

India - Household Consumer Expenditure, NSS 60th Round : Jan - June 2004

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Overview

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Overview

ABSTRACT

The National Sample Survey Organisation (NSSO) has been carrying out All-India surveys on consumer expenditure. While some of these smaller-scale surveys are spread over a full year and others over six months only, the quinquennial (full-scale) surveys have all been of a full year's duration. Household consumer expenditure is measured as the expenditure incurred by a household on domestic account during a specified period, called reference period. It includes the imputed values of goods and services, which are not purchased but procured otherwise for consumption. In other words, it is the sum total of monetary values of all the items (i.e. goods and services) consumed by the household on domestic account during the reference period. Any expenditure incurred towards the productive enterprises of the households is also excluded from household consumer expenditure. To minimise recall errors, a very detailed item classification is adopted to collect information, including items of food, items of fuel, items of clothing, bedding and footwear, items of educational and medical expenses, items of durable goods and other items. The schedule has also collected some other household particulars including age, sex and educational level etc. of each household member.

KIND OF DATA

Sample survey data [ssd]

UNITS OF ANALYSIS

Randomly selected households based on sampling procedure and members of the household

Scope

NOTES

Schedule 1.0 of the 60th NSS round consists of the following blocks:

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block.

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Block 5: Consumption of cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt during the last 30 days. Information on an item has been recorded only if it is consumed.

Block 6: Consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants during the last 30/7 days. Information on an item has been recorded only if it is consumed.

Block 7: Consumption of fuel & light during the last 30 days. Information on an item has been recorded only if it is consumed.

Block 8: Consumption of clothing, bedding, etc. during the last 365 days. Expenditure has been recorded if it is incurred on any item during the reference period.

Block 9: Consumption of footwear during the last 365 days. Expenditure has been recorded if it is incurred on any item during the reference period.

Block 10: Expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services during the last 365 days.

Block 11: Expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes during the last 30 days.

Block 12: Expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use during the last 30 days

Coverage

GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

The survey covered the whole of the Indian Union except (i) Leh (Ladakh) and Kargil districts of Jammu & Kashmir, (ii) interior villages of Nagaland situated beyond five kilometres of the bus route and (iii) villages in Andaman and Nicobar Islands which remain inaccessible throughout the year.

UNIVERSE

The survey used the interview method of data collection from a sample of randomly selected households and members of the household.

Producers and Sponsors

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National Sample Survey Office	M/o Statistics and Programme Implementation(MOSPI),Government of India (GOI)

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Field Operations Division	National Sample Survey Office	Field Work

Name	Affiliation	Role
Data Processing Division	National Sample Survey Office	Data Processing
Computer Centre	M/o Statistics and Programme Implementation(MOSPI),Government of India (GOI)	Tabulation and Dissemination

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Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation	Role
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Sampling

Sampling Procedure

Outline of sample design: A stratified multi-stage design has been adopted for the 60th round survey. The first stage units (FSU) are the 1991 census villages in the rural sector and Urban Frame Survey (UFS) blocks in the urban sector. The ultimate stage units (USU) are households in both the sectors. In case of large villages/blocks requiring hamlet-group (hg)/sub-block (sb) formation, one intermediate stage has been the selection of two hgs/sbs from each FSU.

Sampling Frame for First Stage Units: For the rural sector, the list of Census 1991 villages (panchayat wards for Kerala) and Census 1981 villages for J & K constituted the sampling frame. For the urban sector, the list of latest available Urban Frame Survey (UFS) blocks was considered as the sampling frame.

Stratification

Rural sector: Two special strata will be formed at the State/ UT level, viz.

Stratum 1: all FSUs with population between 0 to 50 and

Stratum 2: FSUs with population more than 15,000.

Special stratum 1 was formed if at least 50 such FSUs are found in a State/UT. Similarly, special stratum 2 was formed if at least 4 such FSUs are found in a State/UT. Otherwise, such FSUs were merged with the general strata.

Urban sector: In the urban sector, strata was formed within each NSS region on the basis of size class of towns as per Population Census 2001. The stratum numbers and their composition (within each region) are given below.

stratum 1 : all towns with population less than 50,000

stratum 2 : all towns with population 50,000 or more but less than 2 lakhs

stratum 3 : all towns with population 2 lakhs or more but less than 10 lakhs

stratum 4, 5, 6,...: each town with population 10 lakhs or more

Total sample size (FSUs): 7612 FSUs were allocated at all-India level on the basis of investigator strength in different States/UTs for central sample and 8260 for state sample.

Allocation of total sample to States and UTs: The total number of sample FSUs is allocated to the States and UTs in proportion to provisional population as per Census 2001 subject to the availability of investigators ensuring more or less uniform work-load.

Selection of FSUs: FSUs were selected with Probability Proportional to Size With Replacement (PPSWR), size being the population as per Population Census 1991 in all the strata for rural sector except for stratum 1. In stratum 1 of rural sector and in all the strata of urban sector, selection was done using Simple Random Sampling Without Replacement (SRSWOR). Within each stratum, samples were drawn in the form of two independent sub-samples in both the rural and urban sectors.

Deviations from Sample Design

There was no deviation from the original sampling design.

Questionnaires

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Data Collection

Data Collection Dates

Start	End	Cycle
2004-01-01	2004-03-31	Sub round 1
2004-04-01	2004-06-30	Sub round 2

Data Collection Mode

Face-to-face [f2f]

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Data Processing

No content available

Data Appraisal

No content available

File Description

Variable List

Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Content	This file contains information regarding identification of sample household.
Cases	29631
Variable(s)	31
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Primary key - unique identifier for a household - FSU,Sch type, HG,SSS,HHNo)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V28	HHID	Primary key - unique identifier for a household - FSU,Sch type, HG,SSS,HHNo	discrete	character	
V1	CentreCodeRoundShift	Centre code, Round, Shift	discrete	character	
V2	Vill_Blkc_Slno	LOT/FSU number	discrete	character	
V3	Round	Round	discrete	character	
V4	ScheduleNumber	Schedule Number	discrete	character	
V5	ScheduleType	Schedule Type	discrete	character	
V6	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	
V7	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	
V8	St_Region	State-Region	discrete	character	
V29	State	State	discrete	character	
V9	District	District	discrete	character	
V10	Stratum	Stratum Number	discrete	character	
V11	SubRound	Sub-Round	discrete	character	
V12	SubSample	Sub-Sample	discrete	character	
V13	FODSubRegion	FOD Sub-Region	discrete	character	
V14	HamletGroup_SubBlkNo	Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no.	discrete	character	
V15	Stage2_Stratum	Second Stage Stratum	discrete	character	
V16	Hhold_no	HHS No.	discrete	character	
V17	Lvl	Level	discrete	character	
V18	Informant_Slno	Sl.No. of informant	discrete	character	
V19	Resp_Code	Response Code	discrete	character	
V20	Survey_Code	Survey Code	discrete	character	
V21	Substn_Code	Substitution Code	discrete	character	
V22	DateOfSurvey	Date of Survey	discrete	character	
V23	DateOfDespatch	Date of Despatch	discrete	character	
V24	TimeToCanvass	Time to canvass(mins.)	discrete	character	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V25	NSS	NSS	discrete	character	
V26	NSC	NSC	discrete	character	
V27	MLT	Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V30	Wgt_SubSample	Sub sample Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V31	Wgt_Combined	Combined Multiplier	contin	numeric	

Block 3 Household Characteristics

Content	This file contains information about household characteristics.
Cases	29631
Variable(s)	48
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Primary key - unique identifier for a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V75	HHID	Primary key - unique identifier for a household	discrete	character	
V32	CentreCodeRoundShift	Centre code,Round,Shift	discrete	character	
V33	Vill_Blk_Slno	LOT/FSU number	discrete	character	
V34	Round	Round	discrete	character	
V35	ScheduleNumber	Schedule Number	discrete	character	
V36	ScheduleType	Schedule Type	discrete	character	
V37	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	
V38	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	
V39	St_Region	State-Region	discrete	character	
V77	State	State	discrete	character	
V40	District	District	discrete	character	
V41	Stratum	Stratum Number	discrete	character	
V42	SubRound	Sub-Round	discrete	character	
V43	SubSample	Sub-Sample	discrete	character	
V44	FODSubRegion	FOD Sub-Region	discrete	character	
V45	HamletGroup_SubBlkNo	Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no.	discrete	character	
V46	Stage2_Stratum	Second Stage Stratum	discrete	character	
V47	Hhold_no	HHS No.	discrete	character	
V48	Lvl	Level	discrete	character	
V49	B3_q1	Household Size	contin	numeric	How many members are there in the household?
V50	B3_q2	NIC Code(5-digit)	discrete	character	Which industry are the members working in?
V51	B3_q3	NCO Code(3-digit)	discrete	character	Which occupation are the members in?
V52	B3_q4	Household type	discrete	character	
V76	HH_Type	Household type with sector	discrete	character	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V53	B3_q5	Religion	discrete	character	Which religion does the household belong to?
V54	B3_q6	Social Group	discrete	character	Which social group does the household belong to?
V55	B3_q7	Land Possessed	discrete	character	How much land does the household possess?
V56	B3_q8	Dwelling unit	discrete	character	Do you own the dwelling unit? Or is it hired or otherwise occupied?
V57	B3_q9	Type of Dwelling	discrete	character	What is the type of dwelling of the household? Is it an independent house or a flat or any other type of dwelling?
V58	B3_q10	Type of Structure	discrete	character	What is the type of structure of the dwelling?
V59	B3_q11	Covered Area	contin	numeric	How much is the covered area of the dwelling unit?
V60	B3_q12	Cooking	discrete	character	What is the primary source of energy that is being used by the household for cooking?
V61	B3_q13	Lighting	discrete	character	What is the primary source of energy that is being used by the household for lighting?
V62	B3_q14	Hhld. Exp.-Purchase	contin	numeric	How much did the household spend on purchases and other cash payments made for its members' needs during the last 30 days?
V63	B3_q15	Hhld. Exp.-Home-Produced Stock	contin	numeric	Did the household members use any goods grown/produced by the household for their own consumption during the last 30 days? If so, how much? What was the estimated value of such goods consumed at ex farm/factory price? Goods may be cereals, pulses, vegetables, milk, firewood & chips, cow dung, footwear, clothes, etc.
V64	B3_q16	Hhld. Exp.-Receipts in Exchange	contin	numeric	Whether the household consumed any goods and services which have been procured or received against some goods or services of the household during the last 30 days? What is the estimated value of these goods and services at local retail prices?
V65	B3_q17	Hhld. Exp.-Gifts and Loans	contin	numeric	Whether any goods and services were procured by way of gift or loan for household consumption during the last 30 days? What is the estimated value of these items at local retail prices? These items may be items of food, pan, tobacco and intoxicants, fuel and light, clothing and footwear.

