South Africa - Labour Force Survey 2004, March

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Overview

Identification

ID NUMBER
zaf-statssa-lfs-2004-mar-v2

Version

VERSION DESCRIPTION
v2: Edited, anonymised dataset for licensed distribution

PRODUCTION DATE
2011

NOTES
The South AfricanMarch 2004 LFS dataset was originally released in September 2004 as 3 data files (household, person and worker). A second version was downloaded from the Statistics South Africa website in August 2011 by DataFirst. This version differed slightly from the originally obtained release. Most notably, weights were recast to reflect population estimates released in February 2005. This version was also benchmarked to the 2001 South African census (whereas previously, it had been benchmarked to the 1996 South African census). As a result, the weight variables in each data file differ between versions 1.0 and 2.0.

Overview

ABSTRACT
The LFS is a twice-yearly rotating panel household survey, specifically designed to measure the dynamics of employment and unemployment in South Africa. It measures a variety of issues related to the labour market,including unemployment rates (official and expanded), according to standard definitions of the International Labour Organisation (ILO).

All editions of the LFS have been updated (some more than once) since their release. These version changes are detailed in a document available from DataFirst (in the "external documents" section titled "LFS 2000-2008 Collated Version Notes on the South African LFS").

KIND OF DATA
Sample survey data [ssd]

UNITS OF ANALYSIS
Households (dwellings) and individuals

Scope

NOTES
Household characteristics, household listing, demographics, education, economic activity, work for pay, business ownership, unemployment, employers, main work activity in the past week, wages, salary, employment, migration

TOPICS

Topic	Vocabulary	URI
employment [3.1]	CESSDA	http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common
in-job training [3.2]	CESSDA	http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common
labour relations/conflict [3.3]	CESSDA	http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common
retirement [3.4]	CESSDA	http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common

Topic	Vocabulary	URI
unemployment [3.5]	CESSDA	http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common
working conditions [3.6]	CESSDA	http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common
LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT [3]	CESSDA	http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common
TRADE, INDUSTRY AND MARKETS [2]	CESSDA	http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common
DEMOGRAPHY AND POPULATION [14]	CESSDA	http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common

Coverage

GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE
National Coverage

GEOGRAPHIC UNIT
Province (variable name: "Prov") - note that this variable is conspicuously absent from the Household data file, but is present in the Person and Worker data files.

UNIVERSE
The LFS sample covers the non-institutional population except for workers' hostels. However, persons living in private dwelling units within institutions are also enumerated. For example, within a school compound, one would enumerate the schoolmaster's house and teachers' accommodation because these are private dwellings. Students living in a dormitory on the school compound would, however, be excluded.

Producers and Sponsors

PRIMARY INVESTIGATOR(S)

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Metadata Production

METADATA PRODUCED BY

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation	Role
DataFirst		University of Cape Town	DDI Producer

DATE OF METADATA PRODUCTION
2012-02-01

DDI DOCUMENT VERSION
Version 1.2

DDI DOCUMENT ID
ddi-zaf-datafirst-lfs-2004-mar-v1.2

Sampling

Sampling Procedure

The LFS is a twice-yearly rotating panel household survey. A rotating panel sample involves visiting the same dwelling units on a number of occasions (in this instance, five at most), and replacing a proportion of these dwelling units each round. New dwelling units are added to the sample to replace those that are taken out. The pilot round of LFS fieldwork took place in February 2000, based on a probability sample of 10 000 dwelling units. This survey took place six months later, using a larger probability sample of 30,000 dwelling units. Among the 10,000 households visited in February, approximately 40% were re-visited in September 2000. The fieldworkers had some difficulty in identifying certain dwelling units in the sample, particularly in those areas where there are no addresses.

The Master Sample is based on the 1996 Population Census of enumeration areas (EA) and the estimated number of dwelling units from the 1996 Population Census. All 3000 PSUs included in the Master Sample were used in the Labour Force Survey. A PSU is either one EA or several EAs when the number of dwelling units in the base or originally selected EA was found to have less than 100 dwelling units. Each EA had to have approximately 150 dwelling units but it was discovered that many contained less. Thus, in some cases, it has been found necessary to add EAs to the original (census) EA to ensure that the minimum requirement of 100 dwellings, in the first stage of forming the PSUs, was met. The size of the PSUs in the Master Sample varied from 100 to 2445 dwelling units. Special dwellings such as prisons, hospitals, boarding houses, hotels, guest houses (whether catering or self-catering), schools and churches were excluded from the sample.

