?

## Q.15 Months Lived in HH During Last 12 Months (q15)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous

Format: numeric

Width: 2

Decimals: 0

Range: 0-12

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

### Literal question

During the last 12 months, how many months did [Name] live here?

### Post question

Write '12' if always present or away for less than 1 month.

## Q.16 Whether Member of HH According to Definition (q16)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 1

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

### Literal question

Is [Name] a member of the household as determined by the definition?

### Post question

No [2] -> END

If no, check on Section 7

## Q.17 Whether Born in VDC/Municipality (q17)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 1

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

### Literal question

Was [Name] born in this VDC/Municipality?

### Post question

Yes [1] ->21

## Q.18 Birth District (q18)

File: individual\_info

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File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-95	

**Universe**

q17 = 2

**Literal question**

Where was [Name] born?

**Post question**

If Foreign Country -&gt; 20

## Q.19 Whether VDC/Municipality then was Urban/Rural (q19)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

**Universe**

q17 = 2

**Literal question**

Was the birth place of [Name] then an urban or rural area?

## Q.20 Main Reason for Leaving Birth Place (q20)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-11	

**Literal question**

What is the main reason for [Name] to leave birth place?

## Q.21 Current Residence Same as Past (q21)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

**Literal question**

Was [Name's] last usual place of residence before this one is the same VDC/Municipality?

## Q.21 Current Residence Same as Past (q21)

File: individual\_info

### Post question

Yes [1] -> 26

## Q.22 Last Usual Place of Residence (District) (q22)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-95

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q21 = 2

### Literal question

What was [Name's] last usual place of residence before this one?

### Post question

If Foreign Country -> 24

## Q.23 Whether Last Usual Place of Residence then was Urban/Rural (q23)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q21 = 2

### Literal question

Was it then an urban or rural area?

## Q.24 Duration of Stay (Years) (q24)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-15

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

How many years ago did [Name] move last time to this place?

### Post question

Write in complete years: if less than 1 year, write '0' and if 15 years or more, write '15'.

## Q.25 Main Reason for Migration (q25)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-11

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

What is the main reason for [Name] to migrate here?

## Q.26 Can Read (q26)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

Members aged 5 years and above

**Pre question**

To be asked to all members of age 5 years and above

**Literal question**

Can [Name] read?

**Post question**

No [2] -> 28

## Q.27 Can Write (q27)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

q26 = 1

**Literal question**

Can [Name] write?

## Q.28 Currently Attending School/College (q28)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## Q.28 Currently Attending School/College (q28)

File: individual\_info

### Universe

q26 = 1

### Literal question

Is [Name] currently attending school/college?

### Post question

Ask only to those of aged 40 years and below.

Yes [1] -> 30

## Q.29 Ever Attended School/College (q29)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q26 = 2 or q28 = 2

### Literal question

Has [Name] ever attended school/college?

### Post question

No [2] -> 1

## Q.30 Highest Level of Education Completed (q30)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-17  
Invalid: 99

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q29 = 1

### Literal question

What is the highest level of education that [Name] completed?

### Post question

To be asked to members of age 14 Years and above

## Q.31 Received Any Formal Vocational/Professional Training (q31)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

## Q.31 Received Any Formal Vocational/Professional Training (q31)

File: individual\_info

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Members aged 14 years and above

### Pre question

To be asked to members of age 14 years and above

### Literal question

Has [Name] received any formal vocational/ professional training?

### Post question

No [2] -> 34

## Q.32 Main Subject of Training (q32)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 11-212

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q31 = 1

### Literal question

What was the main area/subject of the training?

### Post question

If more than one, write the subject of major training

## Q.33 Duration of Training (Months) (q33)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-36

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q31 = 1

### Literal question

How many months did it take to complete this training?

### Post question

If the training is part time calculate its full time equivalent and if the duration is less than 1 month, write '0'

## Q.34 Wants to Take Any Additional Vocational/Professional Training (q34)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

### Universe

Members aged 14 years and above

### Literal question

Does [Name] want to receive any (additional) vocational/professional training?

### Post question

No [2] -> 36

## Q.35 Main Subject of Training (q35)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 11-212	

### Universe

q34 = 1

### Literal question

What type of training does [Name] want to receive mainly?

## Q.36A Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Agriculture (q36a)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-84	

### Description

Working for wage or salary, or payment in kind (e.g. food, clothes) in agriculture.

#### Wage Jobs

Those persons, who are working for wage and salary in different sectors, such as factories, enterprises, agricultural farm, shop, government offices, hotel and restaurant, transport and communication etc are included in the categories. In addition, politicians, doctors and advocates are also fall under this category, if they are receiving remuneration for their work. Wage jobs of agriculture are as follows.

In Agriculture: Jobs of the workers employed in farms, forestry and fishery, and other agricultural economic units engaged in the production of agricultural goods. Agricultural labourers for ploughing, planting and harvesting crops, fishing etc, are also considered as wage job of the agriculture sector.

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

### Pre question

## Q.36A Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Agriculture (q36a)

### File: individual\_info

Section 3. Current Activities

Q. No.36: During the last 7 days, did [Name] do any of the following WORK activities?  
(Record hours actually spent doing the activity during the last 7 days. If No Write ' - ')

#### Literal question

Hours worked in wage job: Agriculture

## Q.36B Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Non-Agriculture (q36b)

### File: individual\_info

#### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-120

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Description

Working for wage or salary, or payment in kind (e.g. food, clothes) in non-agriculture sector, such as mining, manufacturing, construction, trade and other business services and in other national, international non-government organizations.

#### Wage Jobs

Those persons, who are working for wage and salary in different sectors, such as factories, enterprises, agricultural farm, shop, government offices, hotel and restaurant, transport and communication etc are included in the categories. In addition, politicians, doctors and advocates are also fall under this category, if they are receiving remuneration for their work. Wage jobs of non-agriculture are as follows.

In non-agriculture: Jobs of the workers employed in factories, business enterprises, shops, service undertakings, and other economic units engaged in the production of goods and services intended for sale on the market are jobs of the non-agriculture sector. It also includes jobs of employees of government and other social and cultural institutions, hotels, restaurants, transport and communication, politicians who get remuneration, lawyers, doctors, shopkeepers etc.

#### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

#### Literal question

Hours worked in wage job: Non-Agriculture

## Q.36C Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Own Business (q36c)

### File: individual\_info

#### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-126

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Description

Retail shop, street or market traderm other trading activity, transporting products to market for sale, operating taxi, tempo service, tuition, coaching, etc.

