

# Sri Lanka - Labour Force Survey - 2004

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## Identification

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SURVEY ID NUMBER  
LKA-DCS-LFS-2004-v1.0

TITLE  
Labour Force Survey - 2004

COUNTRY

Name	Country code
Sri Lanka	LKA

STUDY TYPE  
Labor Force Survey [hh/lfs]

SERIES INFORMATION

Sri Lanka Labour Force Survey (LFS) was designed to measure the levels and trends of employment, unemployment and labour force in Sri Lanka.

Since 1990, the survey is being conducted quarterly. 2004 is the fifteenth successive year in which the survey has been repeated.

Amongst other figures, Provincial level estimates are taken from the Annual LFS 2004 data file which is a combination of all the four quarterly files processed for the year 2004.

ABSTRACT

The employment/unemployment data are required at very short intervals to monitor the program made in the employment generating policies of the government. To satisfy this need, Sri Lanka Labour Force Survey was designed as a quarterly basis survey to measure the levels and trends of employment, unemployment and labour force in Sri Lanka. Thus the survey is repeated four times each year since the first quarter of 1990.

Key objectives of the survey

- To study the economically active / inactive population.
- To analyze employment by major industry group and employment status.
- To determine unemployment rates by level of education and by age group
- To study the informal sector employment.
- To determine the underemployment rates by sector and by major industries

KIND OF DATA

Sample survey data [ssd]

UNIT OF ANALYSIS

Individuals from the population aged 10 years or more

## Version

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VERSION DESCRIPTION

v1.0: Full edited dataset, original version for internal DPD use.

VERSION DATE  
2008-04-30

## Scope

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NOTES

The scope of LFS 2004 includes the following key sections:-

- 1). Identification Information
- 2). Control Data
- 3). Personal Information
- 4). Information on Labour Force

Identification and Personal Information are as follows:-

#### Identification Information

- Address, Province, District, D.S. Division, G. N. Division, Sector, Name of MC/UC/PS
- Name of Ward/Village/Estate, Census Block Number, Sample Reference Number
- Survey Quarter, Number of households, Name of the Head of the household
- Identifications of Interviewers & Supervising Officers

#### Personal Information

- Relationship to Head of Household, Gender, Age, Ethnic Group, Religion, Marital Status
- Educational Attainment, Attendance at Schooling or other Educational Institution
- Professional / Technical Training, Persons who are working abroad

#### TOPICS

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Vocabulary</b>	<b>URI</b>
LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT [3]	CESSDA	<a href="#">Link</a>

## Coverage

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#### GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

National coverage.

#### UNIVERSE

Working age population (10 years and above) living in the non-institutional households in Sri Lanka

## Producers and sponsors

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#### PRIMARY INVESTIGATORS

<b>Name</b>	<b>Affiliation</b>
Department of Census and Statistics	Ministry of Finance and Planning

#### OTHER IDENTIFICATIONS/ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

## Sampling

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#### SAMPLING PROCEDURE

The Survey is conducted quarterly to produce estimates of employment, unemployment, labour force participation and basic demographic characteristics. The scope of coverage includes all households in Sri Lanka.

The list of housing units created for Population Census - 2001 were taken as sample frame. Sample lists were selected from the above frame taken as Primary Sampling Unit (PSU). A systematic Sample of 10 housing units per PSU was selected on final sampling units.

The total annual sample size is 16,000 housing units, distributed as 400 PSUs per each quarter and 10 housing units (SSUs) per PSU. The allocation to the domains aims at ensuring approximately equal of reliability from domain to domain.

The 1600 Census Block were selected by PPS systematic Sampling. A listing operation was conducted in each selected PSU to provide a frame for the second stage of selection. The selection of housing units within PSU was systematic with random start.

#### DEVIATIONS FROM THE SAMPLE DESIGN

Even though the survey covers all Districts in the island, in the year 2004, due to some defects observed in the sampling

frame, absolute estimates for Mullaitivu and Kilinochchi Districts have not been published in the report

## Data Collection

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### DATES OF DATA COLLECTION

Start	End	Cycle
2004-01-01	2004-12-31	12 months

### DATA COLLECTION MODE

Face-to-face [f2f]

### DATA COLLECTION NOTES

Data are collected quarterly during a similar time period (eg every third week of the quarter) in each quarter through a scientifically selected sample designed to represent the non-institutional household population. About 4000 households are visited each quarter. Respondents are interviewed to obtain information about each member of the household whose age is 10 years or over.

The inquiry relates to the previous calendar week of the interview to obtain "current" information, and to the previous 12 calendar months to obtain "usual" activity information.

[Inmates of institutions, military camps, and lodgings are not surveyed. Households with more than 5 lodgers and boarders were excluded from the survey.]