Explicit stratification of the PSUs was done by province and area type (urban/rural). Within each explicit stratum, the PSUs were implicitly stratified by District Council, Magisterial District and, within the magisterial district, by average household income (for formal urban areas and hostels) or EA. The allocated number of EAs was systematically selected with "probability proportional to size" in each stratum. Once the PSUs included in the sample were known, their boundaries had to be identified on the ground. After boundary identification, the next stage was to list accurately all the dwelling units in the PSUs.

The second stage of the sample selection was to draw from the dwelling units listing whereby a systematic sample of 10 dwelling units was drawn from each PSU. As a result, approximately 30,000 households (units) were interviewed. However, if there was growth of more than 20% in a PSU, then the sample size was increased systematically according to the proportion of growth in the PSU.

A new master sample was drawn in September 2004, benchmarked to Census 2001, for the LFS for the proceeding five years.

Weighting

The initial weights (household weights), based on the sample design, were equal to the inverse of the probability of selection. The initial weight for each member of the household was the same as the weight for the household itself. Further adjustment factors were then calculated within PSUs to account for non-response. To adjust for under-enumeration and to align survey estimates with independent population estimates, the weights were calibrated against Person benchmarks. A software package called CALMAR was used to perform this calibration. Using an iterative procedure, CALMAR adjusted the weights so that Person estimates conformed as closely as possible to external Person benchmarks. Gender, race and age group parameters were used for the Person cross-classification of the population.

Stats SA revised their population model to produce mid-year population estimates in the light of mortality data released in 2005 (see Stats SA Statistical Release P0309.3, 2005). The benchmarks for the LFS discussed in this statistical release have been adjusted accordingly. Weights were then adjusted according to those 2005 population estimates.

Questionnaires

No content available

Data Collection

Data Collection Dates

Start	End	Cycle
2004-03	2004-03	N/A

Data Collection Mode

Face-to-face [f2f]

Data Processing

No content available

Data Appraisal

No content available

File Description

Variable List

LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Content	
Cases	26829
Variable(s)	26
Structure	Type: Keys: ()
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V171	UqNr	Unique number	discrete	character	
V172	Q61MainD	Type of dwelling (main)	discrete	numeric	
V173	Q61OthrD	Type of dwelling (other)	discrete	numeric	
V174	Q62Roof	Roof material	discrete	numeric	
V175	Q62Walls	Walls material	discrete	numeric	
V176	Q63RoofC	Roof condition	discrete	numeric	
V177	Q63WallC	Walls condition	discrete	numeric	
V178	Q64Owner	Ownership of dwelling	discrete	numeric	
V179	Q651paid	Rent paid by you	discrete	numeric	
V180	Q652Subs	Rent subsidy	discrete	numeric	
V181	Q653Extr	Rent for external room	discrete	numeric	
V182	Q654totr	Total rent paid	discrete	numeric	
V183	Q66RentP	Rent period	discrete	numeric	
V184	Q67Elect	Rent includes electricty	discrete	numeric	
V185	Q67Water	Rent includes water	discrete	numeric	
V186	Q67Garag	Rent includes garage/parking space	discrete	numeric	
V187	Q67Refus	Rent includes refuse removal	discrete	numeric	
V188	Q67Other	Rent includes other	discrete	numeric	
V189	Q68Furni	Rented dwelling furnished	discrete	numeric	
V190	Q69TotRm	Number of rooms in dwelling	discrete	numeric	
V191	Q612typl	Type of living quarters	discrete	numeric	
V192	Stratum	Stratum	discrete	numeric	
V193	PSU	Primary sampling unit	contin	numeric	
V194	House_wgt	Household Weight	contin	numeric	
V195	Year	Year	discrete	numeric	
V196	Month	Month	discrete	numeric	

LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Content	
Cases	98256
Variable(s)	32
Structure	Type: Keys: ()
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V197	UqNr	Unique number	discrete	character	
V198	PersonNr	Person (respondent) number	contin	numeric	
V199	Prov	Province	discrete	numeric	
V200	B_4Night	Stayed Nights	discrete	numeric	
V201	B_Sep03	Stayed September 2003	discrete	numeric	
V202	Gender	Gender	discrete	numeric	
V203	Age	Age	discrete	numeric	
V204	Popgrp	Population group	discrete	numeric	
V205	Q11aMari	Marital status	discrete	numeric	
V206	Q11bSpou	Spouse/partner	discrete	numeric	
V207	Q11cPsnN	Spouse number	discrete	numeric	
V208	Q12HLang	Language	discrete	numeric	
V209	Q13aHiEd	Highest education level	discrete	numeric	
V210	Q13bArea	Study field	discrete	numeric	
V211	Q14SklTr	Skills training	discrete	numeric	
V212	Q15LngTrr	Length of training	discrete	numeric	
V213	Q16FldTr	Field of training	discrete	numeric	
V214	Q17aRead	Ability to read	discrete	numeric	
V215	Q17bWrit	Ability to write	discrete	numeric	
V216	Q18EduInn	Education institution attended	discrete	numeric	
V217	Q19Fullp	Full/part-time schooling	discrete	numeric	
V218	Q110DLrn	Attending classes or distance learning	discrete	numeric	
V219	Q111FetW	Fetching water	discrete	numeric	
V220	Q112HrsW	Hours spent fetching water	discrete	numeric	
V221	Q113FetD	Fetching wood/dung	discrete	numeric	
V222	Q114HrsD	Hours spent fetching wood/dung	discrete	numeric	
V223	Stratum	Stratum	discrete	numeric	
V224	PSU	Primary sampling unit	contin	numeric	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V225	Agegrp	Age in 5 year groups	discrete	numeric	
V226	Pers_wgt	Population Weight	contin	numeric	
V227	Year	Year	discrete	numeric	
V228	Month	Month	discrete	numeric	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V225	Agegrp	Age in 5 year groups	discrete	numeric	
V226	Pers_wgt	Population Weight	contin	numeric	
V227	Year	Year			

LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Content	
Cases	67711
Variable(s)	119
Structure	Type: Keys: ()
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V229	UqNr	Unique number	discrete	character	
V230	PersonNr	Person (respondent) number	contin	numeric	
V231	Prov	Province	discrete	numeric	
V232	Gender	Gender	discrete	numeric	
V233	Age	Age	discrete	numeric	
V234	Popgrp	Population group	discrete	numeric	
V235	Q13aHiEd	Highest education level	discrete	numeric	
V236	Q13bArea	Study field	discrete	numeric	
V237	Q14SklTr	Skills training	discrete	numeric	
V238	Q20SelfR	Person responding	discrete	numeric	
V239	Q21aOwnB	Own business	discrete	numeric	
V240	Q21bPaid	Paid work	discrete	numeric	
V241	Q21cDome	Domestic work	discrete	numeric	
V242	Q21dUnPd	Unpaid work	discrete	numeric	
V243	Q21eFarm	Farm work	discrete	numeric	
V244	Q21fCons	Construction or major repair work	discrete	numeric	
V245	Q21gCtch	Catch food	discrete	numeric	
V246	Q21hBeg	Beg for money of food	discrete	numeric	
V247	Q22HaveW	Have work	discrete	numeric	
V248	Q23rsnab	Main reason for absence from activity	discrete	numeric	
V249	Q24Start	Start working	discrete	numeric	
V250	Q31YnotW	Reason for not working	discrete	numeric	
V251	Q32JobOf	Any job offered	discrete	numeric	
V252	Q33WrkRe	Knowledge of available job	discrete	numeric	
V253	Q34whyno	Not willing to work	discrete	numeric	
V254	Q35Accep	Accept a job	discrete	numeric	
V255	Q36WhnSt	When able to start job	discrete	numeric	
V256	Q37LookW	Look for work	discrete	numeric	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V257	Q37BgnBu	Start business	discrete	numeric	
V258	Q38Seekhh	Steps taken to look for work	discrete	numeric	
V259	Q39TimSee	Time seeking work	discrete	numeric	
V260	Q310RsnN	Why not look for work	discrete	numeric	
V261	Q311Ever	Ever worked	discrete	numeric	
V262	Q312TmGa	Time since last worked	discrete	numeric	
V263	Q313Occu	Kind of work done	contin	numeric	
V264	Q314Indu	Goods and service produced	contin	numeric	
V265	Q315OddJ	Support from odd jobs	discrete	numeric	
V266	Q315inHH	Support from persons in the household	discrete	numeric	
V267	Q315notH	Support from persons not in household	discrete	numeric	
V268	Q315Char	Support from charity, church, welfare,etc	discrete	numeric	
V269	Q315UIFS	Support from unemployment insurance fund	discrete	numeric	
V270	Q315Savi	Support from savings	discrete	numeric	
V271	Q315Pens	Support from old age/disability pension	discrete	numeric	
V272	Q315Othr	Support from other sources (bursary, study loan)	discrete	numeric	
V273	Q41Occup	Person's occupation or job title	contin	numeric	
V274	Q42Indus	Industry activity	discrete	numeric	
V275	Q43MWork	Main work	discrete	numeric	
V276	Q44NrEmp	Number of employers	discrete	numeric	
V277	Q45Years	Year commenced working	discrete	numeric	
V278	Q45MnthS	Month commenced working	discrete	numeric	
V279	Q46LengJ	Work status	discrete	numeric	
V280	Q47Tools	Tools and/or equipment	discrete	numeric	
V281	Q48WrtnC	Written contract	discrete	numeric	
V282	Q49Super	Supervision of work	discrete	numeric	
V283	Q410WhoP	Who pays	discrete	numeric	
V284	Q411Pens	Contribution to pension or retirement fund	discrete	numeric	
V285	Q412Leav	Paid leave	discrete	numeric	
V286	Q413TrdU	Trade union membership	discrete	numeric	
V287	Q414TypBb	Type of business	discrete	numeric	
V288	Q415aSal	Total salary pay	discrete	numeric	
V289	Q415bSal	Salary period	discrete	numeric	
V290	Q415cSal	Income categories	discrete	numeric	
V291	Q416NrWo	Number of regular workers	discrete	numeric	
V292	Q417aReg	Registered co. or close corporation	discrete	numeric	
V293	Q417bUIF	UIF Deductions	discrete	numeric	
V294	Q417cMed	Medical Aid or health insurance	discrete	numeric	
V295	Q417dVat	Registered for VAT	discrete	numeric	
V296	Q418Sect	Sector	discrete	numeric	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V297	Q419Locaa	Location	discrete	numeric	
V298	Q420aHrs	Hours worked past week (main activity)	discrete	numeric	
V299	Q420bHrs	Hours worked past week (other activities)	discrete	numeric	
V300	Q420cHrs	Hours worked past week (total)	discrete	numeric	
V301	Q421aHrs	Hours usually worked including overtime (main activity)	discrete	numeric	
V302	Q421bHrs	Hours usually worked including overtime (other activities)	discrete	numeric	
V303	Q421cHrs	Hours usually worked including overtime (total)	discrete	numeric	
V304	Q422Fixe	Flexible working hours	discrete	numeric	
V305	Q423More	Longer hours	discrete	numeric	
V306	Q424Star	Extra work	discrete	numeric	
V307	Q425look	Action to look for extra work	discrete	numeric	
V308	Q426Seekk	Activities done to look or prepare for extra work	discrete	numeric	
V309	Q427TypX	Type of work	discrete	numeric	
V310	Q51FarmA	Farming activity	discrete	numeric	
V311	Q52Mar03	Farming activity (March 2003)	discrete	numeric	
V312	Q52Apr03	Farming activity (April 2003)	discrete	numeric	
V313	Q52May03	Farming activity (May 2003)	discrete	numeric	
V314	Q52Jun03	Farming activity (June 2003)	discrete	numeric	
V315	Q52Jul03	Farming activity (July 2003)	discrete	numeric	
V316	Q52Aug03	Farming activity (August 2003)	discrete	numeric	
V317	Q52Sep03	Farming activity (September 2003)	discrete	numeric	
V318	Q52Oct03	Farming activity (October 2003)	discrete	numeric	
V319	Q52Nov03	Farming activity (November (2003)	discrete	numeric	
V320	Q52Dec03	Farming activity (December 2003)	discrete	numeric	
V321	Q52Jan04	Farming activity (January 2004)	discrete	numeric	
V322	Q52Feb04	Farming activity (February 2004)	discrete	numeric	
V323	Q53FarmW	Reason for farming	discrete	numeric	
V324	Q54Volun	Voluntary work	discrete	numeric	
V325	Q55aVday	Help the sick	discrete	numeric	
V326	Q55bMedC	Medical care	discrete	numeric	
V327	Q55cTrai	Provision of training	discrete	numeric	
V328	Q55dLawk	Law and order	discrete	numeric	
V329	Q55eComu	Maintenance of community resources	discrete	numeric	
V330	Q55fOrgE	Organise cultural events	discrete	numeric	
V331	Q55gColl	Collect money	discrete	numeric	
V332	Q55hFund	Fund raising	discrete	numeric	
V333	Q55iOthr	Other voluntary work	discrete	numeric	
V334	Sector	Employment Sector	discrete	numeric	
V335	Indus	Main industry	discrete	numeric	
V336	Occup	Main occupation	discrete	numeric	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V337	Indusp	Previous industry	discrete	numeric	
V338	Occuprev	Previous occupation	discrete	numeric	
V339	IncmGrp	Income group	discrete	numeric	
V340	Status1	Official employment status (new definition)	discrete	numeric	
V341	Status2	Expanded employment status (new definition)	discrete	numeric	
V342	Stratum	Stratum	discrete	numeric	
V343	PSU	Primary sampling unit	contin	numeric	
V344	Agegrp	Age in 5 year groups	discrete	numeric	
V345	Worker_wgt	Labour Force Weight	contin	numeric	
V346	Year	Year	discrete	numeric	
V347	Month	Month	discrete	numeric	

