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CPS **Basic Monthly Survey**

Public Use File Data Dictionary - January 1998 Forward

HRHHID [Position 1 - 15]
Household-identifier,scrambled

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Edited Universe:
All Households in Sample

HRMONTH [Position 16 - 17]
Household-month of interview

Month Of Interview
Valid Entries

1 January
2 February
3 March
4 April
5 May
6 June
7 July
8 August
9 September
10 October
11 November
12 December

HRYEAR4 (Jan 1998 -) [Position 18 - 21]
Household-4 digit year of interview

Universe = All Households

1998:2999 Year

HURESPLI [Position 22 - 23]
Household-line number of current respondent

Line number of the current respondent.
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
0:99 Range

HUFINAL [Position 24 - 26]
Household-final code,status of interview

Final disposition of case (outcome codes).
Outcome Codes Between 001 And 200 are For CATI. All Other Outcome Codes Are For CAPI.
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

HUSPNISH [Position 27 - 28]
Household-spanish only spoken

Stores value of >SPANISH<:
Is Spanish the only language spoken by all members of this household who are 15 years of age or older?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Spanish Only Language Spoken

HETENURE [Position 29 - 30]
Household-own/rent living quarters

Are your living quarters...
Edited Universe
HRINTSTA=1
Valid Entries

1 Owned or being bought by a HH member
2 Rented for cash
3 Occupied without payment of cash rent

HEHOUSUT [Position 31 - 32]
Household-type of living quarters

Edited Universe:
All Hhlds In Sample
Valid Entries

0 Other Unit
1 House, Apartment, Flat
2 HU In Nontransient Hotel, Motel, Etc.
3 HU Permanent In Transient Hotel, Motel
4 HU In Rooming House

5 Mobile Home Or Trlr W/No Perm Rm Added
6 Mh Or Trlr W/1 Or More Perm Rms Added
7 HU Not Specified Above
8 Quarters Not HU In Rooming Or Brding Hs
9 Unit Not Perm. In Transient Hotl, Motl
10 Unoccupied Tent Site Or Trlr Site
11 Student Quarters In College Dorm
12 Other Unit Not Specified Above

HETELHHD [Position 33 - 34]
Household-phone in living quarters,y/n

Since households included in this survey are interviewed during each of the next 3 months, we attempt to conduct the followup interviews by telephone.
Is there a telephone in this house/apartment?
Edited Universe:
HRINTSTA=1
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

HETELAVL [Position 35 - 36]
Household-no residential phone,available elsewhere,y/n

Is there a telephone elsewhere on which people in this household can be
contacted?
Edited Universe:
HETELHHD=2
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

HEPHONEO [Position 37 - 38]
Household-phone interview acceptable,y/n

Is a telephone interview acceptable?
Edited Universe:
HETELHHD=1 Or HETELAVL=1
Valid Entries

0 Unknown
1 Yes
2 No

HUFAMINC [Position 39 - 40]
Household-total family income in past 12 months

I am going to read a list of income categories. Which category

represents the total combined income of all members of this Family
during the past 12 months. This includes money from jobs, net income
from business, farm or rent, pensions, dividends, interest, social
security payments and any other money income received by members of
this Family who are 15 years of age or older?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Less Than $5,000
2 5,000 To 7,499
3 7,500 To 9,999
4 10,000 To 12,499
5 12,500 To 14,999
6 15,000 To 19,999
7 20,000 To 24,999
8 25,000 To 29,999
9 30,000 To 34,999
10 35,000 To 39,999
11 40,000 To 49,999
12 50,000 To 59,999
13 60,000 To 74,999
14 75,000 Or More

HUTYPEA [Position 41 - 42]
Household-type A non-interview categories

Enter Type Of Noninterview
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 No One Home (NOH)
2 Temporarily Absent (TA)
3 Refused (REF)
4 Other Occupied - Specify

HUTYPB [Position 43 - 44]
Household-type B non-interview categories

Type B non-interview categories
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank

1 Vacant Regular
2 Temporarily Occupied By Persons W/ URE
3 Vacant-Storage Of Hhld Furniture
4 Unfit Or To Be Demolished
5 Under Construction, Not Ready
6 Converted To Temp Business Or Storage
7 Unoccupied Tent Site Or Trailer Site
8 Permit Granted Construction Not Started
9 Other Type B - Specify

HUTYPC [Position 45 - 46]
Household-type C non-interview categories

Type C non-interview categories
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Demolished
2 House Or Trailer Moved
3 Outside Segment
4 Coverted To Perm. Business Or Storage
5 Merged
6 Condemned
8 Unused Line Of Listing Sheet
9 Other - Specify

HWHHWGT [Position 47 - 56]
Weight-household

Household Weight
(length=10 With 4 Implied Decimals)

HRINTSTA [Position 57 - 58]
Household-interview/non-interview status

Interview Status
Valid Entries

1 Interview
2 Type A Non-Interview
3 Type B Non-Interview
4 Type C Non-Interview

HRNUMHOU [Position 59 - 60]
Household-total # of members

Total number of persons in the household (household members).

Valid Entries

0:16 Range

HRHTYPE [Position 61 - 62]
Household-type of family/single individual

Household Type
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
0 Non-Interview Household
1 Husband/Wife Primary Family(neither AF)
2 Husb/Wife Prim. Family(either/Both AF)
3 Unmarried Civilian Male-Prim Fam Hhlder
4 Unmarried Civ. Female-Prim Fam Hhlder
5 Primary Family Hhlder-Rp In AF,unmar.
6 Civilian Male Primary Individual
7 Civilian Female Primary Individual
8 Primary Individual Hhld-Rp In AF
9 Group Quarters With Family
10 Grp Quarters Without Family

HRMIS [Position 63 - 64]
Household-month-in-sample

Month-In-Sample
Valid Entries

1 MIS 1
2 MIS 2
3 MIS 3
4 MIS 4
5 MIS 5
6 MIS 6
7 MIS 7
8 MIS 8

HUINTTYP [Position 65 - 66]
Household-type of interview,personal/telephone

Type of interview (July only)
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Personal
2 Telephone

HUPRSCNT [Position 67 - 68]
Household-# of actual & attempted personal contacts

Number of actual and attempted personal contacts
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1:99 Range

HRLONGLK [Position 69 - 70]
Household-longitudinal link indicator

Longitudinal Link Indicator
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
0 MIS 1 Or Replacement HH (no Link)
2 MIS 2-4 Or MIS 6-8 (link To Db02)
3 MIS 5 (link To Db03)

HRSAMPLE [Position 71 - 74]
Household-sample ID (Created in reformat)

Sample ID (created In Reformat)

HRSERSUF [Position 75 - 76]
Household-serial suffix

Serial Suffix - used to differentiate households containing the same household identification numbers

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HUHHNUM [Position 77 - 78]
Household-replacement number

Household Number
Only if replacement household, number will increase by 1 if a
replacement household. 1-7 Number of times a replacement household was
used.
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1:8 Range

HUBUS [Position 79 - 80]
Labor Force-presence of business/farm in hhld,y/n

Does anyone in this household have a business or a farm?

**Related Out Variables: HUBUSOT
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

HUBUSL1 [Position 81 - 82]
Labor Force-line numbers of business/farm owners 1

Enter Line Number Or <N> For No More
Probe: Anyone else?

===>___ ===>___ ===>___ ===>___
BUSL1 BUSL2 BUSL3 BUSL4
Valid Entries

1:99 Range

HUBUSL2 [Position 83 - 84]
Labor Force-line numbers of business/farm owners 2

See BUSL1
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1:12 Range

HUBUSL3 [Position 85 - 86]
Labor Force-line numbers of business/farm owners 3

See BUSL1
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1:12 Range

HUBUSL4 [Position 87 - 88]
Labor Force-line numbers of business/farm owners 4

See BUSL1
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1:12 Range

GEREG [Position 89 - 90]

Geography-region

Region
Valid Entries

1 Northeast
2 Midwest (formerly North Central)
3 South
4 West

GESTCEN [Position 91 - 92]
Geography-census state code

Census State Code
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

GESTFIPS [Position 93 - 94]
Geography-FIPS state code

Federal Information Processing Standards State Code
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

GTCMSA [Position 95 - 96]
Geography-consolidated MSA code

Consolidated MSA Code
Valid Entries

0 Not Identified or NonMetropolitan
7 Boston-Worcester-Lawrence, MA-NH-ME-CT
14 Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI
21 Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN
28 Cleveland-Akron, OH
31 Dallas-Fort Worth, TX
34 Denver-Boulder-Greeley, CO
35 Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI
42 Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX
49 Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA
56 Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL
63 Milwaukee-Racine, WI
70 New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA
77 Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD
79 Portland-Salem, OR-WA
82 Sacramento-Yolo, CA
84 San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA
91 Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA

97 Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV

GTMSA [Position 97 - 100]
Geography-MSA code

MSA Code
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

GTCO (Sep 1995 -) [Position 101 - 103]
Geography-FIPS county code

FIPS County Code (GECO before topcoding)
Valid Entries

1:840 Range

GTMSAST [Position 104 - 104]
Geography-MSA/central city status

MSA Status
Valid Entries

1 Central City
2 Balance On MSA
3 Non-Metropolitan
4 Not Identified

GEMETSTA [Position 105 - 105]
Geography-metropolitan status

Metropolitan Status
Edited Universe:
All Households in Sample
Valid Entries

1 Metropolitan
2 Nonmetropolitan
3 Not Identified

GEINDVCC [Position 106 - 106]
Geography-individual central city code

Individual Central City Code for Metropolitan areas where more than one central city is identified
Edited Universe:
All Households in Sample
Valid Entries

0 Not Identified or Nonmetropolitan
1:4 Range

GTMSASZ [Position 107 - 107]
Geography-MSA/PMSA size

MSA/PMSA Size

0 Not Identified or NonMetropolitan
2 100,000 - 249,999
3 250,000 - 499,999
4 500,000 - 999,999
5 1,000,000 - 2,499,999
6 2,500,000 - 4,999,999
7 5,000,000+

GECMSASZ (Sep 1995 -) [Position 108 - 108]
Geography-CMSA/MSA size

CMSA/MSA Size
Edited Universe:
All Households in Sample
Valid Entries

0 Not Identified Or Nonmetropolitan
2 100,000 - 249,999
3 250,000 - 499,999
4 500,000 - 999,999
5 1,000,000 - 2,499,999
6 2,500,000 - 4,999,999
7 5,000,000+

HULENSEC [Position 109 - 113]
Household-total time(seconds) to complete interview

Cummulative time of an interview in seconds.
(uses STRTMS and ENDTMS to figure LENSEC)
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
0:99999 Range

PROLDRRP (Mar 1995 -) [Position 114 - 115]
Demographics-recode to collapse new RRP categories into old

Recode which collapses the new relationship to reference person
categories back into the old format. This allow users to maintain
consistency when comparing to prior surveys.
Valid Entries

1 Ref Pers W/ Rels

2 Ref Pers W/O Rels
3 Spouse
4 Child
5 Grandchild
6 Parent
7 Brother/Sister
8 Other Rel Of Ref Per
9 Foster Child
10 Nonrel Of Ref Per W/ Own Rels In HH
11 Partner/Roommate
12 Nonrel. of ref per W/O Own Rels In HH

PUPELIG [Position 116 - 117]
Demographics-interview status of persons in the household

Interview Status of Each Person in the Household
Valid Entries

1 Eligible For Interview
2 Labor Force Fully Complete
3 Missing Labor Force Data For Person
4 (Not Used)
5 Assigned If Age Is Blank
6 Armed Forces Member
7 Under 15 Years Old
8 Not a HH Member
9 Deleted
10 Deceased
11 End Of List
12 After End Of List