### DATA COLLECTORS

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation
Department of Census and Statistics	DCS	Ministry of Finance and Planning

## Questionnaires

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### QUESTIONNAIRES

The questionnaire covered questions under four main headings such as

Identification Information

Control data

Personal Information

Labour force Information

Questions common to all employed persons

Current survey concepts and methods are very similar to those introduced at the beginning of the survey in 1990. However, some changes have been made over the years to improve the accuracy and usefulness of the data. [Questionnaire is attached in the External Resources section].

## Access policy

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Department of Census and Statistics	DCS	Minstry of Finance & Planning	Data Collection

## DATE OF METADATA PRODUCTION

2008-04-30

## DDI DOCUMENT VERSION

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## Data Dictionary

Data file	Cases	Variables
<b>LF2004-Final Dataest</b> This file contains the data related to the Labour Force Survey questionnaire 2004.	90627	89



**Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest**

This file contains the data related to the Labour Force Survey questionnaire 2004.

Cases: 90627

Variables: 89

**Variables**

ID	Name	Label	Question
V8433	RECD	Record Type	
V8344	YEAR	Year	
V8345	MONTH	Month	
V8346	SECTOR	Sector	
V8347	DISTRICT	District	
V8348	PSU_NO	Primary Sample Unit Number	
V8349	HH_NO	Household Serial Number	
V8350	BLANK	Blank	
V8351	RES_1	Result code - visit 1	
V8352	RES_2	Result code - visit 2	
V8353	RES_3	Result code - visit 3	
V8354	TIME_1	Time taken - visit 1 (minutes)	
V8355	TIME_2	Time taken - visit 2 (minutes)	
V8356	TIME_3	Time taken - visit 3 (minutes)	
V8357	QQ4	No. of Housing Units (Consolidated)	If the housing unit is consolidated, Number of H. U's listed for this unit
V8358	QQ5	No. of Housing Units (Devided)	If the housing unit is devided, Number of H. U's in this unit at present
V8359	QQ6	Final Result Code	
V8360	P1	Person's Line Number	
V8361	P3	Relationship to the Head	
V8362	P4	Sex	
V8363	P5	Age (as at last birthdate)	
V8364	P6	Ethnic Group	
V8365	P7	Religion	
V8366	P8	Marital Status	
V8367	P10	P10	
V8368	P11	Educational Attainment	
V8369	P12	Current Educational Status	
V8370	P13	Did you have Voc/Tech Training?	
V8371	TEMP_1	Type of Training	
V8372	P15	Code for training obtained	
V8373	P16	Formal or informal Training?	
V8374	P17	Duration (in months)	
V8375	P18	Reason for going abroad?	
V8376	P19	Year leaving the country	

ID	Name	Label	Question
V8377	P20	Country of Employment	
V8378	P22	Occupation code	
V8379	P23	Duration (in months)	
V8380	Q2	Did S(He) do any work last week?	Did S(He) do any work for pay, profit or family gain last week?
V8381	Q3	Did S(He) do not work last week?	Did S(He) have a job or enterprise at which S(He) did not work last week?
V8382	Q4	Past week was S(He) available?	
V8383	Q5	If available, could S(He) have taken a job last week?	
V8384	Q6	Why couldn't S(He) work last week?	
V8385	Q7	Why was S(He) not available or looking for a job?	
V8386	Q8	Why not work last week?	
V8387	Q9A	Nature of work - Industry	
V8388	Q9B	Nature of work - Occupation	
V8389	Q9C	Sector	
V8390	Q9D	Status	
V8391	Q9E	Daily paid worker?	
V8392	Q10	Shift worker	
V8393	Q11Y	Service Period - Years	How long have you been with the current employer, firm or in self employment? (Years)
V8394	Q11M	Service Period - Months	How long have you been with the current employer, firm or in self employment? (Months)
V8395	Q12Y	This occupation period - Years	How long S(He) been working at this occupation (Years)?
V8396	Q12M	This occupation period - Months	How long S(He) been working at this occupation (Months)?
V8397	Q13	Hours worked per week?	No. of hours usually worked per week at this job?
V8398	Q14	Hours worked last week?	No. of hours actually worked last week at this job?
V8399	Q16	Working less than usual hours?	
V8400	Q17	Did S(He) do secondary work?	
V8401	Q18A	Nature of secondary work-industry	
V8402	Q18B	Nature of secondary work-occupation	
V8403	Q18C	Nature of secondary work-sector	
V8404	Q18D	Nature of secondary work-status	
V8405	Q19Y	Duration engaged (Years)	
V8406	Q19M	Duration engaged (Months)	
V8407	Q20	No. of hours actuall worked-last week	
V8408	Q21	Available for additional work?	
V8409	Q22	Looking for alternative work?	
V8410	Q23	What kind of work expected?	
V8411	Q24	Expected lowest wage (Rs.)	
V8412	Q25	Monthly, Weekly or Daily wage?	
V8413	Q26	Prefered employment?	
V8414	Q27	What steps S(He) has taken to search a job?	