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V66	B3_q18	Hhld. Exp.-Free Collection	contin	numeric	Whether any item was procured by the household through free collection during the last 30 days for its consumption? What is the estimated value of these items at local retail prices? Normally, such items are firewood, cow dung, vegetables, honey or other forest products.
V67	B3_q19	Hhld. Exp.-Total	contin	numeric	
V68	B3_q20	MPCE (Rs.0.00)	contin	numeric	
V69	B3_q21	Performed any ceremony?	discrete	character	Did the household perform any ceremony during the last 30 days?
V341	B3_q22	No. of meals served to outsiders	contin	numeric	How many no. of meals were served to non-household members during the last 30 days?
V71	B3_q23	Purchase from Ration etc.	discrete	character	Did the household purchase any cereal from ration/fair price shop during the last 30 days?
V72	NSS	NSS	discrete	character	
V73	NSC	NSC	discrete	character	
V74	MLT	Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V78	Wgt_SubSample	Sub sample Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V79	Wgt_Combined	Combined Multiplier	contin	numeric	

Block 4_Person records

Content	This file contains information about demographic and other particulars of household members.
Cases	152669
Variable(s)	38
Structure	Type: relational Keys: Person_key(Primary key - unique identifier for a member in the household), HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V114	Person_key	Primary key - unique identifier for a member in the household	discrete	character	
V113	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V80	CentreCodeRoundShift	Centre code, Round, Shift	discrete	character	
V81	Vill_Blk_Slno	LOT/FSU number	discrete	character	
V82	Round	Round	discrete	character	
V83	ScheduleNumber	Schedule Number	discrete	character	
V84	ScheduleType	Schedule Type	discrete	character	
V85	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	
V86	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	
V87	St_Region	State-Region	discrete	character	
V115	State	State	discrete	character	
V88	District	District	discrete	character	
V89	Stratum	Stratum Number	discrete	character	
V90	SubRound	Sub-Round	discrete	character	
V91	SubSample	Sub-Sample	discrete	character	
V92	FODSubRegion	FOD Sub-Region	discrete	character	
V93	HamletGroup_SubBlkNo	Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no.	discrete	character	
V94	Stage2_Stratum	Second Stage Stratum	discrete	character	
V95	Hhold_no	HHS No.	discrete	character	
V96	Lvl	Level	discrete	character	
V97	B4_q1	Person Srl No.	discrete	character	
V98	B4_q3	Relation	discrete	character	What is your relation to head of the household?
V99	B4_q4	Sex	discrete	character	Sex of the member
V100	B4_q5	Age	contin	numeric	Age of the member
V101	B4_q6	Marital Status	discrete	character	Marital status of the member

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V102	B4_q7	Education	discrete	character	Education of the member
V103	B4_q8	Days Stayed away	contin	numeric	How many days a member has stayed away from the household?
V104	B4_q9	No. of Meals per day	contin	numeric	How many meals do you usually take in a day?
V105	B4_q10	Meals (School)	contin	numeric	If you or any member of the household take meals free of cost from school, balwadi etc, then how many such meals are taken in a day?
V106	B4_q11	Meals (Employer)	contin	numeric	If you or any member of the household take meals free of cost from employer, then how many such meals do you take in a day?
V107	B4_q12	Meals (Others)	contin	numeric	If you or any member of the household take meals free of cost from others, then how many such meals do you take in a day?
V108	B4_q13	Meals (Payment)	contin	numeric	If you or any member of the household take meals away from home on payment, then how many such meals do you take?
V109	B4_q14	Meals(At Home)	contin	numeric	How many meals are taken at home in a day?
V110	NSS	NSS	discrete	character	
V111	NSC	NSC	discrete	character	
V112	MLT	Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V116	Wgt_SubSample	Sub sample Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V117	Wgt_Combined	Combined Multiplier	contin	numeric	

Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Content	This file contains information about monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt.
Cases	395840
Variable(s)	28
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V142	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V118	CentreCodeRoundShift	Centre code, Round, Shift	discrete	character	
V119	Vill_Blk_Slno	LOT/FSU number	discrete	character	
V120	Round	Round	discrete	character	
V121	ScheduleNumber	Schedule Number	discrete	character	
V122	ScheduleType	Schedule Type	discrete	character	
V123	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	
V124	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	
V125	St_Region	State-Region	discrete	character	
V143	State	State	discrete	character	
V126	District	District	discrete	character	
V127	Stratum	Stratum Number	discrete	character	
V128	SubRound	Sub-Round	discrete	character	
V129	SubSample	Sub-Sample	discrete	character	
V130	FODSubRegion	FOD Sub-Region	discrete	character	
V131	HamletGroup_SubBlkNo	Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no.	discrete	character	
V132	Stage2_Stratum	Second Stage Stratum	discrete	character	
V133	Hhold_no	HHS No.	discrete	character	
V134	Lvl	Level	discrete	character	
V135	B5_q1	Block 5 Item Code	discrete	character	
V136	B5_q3	Quantity (0.00)	contin	numeric	How much quantity of the item was consumed by the household in the last 30 days?
V137	B5_q4	Value (Rs. 0.00)	contin	numeric	What was the value of the items consumed by the household in the last 30 days?
V138	B5_q5	Source Code	discrete	character	What was the source of obtaining the item?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V139	NSS	NSS	discrete	character	
V140	NSC	NSC	discrete	character	
V141	MLT	Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V144	Wgt_SubSample	Sub sample Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V145	Wgt_Combined	Combined Multiplier	contin	numeric	

Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Content	This file contains information about weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants.
Cases	910195
Variable(s)	28
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V170	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V146	CentreCodeRoundShift	Centre code,Round,Shift	discrete	character	
V147	Vill_BlK_Slno	LOT/FSU number	discrete	character	
V148	Round	Round	discrete	character	
V149	ScheduleNumber	Schedule Number	discrete	character	
V150	ScheduleType	Schedule Type	discrete	character	
V151	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	
V152	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	
V153	St_Region	State-Region	discrete	character	
V171	State	State	discrete	character	
V154	District	District	discrete	character	
V155	Stratum	Stratum Number	discrete	character	
V156	SubRound	Sub-Round	discrete	character	
V157	SubSample	Sub-Sample	discrete	character	
V158	FODSubRegion	FOD Sub-Region	discrete	character	
V159	HamletGroup_SubBlkNo	Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no.	discrete	character	
V160	Stage2_Stratum	Second Stage Stratum	discrete	character	
V161	Hhold_no	HHS No.	discrete	character	
V162	Lvl	Level	discrete	character	
V163	B6_q1	Block 6 Item Code	discrete	character	
V164	B6_q3	Quantity (0.00)	contin	numeric	How much quantity of the item was consumed by the household in the last 7 days?
V165	B6_q4	Value (Rs. 0.00)	contin	numeric	What was the value of the items consumed by the household in the last 7 days?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V166	B6_q5	Source Code	discrete	character	What was the source of obtaining the item?
V167	NSS	NSS	discrete	character	
V168	NSC	NSC	discrete	character	
V169	MLT	Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V172	Wgt_SubSample	Sub sample Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V173	Wgt_Combined	Combined Multiplier	contin	numeric	

Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Content	This file contains information about monthly consumption of fuel & light.
Cases	149188
Variable(s)	28
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V198	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V174	CentreCodeRoundShift	Centre code,Round,Shift	discrete	character	
V175	Vill_Blkc_Slno	LOT/FSU number	discrete	character	
V176	Round	Round	discrete	character	
V177	ScheduleNumber	Schedule Number	discrete	character	
V178	ScheduleType	Schedule Type	discrete	character	
V179	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	
V180	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	
V181	St_Region	State-Region	discrete	character	
V199	State	State	discrete	character	
V182	District	District	discrete	character	
V183	Stratum	Stratum Number	discrete	character	
V184	SubRound	Sub-Round	discrete	character	
V185	SubSample	Sub-Sample	discrete	character	
V186	FODSubRegion	FOD Sub-Region	discrete	character	
V187	HamletGroup_SubBlkNo	Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no.	discrete	character	
V188	Stage2_Stratum	Second Stage Stratum	discrete	character	
V189	Hhold_no	HHS No.	discrete	character	
V190	Lvl	Level	discrete	character	
V191	B7_q1	Block 7 Item Code	discrete	character	
V192	B7_q3	Quantity (0.00)	contin	numeric	How much quantity of the item was consumed by the household in the last 30 days?
V193	B7_q4	Value (Rs. 0.00)	contin	numeric	What was the value of the items consumed by the household in the last 30 days?
V194	B7_q5	Source Code	discrete	character	What was the source of obtaining the item?
V195	NSS	NSS	discrete	character	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V196	NSC	NSC	discrete	character	
V197	MLT	Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V200	Wgt_SubSample	Sub sample Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V201	Wgt_Combined	Combined Multiplier	contin	numeric	

Block 8 Annual consumption of clothing

Content	This file contains information about annual consumption of clothing, bedding, etc.
Cases	269037
Variable(s)	27
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V225	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V202	CentreCodeRoundShift	Centre code,Round,Shift	discrete	character	
V203	Vill_Blk_Slno	LOT/FSU number	discrete	character	
V204	Round	Round	discrete	character	
V205	ScheduleNumber	Schedule Number	discrete	character	
V206	ScheduleType	Schedule Type	discrete	character	
V207	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	
V208	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	
V209	St_Region	State-Region	discrete	character	
V226	State	State	discrete	character	
V210	District	District	discrete	character	
V211	Stratum	Stratum Number	discrete	character	
V212	SubRound	Sub-Round	discrete	character	
V213	SubSample	Sub-Sample	discrete	character	
V214	FODSubRegion	FOD Sub-Region	discrete	character	
V215	HamletGroup_SubBlkNo	Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no.	discrete	character	
V216	Stage2_Stratum	Second Stage Stratum	discrete	character	
V217	Hhold_no	HHS No.	discrete	character	
V218	Lvl	Level	discrete	character	
V219	B8_q1	Block 8 Item Code	discrete	character	
V220	B8_q3	Quantity (0.00)	contin	numeric	How much quantity of the item was consumed by the household in the last 365 days?
V221	B8_q4	Value (Rs. 0.00)	contin	numeric	What was the value of the items consumed by the household in the last 365 days?
V222	NSS	NSS	discrete	character	
V223	NSC	NSC	discrete	character	
V224	MLT	Multiplier	contin	numeric	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V227	Wgt_SubSample	Sub sample Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V228	Wgt_Combined	Combined Multiplier	contin	numeric	