PERRP [Position 118 - 119]
Demographics-relationship to reference person

How are you related to (reference person)?
What is the name of the person or one of the persons who owns/rents this home?
Edited Universe:
Every Person
Valid Entries

1 Ref Pers with other relativew in HH
2 Ref pers with no other relatives in HH
3 Spouse
4 Child
5 Grandchild
6 Parent
7 Brother/sister
8 Other relative

9 Foster child
10 Non-rel of ref. per w/own rels in HH
11 Not used
12 Non-rel of ref per w/no own rels in HH
13 Unmarried partner w/ own rels in HH
14 Unmar. partner w/ no own rels in HH
15 Housemate/roommate w/ own rels in HH
16 Hsemate/roommate w/ no own rels in HH
17 Roomer/boarder w/ own rels in HH
18 Roomer/brder w/ no own rels in HH

PEPARENT [Position 120 - 121]
Demographics-parent line number

Enter Line Number Of Parent Of [fill name (who)] -- Ask If
Necessary
<0> No One Listed Above
Edited Universe: all
Valid Entries

0:99 Range

PRTAGE [Position 122 - 123]
Demographics-age top coded at 90 years old

Person's age as of the end of the survey week.
Edited Universe:
PRPERTYP = 1, 2, or 3
Valid Entries

0:90 Range

PRTFAGE [Position 124 - 124]
Demographics-top coded flag for age

Top Code Flag For Age - Denotes whether the age entry was top coded
Valid Entries

0 No Top Code
1 Top Coded Value For Age

PEMARITL [Position 125 - 126]
Demographics-marital status

Are you now married, widowed, divorced, separated or never married?
** Related Recode: PRMARSTA
Edited Universe:
PEAGE>=15
Valid Entries

1 Married - Spouse Present

2 Married-Spouse Absent

3 Widowed

4 Divorced

5 Separated

6 Never Married

PESPOUSE [Position 127 - 128]
Demographics-spouse line number

Line Name Relation Mar
Enter Line Number Of Spouse Of [fill name (who)] -- Ask If Necessary
Edited Universe:
All
Valid Entries

1:99 Range

PESEX [Position 129 - 130]
Demographics-sex

Enter Appropriate Sex.
Ask Only If Necessary: What is your sex?
Edited Universe:
Every Person
Valid Entries

1 Male
2 Female

PUAFEVER [Position 131 - 132]
Demographics-ever did military service,y/n

Did you ever serve on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No

PEAFWHEN [Position 133 - 134]
Demographics-past military service,period of active duty

If Necessary: Previously I was told that you served on active duty of the U.S. Armed Forces.
When did you serve?
Edited Universe:
AFEVER=1
Valid Entries

1 Vietnam Era (8/64-4/75)

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2 Korean War (6/50-1/55)

3 World War II (9/40-7/47)

4 World War I (4/17-11/18)

5 Other Service (all Other Periods)

6 Nonveteran

PEAFNOW [Position 135 - 136]
Demographics-currently in armed forces,y/n

Are you now in the Armed Forces?
Edited Universe:
PEAGE>=15 And PEAGE<=65
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PEEDUCA [Position 137 - 138]
Demographics-highest level of school completed

What is the highest level of school you have completed or the
highest degree you have received?
Edited Universe:
PEAGE>=15
Valid Entries

31 Less Than 1st Grade
32 1st,2nd,3rd Or 4th Grade
33 5th Or 6th Grade
34 7th Or 8th Grade
35 9th Grade
36 10th Grade
37 11th Grade
38 12th Grade No Diploma
39 High School Grad-Diploma Or Equiv (GED)
40 Some College But No Degree
41 Associate Degree-Occupational/Vocationl
42 Associate Deg.-Academic Program
43 Bachelor's Degree(ex:ba,ab,bs)
44 Master's Degree(ex:MA,MS,MEng,MEd,MSW)
45 Professional School Deg(ex:MD,DDS,DVM)
46 Doctorate Degree(ex:PhD,EdD)

PERACE (Jan 1996 -) [Position 139 - 140]
Demographics-race of respondent

What is your race?
Probe: Are you White, Black, American Indian, Aleut or Eskimo, Asian
or Pacific Islander or something else?

Note: When calculations are made for totals all races will be included. When calculations are made for Whites and Blacks, other races will be Excluded. Hispanic is not a race category. For Hispanic and other ethnicities - See PRHSPNON OR PRORIGIN.
Edited Universe:
Every Person
Valid Entries

1 White
2 Black
3 American Indian, Aleut, Eskimo
4 Asian or Pacific Islander

PRORIGIN [Position 141 - 142]
Demographics-hispanic origin or descent

Origin or Descent
Edited Universe:
PRPERTYP = 1, 2, or 3
Valid Entries

1 Mexican American
2 Chicano
3 Mexican (Mexicano)
4 Puerto Rican
5 Cuban
6 Central Or South American
7 Other Spanish
8 All Other
9 Don't Know
10 NA

PUCHINHH [Position 143 - 144]
Demographics-reason for the changes in household composition

Change in household composition
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Person Added
2 Person Added - URE
3 Person Undeleted
4 Person Died
5 Deleted For Reason Other Than Death
6 Person Joined Armed Forces
7 Person No Longer In AF

9 Change In Demographic Information

PURELFLG [Position 145 - 146]
Demographics-flag for persons related to person owning bus.

Set to 1 for any person that is an owner of a business or for anyone
related to the owner of a business. Uses line numbers of business
owners (busl!-Busl4 and RRP to determine whether a person is related to
an owner of a business.
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
0 Not owner or related to owner
1 Owner of bus or related to owner of bus

PULINENO [Position 147 - 148]
Demographics-line number

Line number
Response codes = 1-N (unlimited numbers may be assigned, but the
instrument will allow interviewer to collect data for a maximum of

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1:99 Range

PRFAMNUM [Position 151 - 152]
Demographics-family number

Family Number Recode
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PRFAMREL [Position 153 - 154]
Demographics-family relationship(recode)

Family Relationship Recode
Valid Entries

0 Not A Family Member
1 Reference Person
2 Spouse
3 Child
4 Other Relative (primary Family only)

PRFAMTYP [Position 155 - 156]
Demographics-family type(recode)

Family Type Recode
Valid Entries

1 Primary Family
2 Primary Individual
3 Related Subfamily
4 Unrelated Subfamily
5 Secondary Individual

PRHSPNON [Position 157 - 158]
Demographics-hispanic/non-hispanic origin

Hispanic Or Non-Hispanic
Valid Entries

1 Hispanic
2 Non-Hipsanic

PRMARSTA [Position 159 - 160]
Demographics-marital status(recode)

Marital Status Presence on an Armed Forces Spouse
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Married, Civilian Spouse Present
2 Married, Armed Forces Spouse Present
3 Married, Spouse Absent (exc. Separated)
4 Widowed
5 Divorced
6 Separated
7 Never Married

PRPERTYP [Position 161 - 162]
Demographics-person type(recode)

Type Of Person Record Recode
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Child Household Member
2 Adult Civilian Household Member
3 Adult Armed Forces Household Member
4 Non-Household Member

PENATVTY [Position 163 - 165]
Demographics-native country of sample person

In what country were you born?

Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PEMNTVTY [Position 166 - 168]
Demographics-native country of mother

In what country was your mother born?
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PEFNTVTY [Position 169 - 171]
Demographics-native country of father

In what country was your father born?
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PRCITSHP [Position 172 - 173]
Demographics-United States citizenship group

Citizenship Group
Valid Entries

1 Native, Born In US
2 Native, Born in PR or US Outlying Area
3 Native, Born Abroad Of US Parent(s)
4 Foreign Born, US Cit By Naturalization
5 Foreign Born, Not a US Citizen

PRCITFLG [Position 174 - 175]
Demographics-citizenship allocation flag

Flag For Citizenship
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PRINUYER [Position 176 - 177]
Demographics-immigrant's year of entry to U.S.

Immigrant's Year of Entry
Edited Universe:
PRCITSHP = 2, 3, 4, or 5
Valid Entries

-1 Not In Universe (Born In U.S.)
0 Not Foreign Born
1 Before 1950
2 1950-1959

3 1960-1964
4 1965-1969
5 1970-1974
6 1975-1979
7 1980-1981
8 1982-1983
9 1984-1985
10 1986-1987
11 1988-1989
12 1990-1991
13 1992-1993
14 1994-1997

PUSLFPRX [Position 178 - 179]
Labor Force-information given by self/proxy

Whether the labor force information was by self or proxy
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Self
2 Proxy
3 Both self and proxy

PEMLR [Position 180 - 181]
Labor Force-employment status

Monthly Labor Force Recode
Edited Universe:
PRPERTYP=2
Valid Entries

1 Employed-At Work
2 Employed-Absent
3 Unemployed-On Layoff
4 Unemployed-Looking
5 Retired-Not In Labor Force
6 Disabled-Not In Labor Force
7 Other-Not In Labor Force

PUWK [Position 182 - 183]
Labor Force-did work for pay/profit

Last Week, did you do Any work for (either) pay (or profit)?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused

-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No
3 Retired
4 Disabled
5 Unable To Work

PUBUS1 [Position 184 - 185]
Labor Force-unpaid work in family business/farm,y/n

Last Week, did you do any unpaid work in the family business or
farm?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No

PUBUS2OT [Position 186 - 187]
Labor Force-stores BUS2 entry

Set to 1 for all household members listed as receiving payments in
the family business (BUSLST).
Blank=not in universe- No one in household has a business.
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No

PUBUSCK1 [Position 188 - 189]
Labor Force-filter for question on unpaid work

Filter for questions on unpaid work

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUBUS1
2 Goto PURETCK1

PUBUSCK2 [Position 190 - 191]
Labor Force-(family business)skips owners,no work last week

Skips owners of family business who did not work last week

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUHRUSL1
2 Goto PUBUS2

PUBUSCK3 [Position 192 - 193]
Labor Force-filter for business owners to absence reason

Filter for disabled

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUABSRSN
2 Goto PULAY

PUBUSCK4 [Position 194 - 195]
Labor Force-filter for business owners skip pattern

Filter for retired

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUHRUSL1
2 Goto PUABAPD

PURETOT [Position 196 - 197]
Labor Force-verify retirement status,previous month

Output variable identifying retirement status from previous month
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No
3 Was not retired last month

PUDIS [Position 198 - 199]
Labor Force-verify disability status from previous month

(last month you were reported to have a disability.) Does your
disability continue to prevent you from doing any kind of work for
the next 6 months (, including working in the family business or
farm)?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No
3 Did Not Have Disability Last Month

PERET1 [Position 200 - 201]
Labor Force-(retired)want full/part-time job,y/n

Do you currently want a job, either full or part-time?
Edited Universe:
PEMLR=5 And (PURETOT=1 Or (PUWK=3 And PEAGE >=50) Or (PUABS=3 And
PEAGE >=50) Or (PULAY=3 And PEAGE >=50))
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No
3 Has a job

PUDIS1 [Position 202 - 203]
Labor Force-probe #1 for disability

Does your disability prevent you from accepting any kind of work
during the next six months?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No

PUDIS2 [Position 204 - 205]
Labor Force-probe #2 for disability

Do you have a disability that prevents you from accepting
any kind of work during the next six months?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No

PUABSOT [Position 206 - 207]
Labor Force-output var determines absence from job

Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No
3 Retired
4 Disabled
5 Unable To Work