ID	Name	Label	Question
V8415	Q28	Why not seeking employment?	
V8416	Q29	Did S(He) ever have a job?	
V8417	Q30	Job lasting two or more weeks?	When was the last time S(He) had a job lasting two or more weeks?
V8418	Q31	What kind of work	
V8419	Q32	Source of assistance?	
V8420	Q33	Did S(He) do any work?	During the past 12 months did S(He) do any work for pay, profit or fsmily gain?
V8421	Q34	Total no. of weeks worked during the year	
V8422	Q36	was S(He) available for work last year?	
V8423	Q37	Total no of weeks s(he) available, last year?	
V8424	Q38	The staus of the person	
V8425	Q39	Was S(He) an employed inthe main occupation?	
V8426	Q40A	Last month earnings( Rs. )	
V8427	Q40B	Any payment in kind?	
V8428	Q41	An employee in the secondsry activity?	
V8429	Q42A	Earnings from secondary activity?	
V8430	Q42B	Any payment in kind(secondry)?	
V8431	INFLATION_FACTOR	Inflation Factor	

Total: 89



**YEAR: Year****Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest****Overview**

Valid: 90627   Invalid: 0   Minimum: 4   Maximum: 14  
 Type: Discrete   Decimal: 0   Width: 2   Range: 4 - 4   Format: Numeric

**Questions and instructions****CATEGORIES**

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
4		90623	100%
14		4	0%

**MONTH: Month****Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest****Overview**

Valid: 90627   Invalid: 0   Minimum: 1   Maximum: 12  
 Type: Discrete   Decimal: 0   Width: 2   Range: 1 - 11   Format: Numeric

**Questions and instructions****CATEGORIES**

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
1	January	7571	8.4%
2	February	7516	8.3%
3	March	7264	8%
4	April	7702	8.5%
5	May	7849	8.7%
6	June	7565	8.3%
7	July	7900	8.7%
8	August	7950	8.8%
9	September	7429	8.2%
10	October	7829	8.6%
11	November	7416	8.2%
12	December	6636	7.3%

**SECTOR: Sector****Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest**

## Overview

Valid: 90627 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 3  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
1	Urban	19797	21.8%
2	Rural	63262	69.8%
3	Estate	7568	8.4%

## DISTRICT: District

### Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

## Overview

Valid: 90627 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 11 Maximum: 92  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 11 - 92 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
11	Colombo	7031	7.8%
12	Gampaha	7318	8.1%
13	Kalutara	4734	5.2%
21	Kandy	5501	6.1%
22	Matale	2238	2.5%
23	Nuwara Eliya	3720	4.1%
31	Galle	5487	6.1%
32	Matara	4352	4.8%
33	Hambantota	2588	2.9%
41	Jaffna	5880	6.5%
42	Mannar	1528	1.7%
43		1293	1.4%
51	Batticloa	1718	1.9%
52	Ampara	2438	2.7%
53	Trincomalee	1213	1.3%
61	Kurunegala	7253	8%
62	Puttalam	4019	4.4%

71	Anuradhapura	4167	4.6%
72	Polonnaruwa	1648	1.8%
81	Badulla	5208	5.7%
82	Moneragala	1497	1.7%
91	Ratnapura	5787	6.4%
92	Kegalle	4009	4.4%

## PSU\_NO: Primary Sample Unit Number

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 90627 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 212  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 194 Format: Numeric

## HH\_NO: Household Serial Number

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 90627 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 878  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 172 Format: Numeric

## BLANK: Blank

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 90029 Invalid: 598 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 43  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 15 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		21670	24.1%
2		20364	22.6%
3		18100	20.1%
4		14020	15.6%
5		8393	9.3%
6		4104	4.6%
7		1838	2%
8		809	0.9%

9		374	0.4%
10		165	0.2%
11		83	0.1%
12		41	0%
13		21	0%
14		12	0%
15		10	0%
16		5	0%
17		5	0%
18		4	0%
19		4	0%
20		3	0%
21		2	0%
22		1	0%
43		1	0%
Sysmiss		598	

## RES\_1: Result code - visit 1

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 90627   Invalid: 0   Minimum: 1   Maximum: 8  
 Type: Discrete   Decimal: 0   Width: 1   Range: 1 - 7   Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Completed	80354	88.7%
2	Deferred	1913	2.1%
3	Ineligible	138	0.2%
4	No competent responded at home	3250	3.6%
5	Refused	65	0.1%
6	Housing unit is temporarily closed	4732	5.2%
7	Other	174	0.2%
8		1	0%

## RES\_2: Result code - visit 2

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 136 Invalid: 90491 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 7  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 7 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Completed	5	3.7%
2	Deferred	38	27.9%
3	Ineligible	0	0%
4	No competent responded at home	30	22.1%
5	Refused	0	0%
6	Housing unit is temporarily closed	49	36%
7	Other	14	10.3%
Sysmiss		90491	

## RECD: Record Type

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 90627 Invalid: 0  
 Type: Discrete Width: 1 Range: - Format: character