Block 9 Annual consumption of footwear

Content	This file contains information about annual consumption of footwear.
Cases	88386
Variable(s)	27
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V252	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V229	CentreCodeRoundShift	Centre code,Round,Shift	discrete	character	
V230	Vill_Blk_Slno	LOT/FSU number	discrete	character	
V231	Round	Round	discrete	character	
V232	ScheduleNumber	Schedule Number	discrete	character	
V233	ScheduleType	Schedule Type	discrete	character	
V234	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	
V235	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	
V236	St_Region	State-Region	discrete	character	
V253	State	State	discrete	character	
V237	District	District	discrete	character	
V238	Stratum	Stratum Number	discrete	character	
V239	SubRound	Sub-Round	discrete	character	
V240	SubSample	Sub-Sample	discrete	character	
V241	FODSubRegion	FOD Sub-Region	discrete	character	
V242	HamletGroup_SubBlkNo	Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no.	discrete	character	
V243	Stage2_Stratum	Second Stage Stratum	discrete	character	
V244	Hhold_no	HHS No.	discrete	character	
V245	Lvl	Level	discrete	character	
V246	B9_q1	Block 9 Item Code	discrete	character	
V247	B9_q3	Quantity (0.00)	contin	numeric	How much quantity of the item was consumed by the household in the last 365 days?
V248	B9_q4	Value (Rs. 0.00)	contin	numeric	What was the value of the items consumed by the household in the last 365 days?
V249	NSS	NSS	discrete	character	
V250	NSC	NSC	discrete	character	
V251	MLT	Multiplier	contin	numeric	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V254	Wgt_SubSample	Sub sample Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V255	Wgt_Combined	Combined Multiplier	contin	numeric	

Block 10 Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Content	This file contains information about annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services.
Cases	101674
Variable(s)	26
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V278	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V256	CentreCodeRoundShift	Centre code, Round, Shift	discrete	character	
V257	Vill_Blk_Slno	LOT/FSU number	discrete	character	
V258	Round	Round	discrete	character	
V259	ScheduleNumber	Schedule Number	discrete	character	
V260	ScheduleType	Schedule Type	discrete	character	
V261	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	
V262	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	
V263	St_Region	State-Region	discrete	character	
V279	State	State	discrete	character	
V264	District	District	discrete	character	
V265	Stratum	Stratum Number	discrete	character	
V266	SubRound	Sub-Round	discrete	character	
V267	SubSample	Sub-Sample	discrete	character	
V268	FODSubRegion	FOD Sub-Region	discrete	character	
V269	HamletGroup_SubBlkNo	Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no.	discrete	character	
V270	Stage2_Stratum	Second Stage Stratum	discrete	character	
V271	Hhold_no	HHS No.	discrete	character	
V272	Lvl	Level	discrete	character	
V273	B10_q1	Block 10 Item Code	discrete	character	
V274	B10_q3	Value (Rs. 0.00)	contin	numeric	What was the value of the items consumed by the household in the last 365 days?
V275	NSS	NSS	discrete	character	
V276	NSC	NSC	discrete	character	
V277	MLT	Multiplier	contin	numeric	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V280	Wgt_SubSample	Sub sample Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V281	Wgt_Combined	Combined Multiplier	contin	numeric	

Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Content	This file contains information about monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes.
Cases	575976
Variable(s)	26
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V304	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V282	CentreCodeRoundShift	Centre code, Round, Shift	discrete	character	
V283	Vill_Blk_Slno	LOT/FSU number	discrete	character	
V284	Round	Round	discrete	character	
V285	ScheduleNumber	Schedule Number	discrete	character	
V286	ScheduleType	Schedule Type	discrete	character	
V287	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	
V288	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	
V289	St_Region	State-Region	discrete	character	
V305	State	State	discrete	character	
V290	District	District	discrete	character	
V291	Stratum	Stratum Number	discrete	character	
V292	SubRound	Sub-Round	discrete	character	
V293	SubSample	Sub-Sample	discrete	character	
V294	FODSubRegion	FOD Sub-Region	discrete	character	
V295	HamletGroup_SubBlkNo	Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no.	discrete	character	
V296	Stage2_Stratum	Second Stage Stratum	discrete	character	
V297	Hhold_no	HHS No.	discrete	character	
V298	Lvl	Level	discrete	character	
V299	B11_q1	Block 11 Item Code	discrete	character	
V300	B11_q3	Value (Rs. 0.00)	contin	numeric	What was the value of the items consumed by the household in the last 30 days?
V301	NSS	NSS	discrete	character	
V302	NSC	NSC	discrete	character	
V303	MLT	Multiplier	contin	numeric	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V306	Wgt_SubSample	Sub sample Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V307	Wgt_Combined	Combined Multiplier	contin	numeric	

Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Content	This file contains information about annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use.
Cases	292692
Variable(s)	33
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V337	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V308	CentreCodeRoundShift	Centre code, Round, Shift	discrete	character	
V309	Vill_Blk_Slno	LOT/FSU number	discrete	character	
V310	Round	Round	discrete	character	
V311	ScheduleNumber	Schedule Number	discrete	character	
V312	ScheduleType	Schedule Type	discrete	character	
V313	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	
V314	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	
V315	St_Region	State-Region	discrete	character	
V338	State	State	discrete	character	
V316	District	District	discrete	character	
V317	Stratum	Stratum Number	discrete	character	
V318	SubRound	Sub-Round	discrete	character	
V319	SubSample	Sub-Sample	discrete	character	
V320	FODSubRegion	FOD Sub-Region	discrete	character	
V321	HamletGroup_SubBlkNo	Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no.	discrete	character	
V322	Stage2_Stratum	Second Stage Stratum	discrete	character	
V323	Hhold_no	HHS No.	discrete	character	
V324	Lvl	Level	discrete	character	
V325	B12_q1	Block 12 Item Code	discrete	character	
V326	B12_q3	No. In use	contin	numeric	How many durable items are being used by the household since last 365 days?
V327	B12_q4	No. of First-hand purchase	contin	numeric	How many first hand purchased durable items are being used by the household since last 365 days?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V328	B12_q5	Whether Hire-purchase?	discrete	character	Whether the durable item that is being used is hire purchased by the household?
V329	B12_q6	Value of First-hand purchase	contin	numeric	What was the value of the first hand purchased item consumed by the household in the last 365 days?
V330	B12_q7	Cost of Raw material,service & repair	contin	numeric	How much total cost did the household bear on raw materials, service and repairs.
V331	B12_q8	No. of Second-hand purchase	contin	numeric	How many second hand purchased items are being used by the household since last 365 days?
V332	B12_q9	Value of Second-hand purchase	contin	numeric	What was the value of the second hand purchased item consumed by the household in the last 365 days?
V333	B12_q10	Total Expenditure	contin	numeric	How much total expenditure was incurred by the household in the last 365 days?
V334	NSS	NSS	discrete	character	
V335	NSC	NSC	discrete	character	
V336	MLT	Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V339	Wgt_SubSample	Sub sample Multiplier	contin	numeric	
V340	Wgt_Combined	Combined Multiplier	contin	numeric	

Primary key - unique identifier for a household - FSU,Sch type,
HG,SSS,HHNo (HHID)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 10

Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

Centre code,Round,Shift (CentreCodeRoundShift)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

LOT/FSU number (Vill_Blк_Slno)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 5

Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

Description

The first-stage units are census villages in the rural sector and the NSSO urban frame survey (UFS) blocks in the urban sector. This variable indicates the serial number assigned to such units.

Round (Round)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

Description

Indicates the NSS round number of this survey.

Schedule Number (ScheduleNumber)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

Description

Indicates the schedule number of this survey.

Schedule Type (ScheduleType)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

Sample (Sample)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

Sector (Sector)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

State-Region (St_Region)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

Description

Regions are hierarchical domains of study below the level of State/ Union Territory in the NSS.

State (State)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

District (District)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

District (District)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 29631
 Invalid: 0

Stratum Number (Stratum)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 29631
 Invalid: 0

Description

Within each district of a State/ UT, two basic strata were formed:
 (i) rural stratum comprising of all rural areas of the district and
 (ii) urban stratum comprising of all the urban areas of the district.

Sub-Round (SubRound)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 29631
 Invalid: 0

Description

The survey period of six months of this round was divided into two sub-rounds of three months duration. Equal number of sample villages and blocks were allotted for survey in each of these sub-rounds.

Sub-Sample (SubSample)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 29631
 Invalid: 0

Description

An important feature of the NSS sampling design is that the total sample of first stage units is drawn in the form of two or more independent and parallel samples, termed as interpenetrating sub-samples. Each sub-sample is drawn by the same sampling scheme and is capable of providing valid estimates of the population parameters. The comparison of sub-sample wise estimates shows the margin of uncertainty associated with the combined sample estimate.

Interpenetrating sub-samples have been used in NSS (i) to obtain valid estimates from each sub-round (season) of the survey round, and (ii) to ensure that Central and State samples for any State/ UT cover independent and equally valid samples of units.

The samples surveyed by the NSSO staff are termed as Central sample and the matched samples surveyed by State Government staff are termed as State sample.

FOD Sub-Region (FODSubRegion)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

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File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 4

Valid cases: 29631
 Invalid: 0

Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no. (HamletGroup_SubBlkNo)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 29631
 Invalid: 0

Second Stage Stratum (Stage2_Stratum)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 29631
 Invalid: 0

HHS No. (Hhold_no)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 29631
 Invalid: 0

Level (Lvl)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 29631
 Invalid: 0

Sl.No. of informant (Informant_Slno)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 29607
 Invalid: 0

Response Code (Resp_Code)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29625
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

Description

The entry against this item has been made after collecting all the required information for all the items in the schedule. The entry has been in code on the basis of the impression formed by the investigator regarding overall quality of response of the informant and the informant's perception about the schedule.

Interviewer instructions

This item is to be filled-in after canvassing the schedule. The type of informant, considering his co-operation and capability in providing the required information, will be recorded against this item in terms of specified response codes.