PULAY [Position 208 - 209]
Labor Force-person on layoff from job

Last Week, were you on layoff from a job?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No
3 Retired
4 Disabled
5 Unable To Work

PEABSRSN [Position 210 - 211]
Labor Force-reason for work absence last week

What was the main reason you were
absent from work Last Week?
**Related Recodes: PREMPHRS, PRABSREA
Edited Universe:
PEMLR=2
Valid Entries

1 On Layoff
2 Slack Work/Business Conditions
3 Waiting For A New Job To Begin
4 Vacation/Personal Days
5 Own Illness/Injury/Medical Problems
6 Child Care Problems
7 Other Family/Personal Obligation
8 Maternity/Paternity Leave
9 Labor Dispute
10 Weather Affected Job
11 School/Training
12 Civic/Military Duty
13 Does Not Work In The Business
14 Other (specify)

PEABSPDO [Position 212 - 213]
Labor Force-paid absence from work,y/n

Stores ABSPD entry (1, 2, D, or R)
Plugs ABSPD = Yes for owners of family business
**Related Recodes: PRABSREA
Edited Universe:
PEABSRSN=4-12,14
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PEMJOT [Position 214 - 215]
Labor Force-had multiple jobs,y/n

Output variable whether a person has more than one job
The recode PRSJMJ Should be used for classification of individuals as
multiple job holders.
**Related Recodes: PRSJMJ
Edited Universe:
PEMLR=1,2
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PEMJNUM [Position 216 - 217]
Labor Force-# of jobs had

Altogether, how many jobs did you have?
Edited Universe:
PEMJOT=1
Valid Entries

-1 Not in Universe
2 2 Jobs
3 3 Jobs
4 4 Or More Jobs

PEHRUSL1 [Position 218 - 219]
Labor Force-# hours usually worked at main job

How many hours per week do you Usually work at your [main job? By
main job we mean the one at which you usually work the most
hours./job?]
Enter Number Of Hours
**Related Out Variables: PUHRUSLT
Edited Universe:

PEMJOT=1,2 (PEMLR=1,2)
Valid Entries

-4 Hours vary
0:99 Range

PEHRUSL2 [Position 220 - 221]
Labor Force-# hours usually worked at other job(s)

How many hours per week do you Usually work at your other
(jobs/job)?
Enter Number Of Hours
**Related Out Variables: PUHRUSLT
Edited Universe:
PEMJOT=1 (PEMLR=1,2)
Valid Entries

-4 Hours vary
0:99 Range

PEHRFTPT [Position 222 - 223]
Labor Force-usually work full-time,y/n

Do you usually work 35 hours or more per week [at all your jobs
combined/in the family business/at your job]?
**Related Recodes: PRWKSTAT, PRPTREA, PRPTHRS, PRFTLF, PRABSREA,
Edited Universe:
PEHRUSL1=varies Or PEHRUSL2=varies
Valid Entries

-1 Not in Universe
1 Yes
2 No
3 Hours Vary

PEHRUSLT [Position 224 - 226]
Labor Force-# hours usually worked at all jobs

Sum of HRUSL1 and HRUSL2. If only one of them has a value, that value
is stored in HRUSLT.
**Related Recodes: PRWKSTAT, PRPTREA, PRPTHRS, PRFTLF, PRABSREA
Edited Universe:
PEMLR=1,2
Valid Entries

0:198 Range

PEHRWANT [Position 227 - 228]
Labor Force-full-time work desired,y/n

Do you want to work a full-time workweek of 35 hours or

more per week?
**Related Recodes: PRPTHRS, PRWKSTAT
Edited Universe:
PEHRUSLT=0-34 (PEMLR=1)
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No
3 Regular Hours Are Full-Time

PEHRRSN1 [Position 229 - 230]
Labor Force-(part-timer)reason

Some people work part time because they cannot find full-time
work or because business is poor. Others work part time because
of family obligations or other personal reasons. What is your Main
reason for working part time?
(probe If Necessary: What is your main reason for working Part
Time instead of Full Time?)
**Related Recodes: PRWKSTAT, PRPTREA, PRPTHRS
Edited Universe:
PEHRWANT=1 (PEMLR=1 And PEHRUSLT 35)
Valid Entries

1 Slack Work/Business Conditions
2 Could Only Find Part-Time Work
3 Seasonal Work
4 Child Care Problems
5 Other Family/Personal Obligations
6 Health/Medical Limitations
7 School/Training
8 Retired/Social Security Limit On Earnin
9 Full-Time Workweek Is Less Than 35 Hrs
10 Other - Specify

PEHRRSN2 [Position 231 - 232]
Labor Force-(part-timer)reason not full-time

What is the main reason you do not want to work full time?
**Related Recodes: PRPTREA
Edited Universe:
PEHRWANT=2 (PEMLR=1 And PEHRUSLT 35)
Valid Entries

1 Child Care Problems
2 Other Family/Personal Obligations
3 Health/Medical Limitiations
4 School/Training

5 Retired/Social Security Limit On Earnin
6 Full-Time Workweek Less Than 35 Hours
7 Other - Specify

PEHRRSN3 [Position 233 - 234]
Labor Force-(full-timer)reason part-time last week

What is the main reason you worked less than 35 hours Last Week?
**Related Recodes: PRWKSTAT, PRPTREA, PRPTHRS
Edited Universe:
PEHRACTT=1-34 And PUHRCK7 Ne 1,2 (PEMLR=1 And PEHRUSLT=35+)
Valid Entries

1 Slack Work/Business Conditions
2 Seasonal Work
3 Job Started Or Ended During Week
4 Vacation/Personal Day
5 Own Illness/Injury/Medical Appointment
6 Holiday (legal Or Religious)
7 Child Care Problems
8 Other Family/Personal Obligations
9 Labor Dispute
10 Weather Affected Job
11 School/Training
12 Civic/Military Duty
13 Other Reason

PUHROFF1 [Position 235 - 236]
Labor Force-any work hours were lost last week

Now I have some questions about the exact number of hours you
worked Last Week. Last Week, did you lose or take off any hours
from your job, for Any reason such as illness, slack work, vacation,
or holiday?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No

PUHROFF2 [Position 237 - 238]
Labor Force-number of work hours lost last week

How many hours did you take off?
Enter Number Of Hours
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
0:99 Range

PUHROT1 [Position 239 - 240]
Labor Force-extra hours worked last week

Last Week, did you work any overtime or extra hours (at your Main
job?) that you do not usually work?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No

PUHROT2 [Position 241 - 242]
Labor Force-number of extra hours worked last week

How many Additional hours did you work?
Enter Number Of Hours
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
0:99 Range

PEHRACT1 [Position 243 - 244]
Labor Force-# hours actually worked at main job

(so, for?) Last Week, how many hours did you Actually work
at your (main/) job?
**Related Out Variables: PUHRACTT
Edited Universe:
PEMLR=1 (PEMJOT=1,2)
Valid Entries

0:99 Range

PEHRACT2 [Position 245 - 246]
Labor Force-# hours actually worked at other job(s)

Last Week, how many hours did you Actually work at your other
(jobs/job)?
**Related Out Variables: PUHRACTT
Edited Universe:
PEMLR=1 (PEMJOT=1)

Valid Entries

0:99 Range

PEHRACTT [Position 247 - 249]
Labor Force-# hours actually worked at all jobs

Sum of HRACT1 and HRACT2. If only one of these has a value, that value
is stored in HRACTT.
**Related Recodes: PRWKSTAT, PRPTREA, PRPTHRS, PREMPHRS
Edited Universe:
PEMLR=1
Valid Entries

0:198 Range

PEHRAVL [Position 250 - 251]
Labor Force-(part-timer)available for full-time,y/n

Last Week, could you have worked full-time if the hours had been
available?
**Related Recodes: PRWKSTAT, PRPTHRS
Edited Universe:
PEHRACTT=1-34 (PEMLR=1 And PEHRUSLT 35 AND PEHRRSN1=1,2,3)
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PULBHSEC [Position 252 - 256]
Labor Force-total seconds to complete labor force items

Total seconds to complete labor force items
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
0:99999 Range

PUHRCK1 [Position 257 - 258]
Labor Force-remove groups from actual hours series

Labor Force Filters Certain Groups Out Of The Actual Hours Series

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUHRUSL2
2 Goto PUHRUSLT

PUHRCK2 [Position 259 - 260]
Labor Force-skips persons out of PT series

Skips persons responding yes to HRFTPT out of PT series

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUHRFTPT
2 Go To PUHRFTPT
3 Go to PUHRFTPT
4 go to PUHRFTPT
5 Goto PUHRCK3

PUHRCK3 [Position 261 - 262]
Labor Force-skips persons out of PT series

Filter for persons going through I and O Series

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUHRCK8
2 Go To PUHRCK8
3 Goto PUHRACT1
4 Goto PUHRCK4
5 Goto PUHROFF1
6 Go To PUHRCK4

PUHRCK4 [Position 263 - 264]
Labor Force-skips persons

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUHRACT1
2 Goto PUHROFF1
3 Goto PUHRWANT
4 Go to PUHRWANT
5 Go to PUHRACT1

PUHRCK5 [Position 265 - 266]
Labor Force-filter for multiple jobholders for job 2 hours

Filter for dependent NILF

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUHRACT2

2 Goto PUHRCK6

PUHRCK6 [Position 267 - 268]
Labor Force-filter for actual hours jobs 1 and 2

Filter/carryover for dependent NILF

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PULK
2 Goto PUABSRSN
3 Goto PUHRACTT

PUHRCK7 [Position 269 - 270]
Labor Force-filter for hours worked paths

Out variable for JHDP1
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUHRCK8
2 Go to PUHRCK8
3 Goto PUHRRSN3
4 Goto PUHRAVL
5 Go To PUHRCK8

PUHRCK12 [Position 271 - 272]
Labor Force-filter for <15 hours to go to looking series

How many Additional hours did you work?
Enter Number Of Hours
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PULK
2 Goto PUIOCK1

PULAYDT [Position 273 - 274]
Labor Force-person on layoff,has return date,y/n

Has your employer given you a date to return to work?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank

1 Yes
2 No

PULAY6M [Position 275 - 276]
Labor Force-person on layoff,recalled in 6 months,y/n

Have you been given any indication that you will be recalled to
work within the next 6 months?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No

PELAYAVL [Position 277 - 278]
Labor Force-(layoff)available for work if recalled,y/n

Could you have returned to work Last Week if you had been
recalled?
Edited Universe:
PEMLR=3
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PULAYAVR [Position 279 - 280]
Labor Force-person on layoff,reason unavailable to work

Reason Person On Layoff Was Unavailable For Work Last Week
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Own Temporary Illness
2 Going To School
3 Other

PELAYLK [Position 281 - 282]
Labor Force-(layoff)called back,still looking for work,y/n

Even though you are to be called back to work, have you
been looking for work during the last 4 weeks.
Edited Universe:
PELAYAVL=1,2
Valid Entries

1 Yes

2 No

PELAYDUR [Position 283 - 285]
Labor Force-(layoff)# weeks looking for job

Calculated duration of job seeking
Edited Universe:
Pelklwo=1-3
Valid Entries

1:260 Range

PELAYFTO [Position 286 - 287]
Labor Force-(layoff)from full-time job,y/n

Output variable FT/PT status of job from which layoff
Stores I-LAYFT, if I-MLR equals 3 and I-LAYDUR is not blank, D or
R and I-LAYFT is not blank, D or R
Stores LAYFT entry of 1, 2, D or R
**Related Recodes: PRWKSTAT, PRWKSCH-Labor Force by time worked or
lost, PRFTLF
Edited Universe:
PELAYDUR=0-120
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PULAYCK1 [Position 288 - 289]
Labor Force-filter for previous month layoff status