Self-employed: Managing one's own business whether or not involved in producing the output.

Trade and business: Managing one's own business and trade.

#### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

#### Literal question

Self employed: Hours in Business

## Q.36D Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Own Agriculture (q36d)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-105

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Planting, weeding, harvesting, keeping bird/ pests away from crops, carrying crops to/ from storage, herding, looking after animals, poultry farming, etc.

Self-employed: Managing one's own business whether or not involved in producing the output.

Agriculture: Growing or gathering field crops, fruits and vegetables, raising livestock and managing own livestock products such as egg, milk, food etc. Hunting animals and birds, catching fish, crabs and shellfish. Collection of berries or other uncultivated crops, Burning charcoal.

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

### Literal question

Self employed: Hours in Agriculture

## Q.36E Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Food Processing (q36e)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-84

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Milling rice, maize, etc., any other processing of food (except cooking for household use only)

Self-employed: Managing one's own business whether or not involved in producing the output.

Milling and other food processing: Threshing and milling grain, making butter, ghee and cheese, slaughtering livestock, curing hides and skins, preserving meat and fish. Making beer and alcohol.

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

### Literal question

Self employed: Hours in Milling and Food Processing

## Q.36F Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Handicrafts (q36f)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-85

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

## Q.36F Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Handicrafts (q36f)

### File: individual\_info

Tailoring, dress making, weaving, making handicrafts, etc.

Self-employed: Managing one's own business whether or not involved in producing the output.

Handicrafts: Collecting thatching and weaving materials, making mats, weaving baskets and mats, making clay pots, weaving cloth, dressmaking and tailoring, making furniture.

#### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

#### Literal question

Self employed: Hours in Handicrafts, Tailoring

## Q.36G Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Construction & Repairs (q36g)

### File: individual\_info

#### Overview

Type: Continuous

Format: numeric

Width: 2

Decimals: 0

Range: 0-84

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

#### Description

Construction and major repair of houses, farm buildings, fences, boats, construction works done through volunteer labour (road, bridge, building, etc.)

Self-employed: Managing one's own business whether or not involved in producing the output.

Construction and major repairs: Construction of a dwelling, farm buildings, clearing land for construction, construction of a additional floor, or a major renovation of a dwelling, private roads, wells and other private facilities.

#### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

#### Literal question

Self employed: Hours in Construction and Major Repairs

## Q.36H Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Fetching Water (q36h)

### File: individual\_info

#### Overview

Type: Continuous

Format: numeric

Width: 2

Decimals: 0

Range: 0-35

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

#### Description

Self-employed: Managing one's own business whether or not involved in producing the output.

Fetching water: Collecting water for household use.

#### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

#### Literal question

Self employed: Hours in Fetching water

## Q.36I Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Firewood Collection (q36i)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-63

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Self-employed: Managing one's own business whether or not involved in producing the output.

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

### Literal question

Self employed: Hours in Collecting firewood/Cow Dung

## Q.36J Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Other Activities (q36j)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-80

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Any other home-based economic activities

Self-employed: Managing one's own business whether or not involved in producing the output.

Other work activities: Bonded labourer (i.e. work for an employer, a landlord or money lender to meet an obligation - usually a debt - without pay or with less than normal pay until the obligation has been settled), activities of a member of a religious order such as a monk or a priest, cooking food for labourers working on one's farm when food is provided as part of labourers' wage.

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

### Literal question

Self employed: Hours in Other Work Activities

## Q.36T Hours Worked During Last 7 Days (For Economic Activity) (q36t)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-126

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

### Literal question

Total hours work activities from A-J

## Q.37A Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Cooking/Serving Food for Household (q37a)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-70

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

### Pre question

Q. No. 37: During the last 7 days, did (Name) do any of the following activities WITHOUT PAY or PROFIT FOR YOUR HOUSEHOLD and for COMMUNITY?  
(Mention each activity serially from 'A' onwards)  
(Record hours actually spent doing the activity during the last 7 days. If No Write ' - ')

### Literal question

Hours engaged in Cooking/Serving food for the household

## Q.37B Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Cleaning Utensils/House (q37b)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-56

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

### Literal question

Hours engaged in Cleaning utensils/house

## Q.37C Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Minor Household Repairs (q37c)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-56

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

### Literal question

Hours engaged in Minor household repairs

## Q.37D Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Shopping for Household (q37d)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-50	

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

### Literal question

Hours engaged in Shopping for household

## Q.37E Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Caring for the Old/Sick/Infirm (q37e)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-100	

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

### Literal question

Hours engaged in Caring for the old/sick/infirm

## Q.37F Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Child Care (q37f)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-126	

### Description

Feeding, taking to school and other cares of children

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

### Literal question

Hours engaged in Child care

## Q.37G Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Other Volunteer/Community Services (q37g)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

## Q.37G Hours Worked During Last 7 Days in Other Volunteer/Community Services (q37g)

File: individual\_info

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-84

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Services rendered voluntarily only (excluding volunteer construction work)

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

### Literal question

Hours engaged in Other volunteer/community services

## Q.37T Hours Worked During Last 7 Days for House/Community (q37t)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-154

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

### Literal question

Total hours engaged in household chores (A-G)

## Q.36T Total Hours in Q.36 (q36tot)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-126

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

### Source of information

Interviewer

### Literal question

Total hours in Q. No. 36

### Post question

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## Q.37 CAT - Grand Total (Q.36T + Q.37T) (cat)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

## Q.37 CAT - Grand Total (Q.36T + Q.37T) (cat)

## File: individual\_info

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 3  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-159

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

Members aged 5 years and above

**Source of information**

Interviewer

**Literal question**

Total hours worked

**Post question**

Q36T + Q37T

## Q.38 Possibility of Returning to Work (q38)

## File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

q36t = 0

**Pre question**

Ask only if Q36T=0 in Q.N.36, otherwise go to Q. NO. 41 (->41)

**Literal question**

Though [Name] did not work in last 7 days, does [Name] have a job or business to which he/she will return to work?

**Post question**

No [2] -> 76

## Q.39 Receives Any Remuneration From Job (q39)

## File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

q38 = 1

**Literal question**

Is [Name] receiving any pay (in cash or kind) or other returns from a job or business while not at work?

**Post question**

Yes [1] -> 41

## Q.40 Length of Time Away from Job/Business Without Pay (q40)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### Universe

q39 = 2

### Literal question

How long has [Name] been away from the job or business without pay?