Unique number (UqNr)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 13

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Type of dwelling (main) (Q61MainD)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Type of dwelling (other) (Q61OthrD)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Roof material (Q62Roof)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Walls material (Q62Walls)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Roof condition (Q63RoofC)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Roof condition (Q63RoofC)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

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

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Walls condition (Q63WallC)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Ownership of dwelling (Q64Owner)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Rent paid by you (Q651paid)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-99999

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Rent subsidy (Q652Subs)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-99999

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Rent for external room (Q653Extr)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Rent for external room (Q653Extr)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-99999

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Total rent paid (Q654totr)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-99999

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Rent period (Q66RentP)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Rent includes electricty (Q67Elect)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Rent includes water (Q67Water)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Rent includes garage/parking space (Q67Garag)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Rent includes garage/parking space (Q67Garag)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

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

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Rent includes refuse removal (Q67Refus)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Rent includes other (Q67Other)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Rented dwelling furnished (Q68Furni)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Number of rooms in dwelling (Q69TotRm)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Type of living quarters (Q612typl)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Type of living quarters (Q612typl)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

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

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Stratum (Stratum)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-18

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Primary sampling unit (PSU)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 2
Range: 1011001-9312247

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 1011001
Maximum: 9312247
Mean: 5330197.4
Standard deviation: 2500093.8

Household Weight (House_wgt)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 2
Range: 6.9243-16851.27

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 6.9
Maximum: 16851.3
Mean: 459.3
Standard deviation: 398.5

Year (Year)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 2
Range: 2004-2004

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Month (Month)

File: LFS 2004_1 House_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 26829
Invalid: 0

Unique number (UqNr)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 13

Valid cases: 98256
Invalid: 0

Person (respondent) number (PersonNr)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 2
Range: 1-29

Valid cases: 98256
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 1
Maximum: 29
Mean: 3.2
Standard deviation: 2.3

Province (Prov)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 98256
Invalid: 0

Stayed Nights (B_4Night)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 98256
Invalid: 0

Stayed September 2003 (B_Sep03)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 98256
Invalid: 0

Gender (Gender)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Gender (Gender)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 98256
Invalid: 0

Age (Age)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-999

Valid cases: 98256
Invalid: 0

Population group (Popgrp)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 98256
Invalid: 0

Marital status (Q11aMari)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 98256
Invalid: 0

Spouse/partner (Q11bSpou)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 98256
Invalid: 0