Survey Code (Survey_Code)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

Description

The item records whether the originally selected household or a substitute household has been surveyed or no household could be surveyed. The entries have been made in terms of codes.

Interviewer instructions

Whether the originally selected sample household has been surveyed or a substituted household has been surveyed will be indicated against this item by recording '1', if it is the originally selected sample household, and '2', if it is the substituted one. If neither the originally selected household nor the substituted household can be surveyed i.e., if the sample household is a casualty, code '3' will be recorded. In such cases only blocks 0, 1, 2, 14 and 15 will be filled-in and on the top of the front page of the schedule the word 'CASUALTY' will be written and underlined.

Substitution Code (Substn_Code)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 1059
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

Description

If the originally selected household could not be surveyed, irrespective of whether a substituted household could be surveyed or not, the reason for the one originally selected becoming a casualty has been recorded against this item in terms of codes.

Interviewer instructions

For an originally selected sample household which could not be surveyed, irrespective of whether a substituted household could be surveyed or not, the reason for not surveying the original household will be recorded against this item in code.

Date of Survey (DateOfSurvey)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Date of Survey (DateOfSurvey)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 6Valid cases: 29575
Invalid: 0

Date of Despatch (DateOfDespatch)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

OverviewType: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 6Valid cases: 29517
Invalid: 0

Time to canvass(mins.) (TimeToCanvass)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

OverviewType: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3Valid cases: 29565
Invalid: 0

NSS (NSS)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

OverviewType: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

NSC (NSC)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

OverviewType: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

Multiplier (MLT)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

OverviewType: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 9
Decimals: 2
Range: 9.75-245916Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 9.8
Maximum: 245916
Mean: 13418.1
Standard deviation: 14333.4

Sub sample Multiplier (Wgt_SubSample)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 29631
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 7	Minimum: 0.1
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 2459.2
Range: 0.0975-2459.16	Mean: 134.2
	Standard deviation: 143.3

Combined Multiplier (Wgt_Combined)

File: Blocks 1,2_ Identification of sample household

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 29631
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 1229.6
Range: 0.04875-1229.58	Mean: 67.1
	Standard deviation: 71.7

Primary key - unique identifier for a household (HHID)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 10	

Centre code, Round, Shift (CentreCodeRoundShift)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

LOT/FSU number (Vill_Blк_Slno)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 5	

Description

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Round (Round)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

Description

Indicates the NSS round number of this survey.

Schedule Number (ScheduleNumber)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

Description

Indicates the schedule number of this survey.

Schedule Type (ScheduleType)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Schedule Type (ScheduleType)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

Sample (Sample)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

Sector (Sector)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

State-Region (St_Region)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

Description

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State (State)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

District (District)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

District (District)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

Stratum Number (Stratum)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

Description

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(ii) urban stratum comprising of all the urban areas of the district.

Sub-Round (SubRound)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

Description

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Sub-Sample (SubSample)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

Description

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FOD Sub-Region (FODSubRegion)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

FOD Sub-Region (FODSubRegion)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 4	

Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no. (HamletGroup_SubBlkNo)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

Second Stage Stratum (Stage2_Stratum)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

HHS No. (Hhold_no)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

Level (Lvl)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

Household Size (B3_q1)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 29631
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 33
Range: 1-33	Mean: 5.2
	Standard deviation: 2.9

Household Size (B3_q1)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Description

A group of persons normally living together and taking food from a common kitchen constitutes a household. The word "normally" means that temporary visitors are excluded but temporary stay-aways are included. Thus a son or daughter residing in a hostel for studies is excluded from the household of his/her parents, but a resident employee or resident domestic servant or paying guest (but not just a tenant in the house) is included in the employer/host's household. "Living together" is usually given more importance than "sharing food from a common kitchen" in drawing the boundaries of a household in case the two criteria are in conflict; however, in the special case of a person taking food with his family but sleeping elsewhere (say in a shop or a different house) due to space shortage, the household formed by such a person's family members is taken to include the person also. Each inmate of a mess, hotel, boarding and lodging house, hostel, etc. is considered as a single-member household except that a family living in a hotel (say) is considered as one household only; the same applies to residential staff of such establishments.

Literal question

How many members are there in the household?

Interviewer instructions

The size of the sample household i.e., the total number of persons normally residing together (i.e., under the same roof) and taking food from the same kitchen (including temporary stayaways and excluding temporary visitors) will be recorded against this item. This number will be same as the last serial number recorded in column 1 of block 4.

NIC Code(5-digit) (B3_q2)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 5

Valid cases: 27969

Invalid: 0

Literal question

Which industry are the members working in?

Interviewer instructions

The description of the principal household industry will be recorded in the space provided. The entry cell for item 2 has been split for recording each digit separately. The appropriate five-digit industry code of the NIC 1998 will be recorded here. For households deriving income from non-economic activities only, a dash (-) may be put against this item.

NCO Code(3-digit) (B3_q3)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 3

Valid cases: 27958

Invalid: 0

Literal question

Which occupation are the members in?

Interviewer instructions

The description of the principal household occupation will be recorded in the space provided. The appropriate three-digit occupation code of the NCO 1968 is to be recorded in the entry cell which has been trisected for recording each digit separately. For households deriving income from non-economic activities only, a dash (-) may be put against this item.

Household type (B3_q4)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Household type (B3_q4)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 29599
Invalid: 0

Interviewer instructions

The household type code based on the means of livelihood of a household will be decided on the basis of the sources of the household's income during the 365 days preceding the date of survey. For this purpose, only the household's income (net income and not gross income) from economic activities will be considered; but the incomes of servants and paying guests will not be taken into account.

Household type with sector (HH_Type)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0

Religion (B3_q5)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 29628
Invalid: 0

Literal question

Which religion does the household belong to?

Interviewer instructions

The religion of the household will be recorded against this item in code. If different members of the household claim to belong to different religions, the religion of the head of the household will be considered as the religion of the household.

Social Group (B3_q6)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 29619
Invalid: 0

Literal question

Which social group does the household belong to?

Interviewer instructions

Whether or not the household belongs to scheduled tribe, scheduled caste or other backward class will be indicated against this item in terms of the specified codes which are:
scheduled tribe - 1, scheduled caste - 2, other backward class - 3, others - 9.

Those who do not come under any one of the first three social groups will be assigned code 9, meant to cover all other categories. In case different members belong to different social groups, the group to which the head of the household belongs will be considered as the 'social group' of the household.

Land Possessed (B3_q7)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 28893
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

Literal question

How much land does the household possess?

Interviewer instructions

The total land area possessed by the household as on the date of survey will be worked out and recorded against this item in code.

Dwelling unit (B3_q8)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29623
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

Description

This item refers only to the dwelling unit or the actual residence of the sample household. The dwelling unit may be an entire structure or may be only a part of a structure.

Literal question

Do you own the dwelling unit? Or is it hired or otherwise occupied?

Interviewer instructions

This item refers only to the dwelling unit or the actual residence of the sample household. The dwelling unit may be the entire structure for one household or may be only a part of it. Accordingly, the investigator will ask the informant if it is owned, hired or otherwise occupied. If the occupant owns the dwelling unit, code 1 will be recorded against item 8. If it is taken on rent, code 2 will be entered and if it is occupied otherwise, code 9 will apply. However, if any household is found living under trees, bridges, in pipes, etc. it will not be treated as living in dwelling unit. For such households code 3 will be recorded. It may be noted that a dwelling unit constructed on a plot of land which is taken under long-term lease, usually 30 years or more, will be considered as being held under owner-like possession. Similarly, a dwelling unit itself possessed by a household under a long-term lease may be treated as under owner-like possession and code 1 will be applicable in such cases also.

Type of Dwelling (B3_q9)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29598
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

Literal question

What is the type of dwelling of the household? Is it an independent house or a flat or any other type of dwelling?

Interviewer instructions

A dwelling unit may be in an independent house, a flat or of some other type. The appropriate code will be entered against the item.

Type of Structure (B3_q10)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type of Structure (B3_q10)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 29248
Invalid: 0

Literal question

What is the type of structure of the dwelling?

Interviewer instructions

The structures have been classified into four categories, namely, pucca, semi-pucca, serviceable katcha, unserviceable katcha on the basis of materials used for construction. This item is to be filled in code.

Covered Area (B3_q11)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 3
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-600

Valid cases: 29538
Invalid: 93
Minimum: 0
Maximum: 600
Mean: 57.7
Standard deviation: 45.5

Literal question

How much is the covered area of the dwelling unit?

Interviewer instructions

This will be the sum of the floor areas of all the rooms, kitchen, etc., and verandah of the building. The area will be recorded (to nearest integer) in square metre. The verandah will mean a roofed space adjacent to living/other rooms which is not walled from all sides. In other words, at least one side of such space is either open or walled only to some height or protected by grille, net, etc. If entry against item 10 is 5, a dash (-) may be put against this item.

Cooking (B3_q12)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 29618
Invalid: 0

Literal question

What is the primary source of energy that is being used by the household for cooking?

Interviewer instructions

Against these two items, the code corresponding to the primary source of energy that is used by the household for cooking and the primary source of energy used for lighting during last 30 days preceding the date of survey will be recorded. If more than one type of energy is utilised, the primary or principal one on the basis of its extent of use will have to be identified and the corresponding code will be noted in the appropriate box.

Lighting (B3_q13)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 29610
Invalid: 0

Literal question

What is the primary source of energy that is being used by the household for lighting?

Lighting (B3_q13)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Interviewer instructions

Against these two items, the code corresponding to the primary source of energy that is used by the household for cooking and the primary source of energy used for lighting during last 30 days preceding the date of survey will be recorded. If more than one type of energy is utilised, the primary or principal one on the basis of its extent of use will have to be identified and the corresponding code will be noted in the appropriate box.

Hhld. Exp.-Purchase (B3_q14)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 29506
Format: numeric	Invalid: 125
Width: 6	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 963358
Range: 0-963358	Mean: 3191.5
	Standard deviation: 7468.1

Literal question

How much did the household spend on purchases and other cash payments made for its members' needs during the last 30 days?

Hhld. Exp.-Home-Produced Stock (B3_q15)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 16552
Format: numeric	Invalid: 13079
Width: 6	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 137224
Range: 0-137224	Mean: 966.2
	Standard deviation: 1441.3

Literal question

Did the household members use any goods grown/produced by the household for their own consumption during the last 30 days? If so, how much? What was the estimated value of such goods consumed at ex farm/factory price? Goods may be cereals, pulses, vegetables, milk, firewood & chips, cow dung, footwear, clothes, etc.