### Post question

Two months or more [2] -> 76

## Q.41 Main Sort of Work Done in the Last 7 Days [NSCO] (q41)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 3  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 11-999

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### Universe

q36t > 0 or q39 = 1 or q40 = 1

### Literal question

What was the main type of work [Name] did in last 7 days?

### Post question

Did not work in last 7 days, but has a job or business in which he/she will return then write about that job.

## Q.42 Length of Time Doing Sort of Work (q42)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-4  
 Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### Universe

q36t > 0 or q39 = 1 or q40 = 1

### Literal question

For how long has [Name] been doing this sort of work?

## Q.43 Main Product of the Place of Work [NSIC] (q43)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

## Q.43 Main Product of the Place of Work [NSIC] (q43)

### File: individual\_info

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Universe

q36t > 0 or q39 = 1 or q40 = 1

#### Literal question

What is the main goods or service produced at the place where [Name]works/worked?

## Q.44 Involvement in Main Job (q44)

### File: individual\_info

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-5  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Universe

q36t > 0 or q39 = 1 or q40 = 1

#### Literal question

What is/was the status of [Name] involved in this main job?

#### Post question

Operating own business or farm with regular paid employees [2] -> 50  
Operating own business or farm without regular paid employees [3] -> 51  
Contributing family member without pay [4] -> 50  
Others (specify) [5] -> 50

## Q.45 Basis for Employment (q45)

### File: individual\_info

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-3  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Universe

q44 = 1

#### Literal question

What is/was the basis for [Name's] employment?

#### Post question

Permanent [1] -> 49

## Q.46 Duration of Contract (q46)

### File: individual\_info

## Q.46 Duration of Contract (q46)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-6  
 Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### Universe

q45 <> 1

### Literal question

What is/was the basis for [Name's] employment?

## Q.47 Whether Employer Pays Social Security Contribution for Employee (q47)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2  
 Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### Universe

q45 <> 1

### Literal question

Does [Name's] employer pay social security contribution for [Name]?

## Q.48 Gets Paid Leave or Compensation for Unused Leave (q48)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2  
 Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### Universe

q45 <> 1

### Literal question

Does [Name] benefit from paid leave or get compensation for unused leave?

## Q.49 Place of Work (q49)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

## Q.49 Place of Work (q49)

File: individual\_info

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-8

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q44 = 1

### Literal question

Where is/was [Name] working?

### Post question

In government service [1] -> 53  
In financial public corporation [2] -> 53  
In non-financial public corporation [3] -> 53  
In NGOs/INGOs [4] -> 53  
In private registered financial company [5] -> 52  
In private registered non-financial company [6] -> 52

## Q.50 No. of Regular Paid Employees (q50)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-4  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q44 = 2, 4, 5 or q49 = 7, 8

### Literal question

How many regular paid employees are/were employed in this business where [Name] works/worked?

### Post question

Exclude employers, unpaid apprentices, unpaid family workers and casual workers

10 or more [4] -> 52

## Q.51 Enterprise/Business/Farm Location (q51)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q44 = 3 or q50 <> 4

### Literal question

Where is/was the enterprise/business/farm located?

## Q.52 Payment Basis (q52)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Paid employees (q44 = 1 or q50 = 4)

### Pre question

For paid employees only (Otherwise -> Q56)

### Literal question

How is/was [Name] paid?

### Post question

Piecerate [2] -> 54a

## Q.53 Periodicity of Payment at Main Work (q53)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q52 = 1

### Pre question

For paid employees only (Otherwise -> Q56)

### Literal question

What is the periodicity of the payment at his/her main work?

### Post question

Monthly [3] -> 55a

## Q.54A Amount of Cash Earned Last Week from Main Work (q54a)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 6  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-999999

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q53 <> 3

### Pre question

For paid employees only (Otherwise -> Q56)

### Literal question

How much did [Name] earn in cash last week from his/her main work?

### Post question

-> 56

## Q.54B Amount of In-Kind Earned Last Week from Main Work (q54b)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 6  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-999999

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

q53 &lt;&gt; 3

**Pre question**

For paid employees only (Otherwise -&gt; Q56)

**Literal question**

How much did [Name] earn in kind last week from his/her main work?

**Post question**

-&gt; 56

## Q.55A Amount of Cash Earned Last Month from Main Work (q55a)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 6  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-999999

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

q53 = 3

**Pre question**

For paid employees only (Otherwise -&gt; Q56)

**Literal question**

How much did [Name] earn in cash last month from his/her main work?

## Q.55B Amount of Kind Earned Last Month from Main Work (q55b)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 6  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-999999  
 Invalid: 0

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

q53 = 3

**Pre question**

For paid employees only (Otherwise -&gt; Q56)

**Literal question**

How much did [Name] earn in kind last month from his/her main work?

## Q.56 Performed Work other than Main Work in the Last 7 Days (q56)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### Universe

q44 = 1 or q50 = 4

### Literal question

Did [Name] also do any other work within the last 7 days?

### Post question

No [2] -> 60

## Q.57 Secondary Work in the Last 7 Days [NSCO] (q57)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 3  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 11-999

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### Universe

q56 = 1

### Literal question

What type of secondary work did [Name] do in last 7 days?

### Post question

If more than one job, get details of the main secondary job in which person spent most time

## Q.58 Main Product of Secondary Work Place [NSIC] (q58)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### Universe

q56 = 1

### Literal question

What is the main goods or service produced at the place where [Name] works in this secondary job?

## Q.59 Involvement in Secondary Job (q59)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

## Q.59 Involvement in Secondary Job (q59)

File: individual\_info

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q56 = 1

### Literal question

What is/was the status of [Name] involved in this secondary job?

## Q.60 Usual Work Hours per Week [Main Job] (q60)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-126

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q44 = 1 or q50 = 4

### Literal question

How many hours does [Name] USUALLY work per week in main activity?

## Q.61 Usual Work Hours per Week [Other Jobs] (q61)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-90

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q44 = 1 or q50 = 4

### Literal question

How many hours does [Name] USUALLY work per week in other activity?

## Q.62 Usual Work Hours per Week [Usual Total] (q62)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-141

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q44 = 1 or q50 = 4

### Pre question

## Q.62 Usual Work Hours per Week [Usual Total] (q62)

File: individual\_info

q62=q60+q61

### Literal question

Total hours per week, usually worked.