Filter for previous month layoff status

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PULAYCK3
2 Goto PULAYFT
3 Goto PULAYDR

PULAYCK2 [Position 290 - 291]
Labor Force-filter/plug for dependent layoff

Filter/plug for dependent layoff

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PULAYDR3
2 Goto PULAYFT

PULAYCK3 [Position 292 - 293]
Labor Force-dependent I & O filter/carryover

Dependent I and O filter/carryover

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 MISCK=5 Goto IO1INT
2 I-ICR=1 Or I-OCR=1, Goto IO1INT
3 All Others Goto SCHCK

PULK [Position 294 - 295]
Labor Force-looked for work in last 4 wks

Have you been doing anything to find work during the last 4 weeks?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No
3 Retired
4 Disabled
5 Unable To Work

PELKM1 [Position 296 - 297]
Labor Force-(unemployed)looking-search methods

What are all of the things you have done to find work during the
last 4 weeks?
Edited Universe:
PEMLR=4
Valid Entries

1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview
2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency
3 Contacted Private Employment Agency
4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives
5 Contacted School/University Empl Center
6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application
7 Checked Union/Professional Registers
8 Placed Or Answered Ads
9 Other Active
10 Looked At Ads
11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses
12 Nothing
13 Other Passive

PULKM2 [Position 298 - 299]
Labor Force-(job search)methods,all in last 4 weeks

Anything else?
What Are All Of The Things You Have Done To Find Work During The
Last 4 Weeks?
Do Not Read Answer Categories
Enter <N> For No Additional Answer
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview
2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency
3 Contacted Private Employment Agency
4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives
5 Contacted School/University Empl Center
6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application
7 Checked Union/Professional Registers
8 Placed Or Answered Ads
9 Other Active
10 Looked At Ads
11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses
13 Other Passive

PULKM3 [Position 300 - 301]
Labor Force-(job search)methods-followup

same as LKM2
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview
2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency
3 Contacted Private Employment Agency
4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives
5 Contacted School/University Empl Center
6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application
7 Checked Union/Professional Registers
8 Placed Or Answered Ads
9 Other Active
10 Looked At Ads
11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses
13 Other Passive

PULKM4 [Position 302 - 303]
Labor Force-(job search)methods-followup2

same as LKM2
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview
2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency
3 Contacted Private Employment Agency
4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives
5 Contacted School/University Empl Center
6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application
7 Checked Union/Professional Registers
8 Placed Or Answered Ads
9 Other Active
10 Looked At Ads
11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses
13 Other Passive

PULKM5 [Position 304 - 305]
Labor Force-(job search)methods followup3

same as LKM2
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview
2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency
3 Contacted Private Employment Agency
4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives
5 Contacted School/University Empl Center
6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application
7 Checked Union/Professional Registers
8 Placed Or Answered Ads
9 Other Active
10 Looked At Ads
11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses
13 Other Passive

PULKM6 [Position 306 - 307]
Labor Force-(job search)methods followup4

same as LKM2

Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview
2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency
3 Contacted Private Employment Agency
4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives
5 Contacted School/University Empl Center
6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application
7 Checked Union/Professional Registers
8 Placed Or Answered Ads
9 Other Active
10 Looked At Ads
11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses
13 Other Passive

PULKDK1 [Position 308 - 309]
Labor Force-(unemployed) followup to LKM1

You said you have been trying to find work.
How did you go about looking?
Do Not Read Answer Categories
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank or No
1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview
2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency
3 Contacted Private Employment Agency
4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives
5 Contacted School/University Empl Center
6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application
7 Checked Union/Professional Registers
8 Placed Or Answered Ads
9 Other Active
10 Looked At Ads
11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses
12 Nothing
13 Other Passive

PULKDK2 [Position 310 - 311]
Labor Force-(looking for work)followup to LKM2

Anything else?
You Said You Have Been Trying To Find Work.

How Did You Go out Looking?
Do Not Read Answer Categories
Enter <N> For No Additional Answer
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview
2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency
3 Contacted Private Employment Agency
4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives
5 Contacted School/University Empl Center
6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application
7 Checked Union/Professional Registers
8 Placed Or Answered Ads
9 Other Active
10 Looked At Ads
11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses
13 Other Passive

PULKDK3 [Position 312 - 313]
Labor Force-(looking for work)followup to LKM3

same as LKDK2
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview
2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency
3 Contacted Private Employment Agency
4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives
5 Contacted School/University Empl Center
6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application
7 Checked Union/Professional Registers
8 Placed Or Answered Ads
9 Other Active
10 Looked At Ads
11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses
13 Other Passive

PULKDK4 [Position 314 - 315]
Labor Force-(looking for work)followup to LKM4

same as LKDK2
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview
2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency
3 Contacted Private Employment Agency
4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives
5 Contacted School/University Empl Center
6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application
7 Checked Union/Professional Registers
8 Placed Or Answered Ads
9 Other Active
10 Looked At Ads
11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses
13 Other Passive

PULKDK5 [Position 316 - 317]
Labor Force-(looking for work)followup to LKM5

same as LKDK2
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview
2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency
3 Contacted Private Employment Agency
4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives
5 Contacted School/University Empl Center
6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application
7 Checked Union/Professional Registers
8 Placed Or Answered Ads
9 Other Active
10 Looked At Ads
11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses
13 Other Passive

PULKDK6 [Position 318 - 319]
Labor Force-(looking for work)followup to LKM6

same as LKDK2
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview

2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency

3 Contacted Private Employment Agency

4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives

5 Contacted School/University Empl Center

6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application

7 Checked Union/Professional Registers

8 Placed Or Answered Ads

9 Other Active

10 Looked At Ads

11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses

13 Other Passive

PULKPS1 [Position 320 - 321]
Labor Force-(job search)passive entry to LKM1-followup

Can you tell me more about what you did to search for work?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused

-2 Don't Know

-1 BLANK or NO

1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview

2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency

3 Contacted Private Employment Agency

4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives

5 Contacted School/University Empl Center

6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application

7 Checked Union/Professional Registers

8 Placed Or Answered Ads

9 Other Active

10 Looked At Ads

11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses

12 Nothing

13 Other Passive

PULKPS2 [Position 322 - 323]
Labor Force-(job search)passive entry to LKM2-followup

Anything else?
Can You Tell Me More out What You Did To Search For Work?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused

-2 Don't Know

-1 Blank

1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview

2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency

3 Contacted Private Employment Agency

4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives
5 Contacted School/University Empl Center
6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application
7 Checked Union/Professional Registers
8 Placed Or Answered Ads
9 Other Active
10 Looked At Ads
11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses
13 Other Passive

PULKPS3 [Position 324 - 325]
Labor Force-(job search)passive entry to LKM3-followup

same as LKPS2
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview
2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency
3 Contacted Private Employment Agency
4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives
5 Contacted School/University Empl Center
6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application
7 Checked Union/Professional Registers
8 Placed Or Answered Ads
9 Other Active
10 Looked At Ads
11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses
13 Other Passive

PULKPS4 [Position 326 - 327]
Labor Force-(job search)passive entry to LKM4-followup

same as LKPS2
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview
2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency
3 Contacted Private Employment Agency
4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives
5 Contacted School/University Empl Center
6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application
7 Checked Union/Professional Registers

8 Placed Or Answered Ads
9 Other Active
10 Looked At Ads
11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses
13 Other Passive

PULKPS5 [Position 328 - 329]
Labor Force-(job search)passive entry to LKM5-followup

same as LKPS2
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview
2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency
3 Contacted Private Employment Agency
4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives
5 Contacted School/University Empl Center
6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application
7 Checked Union/Professional Registers
8 Placed Or Answered Ads
9 Other Active
10 Looked At Ads
11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses
13 Other Passive

PULKPS6 [Position 330 - 331]
Labor Force-(job search)passive entry to LKM6-followup

same as LKPS2
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Contacted Employer Directly/Interview
2 Contacted Pulbic Employment Agency
3 Contacted Private Employment Agency
4 Contacted Friends Or Relatives
5 Contacted School/University Empl Center
6 Sent Out Resumes/Filled Out Application
7 Checked Union/Professional Registers
8 Placed Or Answered Ads
9 Other Active
10 Looked At Ads
11 Attended Job Training Programs/Courses

13 Other Passive

PELKAVL [Position 332 - 333]
Labor Force-(unemployed)available for work last week,y/n

Last Week, could you have started a job if one had been offered?
**Related Recodes: PRNLFREA
Edited Universe:
PELKM1=1-11,13
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PULKAVR [Position 334 - 335]
Labor Force-reason jobseeker unavailable last week

Reason Why Jobseeker Was Unavailable For Work Last Week
**Related Recodes: PRNLFREA
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Waiting For New Job To Begin
2 Own Temporary Illness
3 Going To School
4 Other - Specify

PELKLL1O [Position 336 - 337]
Labor Force-(unemployed)looking-activity before search

Output variable of activity before jobseeking began
**Related Recodes: Pruntype-Reason for unemployment
Edited Universe:
Pelkavl=1,2
Valid Entries

1 Working
2 School
3 Left Military Service
4 Something Else

PELKLL2O [Position 338 - 339]
Labor Force-(unemployed)looking-lost/quit job

Edited Universe:
PELKLL1O=1,3
Valid Entries

1 Lost Job

2 Quit Job
3 Temporary Job Ended

PELKLWO [Position 340 - 341]
Labor Force-(unemployed)looking-when last worked

Output variable for determining when last worked

1 Within The Last 12 Months
2 More Than 12 Months Ago
3 Never Worked

PELKDUR [Position 342 - 344]
Labor Force-(unemployed)#weeks on job search

Calculated duration of job seeking
Edited Universe:
Pelklwo=1-3
Valid Entries

0:999 Range

PELKFTO [Position 345 - 346]
Labor Force-(unemployed)looking-full-time work wanted,y/n

Output variable of FT/PT status of jobseeker
**Related Recodes: PRWKSTAT, PRWKSCH-Labor Force by time worked or
lost, PRFTLF
Edited Universe:
PELKDUR=0-120
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No
3 Doesn't Matter

PEDWWNTO [Position 347 - 348]
Labor Force-(not in,discouraged)wanted a job,y/n

Stores RET1 entry of 1
Stores DWWNT entry of 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, D, or R
**Related Recodes: PRNLFREA, PRDSCWK1, PRDSCWK2
Edited Universe:
PUDWCK1=3,4,-1
Valid Entries

1 Yes, Or Maybe, It Depends
2 No
3 Retired
4 Disabled
5 Unable

PEDWRSN [Position 349 - 350]
Labor Force-(not in,discouraged)reason not looking

What is the main reason you were not looking for work during the
Last 4 Weeks?
**Related Recodes: PRNLFREA, PRDSCWK1
Edited Universe:
PUDWCK4=4,-1
Valid Entries

1 Believes No Wrk Avl In Line Lk Or Area
2 Couldn't Find Any Work
3 Lacks Necessary Schooling/Training
4 Employers Think Too Young Or Too Old
5 Other Types Of Discrimination
6 Can't Arrange Child Care
7 Family Responsibilities
8 In School Or Other Training
9 Ill-Health, Physical Disability
10 Transportation Problems
11 Other - Specify