Hhld. Exp.-Receipts in Exchange (B3_q16)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 2640
Format: numeric	Invalid: 26991
Width: 5	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 10000
Range: 0-10000	Mean: 247.6
	Standard deviation: 467.6

Literal question

Whether the household consumed any goods and services which have been procured or received against some goods or services of the household during the last 30 days? What is the estimated value of these goods and services at local retail prices?

Interviewer instructions

Hhld. Exp.-Receipts in Exchange (B3_q16)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

For wage/salaried households such items may be perquisites like free electricity, free telephone services, free medical services, etc. Agricultural labourer may receive payments in kind such as in the form of crops/goods produced by the cultivator. A cultivator may make any payment for goods and services in terms of food grains, vegetables, etc. A barber may receive his payment in food grains, vegetables, etc. These are to be considered while recording information against this item.

Hhld. Exp.-Gifts and Loans (B3_q17)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 4190
Format: numeric	Invalid: 25441
Width: 6	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 300000
Range: 0-300000	Mean: 375.1
	Standard deviation: 4745.5

Literal question

Whether any goods and services were procured by way of gift or loan for household consumption during the last 30 days? What is the estimated value of these items at local retail prices? These items may be items of food, pan, tobacco and intoxicants, fuel and light, clothing and footwear.

Hhld. Exp.-Free Collection (B3_q18)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 12498
Format: numeric	Invalid: 17133
Width: 5	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 40000
Range: 0-40000	Mean: 195.7
	Standard deviation: 537.9

Literal question

Whether any item was procured by the household through free collection during the last 30 days for its consumption? What is the estimated value of these items at local retail prices? Normally, such items are firewood, cow dung, vegetables, honey or other forest products.

Hhld. Exp.-Total (B3_q19)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 29598
Format: numeric	Invalid: 33
Width: 6	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 964508
Range: 0-964508	Mean: 3879.7
	Standard deviation: 7880.8

Interviewer instructions

This will be obtained as the sum of items 14-18.

MPCE (Rs.0.00) (B3_q20)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 29631
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 42
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 38331.8
Range: 41.95-38331.82	Mean: 955
	Standard deviation: 876.4

Performed any ceremony? (B3_q21)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29613
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

Description

Ceremonies are frequently performed to solemnize some events of life such as birth, marriage, etc. There are also rites consequent upon the death of a person. Such ceremonies may be performed by household members as required under the social/religious customs without incurring expenditure for entertaining guests. On the other hand, some households may spend a considerable amount of money for entertaining guests with meals during these occasions. Only the latter type of ceremony, in other words, only those ceremonies on which guests are entertained with meals (not just snacks) will be considered for the purposes of item 15 as ceremonies performed. Even an occasion which is not a traditional occasion for celebration or social gathering will be considered a ceremony if meals are served to a large number of guests by the household.

Literal question

Did the household perform any ceremony during the last 30 days?

Interviewer instructions

If the household performs any ceremony during the last 30 days, then code '1' will be recorded against this item. Otherwise, '2' will be recorded.

No. of meals served to outsiders (B3_q22)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 20524
Format: numeric	Invalid: 9107
Width: 4	
Decimals: 0	

Literal question

How many no. of meals were served to non-household members during the last 30 days?

Interviewer instructions

The total number of meals served to non-household members during the last 30 days will be recorded against this item.

Purchase from Ration etc. (B3_q23)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29601
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

Literal question

Purchase from Ration etc. (B3_q23)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Did the household purchase any cereal from ration/fair price shop during the last 30 days?

Interviewer instructions

The answer against this question will be recorded in code. The codes are: yes-1, no-2. Purchase of food grains by workers from shops run by their employer at concessional or subsidised rates (this is prevalent, for example, in tea garden areas) will not be considered as purchase from ration/fair price shop.

NSS (NSS)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

NSC (NSC)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 29631
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

Multiplier (MLT)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 29631
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 9.8
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 245916
Range: 9.75-245916	Mean: 13418.1
	Standard deviation: 14333.4

Sub sample Multiplier (Wgt_SubSample)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 29631
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 7	Minimum: 0.1
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 2459.2
Range: 0.0975-2459.16	Mean: 134.2
	Standard deviation: 143.3

Combined Multiplier (Wgt_Combined)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Overview

Combined Multiplier (Wgt_Combined)

File: Block 3_Household Characteristics

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 7
Decimals: 2
Range: 0.04875-1229.58

Valid cases: 29631
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 0
Maximum: 1229.6
Mean: 67.1
Standard deviation: 71.7

Primary key - unique identifier for a member in the household (Person_key)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 12

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 10

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Centre code, Round, Shift (CentreCodeRoundShift)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

LOT/FSU number (Vill_Blk_Slno)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 5

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Description

The first-stage units are census villages in the rural sector and the NSSO urban frame survey (UFS) blocks in the urban sector. This variable indicates the serial number assigned to such units.

Round (Round)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Description

Indicates the NSS round number of this survey.

Schedule Number (ScheduleNumber)

File: Block 4_Person records

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File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Description

Indicates the schedule number of this survey.

Schedule Type (ScheduleType)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Sample (Sample)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Sector (Sector)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

State-Region (St_Region)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Description

Regions are hierarchical domains of study below the level of State/ Union Territory in the NSS.

State (State)

File: Block 4_Person records

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File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

District (District)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Stratum Number (Stratum)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Description

Within each district of a State/ UT, two basic strata were formed:
(i) rural stratum comprising of all rural areas of the district and
(ii) urban stratum comprising of all the urban areas of the district.

Sub-Round (SubRound)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Description

The survey period of six months of this round was divided into two sub-rounds of three months duration. Equal number of sample villages and blocks were allotted for survey in each of these sub-rounds.

Sub-Sample (SubSample)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Description

Sub-Sample (SubSample)

File: Block 4_Person records

An important feature of the NSS sampling design is that the total sample of first stage units is drawn in the form of two or more independent and parallel samples, termed as interpenetrating sub-samples. Each sub-sample is drawn by the same sampling scheme and is capable of providing valid estimates of the population parameters. The comparison of sub-sample wise estimates shows the margin of uncertainty associated with the combined sample estimate.

Interpenetrating sub-samples have been used in NSS (i) to obtain valid estimates from each sub-round (season) of the survey round, and (ii) to ensure that Central and State samples for any State/ UT cover independent and equally valid samples of units.

The samples surveyed by the NSSO staff are termed as Central sample and the matched samples surveyed by State Government staff are termed as State sample.

FOD Sub-Region (FODSubRegion)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 4

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no. (HamletGroup_SubBlkNo)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Second Stage Stratum (Stage2_Stratum)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

HHS No. (Hhold_no)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Level (Lvl)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Level (Lvl)

File: Block 4_Person records

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Person Srl No. (B4_q1)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Interviewer instructions

All the members of the sample household will be listed in block 4 using a continuous serial number in column (1). In the list, the head of the household will appear first followed by head's spouse, the first son, first son's wife and their children, second son, second son's wife and their children and so on. After the sons are enumerated, the daughters will be listed followed by other relations, dependants, servants, etc.

Relation (B4_q3)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Literal question

What is your relation to head of the household?

Interviewer instructions

The family relationship of each member of the household with the head of the household (for the head, the relationship is 'self') expressed in terms of specified codes will be recorded in this column.

Sex (B4_q4)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0

Literal question

Sex of the member

Interviewer instructions

For each and every member of the household, sex in terms of the code (male-1, female-2) will be recorded in this column. For eunuch, code '1' will be recorded.

Age (B4_q5)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Age (B4_q5)

File: Block 4_Person records

Type: Continuous
 Format: numeric
 Width: 3
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-282

Valid cases: 152669
 Invalid: 0
 Minimum: 0
 Maximum: 282
 Mean: 27.2
 Standard deviation: 19.3

Literal question

Age of the member

Interviewer instructions

The age in completed years of all the members listed will be ascertained and recorded in this column. For infants below one year of age, '0' will be entered. As a departure from earlier rounds, the age above 99 will be recorded in three digits.

Marital Status (B4_q6)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 152647
 Invalid: 0

Literal question

Marital status of the member

Interviewer instructions

The marital status of each member will be recorded in terms of the specified code in this column.

Education (B4_q7)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 152354
 Invalid: 0

Literal question

Education of the member

Interviewer instructions

Information regarding the level of general education attained by the members of the household listed will be recorded in this column in terms of the specified codes. For the purpose of making entries in this column, only the course successfully completed will be considered. For instance, for a person who has studied up to say, first year B.A., his/her educational attainment will be considered as higher secondary (code 07). For a person who has studied up to 12th standard but has not appeared for the final examination or has failed, his/her educational attainment will be considered under 'secondary' (code 06).

Days Stayed away (B4_q8)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Continuous
 Format: numeric
 Width: 2
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-30

Valid cases: 38178
 Invalid: 114491
 Minimum: 0
 Maximum: 30
 Mean: 2
 Standard deviation: 5

Days Stayed away (B4_q8)

File: Block 4_Person records

Literal question

How many days a member has stayed away from the household?

Interviewer instructions

The number of days for which the member 'stayed away from home' during the 30 days preceding the date of enquiry should be recorded here. A continuous absence from home for 24 hours will be reckoned as a 'day stayed away'. That is, the entry will be made in completed number of days and any fraction of a day will be ignored. The location of the place where the person stayed, having been away from his/her own household, may also be within the same village/town and staying away will not only mean physical absence but also non-participation in food consumption from his/her own household. For example, if a member stayed away for two days, but consumed food prepared at home during these two days, then that member will not be considered for this item as staying away. For members who did not stay away for even 1 day during the last 30 days, zero (0) will be recorded.

No. of Meals per day (B4_q9)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

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

Valid cases: 152426
Invalid: 243
Minimum: 0
Maximum: 3
Mean: 2.4
Standard deviation: 0.6

Description

A 'meal' is composed of one or more readily eatable (generally cooked) items of food, the usually major constituent of which is cereals. The meals consumed by a person twice or thrice a day provide him/her the required energy (calorie) and other nutrients for living and for pursuing his/her normal avocations. A 'meal', as opposed to 'snacks', 'nashta' or 'high tea', contains larger quantum and variety of food. In rare cases, a full meal may contain larger quantity of non-cereal food. Even then, if the quantum of food in a plate is heavy as a meal, the contents of the food plate will also be considered as a 'meal'. Sometimes the contents of a 'nashta' may not be very different from the contents of a 'meal'. The difference in quantity will therefore be the guiding factor for deciding whether the plate is to be labelled as a 'meal' or a 'nashta'.

