

## 2nd stg strm / schedule type (Second\_Stratum)

File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

### Overview

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### Questions and instructions

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LITERAL QUESTION

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#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases
1	13591	 50.4%
2	13358	 49.6%

Warning: these figures indicate the number of cases found in the data file. They cannot be interpreted as summary statistics of the population of interest.

### Others

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#### NOTES

There are two schedule types, one with a fixed reference period of 'last 30 days' and the other (schedule type 2) with different reference periods for different groups of consumption items as follows:

Item Reference period  
food items, pan, tobacco and  
intoxicants last 7 days  
fuel and light, miscellaneous goods  
and services and medical (non-institutional) last 30 days  
educational, medical (institutional),  
clothing, footwear and durable goods last 365 days

This approach adopted for schedule type 2 has been devised to take into account the variation in the periodicity with which different items of consumption are purchased by individual households, in a better way. It was ensured, by suitably setting survey dates for sample FSU's, that equal numbers of schedule type 2 households were surveyed in different weeks of each month.

Schedule type 1 was canvassed in fsu's with odd sample village/block number (item 13 of block 1) and Schedule type 2 was canvassed in fsu's with even sample village/block number.