## Q.63 Actual Work Hours per Week [Main Job] (q63)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous

Format: numeric

Width: 3

Decimals: 0

Range: 0-126

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

### Universe

q44 = 1 or q50 = 4

### Literal question

How many hours does [Name] worked last week in main activity?

## Q.64 Actual Work Hours per Week [Other Jobs] (q64)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous

Format: numeric

Width: 2

Decimals: 0

Range: 0-70

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

### Universe

q44 = 1 or q50 = 4

### Literal question

How many hours does [Name] worked last week in other activity?

## Q.65 Actual Work Hours per Week [Actual Total] (q65)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous

Format: numeric

Width: 3

Decimals: 0

Range: 0-126

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

### Universe

q44 = 1 or q50 = 4

### Pre question

q65=q63+q64

### Literal question

Total hours actually worked last week

### Post question

Compare the total hours in q65 to total hours in q36t

## Q.66 Gap Between Usual and Actual Work Hours per Week (q66)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 4  
Decimals: 0  
Range: -112-77

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q44 = 1 or q50 = 4

### Source of information

Interviewer

### Literal question

Subtract Q60 from Q63 and follow the post question instruction

### Post question

If q63 - q60 = 0 -> 68

If q63 - q60 = - -> 68

If q63 - q60 = + -> 67

## Q.67 Main Reason for Working More Hours Last Week (q67)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q66 > 0

### Post question

q67. What is the main reason that [Name] worked for more hours last week?

## Q.68 Reason for Not Working More Hours in Last 7 Days (q68)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-13

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q66 <= 0

### Pre question

Check total hours worked (Q36T) entered under Q. No. 36, and enter ' - ' in Q. 68 if total hour in Q36T is 40 or more and then go to Q85, otherwise continue.

### Literal question

Why didn't [Name] work more hours in last 7 days?

### Post question

## Q.68 Reason for Not Working More Hours in Last 7 Days (q68)

File: individual\_info

Have sufficient work [7] -> 85  
 Household duties [8] -> 85  
 Student, unpaid training [9] -> 85  
 Illness, disability [10] -> 85  
 Vacation, family reason [11] -> 85  
 Pregnant/Delivery [11] -> 85  
 Other voluntary (specify) [13] -> 85

## Q.69 Additional Hours Wanted to Work in the Last 7 Days (q69)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-84	

### Universe

q86 > 6

### Literal question

How many more hours did [Name] want to work in last 7 days?

## Q.70 Looked for More Work in the Last 30 Days (q70)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

### Universe

q86 > 6

### Literal question

Has [Name] looked for more work in the last 30 days?

### Post question

No [2] -> 75

## Q.71 Applied to Any Employers in the Last 30 Days (q71)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

### Universe

q70 = 1

### Literal question

Did [Name] apply to any employers in the last 30 days?

## Q.72 Asked Friends/Relatives for Additional Work in the Last 30 Days (q72)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

### Universe

q70 = 1

### Literal question

Did [Name] ask friends or relatives to find additional work in the last 30 days?

## Q.73 Took Action to Start Own Business in the Last 30 Days (q73)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

### Universe

q70 = 1

### Literal question

Did [Name] take action to start own business in the last 30 days?

## Q.74 Looked for More Work in Other Ways in the Last 30 Days (q74)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

### Universe

q70 = 1

### Literal question

Did [Name] look for more work in other ways in the last 30 days?

## Q.75 Length of Time Has Been Available for More Work (q75)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-6	

## Q.75 Length of Time Has Been Available for More Work (q75)

File: individual\_info

### Universe

q68 > 6

### Literal question

How long has [Name] been available for more work?

### Post question

-> 85

## Q.76 Whether Available to Work During the Last 7 Days (q76)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above who did not work in the last 7 days (Q36T = 0) and who do not have a job to return to (Q38 = No) or who do not have a job to return to but have been away from it without pay or returns for two months or more (Q40 = 2 months or more)

### Pre question

Ask only to those who did not work in last 7 days and did not have any job or business to which he/she can return to work or not receiving any pay (in cash or inkind) or profit from a job or business during the last 2 months, while not at work.

### Literal question

Was [Name] available to work during the last 7 days?

### Post question

No [2] -> 84

## Q.77 Looked for Work During the Last 30 Days (q77)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q76 = 1

### Pre question

Ask only to those who did not work in last 7 days and did not have any job or business to which he/she can return to work or not receiving any pay (in cash or inkind) or profit from a job or business during the last 2 months, while not at work.

### Literal question

Did [Name] look for work during the last 30 days?

### Post question

No [2] -> 82

## Q.78 Applied to Any Employers During the Last 30 Days (q78)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q77 = 1

### Pre question

Ask only to those who did not work in last 7 days and did not have any job or business to which he/she can return to work or not receiving any pay (in cash or inkind) or profit from a job or business during the last 2 months, while not at work.

### Literal question

Did [Name] apply to any employers during the last 30 days?

## Q.79 Asked Friends/Relatives to Finding Work During the Last 30 Days (q79)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q77 = 1

### Pre question

Ask only to those who did not work in last 7 days and did not have any job or business to which he/she can return to work or not receiving any pay (in cash or inkind) or profit from a job or business during the last 2 months, while not at work.

### Literal question

Did [Name] ask friends or relatives to find work during the last 30 days?

## Q.80 Took Action to Start Own Business During the Last 30 Days (q80)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q77 = 1

### Pre question

Ask only to those who did not work in last 7 days and did not have any job or business to which he/she can return to work or not receiving any pay (in cash or inkind) or profit from a job or business during the last 2 months, while not at work.

### Literal question

Did [Name] take action to start own business during the last 30 days?

## Q.81 Looked for More Work in Other Ways During the Last 30 Days (q81)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q77 = 1

### Pre question

Ask only to those who did not work in last 7 days and did not have any job or business to which he/she can return to work or not receiving any pay (in cash or inkind) or profit from a job or business during the last 2 months, while not at work.

### Literal question

Did [Name] look for more work in other ways during the last 30 days?

### Post question

-> 83

## Q.82 Reason for Not Looking for Work in the Last 30 Days (q82)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-6  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q76 = 2

### Pre question

Ask only to those who did not work in last 7 days and did not have any job or business to which he/she can return to work or not receiving any pay (in cash or inkind) or profit from a job or business during the last 2 months, while not at work.

### Literal question

Why didn't [Name] look for work in the last 30 days?