Literal question

How many meals do you usually take in a day?

Interviewer instructions

The number of meals consumed by a person is usually reported as 2 or 3. In rare cases, one may come across a person who may be taking food only once in a day or more than three times a day. While in the former case the number of meals for the person will be 1 per day, in the latter case, however, only 3 should be entered. That is, in this column, the recorded number of meals taken in a day, even if it is reported to be higher, should not exceed 3. A breast-fed baby does not directly share the food consumed by members of the household. Hence for such babies the entry in this column will be '0'.

Meals (School) (B4_q10)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

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

Valid cases: 20865
Invalid: 131804
Minimum: 0
Maximum: 90
Mean: 2
Standard deviation: 6.6

Literal question

If you or any member of the household take meals free of cost from school, balwadi etc, then how many such meals are taken in a day?

Interviewer instructions

Columns (10), (11) and (12) pertain to meals taken away from home without payment.

Meals (Employer) (B4_q11)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 19424
Format: numeric	Invalid: 133245
Width: 2	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 90
Range: 0-90	Mean: 0.7
	Standard deviation: 5.7

Literal question

If you or any member of the household take meals free of cost from employer, then how many such meals do you take in a day?

Interviewer instructions

Columns (10), (11) and (12) pertain to meals taken away from home without payment.

Meals (Others) (B4_q12)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 29744
Format: numeric	Invalid: 122925
Width: 2	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 90
Range: 0-90	Mean: 5.2
	Standard deviation: 12.5

Literal question

If you or any member of the household take meals free of cost from others, then how many such meals do you take in a day?

Interviewer instructions

Columns (10), (11) and (12) pertain to meals taken away from home without payment.

Meals (Payment) (B4_q13)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 22189
Format: numeric	Invalid: 130480
Width: 2	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 90
Range: 0-90	Mean: 2.7
	Standard deviation: 10.6

Literal question

If you or any member of the household take meals away from home on payment, then how many such meals do you take?

Meals(At Home) (B4_q14)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Meals(At Home) (B4_q14)

File: Block 4_Person records

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

Valid cases: 151645
 Invalid: 1024
 Minimum: 0
 Maximum: 99
 Mean: 71.1
 Standard deviation: 18

Literal question

How many meals are taken at home in a day?

NSS (NSS)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 152669
 Invalid: 0

NSC (NSC)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 152669
 Invalid: 0

Multiplier (MLT)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Continuous
 Format: numeric
 Width: 9
 Decimals: 2
 Range: 9.75-245916

Valid cases: 152669
 Invalid: 0
 Minimum: 9.8
 Maximum: 245916
 Mean: 12746.7
 Standard deviation: 13853.8

Sub sample Multiplier (Wgt_SubSample)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Continuous
 Format: numeric
 Width: 7
 Decimals: 2
 Range: 0.0975-2459.16

Valid cases: 152669
 Invalid: 0
 Minimum: 0.1
 Maximum: 2459.2
 Mean: 127.5
 Standard deviation: 138.5

Combined Multiplier (Wgt_Combined)

File: Block 4_Person records

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 7
Decimals: 2
Range: 0.04875-1229.58

Valid cases: 152669
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 0
Maximum: 1229.6
Mean: 63.7
Standard deviation: 69.3

Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 10

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

Centre code, Round, Shift (CentreCodeRoundShift)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

LOT/FSU number (Vill_Blк_Slno)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 5

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

Description

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Round (Round)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

Description

Indicates the NSS round number of this survey.

Schedule Number (ScheduleNumber)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

Schedule Number (ScheduleNumber)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Description

Indicates the schedule number of this survey.

Schedule Type (ScheduleType)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 395840

Invalid: 0

Sample (Sample)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 395840

Invalid: 0

Sector (Sector)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 395840

Invalid: 0

Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

State-Region (St_Region)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 3

Valid cases: 395840

Invalid: 0

Description

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State (State)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

District (District)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

Stratum Number (Stratum)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

Description

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Sub-Round (SubRound)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

Description

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Sub-Sample (SubSample)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

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Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

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FOD Sub-Region (FODSubRegion)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 4

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no. (HamletGroup_SubBlkNo)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

Second Stage Stratum (Stage2_Stratum)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

HHS No. (Hhold_no)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

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File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

Level (Lvl)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

Block 5 Item Code (B5_q1)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

Quantity (0.00) (B5_q3)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 7
Decimals: 2
Range: 0.01-9100

Valid cases: 370458
Invalid: 25382
Minimum: 0
Maximum: 9100
Mean: 13.5
Standard deviation: 31.6

Literal question

How much quantity of the item was consumed by the household in the last 30 days?

Value (Rs. 0.00) (B5_q4)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Value (Rs. 0.00) (B5_q4)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 2
Range: 0.15-11562

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 0.2
Maximum: 11562
Mean: 162.2
Standard deviation: 279.1

Literal question

What was the value of the items consumed by the household in the last 30 days?

Source Code (B5_q5)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 284685
Invalid: 0

Literal question

What was the source of obtaining the item?

Interviewer instructions

Consumption of an item during the last 30 days may be made out of one or more sources. The source from which the item has been procured and consumed by the household will be recorded in terms of codes.

NSS (NSS)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

NSC (NSC)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 395840
Invalid: 0

Multiplier (MLT)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

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File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 395840
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 9.8
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 245916
Range: 9.75-245916	Mean: 13128.8
	Standard deviation: 14123.3

Sub sample Multiplier (Wgt_SubSample)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 395840
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 7	Minimum: 0.1
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 2459.2
Range: 0.0975-2459.16	Mean: 131.3
	Standard deviation: 141.2

Combined Multiplier (Wgt_Combined)

File: Block 5_Monthly household expenditure on cereals, pulses, milk, sugar and salt

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 395840
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 1229.6
Range: 0.04875-1229.58	Mean: 65.6
	Standard deviation: 70.6

Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 10

Valid cases: 910195
Invalid: 0

Centre code, Round, Shift (CentreCodeRoundShift)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 910195
Invalid: 0

LOT/FSU number (Vill_Blkc_Slno)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 5

Valid cases: 910195
Invalid: 0

Description

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Round (Round)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 910195
Invalid: 0

Description

Indicates the NSS round number of this survey.

Schedule Number (ScheduleNumber)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 3

Valid cases: 910195

Invalid: 0

Description

Indicates the schedule number of this survey.

Schedule Type (ScheduleType)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 910195

Invalid: 0

Sample (Sample)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 910195

Invalid: 0

Sector (Sector)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 910195

Invalid: 0

Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

State-Region (St_Region)

File: Block 6_ Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 3

Valid cases: 910195

Invalid: 0

Description

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State (State)

File: Block 6_ Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 2

Valid cases: 910195

Invalid: 0

District (District)

File: Block 6_ Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 2

Valid cases: 910195

Invalid: 0

Stratum Number (Stratum)

File: Block 6_ Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 2

Valid cases: 910195

Invalid: 0

Description

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Sub-Round (SubRound)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 910195
Invalid: 0

Description

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Sub-Sample (SubSample)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 910195
Invalid: 0

Description

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FOD Sub-Region (FODSubRegion)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 4

Valid cases: 910195
Invalid: 0

Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no. (HamletGroup_SubBlkNo)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no. (HamletGroup_SubBlkNo)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 910195
Invalid: 0

Second Stage Stratum (Stage2_Stratum)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 910195
Invalid: 0

HHS No. (Hhold_no)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 910195
Invalid: 0

Level (Lvl)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 910195
Invalid: 0

Block 6 Item Code (B6_q1)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

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File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 910195
Invalid: 0

Quantity (0.00) (B6_q3)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 2
Range: 0-27500

Valid cases: 767273
Invalid: 142922
Minimum: 0
Maximum: 27500
Mean: 82.8
Standard deviation: 256.9

Literal question

How much quantity of the item was consumed by the household in the last 7 days?

Value (Rs. 0.00) (B6_q4)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 2
Range: 0.01-23061

Valid cases: 910194
Invalid: 1
Minimum: 0
Maximum: 23061
Mean: 40.5
Standard deviation: 97.7

Literal question

What was the value of the items consumed by the household in the last 7 days?

Source Code (B6_q5)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 713762
Invalid: 0

Literal question

What was the source of obtaining the item?

Source Code (B6_q5)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Interviewer instructions

Consumption of an item during the last 30 days may be made out of one or more sources. The source from which the item has been procured and consumed by the household will be recorded in terms of codes.

NSS (NSS)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 910195
Invalid: 0

NSC (NSC)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 910195
Invalid: 0

Multiplier (MLT)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 9
Decimals: 2
Range: 9.75-245916

Valid cases: 910195
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 9.8
Maximum: 245916
Mean: 13074.1
Standard deviation: 14174.5

Sub sample Multiplier (Wgt_SubSample)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

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Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 910195
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 7	Minimum: 0.1
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 2459.2
Range: 0.0975-2459.16	Mean: 130.7
	Standard deviation: 141.7

Combined Multiplier (Wgt_Combined)

File: Block 6_Weekly consumption of edible oil, egg, fish and meat, vegetables, fruits, spices, beverages and processed food and pan, tobacco and intoxicants

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 910195
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 1229.6
Range: 0.04875-1229.58	Mean: 65.4
	Standard deviation: 70.9

Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 10

Valid cases: 149188
Invalid: 0

Centre code, Round, Shift (CentreCodeRoundShift)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 149188
Invalid: 0

LOT/FSU number (Vill_Blk_Slno)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 5

Valid cases: 149188
Invalid: 0

Description

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Round (Round)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 149188
Invalid: 0

Description

Indicates the NSS round number of this survey.

Schedule Number (ScheduleNumber)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 149188
Invalid: 0

Description

Indicates the schedule number of this survey.