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		90627	100%

## RES\_3: Result code - visit 3

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 201 Invalid: 90426 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 7  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 6 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
1	Completed	151	75.1%
2	Deferred	11	5.5%
3	Ineligible	10	5%
4	No competent responded at home	17	8.5%
5	Refused	7	3.5%
6	Housing unit is temporarily closed	0	0%
7	Other	5	2.5%
Sysmiss		90426	

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### TIME\_1: Time taken - visit 1 (minutes)

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

#### Overview

Valid: 88570 Invalid: 2057 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 99  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 99 Format: Numeric

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### TIME\_2: Time taken - visit 2 (minutes)

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

#### Overview

Valid: 154 Invalid: 90473 Minimum: 2 Maximum: 50  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 90 Format: Numeric

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### TIME\_3: Time taken - visit 3 (minutes)

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

#### Overview

Valid: 1247 Invalid: 89380 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 99  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 99 Format: Numeric

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### QQ4: No. of Housing Units (Consolidated)

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

#### Overview

Valid: 82107 Invalid: 8520 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 5  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 2 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### LITERAL QUESTION

If the housing unit is consolidated,  
Number of H. U's listed for this unit

### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		75313	91.7%
1		6690	8.1%
2		79	0.1%
3		13	0%
5		12	0%
Sysmiss		8520	

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## QQ5: No. of Housing Units (Devided)

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 7403 Invalid: 83224 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 30  
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 2 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### LITERAL QUESTION

If the housing unit is devided,  
Number of H. U's in this unit at present

### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		13	0.2%
1		6764	91.4%
2		64	0.9%
3		6	0.1%
10		548	7.4%
20		7	0.1%
30		1	0%
Sysmiss		83224	

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## QQ6: Final Result Code

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

## Overview

Valid: 77823 Invalid: 12804 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 4  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 1 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		6	0%
1		77806	100%
2		6	0%
4		5	0%
Sysmiss		12804	

## P1: Person's Line Number

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

## Overview

Valid: 84071 Invalid: 6556 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 30  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 15 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		21838	26%
2		20258	24.1%
3		14732	17.5%
4		10123	12%
5		5659	6.7%
6		2710	3.2%
7		1161	1.4%
8		462	0.5%
9		209	0.2%
10		6752	8%
11		99	0.1%
12		19	0%
13		11	0%
14		5	0%
15		6	0%

16		3	0%
17		3	0%
18		2	0%
19		3	0%
20		10	0%
21		1	0%
22		1	0%
30		4	0%
Sysmiss		6556	

## P3: Relationship to the Head

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 84080 Invalid: 6547 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 9  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		71	0.1%
1	Head of the Household	22344	26.6%
2	Wife/Husband	16286	19.4%
3	Son/Daughter	31906	37.9%
4	Parents	3483	4.1%
5	Other Relative	8596	10.2%
6	Domestic Servant	737	0.9%
7	Boarder	387	0.5%
8		135	0.2%
9	Other	135	0.2%
Sysmiss		6547	

## P4: Sex

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 90503 Invalid: 124 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 9  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
1	Male	44321	49%
2	Female	39876	44.1%
3		5157	5.7%
4		33	0%
5		1101	1.2%
6		6	0%
7		3	0%
9		6	0%
Sysmiss		124	

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## P5: Age (as at last birthdate)

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 90510   Invalid: 117   Minimum: 2   Maximum: 99  
 Type: Discrete   Decimal: 0   Width: 2   Range: 0 - 98   Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
2		92	0.1%
3		1458	1.6%
4		2068	2.3%
5		1750	1.9%
6		998	1.1%
7		624	0.7%
8		474	0.5%
9		446	0.5%
10		5017	5.5%
11		1661	1.8%
12		1907	2.1%
13		1817	2%
14		1865	2.1%
15		1680	1.9%

16	1851	2%
17	1697	1.9%
18	1775	2%
19	1588	1.8%
20	4792	5.3%
21	1445	1.6%
22	1784	2%
23	1608	1.8%
24	1786	2%
25	1412	1.6%
26	1465	1.6%
27	1343	1.5%
28	1395	1.5%
29	1128	1.2%
30	1569	1.7%
31	1018	1.1%
32	1469	1.6%
33	1223	1.4%
34	1322	1.5%
35	1455	1.6%
36	1198	1.3%
37	1102	1.2%
38	1549	1.7%
39	1046	1.2%
40	1677	1.9%
41	872	1%
42	1592	1.8%
43	1142	1.3%
44	1164	1.3%
45	1359	1.5%
46	980	1.1%
47	943	1%
48	1426	1.6%
49	924	1%
50	1448	1.6%
51	756	0.8%
52	1347	1.5%
53	1022	1.1%
54	1015	1.1%