### Post question

Give the main reason if more than one

Not available [5] -> 84

## Q.83 Length of Time has been Available for Work (q83)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-6

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q82 <> 5

### Pre question

## Q.83 Length of Time has been Available for Work (q83)

File: individual\_info

Ask only to those who did not work in last 7 days and did not have any job or business to which he/she can return to work or not receiving any pay (in cash or inkind) or profit from a job or business during the last 2 months, while not at work.

### Literal question

How long has [Name] been available for work?

### Post question

-> 85

## Q.84 Main Activity in the Last 7 Days (q84)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-5  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q82 <> 4

### Pre question

Ask only to those who did not work in last 7 days and did not have any job or business to which he/she can return to work or not receiving any pay (in cash or inkind) or profit from a job or business during the last 2 months, while not at work.

### Literal question

What was the reason for [Name] not being available for work in the last 7 days?

## Q.85 Number of Months Worked During the Last 12 Months, Section 5 (q85)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-12  
Invalid: 99

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q82 = 4

### Literal question

We have finished talking about the activities of last 7 days. Now I would like to know about your activities during the last 12 months.

During the last 12 months, how many months did [Name] work?

### Post question

If worked for 12 months, go to Q. No. 90

## Q.86 Number of Months Available for Work in the Remaining Period, Section 5 (q86)

File: individual\_info

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File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-12	
Invalid: 99	

### Universe

q85 < 12

### Literal question

Of the months [Name] was not working during the last 12 months, how many months was [Name] available for work?

## Q.87 Number Months was Not Working and Not Available for Work as well, Section 5 (q87)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-12	
Invalid: 99	

### Universe

q85 < 12

### Literal question

During the last 12 months, how many months was [Name] not working and not available for work as well?

### Post question

Check that Q. No. 85, 86 and 87 must be "12"

## Q.88 Total Months of Q.85 and Q.86, Section 5 (q88)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-12	
Invalid: 99	

### Source of information

Interviewer

### Literal question

Write the total months of q85 and q86

### Post question

If 6 months or more -> 90

## Q.89 Reason for Not Being Available for Work Most of the Year, Section 5 (q89)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-8

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q88 < 6

### Literal question

What was the reason for [Name] not being available for work most of the last year?

### Post question

If more than one reason, code the main one

## Q.90 Main Sort of Work in the Last 12 Months [NSCO], Section 5 (q90)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 11-999

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Members aged 5 years and above

### Literal question

What was the main type of work [Name] did in the last 12 months?

### Post question

If "0" in Q. No. 85, write "Not Working" in Q. No. 60 and -> Q. No. 103

## Q.91 Work Same as Main Activity in the Last 7 Days, Section 5 (q91)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

Was this work the same as [Name's] main activity reported for the last 7 days?

### Post question

Yes [1] -> END

## Q.92 Length of Time Doing Particular Sort of Work, Section 5 (q92)

File: individual\_info

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File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q91 = 2

### Literal question

How long has been/was [Name] doing this type of work for?

## Q.93 Main Activity of Place of Work [NSIC], Section 5 (q93)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q91 = 2

### Literal question

What is the main goods or service produced at the place where [Name] works?

## Q.94 Involvement in Main Job, Section 5 (q94)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-5  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q91 = 2

### Literal question

What is/was the status of [Name] involved in this main job?

### Post question

Operating own business or farm with regular paid employees [2] -> 101  
Operating own business or farm without regular paid employees [3] -> 102  
Contributing family member without pay [4] -> 101  
Others (specify) [5] -> 101

## Q.95 Basis for Employment, Section 5 (q95)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

## Q.95 Basis for Employment, Section 5 (q95)

File: individual\_info

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-3

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q94 = 1

### Literal question

What is the recruitment condition for [Name's] employment?

### Post question

Permanent [1] -> 99

## Q.96 Duration of Contract, Section 5 (q96)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-6

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q95 <> 1

### Literal question

What is the duration of [Name's] the contract?

## Q.97 Whether Employer Pays Social Security Contribution, Section 5 (q97)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q95 <> 1

### Literal question

Does employer pay social security contribution for [Name]?

## Q.98 Benefits From Paid Leave/Get Compensation for Unuse, Section 5 (q98)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

## Q.98 Benefits From Paid Leave/Get Compensation for Unuse, Section 5 (q98)

File: individual\_info

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q95 <> 1

### Literal question

Does [Name] benefit from paid leave or get compensation for unused leave?

## Q.99 Periodicity of Payment, Section 5 (q99)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q94 = 1

### Literal question

What is/was the periodicity of the payment?

## Q.100 Place of Work, Section 5 (q100)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-8  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q94 = 1

### Literal question

Where is/was [Name] working?

### Post question

If the answer is from 1-6 end of section 5

## Q.101 Number of Regular Paid Employees in Place of Work, Section 5 (q101)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

## Q.101 Number of Regular Paid Employees in Place of Work, Section 5 (q101)

File: individual\_info

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-4  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q94 <> 3

### Literal question

How many regular paid employees are/were employed in this business where [Name] works/worked?

### Post question

(Exclude employers, unpaid apprentices, unpaid family workers and casual workers)

If the answer is 4, end section 5

## Q.102 Enterprise/Business/Farm Location, Section 5 (q102)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q101 <> 4

### Literal question

Where is/was the enterprise/business/farm located?

### Post question

End of section 5

## Q.103 Has Ever Worked in the Past, Section 6 (q103)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Members who did not work in the last 12 months (q85 = 0)

### Pre question

Ask those persons who did not work at all (if Q. No. 85 = 0) during the last 12 months

### Literal question

Now I would like to ask you about previous work you might have done.  
Has [Name] ever worked in the past?

### Post question

No [2] -> END

## Q.104 Last Sort of Work Done [NSCO], Section 6 (q104)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 3  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 11-999

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

q103 = 1

**Pre question**

Ask those persons who did not work at all (if Q. No. 85 = 0) during the last 12 months

**Literal question**

What was the last type of work which [Name] did?

## Q.105 Main Activity of Place of Work [NSIC], Section 6 (q105)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

q103 = 1

**Pre question**

Ask those persons who did not work at all (if Q. No. 85 = 0) during the last 12 months

**Literal question**

What was the main goods or service produced at the place where [Name] worked?

## Q.106 Length of Time Worked in the Last Job, Section 6 (q106)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

q103 = 1

**Pre question**

Ask those persons who did not work at all (if Q. No. 85 = 0) during the last 12 months

**Literal question**

For how long did [Name] work in the last job?