PEDWLKO [Position 351 - 352]
Labor Force-(not in,discouraged)look for work in past year

Output variable for looking for work in last 12 months
**Related Recodes: PRDSCWK1, PRDSCWK2
Edited Universe:
(PUDWCK4=1-3) or (PEDWRSN=1-11)
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PEDWWK [Position 353 - 354]
Labor Force-(not in,discouraged)worked in past year,y/n

Did you actually Work at a job or business
during the last 12 months?
**Related Recodes: PRDSCWK1, PRDSCWK2
Edited Universe:
PEDWLKO=1
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PEDW4WK [Position 355 - 356]
Labor Force-(not in,discouraged)worked in last 4 weeks

Did you do any of this work during the last 4 weeks?
Edited Universe:
PEDWWK=1
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PEDWLKWK [Position 357 - 358]
Labor Force-(not in,discouraged)looked since last job,y/n

And since you Left that job or business have you looked for work?
**Related Recodes: PRDSCWK1, PRDSCWK2
Edited Universe:
PEDW4WK=2
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PEDWAVL [Position 359 - 360]
Labor Force-(not in,discouraged)available for job last week

Last Week, could you have started a job if one had been offered?
**Related Recodes: PRDSCWK1, PRDSCWK2
Edited Universe:
(PEDWWK=2) or (PEDWLKWK=1)
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PEDWAVR [Position 361 - 362]
Labor Force-(not in,discouraged)reason can't work

Why is that? Discouraged worker, reason not available for work last week
**Related Recodes: PRDSCWK1, PRDSCWK2
Edited Universe:
PEDWAVL=2
Valid Entries

1 Own Temporary Illness
2 Going To School
3 Other

PUDWCK1 [Position 363 - 364]
Labor Force-filter for discouraged worker screening

Filter for discouraged worker screening

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUSCHCK
2 Goto PUNLFCK1
3 Goto PUDWCK4
4 Goto PUDWWANT

PUDWCK2 [Position 365 - 366]
Labor Force-filter for disabled

Filter for disabled

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUJHCK1
2 Goto PUDIS1
3 Goto PUDIS2
4 Goto PUDWCK4

PUDWCK3 [Position 367 - 368]
Labor Force-filter for retired

Filter for retired

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUDWCK4
2 Goto PUNLFCK2

PUDWCK4 [Position 369 - 370]
Labor Force-filter/plug for passive jobseekers

Filter/plug for passive job seekers

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUDWCK5
2 Go To PUDWCK5
3 Go to PUDWCK5
4 Goto PUDWRSN

PUDWCK5 [Position 371 - 372]
Labor Force-filter/plug for passive jobseeker

Filter/plug for passive job seekers

-3 Refused

-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUDWWK
2 Goto PUDWLK

PEJHWKO [Position 373 - 374]
Labor Force-(not in,job history)worked in past year,y/n

Out variable for JHWK
Store DWWK entry of 1, 2, D or R
Stores JHWK entry of 1, 2, D or R.
Edited Universe:
HRMIS=4,8
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PUJHDP1O [Position 375 - 376]
Labor Force-out variable for JHDP1

Out variable for JHDP1
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No

PEJHRSN [Position 377 - 378]
Labor Force-(not in,job history)reason left last job

What is the main reason you left your last job?
Edited Universe:
PEJHWKO=1
Valid Entries

1 Personal/Family (including Pregnancy)
2 Return To School
3 Health
4 Retirement Or Old Age
5 Temp, Seasonal Or Intermitt. Job Compl.
6 Slack Work/Business Conditions
7 Unsatis. Wrk. Arrangements(hrs,pay,etc)
8 Other - Specify

PEJHWANT [Position 379 - 380]
Labor Force-(not in,job history)look for work in next year

Do you intend to look for work during the next 12 months?
Edited Universe:
(PEJHWKO=2) or (PEJHRSN=1-8)
Valid Entries

1 Yes, Or It Depends
2 No

PUJHCK1 [Position 381 - 382]
Labor Force-filter for outgoing rotations

Filter for outgoing rotations

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUJHCK2
2 Goto PUNLFCK1
3 Goto

PUJHCK2 [Position 383 - 384]
Labor Force-filter for persons going thru I&O series

Filter for persons going through I and O Series

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUJHRSN
2 Goto PUJHWANT
3 Goto PUJHWK

PRABSREA [Position 385 - 386]
Labor Force-work absence,reason & pay status

Reason Not At Work And Pay Status
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PRCIVLF [Position 387 - 388]
Labor Force-part of/not part of

Civilian Labor Force
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 In Civilian Labor Force
2 Not In Civilian Labor Force

PRDISC [Position 389 - 390]

Labor Force-discouraged worker/conditionally interested

Discouraged Worker Recode
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Discouraged Worker
2 Conditionally Interested
3 Not Available

PREMPHRS [Position 391 - 392]
Labor Force-reason for work absence or hours at work

Reason Not At Work Or Hours At Work
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PREMPNOT [Position 393 - 394]
Labor Force-employment status,recode

MLR - Employed, Unemployed, Or NILF
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Employed
2 Unemployed
3 Discouraged-Not in labor force (NILF)
4 Other Not in labor force (NILF)

PREXPLF [Position 395 - 396]
Labor Force-employed/unemployed

Experienced Labor Force Employment
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Employed
2 Unemployed

PRFTLF [Position 397 - 398]
Labor Force-full-time/part-time

Full Time Labor Force
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Full Time Labor Force
2 Part Time Labor Force

PRHRUSL [Position 399 - 400]
Labor Force-hours usually worked weekly

Usual Hours Worked Weekly
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 0-20 Hrs
2 21-34 Hrs
3 35-39 Hrs
4 40 Hrs
5 41-49 Hrs
6 50 Or More Hrs
7 Varies-Full Time
8 Varies-Part Time

PRJOBSEA [Position 401 - 402]
Labor Force-job search,recode

Job Search Recode
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Not worked - Looked Last 4 Weeks
2 Worked-Looked Last 4 Weeks
3 Layoff-Looked Last 4 Weeks
4 Unavailable Job Seekers
5 No Recent Job Search

PRPTHRS [Position 403 - 404]
Labor Force-(part-timer)economic/non-economic reasons,hours

At Work 1-34 By Hours At Work
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
0 Usualy FT, PT For Noneconomic Reasons
1 1-4 Hrs;Usu.FT, PT Econ Reasons
2 5-14 Hrs;Usu.FT, PT Econ Reasons
3 15-29 Hrs;Usu.FT, PT Econ Reasons
4 30-34 Hrs;Usu.FT, PT Econ Reasons
5 1-4 Hrs; Usu.PT, Econ Reasons
6 5-14 Hrs; Usu.PT, Econ Reasons
7 15-29 Hrs; Usu.PT, Econ Reasons
8 30-34 Hrs; Usu.PT, Econ Reasons
9 1-4 Hrs;Usu.PT, Non-Econ Reasons
10 5-14 Hrs;Usu.PT, Non-Econ Reasons
11 15-29 Hrs;Usu.PT, Non-Econ Reasons
12 30-34 HrsUsu.PT, Non-Econ Reasons

PRPTREA [Position 405 - 406]
Labor Force-(part-timer)specific reason

Detailed Reason For Part-Time
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PRUNEDUR [Position 407 - 409]
Labor Force-unemployment duration

Recode That Stores PELAYDUR Value If MLR=3 And Stores PELKDUR Value
If MLR=4
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
0:999 Range

PRUSFTPT [Position 410 - 411]
Labor Force-full-time/part-time/status unknown

Usual Fulltime/Parttime Status
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Full Time
2 Part Time
3 Status Unknown

PRUNTYPE [Position 412 - 413]
Labor Force-unemployment reason

Reason For Unemployment
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Job Loser/On Layoff
2 Other Job Loser
3 Temporary Job Ended
4 Job Leaver
5 Re-Entrant
6 New-Entrant

PRWKSCH [Position 414 - 415]
Labor Force-employment status by time worked/lost

Labor Force By Time Worked Or Lost
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
0 Not In Labor Force
1 At Work
2 With Job, Not At Work

3 Unemployed, Seeks FT
4 Unemp., Seeks PT

PRWKSTAT [Position 416 - 417]
Labor Force-full-time/part-time work status

Full/Part-Time Work Status
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Not In Labor Force
2 FT Hours (35+), Usually FT
3 PT For Economic Reasons, Usually FT
4 PT For Non-Economic Reasons, Usually FT
5 Not At Work, Usually FT
6 PT Hours, Usually PT For Economic Reasons
7 PT hrs, Usually PT For Non-Economic
8 FT Hours, Usually PT For Economic Reas
9 FT hrs, Usually PT For Non-Economic
10 Not at work, Usually Part-Time
11 Unemployed FT
12 Unemployed PT

PRWNTJOB [Position 418 - 419]
Labor Force-(not in)or wants job-recode

NILF Recode - Want A Job Or Other NILF
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Want A Job
2 Other Not In Labor Force

PUJHCK3 [Position 420 - 421]
Labor Force-filter for unemployed job history

Have you been doing anything to find work during the last 4 weeks?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUJHDP1
2 Goto PUJHRSN

PUJHCK4 [Position 422 - 423]
Labor Force-(not in)filter for dependent

Filter for dependent NILF

-3 Refused

-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUJHCK5
2 Goto PUIO1INT
3 Go to PUJHCK5
4 Go to PUIO1INT
5 Goto PUNLFCK1

PUJHCK5 [Position 424 - 425]
Labor Force-(not in)filter/carryover for dependent

Filter/carryover for dependent NILF

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUIO1INT
2 Goto PUIOCK5

PUIODP1 [Position 426 - 427]
Indus.&Occ.-verification of previous month's employer

Last month, it was reported that you worked for (I-IO1NAM).
Do you still work for (I-IO1NAM) (at your Main job?/ ?)
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No

PUIODP2 [Position 428 - 429]
Indus.&Occ.-job duties changed since last month,y/n

Have the usual activities and duties of your job changed since
last month?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No

PUIODP3 [Position 430 - 431]
Indus.&Occ.-verify previous month's occupation description

Last month you were reported as (a/an) (I-IO1OCC) and your usual activities were (I-IO1DT1)
(I-IO1DT2).