Schedule Type (ScheduleType)

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Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 149188
Invalid: 0

Sample (Sample)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 149188
Invalid: 0

Sector (Sector)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 149188
Invalid: 0

Description

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State-Region (St_Region)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 149188
Invalid: 0

Description

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State (State)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 149188
Invalid: 0

District (District)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

District (District)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 149188
 Invalid: 0

Stratum Number (Stratum)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 149188
 Invalid: 0

Description

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Sub-Round (SubRound)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 149188
 Invalid: 0

Description

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Sub-Sample (SubSample)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 149188
 Invalid: 0

Description

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FOD Sub-Region (FODSubRegion)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

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Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 4

Valid cases: 149188
 Invalid: 0

Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no. (HamletGroup_SubBlkNo)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 149188
 Invalid: 0

Second Stage Stratum (Stage2_Stratum)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 149188
 Invalid: 0

HHS No. (Hhold_no)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 149188
 Invalid: 0

Level (Lvl)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 149188
 Invalid: 0

Block 7 Item Code (B7_q1)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 3

Valid cases: 149188
 Invalid: 0

Quantity (0.00) (B7_q3)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 109099
Format: numeric	Invalid: 40089
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 7000
Range: 0.01-7000	Mean: 44.5
	Standard deviation: 80.7

Literal question

How much quantity of the item was consumed by the household in the last 30 days?

Value (Rs. 0.00) (B7_q4)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 149188
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 7	Minimum: 0.5
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 5060
Range: 0.5-5060	Mean: 140.8
	Standard deviation: 183.4

Literal question

What was the value of the items consumed by the household in the last 30 days?

Source Code (B7_q5)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 119133
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

Literal question

What was the source of obtaining the item?

Interviewer instructions

Consumption of an item during the last 30 days may be made out of one or more sources. The source from which the item has been procured and consumed by the household will be recorded in terms of codes.

NSS (NSS)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 149188
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

NSC (NSC)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

NSC (NSC)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 149188
 Invalid: 0

Multiplier (MLT)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Continuous
 Format: numeric
 Width: 9
 Decimals: 2
 Range: 9.75-245916

Valid cases: 149188
 Invalid: 0
 Minimum: 9.8
 Maximum: 245916
 Mean: 13320.7
 Standard deviation: 14207.2

Sub sample Multiplier (Wgt_SubSample)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Continuous
 Format: numeric
 Width: 7
 Decimals: 2
 Range: 0.0975-2459.16

Valid cases: 149188
 Invalid: 0
 Minimum: 0.1
 Maximum: 2459.2
 Mean: 133.2
 Standard deviation: 142.1

Combined Multiplier (Wgt_Combined)

File: Block 7_Monthly consumption of fuel & light

Overview

Type: Continuous
 Format: numeric
 Width: 7
 Decimals: 2
 Range: 0.04875-1229.58

Valid cases: 149188
 Invalid: 0
 Minimum: 0
 Maximum: 1229.6
 Mean: 66.6
 Standard deviation: 71

Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 10

Valid cases: 269037
 Invalid: 0

Centre code, Round, Shift (CentreCodeRoundShift)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 3

Valid cases: 269037
 Invalid: 0

LOT/FSU number (Vill_Blk_Slno)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 5

Valid cases: 269037
 Invalid: 0

Description

The first-stage units are census villages in the rural sector and the NSSO urban frame survey (UFS) blocks in the urban sector. This variable indicates the serial number assigned to such units.

Round (Round)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 269037
 Invalid: 0

Description

Indicates the NSS round number of this survey.

Schedule Number (ScheduleNumber)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 3

Valid cases: 269037
 Invalid: 0

Description

Indicates the schedule number of this survey.

Schedule Type (ScheduleType)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Schedule Type (ScheduleType)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 269037
Invalid: 0

Sample (Sample)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 269037
Invalid: 0

Sector (Sector)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 269037
Invalid: 0

Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

State-Region (St_Region)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 269037
Invalid: 0

Description

Regions are hierarchical domains of study below the level of State/ Union Territory in the NSS.

State (State)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 269037
Invalid: 0

District (District)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

District (District)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 269037

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 2

Stratum Number (Stratum)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 269037

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 2

Description

Within each district of a State/ UT, two basic strata were formed:

- (i) rural stratum comprising of all rural areas of the district and
- (ii) urban stratum comprising of all the urban areas of the district.

Sub-Round (SubRound)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 269037

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

Description

The survey period of six months of this round was divided into two sub-rounds of three months duration. Equal number of sample villages and blocks were allotted for survey in each of these sub-rounds.

Sub-Sample (SubSample)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 269037

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

Description

An important feature of the NSS sampling design is that the total sample of first stage units is drawn in the form of two or more independent and parallel samples, termed as interpenetrating sub-samples. Each sub-sample is drawn by the same sampling scheme and is capable of providing valid estimates of the population parameters. The comparison of sub-sample wise estimates shows the margin of uncertainty associated with the combined sample estimate.

Interpenetrating sub-samples have been used in NSS (i) to obtain valid estimates from each sub-round (season) of the survey round, and (ii) to ensure that Central and State samples for any State/ UT cover independent and equally valid samples of units.

The samples surveyed by the NSSO staff are termed as Central sample and the matched samples surveyed by State Government staff are termed as State sample.

FOD Sub-Region (FODSubRegion)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

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File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 4

Valid cases: 269037
 Invalid: 0

Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no. (HamletGroup_SubBlkNo)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 269037
 Invalid: 0

Second Stage Stratum (Stage2_Stratum)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 269037
 Invalid: 0

HHS No. (Hhold_no)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 269037
 Invalid: 0

Level (Lvl)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 269037
 Invalid: 0

Block 8 Item Code (B8_q1)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 3

Valid cases: 269037
 Invalid: 0

Quantity (0.00) (B8_q3)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 214557
Format: numeric	Invalid: 54480
Width: 8	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 55000
Range: 0.01-55000	Mean: 20.7
	Standard deviation: 315

Literal question

How much quantity of the item was consumed by the household in the last 365 days?

Value (Rs. 0.00) (B8_q4)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 269037
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 127000
Range: 1-127000	Mean: 700.4
	Standard deviation: 1263.9

Literal question

What was the value of the items consumed by the household in the last 365 days?

NSS (NSS)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 269037
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

NSC (NSC)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 269037
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

Multiplier (MLT)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 269037
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 9.8
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 245916
Range: 9.75-245916	Mean: 12949.9
	Standard deviation: 13944.8

Sub sample Multiplier (Wgt_SubSample)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 269037
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 7	Minimum: 0.1
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 2459.2
Range: 0.0975-2459.16	Mean: 129.5
	Standard deviation: 139.4

Combined Multiplier (Wgt_Combined)

File: Block 8_Annual consumption of clothing

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 269037
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 1229.6
Range: 0.04875-1229.58	Mean: 64.8
	Standard deviation: 69.7

Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 10

Valid cases: 88386
Invalid: 0

Centre code, Round, Shift (CentreCodeRoundShift)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 88386
Invalid: 0

LOT/FSU number (Vill_Blk_Slno)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 5

Valid cases: 88386
Invalid: 0

Description

The first-stage units are census villages in the rural sector and the NSSO urban frame survey (UFS) blocks in the urban sector. This variable indicates the serial number assigned to such units.

Round (Round)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 88386
Invalid: 0

Description

Indicates the NSS round number of this survey.

Schedule Number (ScheduleNumber)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 88386
Invalid: 0

Description

Indicates the schedule number of this survey.

Schedule Type (ScheduleType)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Schedule Type (ScheduleType)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 88386
Invalid: 0

Sample (Sample)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 88386
Invalid: 0

Sector (Sector)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 88386
Invalid: 0

Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

State-Region (St_Region)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 88386
Invalid: 0

Description

Regions are hierarchical domains of study below the level of State/ Union Territory in the NSS.

State (State)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 88386
Invalid: 0

District (District)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

District (District)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 88386
 Invalid: 0

Stratum Number (Stratum)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 88386
 Invalid: 0

Description

Within each district of a State/ UT, two basic strata were formed:
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 (ii) urban stratum comprising of all the urban areas of the district.

Sub-Round (SubRound)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 88386
 Invalid: 0

Description

The survey period of six months of this round was divided into two sub-rounds of three months duration. Equal number of sample villages and blocks were allotted for survey in each of these sub-rounds.

Sub-Sample (SubSample)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 88386
 Invalid: 0

Description

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FOD Sub-Region (FODSubRegion)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

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File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 4

Valid cases: 88386
 Invalid: 0

Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no. (HamletGroup_SubBlkNo)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 88386
 Invalid: 0

Second Stage Stratum (Stage2_Stratum)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 88386
 Invalid: 0

HHS No. (Hhold_no)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 88386
 Invalid: 0

Level (Lvl)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 88386
 Invalid: 0

Block 9 Item Code (B9_q1)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 3

Valid cases: 88386
 Invalid: 0

Quantity (0.00) (B9_q3)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 88378
Format: numeric	Invalid: 8
Width: 5	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 32
Range: 0-32.03	Mean: 0
	Standard deviation: 0.2

Literal question

How much quantity of the item was consumed by the household in the last 365 days?

Value (Rs. 0.00) (B9_q4)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 88386
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 0.2
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 10000
Range: 0.2-10000	Mean: 376.1
	Standard deviation: 468.7

Literal question

What was the value of the items consumed by the household in the last 365 days?

NSS (NSS)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88386
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

NSC (NSC)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88386
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

Multiplier (MLT)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 88386
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 9.8
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 245916
Range: 9.75-245916	Mean: 12521.4
	Standard deviation: 13936

Sub sample Multiplier (Wgt_SubSample)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 88386
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 7	Minimum: 0.1
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 2459.2
Range: 0.0975-2459.16	Mean: 125.2
	Standard deviation: 139.4

Combined Multiplier (Wgt_Combined)

File: Block 9_Annual consumption of footwear

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 88386
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 1229.6
Range: 0.04875-1229.58	Mean: 62.6
	Standard deviation: 69.7

Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 10

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0

Centre code, Round, Shift (CentreCodeRoundShift)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0

LOT/FSU number (Vill_Blk_Slno)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 5

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0

Description

The first-stage units are census villages in the rural sector and the NSSO urban frame survey (UFS) blocks in the urban sector. This variable indicates the serial number assigned to such units.

Round (Round)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0

Description

Indicates the NSS round number of this survey.