## Q.107 Number of Months Stopped Working Job, Section 6 (q107)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

## Q.107 Number of Months Stopped Working Job, Section 6 (q107)

File: individual\_info

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

q103 = 1

**Pre question**

Ask those persons who did not work at all (if Q. No. 85 = 0) during the last 12 months

**Literal question**

When did [Name] stop working in that job?

## Q.108 Involvement in Main Job, Section 6 (q108)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-5  
 Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

q103 = 1

**Pre question**

Ask those persons who did not work at all (if Q. No. 85 = 0) during the last 12 months

**Literal question**

What was the status of [Name] involved in that main job?

**Post question**

Operating own business or farm with regular paid employees [2] -> 110  
 Operating own business or farm without regular paid employees [3] -> 110  
 Contributing family member without pay [4] -> 110  
 Others (specify) [5] -> 110

## Q.109 Place of Work, Section 6 (q109)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-8  
 Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

q108 = 1

**Pre question**

Ask those persons who did not work at all (if Q. No. 85 = 0) during the last 12 months

**Literal question**

Where was [Name] working?

## Q.110 Reason for Leaving Previous Work, Section 6 (q110)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-8

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q103 = 1

### Pre question

Ask those persons who did not work at all (if Q. No. 85 = 0) during the last 12 months

### Literal question

What was the reason for leaving the previous work?

### Post question

-> END

## Usual Economic Status (ustat)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

This is a derived item.

### Literal question

Usual economic status

## Current Economic Status (cstat)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-13

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

This is a derived item.

### Literal question

Current economic status

## Usual Status in Employment (ujobst)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

## Usual Status in Employment (ujobst)

File: individual\_info

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-6  
 Invalid: 7

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

This is a derived item.

**Literal question**

Usual status in employment

## Current Status in Employment (cjobst)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-6  
 Invalid: 7

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

This is a derived item.

**Literal question**

Current status in employment

## Usual Institutional Sector (usector)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-9  
 Invalid: 10

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

This represents the institutional sector of usual employment. This is a derived item.

**Literal question**

Usual institutional sector

## Current Institutional Sector (csector)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-9  
 Invalid: 10

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## Current Institutional Sector (csector)

File: individual\_info

### Description

This represents the institutional sector of current employment. This is a derived item.

### Literal question

Usual institutional sector

## Usual Occupation (3 Digit) (uocc3)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 11-999

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

This is a derived item.

### Literal question

Usual Occupation (3 digit)

## Current Occupation (3 Digit) (cocc3)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 11-999

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

This is a derived item.

### Literal question

Current Occupation (3 digit)

## Usual Industry (2 Digit) (uind2)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

This is a derived item.

### Literal question

Usual Industry (2 digit)

## Current Industry (2 Digit) (cind2)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

This is a derived item.

**Literal question**

Current Industry (2 digit)

## Usual Occupation (Grouped) (uocc)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-15	

**Description**

This is a derived item.

**Literal question**

Current Industry (2 digit)

## Current Occupation (Grouped) (cocc)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-15	

**Description**

This is a derived item.

**Literal question**

Current Industry (2 digit)

## Usual Industry (Grouped) (uind)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-19	

**Description**

This is a derived item.

## Usual Industry (Grouped) (uind)

File: individual\_info

**Literal question**

Usual Industry (Grouped)

## Current Industry (Grouped) (cind)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-19

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

This is a derived item.

**Literal question**

Current Industry (Grouped)

## Whether in Informal Sector - Usual Employment (uformal)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-4  
 Invalid: 5

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

This represents whether the usual employment is in informal sector. This is a derived item.

**Literal question**

Whether in informal sector - usual status

## Whether in Informal Sector - Current Employment (cformal)

File: individual\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-4  
 Invalid: 5

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

This represents whether the current employment is in informal sector. This is a derived item.

**Literal question**

Whether in informal sector - current status

## No. of Paid Employees in Informal Sector - Usual Employment

(uform\_n)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-3

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

This represents number of regular paid employees in informal sector or business (Usual Employment). This is a derived item.

### Literal question

Number of regular paid employees in informal sector or business

## No. of Paid Employees in Informal Sector - Current Employment

(cform\_n)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-3

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

This represents number of regular paid employees in informal sector or business (Current Employment). This is a derived item.

### Literal question

Number of regular paid employees in informal sector or business

## Whether in Informal Sector - Usual Employment - Employed

(uformemp)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-7  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

This gives whether informally employed - usual status employed only. This is a derived item.

### Literal question

Whether informally employed - usual status employed only

## Whether in Informal Sector - Current Employment - Employed

(cformemp)

File: individual\_info

## Whether in Informal Sector - Current Employment - Employed (cformemp)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-7  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

This gives whether informally employed - current status employed only. This is a derived item.

### Literal question

Whether informally employed - current status employed only

## Number of Hours in Other Job (sechrs)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-70

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

This is a derived item.

### Literal question

Number of hours in other jobs

## Payment Frequency (payfreq)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-5  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

This gives the frequency of payment for employees in paid job. This is a derived item.

### Literal question

Applies to employed paid employees only

## Current Underutilization (cundrutl)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

## Current Underutilization (cundrutl)

File: individual\_info

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-9  
 Invalid: 10

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### Description

This is a derived item.

### Literal question

Current Under Utilization

## Monthly Earnings in Cash (erngcash)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 7  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-9999999  
 Invalid: 9999999

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### Description

This is a derived item.

### Literal question

Monthly earnings in cash

## Monthly Earnings in Kind (erngkind)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 7  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-9999999

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### Description

This is a derived item.

### Literal question

Monthly earnings in kind

## Total Monthly Earnings, Cash and In Kind (erngtotl)

File: individual\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 7  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-9999999  
 Invalid: 9999999

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### Description

## Total Monthly Earnings, Cash and In Kind (erngtotl)

File: individual\_info

This is a derived item.

### **Literal question**

Total monthly earnings

## Record Type (rt)

File: absentee\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

This is a derived variable and this helps the user to identify the information that it came from, for example 1-household information, 2-individual information, 3- absentee information and 4-remittance information.

### Literal question

Record Type

## PSU (psu)

File: absentee\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 4  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1001-1800

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

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### Universe

The sampling frame consisted of 35,069 enumeration areas or PSUs (wards or sub-wards or merged wards) spread over 3 ecological zones, 5 development regions, 75 districts, 58 Municipalities and 3,914 Village Development Committees (VDCs) of the country.