Is this an accurate description of your current job?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Yes
2 No

PEIO1COW [Position 432 - 433]
Indus.&Occ.-(main job)class of worker

Individual class of worker on first job. (assigned by instrument based
on PUIO1INT, PUIO1GVT, PUIO1INC, and PUIO1WPO)
Note: An IO1COW code can be assigned even if an indiviudal is not
currently employed.
**Related Recodes: PRCOW1, PRDTCOW1, PRNAGWS, PRNAGPWS, PRSJMJ
Edited Universe:
(PEMLR=1-3) Or (PEMLR=4 And PELKLWO=1-2) Or (PEMLR=5 And (PENLFJH=1 Or
PEJHWKO=1)) Or (PEMLR=6 And PENLFJH=1) Or (PEMLR=7 And PEJHWKO=1)
Valid Entries

1 Government - Federal
2 Government - State
3 Government - Local
4 Private, For Profit
5 Private, Nonprofit
6 Self-Employed, Incorporated
7 Self-Employed, Unincorporated
8 Without Pay

PUIO1MFG [Position 434 - 435]
Indus.&Occ.-(main job)in manufacturing/wholesale/retail

Ask If Necessary:
Is this business or organization mainly manufacturing, retail
trade, wholesale trade, or something else?
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Manufacturing
2 Retail Trade
3 Wholesale Trade
4 Something Else

PEIO1ICD [Position 436 - 438]
Indus.&Occ.-(main job)industry code

Industry code for primary job
**Related Recodes: PRDTCOW1, PRDTIND1, PRMJIND1, PRNAGWS, PRNAGPWS, PRAGNA
Edited Universe:
(PEMLR=1-3) Or (PEMLR=4 And PELKLWO=1-2) Or (PEMLR=5 And (PENLFJH=1 Or PEJHWKO=1)) Or (PEMLR=6 And PENLFJH=1) Or (PEMLR=7 And PEJHWKO=1)
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PTIO1OCD [Position 439 - 441]
Indus.&Occ.-(main job)occupation code

Occupation code for primary job.
**Related Recodes: PRDTOCC1, PRMJOCC1, PREMP
Edited Universe:
(PEMLR=1-3) Or (PEMLR=4 And PELKLWO=1-2) Or (PEMLR=5 And (PENLFJH=1 Or PEJHWKO=1)) Or (PEMLR=6 And PENLFJH=1) Or (PEMLR=7 And PEJHWKO=1)
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PEIO2COW [Position 442 - 443]
Indus.&Occ.-(second job)class of worker

Individual class of worker on second job. (assigned by instrument
based on PUIO2INT, PUIO2GVT, PUIO2INC, and PUIO2WP)
Note: For those self-employed unincorporated on their first job,
this should have a response every month. For all others, this
should only have a value in outgoing rotations.
**Related Recodes: PRCOW2, PRDTCOW2, PRSJMJ
Edited Universe:
(PEMJOT=1 And/HRMIS=4,8) or PEIO1COW=7,8
Valid Entries

1 Government - Federal
2 Government - State
3 Government - Local
4 Private, For Profit
5 Private, Nonprofit
6 Self-Employed, Incorporated
7 Self-Employed, Unincorporated
8 Without Pay

PUIO2MFG [Position 444 - 445]
Indus.&Occ.-(second job)in manufacturing/wholesale/retail

Ask If Necessary:
Is this business or organization mainly manufacturing, retail
trade, wholesale trade, or something else?

Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Manufacturing
2 Retail Trade
3 Wholesale Trade
4 Something Else

PEIO2ICD [Position 446 - 448]
Indus.&Occ.-(second job)industry code

Industry code for second job.
**Related Recodes: PRDTCOW2, PRDTIND2, PRMJIND2
Edited Universe:
PEMJOT=1 And HRMIS=4,8
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PTIO2OCD [Position 449 - 451]
Indus.&Occ.-(second job)occupation code

Occupation code for second job.
**Related Recodes: PRDTOCC2, PRMJOCC2
Edited Universe:
PEMJOT=1 And HRMIS=4,8
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PUIOCK1 [Position 452 - 453]
Indus.&Occ.-filter for dependent industry & occupation

Filter for dependent I and O

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUIO1INT
2 Go to PUIO1INT
3 Go To PUIO1INT
4 Goto PUIODP1
5 GoTo PUIO1INT

PUIOCK2 [Position 454 - 455]
Indus.&Occ.-filter for previous month's referred I&O cases

Filter for previous months I and O cases

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUIO1IND
2 Goto PUIO1OCC
3 Goto PUIODP2

PUIOCK3 [Position 456 - 457]
Indus.&Occ.-filter for previous month's unknown occupation

Denotes whether the value in hourly rate of pay has been topcoded
Valid Entries

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 Goto PUIO1OCC
2 Goto PUIO10CC
3 Goto PUIODP3

PRIOELG [Position 458 - 459]
Labor Force-industry and occupation edit eligibility flag

Industry And Occupation Edit Eligibility Flag
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
0 Not Eligible For Edit
1 Eligible For Edit

PRAGNA [Position 460 - 461]
Indus.&Occ.-industry,agriculture/non-agriculture

Agriculture/Non-Agriculture Industry
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Agricultural
2 Non-Agricultural

PRCOW1 [Position 462 - 463]
Indus.&Occ.-(main job)class of worker-recode

Class Of Worker Recode - Job 1
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Federal Govt
2 State Govt
3 Local Govt
4 Private (incl. Self-Employed Incorp.)

5 Self-Employed, Unincorp.
6 Without Pay

PRCOW2 [Position 464 - 465]
Indus.&Occ.-(second job)class of worker-recode

Class Of Worker Recode - Job 2
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Federal Govt
2 State Govt
3 Local Govt
4 Private (incl. Self-Employed Incorp.)
5 Self-Employed, Unincorp.
6 Without Pay

PRCOWPG [Position 466 - 467]
Indus.&Occ.-(main job)class of worker,private/government

COW - Private Or Government
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Private
2 Government

PRDTCOW1 [Position 468 - 469]
Indus.&Occ.-(main job)detailed class of worker

Detailed Class Of Worker Recode - Job 1
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Agri.,wage & Salary,private
2 Agri,wage & Salary, Government
3 Agri., Self-Employed
4 Agri., Unpaid
5 Nonag,ws,private,private Hhlds
6 Nonag,ws,priv.,other Private
7 Nonag,ws,govt,federal
8 Nonag,ws,govt,state
9 Nonag,ws,govt,local
10 Nonag, Self-Employed
11 Nonag, Unpaid

PRDTCOW2 [Position 470 - 471]
Indus.&Occ.-(second job)detailed class of worker-recode

Detailed Class Of Worker Recode - Job 2

Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Agri.,wage & Salary,private
2 Agri,wage & Salary, Government
3 Agri., Self-Employed
4 Agri., Unpaid
5 Nonag,ws,private,private Hhlds
6 Nonag,ws,priv.,other Private
7 Nonag,ws,govt,federal
8 Nonag,ws,govt,state
9 Nonag,ws,govt,local
10 Nonag, Self-Employed
11 Nonag, Unpaid

PRDTIND1 [Position 472 - 473]
Indus.&Occ.-(main job)detailed industry

Industry codes (PEIO1ICD) grouped into smaller, yet detailed categories
of industries for person's main job. For an even broader regrouping

Value set description.

PRDTIND2 [Position 474 - 475]
Indus.&Occ.-(second job)detailed industry-recode

Detailed Industry Recode - Job 2
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PRDTOCC1 [Position 476 - 477]
Indus.&Occ.-(main job)detailed occupation groups-recode

Detailed Occupation Recode - Job 1
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PRDTOCC2 [Position 478 - 479]
Indus.&Occ.-(second job)detailed occupation groups-recode

Detailed Occupation Recode - Job 2
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PREMP [Position 480 - 481]
Labor Force-employed non-farm/non-private hhld industries

Employed Persons(Non-Farm & Non-Private HHld) Recode

Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Employed Persons (exc. Farm & Priv HH)

PRMJIND1 [Position 482 - 483]
Indus.&Occ.-(main job)industry,major groups

Industry codes (PEIO1ICD) grouped into major categories of industries
for a person's main job. For a more detailed regrouping - See PRDTIND1.
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PRMJIND2 [Position 484 - 485]
Indus.&Occ.-(second job)industry,major groups-recode

Major Industry Recode - Job 2
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PRMJOCC1 [Position 486 - 487]
Indus.&Occ.-(main job)occupation,major groups-recode

Major Occupation Recode - Job 1
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Executive, Admin, & Managerial Occs
2 Professional Specialty Occs
3 Technicians And Related Support Occs
4 Sales Occs
5 Admin. Support Occs, Incl. Clerical
6 Private Household Occs
7 Protective Service Occs
8 Service Occs, Exc. Protective & Hhld
9 Precision Prod., Craft & Repair Occs
10 Machine Opers, Assemblers & Inspectors
11 Transportation And Material Moving Occs
12 Handlers,equip Cleaners,helpers,laborrs
13 Farming, Forestry And Fishing Occs
14 Armed Forces

PRMJOCC2 [Position 488 - 489]
Indus.&Occ.-(second job)occupation,major groups-recode

Major Occupation Recode - Job 2
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign

1 Executive, Admin, & Managerial Occs
2 Professional Specialty Occs
3 Technicians And Related Support Occs
4 Sales Occs
5 Admin. Support Occs, Incl. Clerical
6 Private Household Occs
7 Protective Service Occs
8 Service Occs, Exc. Protective & Hhld
9 Precision Prod., Craft & Repair Occs
10 Machine Opers, Assemblers & Inspectors
11 Transportation And Material Moving Occs
12 Handlers,equip Cleaners,helpers,laborrs
13 Farming, Forestry And Fishing Occs
14 Armed Forces

PRMJOCGR [Position 490 - 491]
Indus.&Occ.-(main job)occupation,4 groups

I & O Major Occupation Categories - main job
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Mgr. & Prof, Tech, Sales & Support Occs
2 Service Occupations
3 Production, Craft, Repair, Operators
4 Farming, Forestry & Fishing Occupations

PRNAGPWS [Position 492 - 493]
Indus.&Occ.-non-agriculture/private/salary workers-recode

Non-Agriculture, Private Wage And Salary Workers Recode
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Non-Ag Priv Wage & Salary (ex Priv HH)

PRNAGWS [Position 494 - 495]
Indus.&Occ.-non-agriculture/salary workers

Non-Agriculture Wage And Salary Workers Recode
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Non-Ag Wage And Salary Workers

PRSJMJ [Position 496 - 497]
Indus.&Occ.-single/multiple jobholder-recode

Single/Multiple Jobholder
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 Single jobholder
2 Multiple jobholder

PRERELG [Position 498 - 499]
Demographics-earnings edit eligibility flag

Earnings Edit Eligibility Flag
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
0 Not Eligible For Edit
1 Eligible For Edit

PEERNUOT [Position 500 - 501]
Earnings-overtime pay/tips/commission,y/n

Do you usually receive overtime pay, tips, or commissions at your job?
Edited Universe:
(PUERNCK=3 And PEIO1COW Ne 6-8) Or (PEIO1COW=1-5 And PEMLR=1-2 And HRMIS=4,8)
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PEERNPER [Position 502 - 503]
Earnings-when received,periodicity

Out variable for periodicity
Stores ERNPR entry of 1-7, D, or R
Edited Universe:
(PUERNCK=3 And PEIO1COW Ne 6-8) Or (PEIO1COW=1-5 And PEMLR=1-2 And
HRMIS=4,8)
Valid Entries

1 Hourly
2 Weekly
3 Bi-Weekly
4 Twice Monthly
5 Monthly
6 Annually
7 Other - Specify

PEERNRT [Position 504 - 505]
Earnings-paid hourly,y/n

(/Even though you told me is is easier to report your
earnings (periodicity parenthetical); are your Paid At An Hourly
Rate on your (main/this) job?
Edited Universe:

PEERNPER=2-7
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PEERNHRY [Position 506 - 507]
Earnings-hourly/non-hourly worker

Out variable for hourly/nonhourly status
Stores D if no entry in ERNPER or no entry in ERNRT
D = Rate of pay unknown
Stores 1 if 1 in ERNPER or if 1 in ERNRT

1 Hourly Worker
2 Nonhourly Worker

PTERNH1C [Position 508 - 511]
Earnings-hourly pay rate,excluding overtime

What is your hourly rate of pay on this job, excluding overtime
pay, tips or commission?
Enter Dollar Amount
$__.__

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
0.0:99.99 Range

PTERNH2 [Position 512 - 515]
Earnings-(main job)hourly pay rate,amount

(excluding overtime pay, tips and commissions/) What is your
hourly rate of pay on your (main/this) job? - 2 Implied Decimal Places
Enter Dollar Amount
$__.__