55		1188	1.3%
56		814	0.9%
57		657	0.7%
58		789	0.9%
59		485	0.5%
60		1079	1.2%
61		346	0.4%
62		619	0.7%
63		457	0.5%
64		422	0.5%
65		930	1%
66		323	0.4%
67		363	0.4%
68		446	0.5%
69		255	0.3%
70		698	0.8%
71		172	0.2%
72		382	0.4%
73		242	0.3%
74		242	0.3%
75		425	0.5%
76		211	0.2%
77		112	0.1%
78		188	0.2%
79		88	0.1%
80		318	0.4%
81		53	0.1%
82		108	0.1%
83		76	0.1%
84		63	0.1%
85		130	0.1%
86		53	0.1%
87		46	0.1%
88		35	0%
89		24	0%
90		44	0%
91		10	0%
92		10	0%
93		12	0%

94		11	0%
95		20	0%
96		5	0%
97		1	0%
98		4	0%
99		10	0%
Sysmiss		117	

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## P6: Ethnic Group

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 90510 Invalid: 117 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 9  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		49	0.1%
1	Sinhala	54431	60.1%
2	Sri Lanka Tamil	11548	12.8%
3	Indian Tamil	9319	10.3%
4	Sri Lanka Moor	6381	7.1%
5	Malay	3415	3.8%
6	Burgher	1214	1.3%
7		1287	1.4%
8		1387	1.5%
9	Other	1479	1.6%
Sysmiss		117	

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## P7: Religion

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 90510 Invalid: 117 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 9  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
1	Buddhist	59093	65.3%
2	Hindu	17738	19.6%
3	Muslim	7092	7.8%
4	Catholic or Christian	6460	7.1%
5		78	0.1%
6		19	0%
7		11	0%
8		7	0%
9	Other	12	0%
Sysmiss		117	

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## P8: Marital Status

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 90510    Invalid: 117    Minimum: 0    Maximum: 6  
 Type: Discrete    Decimal: 0    Width: 1    Range: 1 - 5    Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

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### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
0		6918	7.6%
1	Never Married	34288	37.9%
2	Married	42152	46.6%
3	Widowed	5986	6.6%
4	Divorced	643	0.7%
5	Separated	522	0.6%
6		1	0%
Sysmiss		117	

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## P10: P10

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

## Overview

Valid: 90510 Invalid: 117 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 99  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 11 - 92 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
1		735	0.8%
2		108	0.1%
3		89	0.1%
4		141	0.2%
5		1	0%
9		1	0%
11		8258	9.1%
12		6208	6.9%
13		4884	5.4%
14		784	0.9%
15		520	0.6%
16		790	0.9%
17		361	0.4%
18		500	0.6%
19		645	0.7%
21		6466	7.1%
22		2104	2.3%
23		3563	3.9%
24		159	0.2%
25		5	0%
26		9	0%
28		1	0%
29		1	0%
31		6199	6.8%
32		4713	5.2%
33		2459	2.7%
34		193	0.2%
35		4	0%
36		1	0%
39		2	0%
41		6851	7.6%
42		1379	1.5%

43		761	0.8%
44		288	0.3%
45		111	0.1%
46		2	0%
49		1	0%
51		1442	1.6%
52		1654	1.8%
53		940	1%
61		6371	7%
62		2725	3%
71		2869	3.2%
72		931	1%
81		4442	4.9%
82		1058	1.2%
91		5000	5.5%
92		3760	4.2%
99		21	0%
Sysmiss		117	

## P11: Educational Attainment

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 90510 Invalid: 117 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 91  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 19 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Studying/Studied Grade 1	3503	3.9%
1	Passed Grade 1	768	0.8%
2	Passed Grade 2	2037	2.3%
3	Passed Grade 3	2303	2.5%
4	Passed Grade 4	3699	4.1%
5	Passed Grade 5	5718	6.3%
6	Passed Grade 6	4149	4.6%
7	Passed Grade 7	4329	4.8%
8	Passed Grade 8	6185	6.8%

9	Passed Grade 9	4600	5.1%
10	Passed Grade 10	19719	21.8%
11		13660	15.1%
12	Passed grade 12	2827	3.1%
13	Passed G.C.E.(A/L) / H.N.C.E	6671	7.4%
14	Passed G.A.Q./G.S.Q.	177	0.2%
15	Degree	959	1.1%
16	Post Graduate Degree/Diploma	230	0.3%
17		10	0%
18		5	0%
19	No Schooling	3300	3.6%
20		1844	2%
21		1376	1.5%
22		2	0%
23		3	0%
30		878	1%
31		1000	1.1%
32		1	0%
33		1	0%
40		12	0%
41		505	0.6%
42		1	0%
50		12	0%
51		4	0%
52		3	0%
53		1	0%
62		3	0%
71		2	0%
81		2	0%
82		3	0%
90		4	0%
91		4	0%
Sysmiss		117	

## P12: Current Educational Status

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 90510   Invalid: 117   Minimum: 0   Maximum: 9