### Literal question

Primary Sampling Unit

## Household ID (hhid)

File: absentee\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-20

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Description

This number identifies the household in a selected PSU. This number varies from 1 to 20 in a PSU. The PSU and hhid together is a unique identifier for a selected household.

### Literal question

Household ID

## ID Code of Absentees (absntid)

File: absentee\_info

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File: absentee\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-16	

**Universe**

Households with members currently away from home (q111 = 1)

**Literal question**

Absentee ID

## Q.113 Sex of Absentees (q113)

File: absentee\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

**Universe**

Households with members currently away from home (q111 = 1)

**Literal question**

What is the sex of [Name]?

## Q.114 Age at the time of leaving home (q114)

File: absentee\_info

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-98	
Invalid: 99	

**Universe**

Households with members currently away from home (q111 = 1)

**Literal question**

What was the age of [Name] at the time of leaving home?

**Post question**

Complete years

## Q.115 Relationship with HH Head (q115)

File: absentee\_info

**Overview**

## Q.115 Relationship with HH Head (q115)

File: absentee\_info

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-11

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Households with members currently away from home (q111 = 1)

### Literal question

What is the relationship of [Name] to the head of the household?

### Post question

Use the relationship code from Q12.

## Q.116 Education completed at the time of leaving home (q116)

File: absentee\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-17

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Households with members currently away from home (q111 = 1)

### Literal question

What was the highest level of education that [Name] completed at the time of leaving home?

## Q.117 Duration of absence (months) (q117)

File: absentee\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-618

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Households with members currently away from home (q111 = 1)

### Literal question

What is the duration of [Name's] absence?

## Q.118 Place of living now (District) (q118)

File: absentee\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-95

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

## Q.118 Place of living now (District) (q118)

File: absentee\_info

Households with members currently away from home (q111 = 1)

### Literal question

Where is [Name] living now?

### Post question

If unknown, write "00".

## Q.119 Occupation of Absentees [NSCO] (q119)

File: absentee\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-999

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Households with members currently away from home (q111 = 1)

### Literal question

What is [Name's] occupation over there?

### Post question

If unknown, write "000".

## Q.120 Received any Cash and Kinds during past 12 month (q120)

File: absentee\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Households with members currently away from home (q111 = 1)

### Literal question

Did your household receive any money or goods from [Name] during the past 12 months?

### Post question

No [2] -> 122

## Q.121a If Yes, Cash received during past 12 month (q121a)

File: absentee\_info

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 7  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-5000000

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

q120 = 1

## Q.121a If Yes, Cash received during past 12 month (q121a)

File: absentee\_info

**Literal question**

How much did your household receive during past 12 months? Cash (Rs)

## Q.121b If Yes, In-kind received during past 12 month (q121b)

File: absentee\_info

**Overview**

Type: Continuous

Format: numeric

Width: 6

Decimals: 0

Range: 0-700000

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

**Universe**

q120 = 1

**Literal question**

How much did your household receive during past 12 months? In-kind (Rs)

## Record Type (rt)

File: remittance\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

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**Literal question**

Record Type

## PSU (psu)

File: remittance\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 4  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1001-1800

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

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**Universe**

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**Literal question**

Primary Sampling Unit

## Household ID (hhid)

File: remittance\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-20

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

This number identifies the household in a selected PSU. This number varies from 1 to 20 in a PSU. The PSU and hhid together is a unique identifier for a selected household.

**Literal question**

Household ID

## ID Code of Remittance Sender (remitid)

File: remittance\_info

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File: remittance\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

Households that received remittance(s) from sources outside the family in the last 12 months (q122 = 1)

**Literal question**

Donor Code

## Q.124 Sex of Remittance Sender (q124)

File: remittance\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

Households that received remittance(s) from sources outside the family in the last 12 months (q122 = 1)

**Literal question**

What is the sex of [Name]?

## Q.125 Age at the time of leaving home (q125)

File: remittance\_info

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 15-98

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

Households that received remittance(s) from sources outside the family in the last 12 months (q122 = 1)

**Literal question**

What is the age of [Name]?

**Post question**

Complete years.

## Q.126 Relationship with HH Head (q126)

File: remittance\_info

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-11

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## Q.126 Relationship with HH Head (q126)

File: remittance\_info

### Universe

Households that received remittance(s) from sources outside the family in the last 12 months (q122 = 1)

### Literal question

What is the relationship of the [Name] to the head of household?

### Post question

Use the relationship code from Q12

## Q.127 Education completed at the time of leaving home (q127)

File: remittance\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-17

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Households that received remittance(s) from sources outside the family in the last 12 months (q122 = 1)

### Literal question

What is the highest level of education that [Name] completed?

### Post question

Education Code

## Q.128 Place of living now (District) (q128)

File: remittance\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-95

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

Households that received remittance(s) from sources outside the family in the last 12 months (q122 = 1)

### Literal question

Where is [Name] living now?

### Post question

If unknown, write "00"

## Q.129 Occupation of Remittance Sender [NSCO] (q129)

File: remittance\_info

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 3  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-999

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

## Q.129 Occupation of Remittance Sender [NSCO] (q129)

### File: remittance\_info

Households that received remittance(s) from sources outside the family in the last 12 months (q122 = 1)

#### Literal question

What is [Name's] occupation over there?

#### Post question

If unknown, write "000"

## Q.130a If yes, Cash received during past 12 month (q130a)

### File: remittance\_info

#### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 6  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-400000

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Universe

Households that received remittance(s) from sources outside the family in the last 12 months (q122 = 1)

#### Literal question

How much did your household receive during past 12 months? Cash (Rs)

## Q.130b If yes, In-kind received during past 12 month (q130b)

### File: remittance\_info

#### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 7  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-3700000

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### Universe

Households that received remittance(s) from sources outside the family in the last 12 months (q122 = 1)

#### Literal question

How much did your household receive during past 12 months? In-kind (Rs)

## PSU (psu)

### File: sample

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0 (0)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0 (0)
Width: 4	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1001-1800	

#### Description

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#### Literal question

Primary Sampling Unit

## Region (region)

### File: sample

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0 (0)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0 (0)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-5	

#### Literal question

Region

## Ecological Belt (belt)

### File: sample

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0 (0)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0 (0)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-3	

#### Literal question

Ecological Belt

## District (dcode)

### File: sample

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0 (0)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0 (0)
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-75	