0.0:99.99 Range

PTERNH1O [Position 516 - 519]
Earnings-hourly pay rate,amount

Out Variable For Hourly Rate Of Pay - 2 Implied Decimal Places

0.0:99.99 Range

PTERNHLY [Position 520 - 523]
Earnings-hourly pay rate,amount-recode

Recode For Hourly Rate - 2 Implied Decimal Places

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
0.0:99.99 Range

PTHR [Position 524 - 524]
Earnings-hourly pay-Top Code

Denotes whether the value in hourly rate of pay has been topcoded
Valid Entries

0 Not Topcoded
1 Topcoded

PEERNHRO [Position 525 - 526]
Earnings-#hours usually worked

Stores HRUSL1 entry of V or D as D and HRUSL1 entry of R as R, and
HRUSL1 entry of 01-99 if PUERNHR=D or R
Stores ERNHR entry of 01-99, R or D
Edited Universe:
PEERNH1O=entry
Valid Entries

0:99 Range

PTERNWA [Position 527 - 534]
Earnings-weekly earnings,amount-recode

Weekly Earnings Recode
(2 Implied Decimals)
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
0.0:2884.61 Range

PTWK [Position 535 - 535]
Earnings-weekly-top code flag

Weekly Earnings - Top Code Flag--Denotes whether the value in Usual Weekly earnings (PRERNWA)
was topcoded
Valid Entries

0 Not Topcoded
1 Topcoded

PTERN [Position 540 - 547]
Earnings-(weekly)amount of overtime earnings

Calculated weekly overtime amount
Stores ERNOTE entry if not equal to D or R
Stores result of multiplying ERNOH or ERNOHE entry by ERNOTO
entry, if entry of 1 in ERNOTP and ERNOH and ERNOHE is

not D or R.
Stores ERNOTO if entry of 3 in ERNOTP.
Stores result of dividing ERNOTO by 4, if entry of 4 in ERNOTP.
Stores result of dividing ERNOTO by 52, if entry of 5 in ERNOTP.

0.0:2884.61 Range

PTERN2 [Position 548 - 555]
Earnings-(calculated)weekly overtime

Calculated Weekly OT Earnings

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
0.0:2884.61 Range

PTOT [Position 556 - 556]
Earnings-weekly overtime,amount-top code flag

Weekly Overtime Amount - Top Code Flag--denotes whether the Weekly Overtime Earnings Amounts
are Topcoded.
Valid Entries

0 Not Topcoded
1 Topcoded

PEERNWKP [Position 559 - 560]
Earnings-#paid weeks per year

How many weeks a year do you get paid for?
Number Of Weeks
Edited Universe:
PUERNANN=entry
Valid Entries

1:52 Range

PEERNLAB [Position 561 - 562]
Earnings-union member,y/n

On this job, are you a member of a labor union or of an employee
association similar to a union?
Edited Universe:
(PUERNCK=3 And PEIO1COW Ne 6-8) Or (PEIO1COW=1-5 And PEMLR=1-2 And HRMIS=4,8)
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PEERNCOV [Position 563 - 564]

Earnings-covered by labor union/employee contract,y/n

On this job, are you covered by a union or employee
association contract?
Edited Universe:
(PUERNCK=3 And PEIO1COW Ne 6-8) Or (PEIO1COW=1-5 And PEMLR=1-2 And HRMIS=4,8)
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PENLFJH [Position 565 - 566]
Labor Force-(not in)last worked at job/business

When did you last work at a job or business?
Edited Universe:
HRMIS=4,8
Valid Entries

1 Within The Last 12 Months
2 More Than 12 Months Ago
3 Never Worked

PENLFRET [Position 567 - 568]
Labor Force-(retired) from job/business,y/n

Are You Retired From A Job Or Business?
Edited Universe:
PEAGE=50+
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PENLFACT [Position 569 - 570]
Labor Force-(not in)reason

What best describes your situation at this time? For example, are you
disabled, ill, in school, taking care of house or family, or something
else?
**Related Recodes: PRNLFREA
Edited Universe:
(PEAGE=14-49) or (PENLFRET=2)
Valid Entries

1 Disabled
2 Ill
3 In School
4 Taking Care Of House Or Family
5 In Retirement

6 Something Else/Other

PUNLFCK1 [Position 571 - 572]
Labor Force-age filter for retirement question

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 AGERNG-I=1-4,9, Goto NLFACT
2 All Others Goto NLFRET

PUNLFCK2 [Position 573 - 574]
Labor Force-outgoing rotation filter

-3 Refused
-2 Don't Know
-1 Blank
1 MIS-CK=4, Goto NLFJH
2 All Other Rotations, End Questions

PESCHENR [Position 575 - 576]
School Enrollment-in high school/college/university,y/n

Last Week, were you enrolled in a high school, college, or university?
(enter 1 If Currently On Holiday Or Seasonal Vacation.
Enter 2 For Summer Vacation.)
Edited Universe:
(PRPERTYP=2 and PEAGE=16-24)
Valid Entries

1 Yes
2 No

PESCHFT [Position 577 - 578]
School Enrollment-full-time/part-time student

Are you enrolled in school as a full-time or part-time student?
Edited Universe:
PESCHLVL=1,2
Valid Entries

1 Full-time
2 Part-time

PESCHLVL [Position 579 - 580]
School Enrollment-in high school/college/university

Ask Only If Necessary
Would that be high school, college or university?
Edited Universe:
PESCHENR=1

Valid Entries

1 High school
2 College or university

PRNLFSCH [Position 581 - 582]
School Enrollment-(not in labor force)school/not in school

Nlf Activity - In School Or Not In School
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
1 In School
2 Not In School

PWFMWGT [Position 583 - 592]
Weight-family

Family Weight
(length=10 With 4 Implied Decimals)

PWLGWGT [Position 593 - 602]
Weight-longitudinal weight

Longitudinal Weight
(length=10 With 4 Implied Decimals)

PWORWGT [Position 603 - 612]
Weight-outgoing rotation weight

Outgoing Rotation Weight - only for use with earnings, discouraged worker or second job industry and
Occupation items
(length=10 With 4 Implied Decimals)

PWSSWGT [Position 613 - 622]
Weight-second stage weight (rake 6 final step weight)

Second Stage Weight
(length=10 With 4 Implied Decimal Places)

PWVETWGT [Position 623 - 632]
Weight-veterans weight

Veterans Weight
(4 Implied Decimals)
Used for Tallying Veteran's Data Only, Controlled to Estimates of Veterans Supplied by VA.
Edited Universe
PRPERTYP = 2

PRWERNAL [Position 639 - 640]
Earnings-(person)weekly earnings allocation flag-recode

Weekly Earnings Recode (PRERNWA) Allocation Flag
Edited Universe
PRERELG = 1
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
0 No Component Allocated
1 1 Or More Components Allocated

PRHERNAL [Position 641 - 642]
Earnings-persons hourly earnings recode allocation flag

Hourly Earnings Recode (PRERNHLY) Allocation Flag
Edited Universe
PRERNHRY = 1
Valid Entries

-1 In Universe, Met No Conditions To Assign
0 No Components Allocated
1 1 or more components Allocated

HXTENURE [Position 643 - 644]
Household-allocation flag for HETENURE

Value set description.

HXHOUSUT [Position 645 - 646]
Household-allocation flag for HEHOUSUT

Value set description.

HXTELHHD [Position 647 - 648]
Household-allocation flag for HETELHHD

Value set description.

HXTELAVL [Position 649 - 650]
Household-allocation flag for HETELAVL

Value set description.

HXPHONEO [Position 651 - 652]
Household-allocation flag for HEPHONEO

Value set description.

PXINUSYR [Position 653 - 654]
Demographics-allocation flag for PEINUSYR

[Value set description.](#)

PXRRP [Position 655 - 656]
Demographics-allocation flag for PERRP

What was the main reason you were
absent from work Last Week?
**Related Recodes: PREMPHRS, PRABSREA
Edited Universe:
PEMLR=2
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXPARENT [Position 657 - 658]
Demographics-allocation flag for PEPARENT

[Value set description.](#)

PXAGE [Position 659 - 660]
Demographics-allocation flag for PEAGE

[Value set description.](#)

PXMARITL [Position 661 - 662]
Demographics-allocation flag for PEMARITL

[Value set description.](#)

PXSPOUSE [Position 663 - 664]
Demographics-allocation flag for PESPOUSE

Last Week, could you have started a job if one had been offered?
**Related Recodes: PRDSCWK1, PRDSCWK2
Edited Universe:
(PEDWWK=2) or (PEDWLKWK=1)
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXSEX [Position 665 - 666]
Demographics-allocation flag for PESEX

Did you do any of this work during the last 4 weeks?
Edited Universe:
PEDWWK=1
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXAFWHEN [Position 667 - 668]
Demographics-allocation flag for PEAFWHEN

Value set description.

PXAFNOW [Position 669 - 670]
Demographics-allocation flag for PEAFNOW

Value set description.

PXEDUCA [Position 671 - 672]
Demographics-allocation flag for PEEDUCA

Value set description.

PXRACE [Position 673 - 674]
Demographics-allocation flag for PERACE

Stores ABSPD entry (1, 2, D, or R)
Plugs ABSPD = Yes for owners of family business
**Related Recodes: PRABSREA
Edited Universe:
PEABSRSN=4-12,14
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PXNATVTY [Position 675 - 676]
Demographics-allocation flag for PENATVTY

Value set description.

PXMNTVTY [Position 677 - 678]
Demographics-allocation flag for PEMNTVTY

Value set description.

PXFNTVTY [Position 679 - 680]
Demographics-allocation flag for PEFNTVTY

Value set description.

PXORIGIN [Position 683 - 684]
Demographics-allocation flag for PEORIGIN

Value set description.

PXMLR [Position 685 - 686]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEMLR

I & O Major Occupation Categories - main job
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PXRET1 [Position 687 - 688]

Labor Force-allocation flag for PERET1

Ask If Necessary:
Is this business or organization mainly manufacturing, retail
trade, wholesale trade, or something else?
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PXABSRSN [Position 689 - 690]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEABSRSN

Value set description.

PXABSPDO [Position 691 - 692]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEABSPDO

Value set description.

PXMJOT [Position 693 - 694]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEMJOT

Major Occupation Recode - Job 2
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PXMJNUM [Position 695 - 696]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEMJNUM

Major Occupation Recode - Job 1
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PXHRUSL1 [Position 697 - 698]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEHRUSL1

Individual class of worker on first job. (assigned by instrument based
on PUIO1INT, PUIO1GVT, PUIO1INC, and PUIO1WPO)
Note: An IO1COW code can be assigned even if an indiviudal is not
currently employed.
**Related Recodes: PRCOW1, PRDTCOW1, PRNAGWS, PRNAGPWS, PRSJMJ
Edited Universe:
(PEMLR=1-3) Or (PEMLR=4 And PELKLWO=1-2) Or (PEMLR=5 And (PENLFJH=1 Or
PEJHWKO=1)) Or (PEMLR=6 And PENLFJH=1) Or (PEMLR=7 And PEJHWKO=1)
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PXHRUSL2 [Position 699 - 700]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEHRUSL2

Industry code for primary job
**Related Recodes: PRDTCOW1, PRDTIND1, PRMJIND1, PRNAGWS, PRNAGPWS, PRAGNA
Edited Universe:
(PEMLR=1-3) Or (PEMLR=4 And PELKLWO=1-2) Or (PEMLR=5 And (PENLFJH=1 Or PEJHWKO=1)) Or (PEMLR=6 And PENLFJH=1) Or (PEMLR=7 And PEJHWKO=1)
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PXHRFTPT [Position 701 - 702]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEHRFTPT

Value set description.