Spouse number (Q11cPsnN)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 98256
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

Language (Q12HLang)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 98256
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

Highest education level (Q13aHiEd)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 98256
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-99	

Study field (Q13bArea)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 98256
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

Skills training (Q14SklTr)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 98256
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Length of training (Q15LngTrr)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 98256
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

Field of training (Q16FldTr)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 98256
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

Ability to read (Q17aRead)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 98256
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Ability to write (Q17bWrit)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 98256
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Education institution attended (Q18EduInn)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 98256
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Full/part-time schooling (Q19Fullp)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-9

Valid cases: 98256

Invalid: 0

Attending classes or distance learning (Q110DLrn)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-9

Valid cases: 98256

Invalid: 0

Fetching water (Q111FetW)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-9

Valid cases: 98256

Invalid: 0

Hours spent fetching water (Q112HrsW)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 98256

Invalid: 0

Fetching wood/dung (Q113FetD)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-9

Valid cases: 98256

Invalid: 0

Hours spent fetching wood/dung (Q114HrsD)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Hours spent fetching wood/dung (Q114HrsD)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 98256
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-99	

Stratum (Stratum)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 98256
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-18	

Primary sampling unit (PSU)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview	
Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 98256
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 10	Minimum: 1011001
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 9312247
Range: 1011001-9312247	Mean: 5331965.5
	Standard deviation: 2541222.5

Age in 5 year groups (Agegrp)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 98256
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

Population Weight (Pers_wgt)

File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview	
Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 98256
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 6.9
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 16851.3
Range: 6.9243-16851.27	Mean: 471.4
	Standard deviation: 380

Year (Year)
File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 2
Range: 2004-2004

Valid cases: 98256
Invalid: 0

Month (Month)
File: LFS 2004_1 Person_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 98256
Invalid: 0

Unique number (UqNr)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 13

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Person (respondent) number (PersonNr)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 2
Range: 1-27

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 1
Maximum: 27
Mean: 2.2
Standard deviation: 1.5

Province (Prov)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Gender (Gender)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Age (Age)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 0
Range: 15-999

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Population group (Popgrp)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Highest education level (Q13aHiEd)
File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Study field (Q13bArea)
File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Skills training (Q14SklTr)
File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Person responding (Q20SelfR)
File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Own business (Q21aOwnB)
File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Paid work (Q21bPaid)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Domestic work (Q21cDome)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Unpaid work (Q21dUnPd)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Farm work (Q21eFarm)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Construction or major repair work (Q21fCons)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Catch food (Q21gCtch)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Beg for money of food (Q21hBeg)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Have work (Q22HaveW)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Main reason for absence from activity (Q23rsnab)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Start working (Q24Start)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Reason for not working (Q31YnotW)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Any job offered (Q32JobOf)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Knowledge of available job (Q33WrkRe)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Not willing to work (Q34whyno)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Accept a job (Q35Accep)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

When able to start job (Q36WhnSt)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Look for work (Q37LookW)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Start business (Q37BgnBu)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Steps taken to look for work (Q38Seekhh)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

Time seeking work (Q39TimSee)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

Why not look for work (Q310RsnN)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

Ever worked (Q311Ever)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Time since last worked (Q312TmGa)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

Kind of work done (Q313Occu)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 4	Minimum: 850
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 9999
Range: 850-9999	Mean: 8575.7
	Standard deviation: 1216.9

Goods and service produced (Q314Indu)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	Minimum: 10
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 999
Range: 10-999	Mean: 783
	Standard deviation: 251.5

Support from odd jobs (Q315OddJ)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Support from persons in the household (Q315inHH)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Support from persons not in household (Q315notH)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Support from charity, church, welfare,etc (Q315Char)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Support from unemployment insurance fund (Q315UIFS)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Support from savings (Q315Savi)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Support from old age/disability pension (Q315Pens)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Support from other sources (bursary, study loan) (Q315Othr)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Person's occupation or job title (Q41Occup)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 4	Minimum: 850
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 9999
Range: 850-9999	Mean: 7994.2
	Standard deviation: 1994.1

Industry activity (Q42Indus)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 3
Decimals: 0
Range: 10-999

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Main work (Q43MWork)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Number of employers (Q44NrEmp)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Year commenced working (Q45Years)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 4
Decimals: 0
Range: 1943-9999