## District (dcode)

File: sample

**Literal question**

District

## VDC/Municipality (ddvzv)

File: sample

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0 (0)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0 (0)
Width: 5	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1016-75039	

**Literal question**

VDC/Municipality

## Urban/Rural area (urbrurl)

File: sample

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0 (0)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0 (0)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

**Literal question**

Urban/Rural area

## NLFS-II Stratum (stratum)

File: sample

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0 (0)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0 (0)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-6	

**Literal question**

NLFS-II Stratum

## Urban Category (urbcat)

File: sample

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0 (0)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0 (0)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-6	

**Literal question**

## Urban Category (urbcat)

File: sample

Urban category

## Rural Category (rurcat)

File: sample

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0 (0)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0 (0)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-7	

### Literal question

Rural category

## Grouping of urban/rural sector (ur\_group)

File: sample

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0 (0)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0 (0)
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-13	

### Literal question

Grouping of urban/rural sector

## Census Household (househld)

File: sample

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 4	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 30-4722	

### Literal question

Census household

## Seasonal Weight (sweight)

File: sample

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 17	
Decimals: 12	
Range: 45.619640350342-5857.18408203125	

### Literal question

Seasonal weight

## Annual Weight (aweight)

File: sample

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 17  
Decimals: 12  
Range: 15.32262802124-1973.27587890625

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

Annual weight

## Documentation

### Questionnaires

#### Nepal Labour Force Survey 2008, Questionnaire (in English)

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### Reports

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 Description  
 The survey provides a number of valuable indicators to monitor progress towards achieving the Millennium Development Goals which were established by the United Nations Millennium Summit in 2000. A separate chapter has been included in this report on this topic. This report contains new estimates of informal employment and labour underutilisation that have not previously been attempted in such types of survey in Nepal. Moreover, this report includes analysis based on new concept of labour underutilisation that was recently submitted to the ILO's International Conference of Labour Statisticians, (Geneva, November-December 2008).  
 This report provides many useful insights into the current employment situation in Nepal, but it cannot cover all topics in detail. Some topics (such as non-economic activities, children's activities, informal employment and employment in the informal sector, actual and usual hours of work, and labour underutilisation) would benefit from more detailed treatment. There is also scope for much more detailed sub-national and seasonal analysis of the data than has been possible in this report. Another important topic that requires further investigation is the analysis of the NLFS data from a household, rather than a person-level, perspective.

## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

## CHAPTER 1: METHODOLOGY

Introduction, Scope and coverage, Survey questionnaire, Sample design, Organisation of fieldwork, Non-response and weighting, Data processing, Lessons learned

## CHAPTER 2: CONCEPTS AND DEFINITIONS

Introduction, Reference period, Work, Occupation, Industry, Status in employment, Institutional sector of employment, Currently employed, Currently unemployed, Current economic activity status, Time-related underemployment, Labour underutilization, Usual economic activity, Current versus usual, Informal sector, Informal employment, Earnings of paid employees, Household income from remittances, Vocational and professional training, Household, Urban/rural

## CHAPTER 3: HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS

Summary, Introduction, Occupancy status, Access to drinking water supply, Fuel used for cooking, Main source used for lighting, Toilet facilities available, Communication facilities available, Agriculture holding

## CHAPTER 4: DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS

Summary, Household distribution, Household composition, Household heads by sex, Age and sex distribution

## CHAPTER 5: EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Summary, Introduction, Educational status, Literacy rates, Vocational training

## CHAPTER 6: ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

Summary, Introduction, Current activity status, Current labour force participation rate (LFPR), Reasons for inactivity, Usual activity status, Usual participation rates

## CHAPTER 7: EMPLOYMENT

Summary, Introduction, Work activities, Number of currently employed, Employed: Occupation of main job, Employed: Education levels, Employed: Paid and self-employment, Employed: Institutional sector of employment, Employed: Hours of work, Employed: Income from paid employment, Employed: Second jobs

## CHAPTER 8: TIME-RELATED UNDEREMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR UNDERUTILISATION

Summary, Introduction, Underemployment versus unemployment, Time-related Underemployment, Characteristics of the time-related underemployed, Labour underutilisation

## CHAPTER 9: UNEMPLOYMENT

Summary, Introduction, Strict unemployment - Looking for work, Unemployment - Age distribution, Duration of unemployment, Unemployment - Characteristics of last job (if any)

## CHAPTER 10: USUAL ACTIVITY

Summary, Introduction, Comparison of current and usual activity status, Monthly activity over the year

## CHAPTER 11: SUBNATIONAL INDICATORS OF EMPLOYMENT

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## CHAPTER 12: INFORMAL SECTOR AND INFORMAL EMPLOYMENT

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## CHAPTER 13: ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES OF CHILDREN

Summary, Introduction, Economic activity rates of children, Kind of work done by children

## CHAPTER 14: NON-ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES

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## CHAPTER 15: SEASONAL VARIATIONS IN EMPLOYMENT

Summary, Introduction, Seasonal estimates

## CHAPTER 16: MIGRATION AND ABSENTEES

Summary, Introduction, Migrants - Introduction, Migrants - Status of migrants, Migrants - Age and sex distribution, Migrants - Origin of migration, Migrants - Reason for migration, Absentees - Introduction, Absentees - As a proportion of total population, Absentees - By place of current residence, Activity status of absentees aged 5 years and above

## CHAPTER 17: REMITTANCES

Summary, Introduction, Households receiving remittance, Source of remittance, Effect of global financial crisis

## CHAPTER 18 : MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT GOALS

Summary, Introduction

## CHAPTER 19: COMPARISON WITH OTHER SOURCES

Introduction, Population, Labour Force Participation Rates, Current employment-to-population ratio, Employment-to-population ratio (last 12 months basis), Current employment in informal sector, informal employment, labour underutilisation, etc

## ANNEXES:

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Introduction, Sample design, Sample frame, Selecting the wards from the sampling frame, Estimation methodology, Sampling errors

## B. Questionnaire

## C. Flow chart

## D. Classification of Industry, occupation and education

1. Nepal Standard Industrial Classification (NSIC)
2. Nepal Standard Classification of Occupation (NSCO)
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## E. List of NLFS-II staff

## F. Dissemination of data to users

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## Technical documents

### Nepal Labour Force Survey 2008, Sample Design

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### Classification of Industry, Occupation and Training

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## Other materials

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## Microdata Request Form

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