Type: Discrete   Decimal: 0   Width: 1   Range: 1 - 5   Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
0		8237	9.1%
1	School	16522	18.3%
2	University	2752	3%
3	Other Educational Institution	2673	3%
4	Vocational/Technical Institution	1440	1.6%
5	Does not attend	55786	61.6%
6		916	1%
7		462	0.5%
8		483	0.5%
9		1239	1.4%
Sysmiss		117	

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## P13: Did you have Voc/Tech Training?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 90510   Invalid: 117   Minimum: 0   Maximum: 9  
 Type: Discrete   Decimal: 0   Width: 1   Range: 1 - 2   Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
0		7412	8.2%
1	Yes	16664	18.4%
2	No	64769	71.6%
3		1117	1.2%
4		13	0%
5		518	0.6%
6		1	0%
9		16	0%
Sysmiss		117	

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**TEMP\_1: Type of Training****Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest****Overview**

Valid: 8431   Invalid: 82196   Minimum: 1   Maximum: 99  
 Type: Discrete   Decimal: 0   Width: 2   Range: 1 - 99   Format: Numeric

**Questions and instructions****CATEGORIES**

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
1		23	0.3%
2		31	0.4%
3		2	0%
4		5	0.1%
5		1	0%
6		5	0.1%
7		2	0%
8		1	0%
9		4	0%
10		26	0.3%
11		12	0.1%
12		5	0.1%
13		11	0.1%
14		23	0.3%
15		7	0.1%
16		11	0.1%
17		1	0%
19		14	0.2%
20		1	0%
21		1	0%
22		1	0%
23		61	0.7%
24		88	1%
26		156	1.9%
27		16	0.2%
28		17	0.2%
29		25	0.3%
30		17	0.2%
31		11	0.1%
32		32	0.4%

33		28	0.3%
34		56	0.7%
35		13	0.2%
36		1	0%
37		9	0.1%
38		8	0.1%
39		73	0.9%
40		33	0.4%
41		149	1.8%
42		1	0%
43		3	0%
44		5	0.1%
45		19	0.2%
46		8	0.1%
49		31	0.4%
50		309	3.7%
51		39	0.5%
52		227	2.7%
53		152	1.8%
54		39	0.5%
55		5	0.1%
56		282	3.3%
57		305	3.6%
58		13	0.2%
59		41	0.5%
60		6	0.1%
61		111	1.3%
62		115	1.4%
63		19	0.2%
64		17	0.2%
65		13	0.2%
66		105	1.2%
67		7	0.1%
68		2	0%
69		312	3.7%
70		56	0.7%
71		679	8.1%
72		17	0.2%
73		1662	19.7%

74		29	0.3%
75		10	0.1%
76		82	1%
77		893	10.6%
78		56	0.7%
79		304	3.6%
80		22	0.3%
81		10	0.1%
82		9	0.1%
83		35	0.4%
84		190	2.3%
85		63	0.7%
86		114	1.4%
87		6	0.1%
88		64	0.8%
89		182	2.2%
90		1	0%
91		16	0.2%
92		11	0.1%
93		8	0.1%
94		18	0.2%
99		728	8.6%
Sysmiss		82196	

## P15: Code for training obtained

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 1    Invalid: 90626    Minimum: 0    Maximum: 0  
 Type: Discrete    Decimal: 0    Width: 2    Range: -    Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		1	100%
Sysmiss		90626	

## P16: Formal or informal Training?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 8428 Invalid: 82199 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 2  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Formal	6591	78.2%
2	Informal	1837	21.8%
Sysmiss		82199	

## P17: Duration (in months)

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 8428 Invalid: 82199 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 99  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 99 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		9	0.1%
1		205	2.4%
2		197	2.3%
3		968	11.5%
4		166	2%
5		49	0.6%
6		2291	27.2%
7		19	0.2%
8		111	1.3%
9		68	0.8%
10		75	0.9%
11		6	0.1%
12		1801	21.4%
13		12	0.1%
14		10	0.1%

15		15	0.2%
16		31	0.4%
17		2	0%
18		209	2.5%
19		4	0%
20		14	0.2%
21		4	0%
22		2	0%
23		3	0%
24		1114	13.2%
25		1	0%
26		11	0.1%
27		2	0%
28		3	0%
29		2	0%
30		31	0.4%
33		3	0%
34		1	0%
35		2	0%
36		673	8%
39		2	0%
42		6	0.1%
43		1	0%
48		196	2.3%
49		1	0%
50		2	0%
54		2	0%
60		69	0.8%
64		1	0%
66		2	0%
67		1	0%
72		17	0.2%
80		2	0%
84		5	0.1%
92		1	0%
96		2	0%
99		4	0%
Sysmiss		82199	

## P18: Reason for going abroad?

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 0    Invalid: 90627  
 Type: Discrete    Decimal: 0    Width: 1    Range: -    Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category
Sysmiss	

### Description

#### UNIVERSE

Members who are presently abroad

## P19: Year leaving the country

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 0    Invalid: 90627  
 Type: Discrete    Decimal: 0    Width: 4    Range: -    Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category
Sysmiss	