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Month commenced working (Q45MnthS)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Work status (Q46LengJ)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Tools and/or equipment (Q47Tools)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Written contract (Q48WrtnC)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Supervision of work (Q49Super)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Who pays (Q410WhoP)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Contribution to pension or retirement fund (Q411Pens)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Paid leave (Q412Leav)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Trade union membership (Q413TrdU)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Type of business (Q414TypBb)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

Total salary pay (Q415aSal)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 7	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 3-9999999	

Salary period (Q415bSal)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Income categories (Q415cSal)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Number of regular workers (Q416NrWo)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Registered co. or close corporation (Q417aReg)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

UIF Deductions (Q417bUIF)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Medical Aid or health insurance (Q417cMed)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Registered for VAT (Q417dVat)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Sector (Q418Sect)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Location (Q419Locaa)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

Hours worked past week (main activity) (Q420aHrs)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-999	

Hours worked past week (other activities) (Q420bHrs)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-999	

Hours worked past week (total) (Q420cHrs)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-999	

Hours usually worked including overtime (main activity) (Q421aHrs)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-999	

Hours usually worked including overtime (other activities) (Q421bHrs)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-999	

Hours usually worked including overtime (total) (Q421cHrs)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-999	

Flexible working hours (Q422Fixe)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Longer hours (Q423More)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Extra work (Q424Star)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Action to look for extra work (Q425look)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Activities done to look or prepare for extra work (Q426Seekk)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Type of work (Q427TypX)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Farming activity (Q51FarmA)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Farming activity (March 2003) (Q52Mar03)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Farming activity (April 2003) (Q52Apr03)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Farming activity (May 2003) (Q52May03)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Farming activity (June 2003) (Q52Jun03)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Farming activity (July 2003) (Q52Jul03)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Farming activity (August 2003) (Q52Aug03)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Farming activity (September 2003) (Q52Sep03)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Farming activity (October 2003) (Q52Oct03)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Farming activity (November (2003) (Q52Nov03)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Farming activity (November (2003) (Q52Nov03)
File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Farming activity (December 2003) (Q52Dec03)
File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Farming activity (January 2004) (Q52Jan04)
File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Farming activity (February 2004) (Q52Feb04)
File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Reason for farming (Q53FarmW)
File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 67711
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Voluntary work (Q54Volun)
File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	**Valid cases: 67711**
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Help the sick (Q55aVday)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	**Valid cases: 67711**
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Medical care (Q55bMedC)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	**Valid cases: 67711**
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Provision of training (Q55cTrai)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	**Valid cases: 67711**
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Law and order (Q55dLawk)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview	
Type: Discrete	**Valid cases: 67711**
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

Maintenance of community resources (Q55eComu)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Organise cultural events (Q55fOrgE)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Collect money (Q55gColl)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Fund raising (Q55hFund)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Other voluntary work (Q55iOthr)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Employment Sector (Sector)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Main industry (Indus)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Main occupation (Occup)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Previous industry (Indusp)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Previous occupation (Occuprev)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Income group (IncmGrp)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

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File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 67711

Invalid: 0

Official employment status (new definition) (Status1)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 0-2

Valid cases: 67711

Invalid: 0

Expanded employment status (new definition) (Status2)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 0-2

Valid cases: 67711

Invalid: 0

Stratum (Stratum)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-18

Valid cases: 67711

Invalid: 0

Primary sampling unit (PSU)

File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

Type: Continuous

Format: numeric

Width: 10

Decimals: 2

Range: 1011001-9312247

Valid cases: 67711

Invalid: 0

Minimum: 1011001

Maximum: 9312247

Mean: 5294958.8

Standard deviation: 2525380.1

Age in 5 year groups (Agegrp)
File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 0
Range: 4-99

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Labour Force Weight (Worker_wgt)
File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 2
Range: 6.9235-16956.65

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0
Minimum: 6.9
Maximum: 16956.7
Mean: 459.6
Standard deviation: 378

Year (Year)
File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 8
Decimals: 2
Range: 2004-2004

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

Month (Month)
File: LFS 2004_1 Worker_v2

Overview

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

Valid cases: 67711
Invalid: 0

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