Schedule Number (ScheduleNumber)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0

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Description

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Schedule Type (ScheduleType)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 101674

Invalid: 0

Sample (Sample)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 101674

Invalid: 0

Sector (Sector)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 101674

Invalid: 0

Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

State-Region (St_Region)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 3

Valid cases: 101674

Invalid: 0

Description

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State (State)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0

District (District)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0

Stratum Number (Stratum)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0

Description

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Sub-Round (SubRound)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0

Description

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Sub-Sample (SubSample)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Sub-Sample (SubSample)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 101674
 Invalid: 0

Description

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FOD Sub-Region (FODSubRegion)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 4

Valid cases: 101674
 Invalid: 0

Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no. (HamletGroup_SubBlkNo)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 101674
 Invalid: 0

Second Stage Stratum (Stage2_Stratum)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: character
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 101674
 Invalid: 0

HHS No. (Hhold_no)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

HHS No. (Hhold_no)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical
(institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0

Level (Lvl)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical
(institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0

Block 10 Item Code (B10_q1)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical
(institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0

Value (Rs. 0.00) (B10_q3)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical
(institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 9
Decimals: 2
Range: 1-300000

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 1
Maximum: 300000
Mean: 1885.1
Standard deviation: 5615.1

Literal question

What was the value of the items consumed by the household in the last 365 days?

NSS (NSS)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical
(institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0

NSC (NSC)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical
(institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0

Multiplier (MLT)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical
(institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 9
Decimals: 2
Range: 9.75-245916

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 9.8
Maximum: 245916
Mean: 12000.7
Standard deviation: 13800.2

Sub sample Multiplier (Wgt_SubSample)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical
(institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 7
Decimals: 2
Range: 0.0975-2459.16

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 0.1
Maximum: 2459.2
Mean: 120
Standard deviation: 138

Combined Multiplier (Wgt_Combined)

File: Block 10_Annual expenditure on education and medical
(institutional) goods and services

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 7
Decimals: 2
Range: 0.04875-1229.58

Valid cases: 101674
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 0
Maximum: 1229.6
Mean: 60
Standard deviation: 69

Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 10

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0

Centre code, Round, Shift (CentreCodeRoundShift)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0

LOT/FSU number (Vill_Blк_Slno)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 5

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0

Description

The first-stage units are census villages in the rural sector and the NSSO urban frame survey (UFS) blocks in the urban sector. This variable indicates the serial number assigned to such units.

Round (Round)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0

Description

Indicates the NSS round number of this survey.

Schedule Number (ScheduleNumber)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0

Schedule Number (ScheduleNumber)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Description

Indicates the schedule number of this survey.

Schedule Type (ScheduleType)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 575976

Invalid: 0

Sample (Sample)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 575976

Invalid: 0

Sector (Sector)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 575976

Invalid: 0

Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

State-Region (St_Region)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 3

Valid cases: 575976

Invalid: 0

Description

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State (State)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0

District (District)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0

Stratum Number (Stratum)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0

Description

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Sub-Round (SubRound)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0

Description

The survey period of six months of this round was divided into two sub-rounds of three months duration. Equal number of sample villages and blocks were allotted for survey in each of these sub-rounds.

Sub-Sample (SubSample)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Sub-Sample (SubSample)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 575976

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

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FOD Sub-Region (FODSubRegion)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 575976

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 4

Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no. (HamletGroup_SubBlkNo)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 575976

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

Second Stage Stratum (Stage2_Stratum)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 575976

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

HHS No. (Hhold_no)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

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File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0

Level (Lvl)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0

Block 11 Item Code (B11_q1)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0

Value (Rs. 0.00) (B11_q3)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 9
Decimals: 2
Range: 0.05-540100

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 0.1
Maximum: 540100
Mean: 109.8
Standard deviation: 785.2

Literal question

What was the value of the items consumed by the household in the last 30 days?

NSS (NSS)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0

NSC (NSC)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0

Multiplier (MLT)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 9
Decimals: 2
Range: 9.75-245916

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 9.8
Maximum: 245916
Mean: 12774.2
Standard deviation: 14083.4

Sub sample Multiplier (Wgt_SubSample)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 7
Decimals: 2
Range: 0.0975-2459.16

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 0.1
Maximum: 2459.2
Mean: 127.7
Standard deviation: 140.8

Combined Multiplier (Wgt_Combined)

File: Block 11_Monthly expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services including medical (non-institutional), rents and taxes

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 7
Decimals: 2
Range: 0.04875-1229.58

Valid cases: 575976
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 0
Maximum: 1229.6
Mean: 63.9
Standard deviation: 70.4

Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 10

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0

Centre code, Round, Shift (CentreCodeRoundShift)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0

LOT/FSU number (Vill_Blк_Slno)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 5

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0

Description

The first-stage units are census villages in the rural sector and the NSSO urban frame survey (UFS) blocks in the urban sector. This variable indicates the serial number assigned to such units.

Round (Round)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0

Description

Indicates the NSS round number of this survey.

Schedule Number (ScheduleNumber)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0

Schedule Number (ScheduleNumber)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Description

Indicates the schedule number of this survey.

Schedule Type (ScheduleType)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 292692

Invalid: 0

Sample (Sample)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 292692

Invalid: 0

Sector (Sector)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 292692

Invalid: 0

Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

State-Region (St_Region)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 3

Valid cases: 292692

Invalid: 0

Description

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Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0

District (District)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0

Stratum Number (Stratum)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0

Description

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Sub-Round (SubRound)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0

Description

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Overview

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File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0

Description

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FOD Sub-Region (FODSubRegion)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 4

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0

Hamlet-Group/Sub-Block no. (HamletGroup_SubBlkNo)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0

Second Stage Stratum (Stage2_Stratum)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0

HHS No. (Hhold_no)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

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Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0

Level (Lvl)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 2

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0

Block 12 Item Code (B12_q1)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 3

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0

No. In use (B12_q3)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 2
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-31

Valid cases: 172851
Invalid: 119841
Minimum: 0
Maximum: 31
Mean: 1.8
Standard deviation: 1.6

Literal question

How many durable items are being used by the household since last 365 days?

Interviewer instructions

The number in use on the date of survey of each item of durable goods will be entered in this column. It will also include those items which may not be in use temporarily but are likely to be put into use after repair/necessary servicing. For certain items the entry cell has been shaded in this column; it means column (3) need not be filled in.

No. of First-hand purchase (B12_q4)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

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File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

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

Valid cases: 7059
Invalid: 285633
Minimum: 0
Maximum: 36
Mean: 1.9
Standard deviation: 1.3

Literal question

How many first hand purchased durable items are being used by the household since last 365 days?

Interviewer instructions

The number of each item of durable goods purchased (first-hand) for which some expenditure has been incurred during the reference period will be recorded in this column.

Whether Hire-purchase? (B12_q5)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 29817
Invalid: 0

Literal question

Whether the durable item that is being used is hire purchased by the household?

Interviewer instructions

If an item of durable goods is purchased on instalment payment and the expenditure made on it during the reference period consists of one or more such instalment payments, code 1 will be recorded in this column. Otherwise i.e., when durable goods are purchased and entire amount is paid during the reference period, code 2 will be recorded in this column.

Note: If more than one of a particular item are purchased during the reference period and some of them are purchased on hire-purchase basis and the remaining are purchased outright, then code 1 will be recorded in this column.

Value of First-hand purchase (B12_q6)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 6
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-412870

Valid cases: 69529
Invalid: 223163
Minimum: 0
Maximum: 412870
Mean: 1522.2
Standard deviation: 8705.6

Literal question

What was the value of the first hand purchased item consumed by the household in the last 365 days?

Interviewer instructions

Value of first-hand purchase during the reference period will be entered in this column. The total amount paid during the reference period will be recorded here.

Cost of Raw material,service & repair (B12_q7)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 97363
Format: numeric	Invalid: 195329
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1020000
Range: 0-1020000	Mean: 822.2
	Standard deviation: 6819

Literal question

How much total cost did the household bear on raw materials, service and repairs.

Interviewer instructions

This column is for recording expenditure on materials and services for construction, assemblage, repair and maintenance of all durable goods - first-hand as well as second-hand. Value of durable goods constructed will comprise value of raw materials, services and/or labour charges and any other charges. The total value of raw materials, services and labour charges will be recorded in this block. Here, expenditure incurred towards repair and maintenance of items purchased on second-hand will also be accounted.

Note: 1. The purchase value of a consumer durable constructed or repaired by an artisan for his/her domestic use will be the aggregate of the purchase value of the raw material components used and imputed value of his/her services for its construction/repairs.

2. If an article is repaired during the reference period by one of the sample household members then the repair charges will be imputed and recorded against appropriate item only if the household member is a professional for that repairing job.

No. of Second-hand purchase (B12_q8)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 185
Format: numeric	Invalid: 292507
Width: 1	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 4
Range: 0-4	Mean: 1
	Standard deviation: 0.3

Literal question

How many second hand purchased items are being used by the household since last 365 days?

Interviewer instructions

The number of each item of second-hand durable goods purchased during the reference period will be recorded in this column. An imported item of durables, even if second-hand, will be treated as first-hand purchase and information will be recorded against the relevant columns.

Value of Second-hand purchase (B12_q9)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 693
Format: numeric	Invalid: 291999
Width: 6	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 700000
Range: 0-700000	Mean: 11503.1
	Standard deviation: 51914.6

Value of Second-hand purchase (B12_q9)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Literal question

What was the value of the second hand purchased item consumed by the household in the last 365 days?

Interviewer instructions

Value of second-hand purchase during the reference period will be entered in this column.

Total Expenditure (B12_q10)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 148507
Format: numeric	Invalid: 144185
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1116000
Range: 0-1116000	Mean: 1305.4
	Standard deviation: 9227.4

Literal question

How much total expenditure was incurred by the household in the last 365 days?

Interviewer instructions

It is the sum of value of first-hand purchase, cost of raw materials and services for construction and repair and value of the second-hand purchase. In other words, it means column (10) = column (6) + column (7) + column (9).

NSS (NSS)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 292692
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

NSC (NSC)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 292692
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

Multiplier (MLT)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Multiplier (MLT)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 9
Decimals: 2
Range: 9.75-245916

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 9.8
Maximum: 245916
Mean: 12061.2
Standard deviation: 13717.3

Sub sample Multiplier (Wgt_SubSample)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 7
Decimals: 2
Range: 0.0975-2459.16

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 0.1
Maximum: 2459.2
Mean: 120.6
Standard deviation: 137.2

Combined Multiplier (Wgt_Combined)

File: Block 12_Annual expenditure for purchase and construction (including repair and maintenance) of durable goods for domestic use

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 7
Decimals: 2
Range: 0.04875-1229.58

Valid cases: 292692
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 0
Maximum: 1229.6
Mean: 60.3
Standard deviation: 68.6

Documentation

Questionnaires

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