### Description

#### UNIVERSE

Members who are presently abroad

## P20: Country of Employment

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 0    Invalid: 90627

Type: Discrete    Decimal: 0    Width: 2    Range: -    Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### CATEGORIES

Value	Category
Sysmiss	

## Description

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### UNIVERSE

Members who are presently abroad and working

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## P22: Occupation code

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 0    Invalid: 90627

Type: Discrete    Decimal: 0    Width: 4    Range: -    Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### CATEGORIES

Value	Category
Sysmiss	

## Description

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### UNIVERSE

Members who are presently abroad and working

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## P23: Duration (in months)

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 0    Invalid: 90627

Type: Discrete    Decimal: 0    Width: 2    Range: -    Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### CATEGORIES

Value	Category

Sysmiss

## Description

### UNIVERSE

Members who are presently abroad and working

## Q2: Did S(He) do any work last week?

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 42844 Invalid: 47783 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 2  
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### LITERAL QUESTION

Did S(He) do any work for pay, profit or family gain last week?

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	1	0%
2	No	42843	100%
Sysmiss		47783	

## Q3: Did S(He) do not work last week?

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 44058 Invalid: 46569 Minimum: 2 Maximum: 5  
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### LITERAL QUESTION

Did S(He) have a job or enterprise at which S(He) did not work last week?

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	0	0%
2	No	44057	100%
5		1	0%
Sysmiss		46569	

## Q4: Past week was S(He) available?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 76252 Invalid: 14375 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 2  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	36503	47.9%
2	No	39749	52.1%
Sysmiss		14375	

## Q5: If available, could S(He) have taken a job last week?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 11 Invalid: 90616 Minimum: 2 Maximum: 2  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	0	0%
2	No	11	100%
Sysmiss		90616	

## Q6: Why couldn't S(He) work last week?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 17 Invalid: 90610 Minimum: 2 Maximum: 5  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 5 - 5 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
1	Already has a job	0	0%
2	Temporary illness	6	35.3%
3	Going to school	0	0%
4	Family responsibilities	0	0%
5	Other	11	64.7%
Sysmiss		90610	

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## Q7: Why was S(He) not available or looking for a job?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 42843 Invalid: 47784 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 6  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 6 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
1	Studies	18494	43.2%
2	Household work	15565	36.3%
3	Retirement,old age	5861	13.7%
4	Infirmity, Disability	1139	2.7%
5	Not interesting in having a job	1075	2.5%
6	Other	709	1.7%
Sysmiss		47784	

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## Q8: Why not work last week?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 1215 Invalid: 89412 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 9  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
1	Illness or Injury	270	22.2%
2	Strike	15	1.2%

3	Holiday, Vacation or Leave	325	26.7%
4	Reducion in economic activity	81	6.7%
5	Bad weather	137	11.3%
6	Mechanical or Electrical failure	121	10%
7		8	0.7%
8	Short of raw material	12	1%
9	9	246	20.2%
Sysmiss		89412	

## Q9A: Nature of work - Industry

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 33411 Invalid: 57216 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 9999  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 0 - 9999 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		32	0.1%
110		2	0%
111		2940	8.8%
112		28	0.1%
119		85	0.3%
121		24	0.1%
122		41	0.1%
129		7	0%
131		6	0%
133		22	0.1%
139		1	0%
141		6	0%
142		12	0%
149		5	0%
151		7	0%
152		34	0.1%
159		7	0%
161		1786	5.3%
162		12	0%

171		21	0.1%
172		1	0%
179		3	0%
190		257	0.8%
192		1	0%
211		3421	10.2%
212		508	1.5%
213		261	0.8%
214		4	0%
215		3	0%
219		37	0.1%
221		125	0.4%
222		13	0%
223		23	0.1%
224		20	0.1%
229		65	0.2%
231		101	0.3%
232		15	0%
233		1	0%
234		1	0%
239		4	0%
311		23	0.1%
313		8	0%
411		154	0.5%
412		13	0%
413		3	0%
414		117	0.4%
415		1	0%
419		57	0.2%
420		7	0%
432		6	0%
434		14	0%
439		76	0.2%
501		9	0%
502		41	0.1%
503		19	0.1%
504		1	0%
506		9	0%
601		505	1.5%

602		12	0%
603		96	0.3%
606		4	0%
607		3	0%
608		1	0%
609		18	0.1%
1051		1	0%
1314		3	0%
1411		2	0%
1412		112	0.3%
1413		46	0.1%
1414		4	0%
1415		9	0%
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## Q9B: Nature of work - Occupation

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

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### Questions and instructions

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9322		482	1.4%
9323		1	0%
9331		58	0.2%
9332		11	0%
9333		4	0%
9339		4	0%
9340		1	0%
9341		1491	4.5%
9342		1	0%
9371		1	0%
9411		19	0.1%
9600		1	0%
9641		1	0%
Sysmiss		57216	