PXHRUSLT [Position 703 - 704]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEHRUSLT

Occupation code for primary job.
**Related Recodes: PRDTOCC1, PRMJOCC1, PREMP
Edited Universe:
(PEMLR=1-3) Or (PEMLR=4 And PELKLWO=1-2) Or (PEMLR=5 And (PENLFJH=1 Or PEJHWKO=1)) Or (PEMLR=6 And PENLFJH=1) Or (PEMLR=7 And PEJHWKO=1)
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PXHRWANT [Position 705 - 706]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEHRWANT

Individual class of worker on second job. (assigned by instrument
based on PUIO2INT, PUIO2GVT, PUIO2INC, and PUIO2WP)
Note: For those self-employed unincorporated on their first job,
this should have a response every month. For all others, this
should only have a value in outgoing rotations.
**Related Recodes: PRCOW2, PRDTCOW2, PRSJMJ
Edited Universe:
(PEMJOT=1 And/HRMIS=4,8) or PEIO1COW=7,8
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PXHRRSN1 [Position 707 - 708]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEHRRSN1

Value set description.

PXHRRSN2 [Position 709 - 710]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEHRRSN2

Value set description.

PXHRACT1 [Position 711 - 712]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEHRACT1

[Value set description.](#)

PXHRACT2 [Position 713 - 714]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEHRACT2

[Value set description.](#)

PXHRACTT [Position 715 - 716]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEHRACTT

[Value set description.](#)

PXHRRSN3 [Position 717 - 718]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEHRRSN3

[Value set description.](#)

PXHRAVL [Position 719 - 720]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEHRAVL

[Value set description.](#)

PXLAYAVL [Position 721 - 722]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PELAYAVL

Class Of Worker Recode - Job 1
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXLAYLK [Position 723 - 724]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PELAYLK

Detailed Class Of Worker Recode - Job 1
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXLAYDUR [Position 725 - 726]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PELAYDUR

Class Of Worker Recode - Job 2
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXLAYFTO [Position 727 - 728]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PELAYFTO

COW - Private Or Government

Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXLKM1 [Position 729 - 730]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PELKM1

Major Industry Recode - Job 2
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXLKAVL [Position 731 - 732]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PELKAVL

Detailed Class Of Worker Recode - Job 2
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXLKLL1O [Position 733 - 734]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PELKLL1O

Detailed Occupation Recode - Job 1
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXLKLL2O [Position 735 - 736]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PELKLL2O

Detailed Occupation Recode - Job 2
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXLKLWO [Position 737 - 738]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PELKLWO

Industry codes (PEIO1ICD) grouped into major categories of industries
for a person's main job. For a more detailed regrouping - See PRDTIND1.
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXLKDUR [Position 739 - 740]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PELKDUR

Industry codes (PEIO1ICD) grouped into smaller, yet detailed categories
of industries for person's main job. For an even broader regrouping

[Value set description.](#)

PXLKFTO [Position 741 - 742]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PELKFTO

Detailed Industry Recode - Job 2
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PXDWWNTO [Position 743 - 744]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEDWWNTO

Value set description.

PXDWRSN [Position 745 - 746]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEDWRSN

Value set description.

PXDWLKO [Position 747 - 748]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEDWLKO

Value set description.

PXDWWK [Position 749 - 750]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEDWWK

Value set description.

PXDW4WK [Position 751 - 752]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEDW4WK

Value set description.

PXDWLKWK [Position 753 - 754]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEDWLKWK

Value set description.

PXDWAVL [Position 755 - 756]
Labor Force-allocation flag for D23c

Value set description.

PXDWAVR [Position 757 - 758]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEDWAVR

Value set description.

PXJHWKO [Position 759 - 760]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEJHWKO

Agriculture/Non-Agriculture Industry
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXJHRSN [Position 761 - 762]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEJHRSN

Industry code for second job.
**Related Recodes: PRDTCOW2, PRDTIND2, PRMJIND2
Edited Universe:
PEMJOT=1 And HRMIS=4,8
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXJHWANT [Position 763 - 764]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PEJHWANT

Occupation code for second job.
**Related Recodes: PRDTOCC2, PRMJOCC2
Edited Universe:
PEMJOT=1 And HRMIS=4,8
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXIO1COW [Position 765 - 766]
Indus.&Occ.-allocation flag for PEIO1COW

What is your hourly rate of pay on this job, excluding overtime
pay, tips or commission?
Enter Dollar Amount
$__.__

[Value set description.](#)

PXIO1ICD [Position 767 - 768]
Indus.&Occ.-allocation flag for PEIO1ICD

I have recorded your total earnings (, for your main
job,/) as $(ERNAMT entry) (third parenthetical)
before taxes or other deductions. Is that correct?
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXIO1OCD [Position 769 - 770]
Indus.&Occ.-allocation flag for PEIO1OCD

[Value set description.](#)

PXIO2COW [Position 771 - 772]
Indus.&Occ.-allocation flag for PEI02COW

[Value set description.](#)

PXIO2ICD [Position 773 - 774]
Indus.&Occ.-allocation flag for PEIO2ICD

[Value set description.](#)

PXIO2OCD [Position 775 - 776]
Indus.&Occ.-allocation flag for PEIO2OCD

[Value set description.](#)

PXERNUOT [Position 777 - 778]
Earnings-allocation flag for PEERNUOT

[Value set description.](#)

PXERNPER [Position 779 - 780]
Earnings-allocation flag for PEERNPER

Outgoing Rotation Weight - only for use with earnings, discouraged worker or second job industry and Occupation items
(length=10 With 4 Implied Decimals)

[Value set description.](#)

PXERNH1O [Position 781 - 782]
Earnings-allocation flag for PEERNH1O

Census State Code
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXERNHRO [Position 783 - 784]
Earnings-allocation flag for PEERNHRO

Household Weight
(length=10 With 4 Implied Decimals)

[Value set description.](#)

PXERN [Position 785 - 786]
Earnings-allocation flag for PEERN

MSA/PMSA Size

[Value set description.](#)

PXERNWKP [Position 791 - 792]
Earnings-allocation flag for weeks paid per year PEERNWKP

[Value set description.](#)

PXERNRT [Position 793 - 794]
Earnings-allocation flag for PEERNRT

Veterans Weight
(4 Implied Decimals)
Used for Tallying Veteran's Data Only, Controlled to Estimates of Veterans Supplied by VA.
Edited Universe
PRPERTYP = 2

Value set description.

PXERNHRY [Position 795 - 796]
Earnings-allocation flag for PEERNHRY

Family Weight
(length=10 With 4 Implied Decimals)

Value set description.

PXERNH2 [Position 797 - 798]
Earnings-allocation flag for PEERNH1O

Federal Information Processing Standards State Code
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PXERNLAB [Position 799 - 800]
Earnings-allocation flag for PEERNLAB

Longitudinal Weight
(length=10 With 4 Implied Decimals)

Value set description.

PXERNCOV [Position 801 - 802]
Earnings-allocation flag for PEERNCOV

Region
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PXNLFJH [Position 803 - 804]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PENLFJH

Non-Agriculture Wage And Salary Workers Recode
Valid Entries

Value set description.

PXNLFRET [Position 805 - 806]

Labor Force-allocation flag for PENLFRET

Single/Multiple Jobholder
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXNLFACT [Position 807 - 808]
Labor Force-allocation flag for PENLFACT

Non-Agriculture, Private Wage And Salary Workers Recode
Valid Entries

[Value set description.](#)

PXSCHENR [Position 809 - 810]
School Enrollment-allocation flag for PESCHENR

[Value set description.](#)

PXSCHFT [Position 811 - 812]
School Enrollment-allocation flag for PESCHFT

[Value set description.](#)

PXSCHLVL [Position 813 - 814]
School Enrollment-labor force allocation flag for PESCHLVL

[Value set description.](#)

QSTNUM [Position 815 - 819]
Unique household identifier

Unique household identifier. Valid only within any specific month.

1:99999 Range

OCCURNUM [Position 820 - 821]
Unique person identifier within a household

Unique person identifier within a household. Valid only within any specific month.

1:16 Range

PEDIPGED (Jan 1998 -) [Position 822 - 823]
Demographics-high school,graduation/GED

People can get their High School diploma in a variety of ways, such as graduation from High School or by getting a GED or other equivalent. How did ... get ...'s High School diploma?
Universe = PEEDUCA = 39

-1 Not in Universe
1 Graduation from High School

2 GED or other Equivalent

PEHGCOMP (Jan 1998 -) [Position 824 - 825]
Demographics-highest grade completed before GED

What was the highest grade of regular school ... completed before receiving ...'s GED?
Universe = PEDIPGED = 2

-1 Not in Universe
1 Less than 1st grade
2 1st, 2nd, 3rd, or 4th Grade
3 5th or 6th Grade
4 7th or 8th Grade
5 9th Grade
6 10th Grade
7 11th Grade
8 12th Grade, NO DIPLOMA

PECYC (Jan 1998 -) [Position 826 - 827]
Demographics-years of college credit completed

Universe = PEEDUCA = 40-42

-1 Not in Universe
1 Less than 1 year (includes 0 years completed)?
2 The first, or Freshman year?
3 The second, or Sophomore year?
4 The third, or Junior year?
5 Four or more years?

PEGRPROF (Jan 1998 -) [Position 828 - 829]
Demographics-(have B.S./B.A.)taken graduate/prof. courses

Since completing ... Bachelor's degree, have you taken any graduate or professional school courses for credit?
Universe = PEEDUCA = 43

-1 Not in Universe
1 Yes
2 No

PEGR6COR (Jan 1998 -) [Position 830 - 831]
Demographics-completed 6 or more graduate courses,y/n

Did ... complete 6 or more graduate or professional school courses?
Universe = PEGRPROF = 1

-1 Not in Universe
1 Yes
2 No

PEMS123 (Jan 1998 -) [Position 832 - 833]
Demographics-Master's program 1, 2, or 3 years

Was ... Master's Degree program a 1 year, 2 year, or 3 year program?
Universe = PEEDUCA = 44

-1 Not in Universe
1 1 year program
2 2 year program
3 3 year program (or longer)

PXDIPGED (Jan 1998 -) [Position 834 - 835]
Demographics-allocation flag for PEDIPGED

Universe = PEEDUCA = 39

Value set description.

PXHGCOMP (Jan 1998 -) [Position 836 - 837]
Demographics-allocation flag for PEHGCOMP

Universe = PEDIPGED = 2

Value set description.

PXCYC (Jan 1998 -) [Position 838 - 839]
Demographics-allocation flag for PECYC

Universe = PEEDUCA = 40-42

Value set description.

PXGRPROF (Jan 1998 -) [Position 840 - 841]
Demographics-allocation flag for PEGRPROF

Universe = PEEDUCA = 43

Value set description.

PXGR6COR (Jan 1998 -) [Position 842 - 843]
Demographics-allocation flag for PEGR6COR

Universe = PEGRPROF = 1

Value set description.

PXMS123 (Jan 1998 -) [Position 844 - 845]
Demographics-allocation flag for PEMS123

Universe = PEEDUCA = 44

Value set description.

PWCMPWGT (Jan 1998 -) [Position 846 - 855]

Weight-composited final weight

Person's final composited weight. Used to tabulate BLS's official published labor force statistics. (4 implied decimal places)
Universe = PRPERTYP = 2 and PTAGE = 16+

FILLER [Position 856 - 856]
1-character filler to end record on ASCII word boundary.

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