## Q9C: Sector

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 33410 Invalid: 57217 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 4  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		1	0%
1	Public	4875	14.6%
2	Private	28533	85.4%
4		1	0%
Sysmiss		57217	

## Q9D: Status

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

## Overview

Valid: 33410 Invalid: 57217 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 4  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 4 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Employee	19966	59.8%
2	Employer	1101	3.3%
3	Own account worker	9331	27.9%
4	Unpaid family worker	3012	9%
Sysmiss		57217	

## Q9E: Daily paid worker?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

## Overview

Valid: 19741 Invalid: 70886 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 4  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	7878	39.9%
2	No	11859	60.1%
3		3	0%
4		1	0%
Sysmiss		70886	

## Description

UNIVERSE  
 Shift employee

## Q10: Shift worker

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

## Overview

Valid: 19884 Invalid: 70743 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 6

Type: Discrete    Decimal: 0    Width: 1    Range: 1 - 6    Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
0		1	0%
1	Regular day shift	6929	34.8%
2	Regular evening shift	59	0.3%
3	Regular night shift	136	0.7%
4	Shift rotates	1584	8%
5	Irregular schedule of hours	3509	17.6%
6	Other	7666	38.6%
Sysmiss		70743	

## Description

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UNIVERSE  
Shift workers

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## Q11Y: Service Period - Years

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 33393    Invalid: 57234    Minimum: 0    Maximum: 80  
Type: Discrete    Decimal: 0    Width: 2    Range: 0 - 74    Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### LITERAL QUESTION

How long have you been with the current employer, firm or in self employment? (Years)

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## Q11M: Service Period - Months

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 33390    Invalid: 57237    Minimum: 0    Maximum: 11  
Type: Discrete    Decimal: 0    Width: 2    Range: 0 - 11    Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### LITERAL QUESTION

How long have you been with the current employer, firm or in self employment? (Months)

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## **Q12Y: This occupation period - Years**

**Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest**

### **Overview**

Valid: 33411    Invalid: 57216    Minimum: 0    Maximum: 80  
 Type: Discrete    Decimal: 0    Width: 2    Range: 0 - 74    Format: Numeric

### **Questions and instructions**

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LITERAL QUESTION

How long S(He) been working at this occupation (Years)?

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## **Q12M: This occupation period - Months**

**Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest**

### **Overview**

Valid: 33411    Invalid: 57216    Minimum: 0    Maximum: 15  
 Type: Discrete    Decimal: 0    Width: 2    Range: 0 - 11    Format: Numeric

### **Questions and instructions**

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LITERAL QUESTION

How long S(He) been working at this occupation (Months)?

### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
0		27996	83.8%
1		467	1.4%
2		747	2.2%
3		734	2.2%
4		505	1.5%
5		377	1.1%
6		1514	4.5%
7		254	0.8%
8		398	1.2%
9		147	0.4%
10		192	0.6%
11		79	0.2%
15		1	0%
Sysmiss		57216	

## **Q13: Hours worked per week?**

**Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest**

### **Overview**

Valid: 33410 Invalid: 57217 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 99 Mean: 46.093 Standard deviation: 15.666  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 99 Format: Numeric

### **Questions and instructions**

LITERAL QUESTION

No. of hours usually worked per week at this job?

## **Q14: Hours worked last week?**

**Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest**

### **Overview**

Valid: 33410 Invalid: 57217 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 99 Mean: 41.487 Standard deviation: 19.162  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 99 Format: Numeric

### **Questions and instructions**

LITERAL QUESTION

No. of hours actually worked last week at this job?

## **Q16: Working less than usual hours?**

**Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest**

### **Overview**

Valid: 7381 Invalid: 83246 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 9  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

### **Questions and instructions**

#### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
1	Strike	973	13.2%
2	Holiday - Vacation or leave	125	1.7%
3	Reduction in economic activity	2057	27.9%
4	Off season in activity	551	7.5%
5	Bad weather	718	9.7%
6	Mechanical or electricity failure	1253	17%

7	Short of raw material or fuel	34	0.5%
8	Other reason	94	1.3%
9	9	1576	21.4%
Sysmiss		83246	

## Q17: Did S(He) do secondary work?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 33265 Invalid: 57362 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 2  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	2587	7.8%
2	No	30678	92.2%
Sysmiss		57362	

## Q18A: Nature of secondary work-industry

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 2584 Invalid: 88043 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 9600  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 111 - 9600 Format: Numeric

## Q18B: Nature of secondary work-occupation

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 2590 Invalid: 88037 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 9999  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 1229 - 9341 Format: Numeric

## Q18C: Nature of secondary work-sector

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 2590 Invalid: 88037 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 9  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
1	Public	1640	63.3%
2	Private	622	24%
3		78	3%
4		159	6.1%
5		58	2.2%
6		19	0.7%
7		8	0.3%
9		6	0.2%
Sysmiss		88037	

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### Q18D: Nature of secondary work-status

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

#### Overview

Valid: 2590 Invalid: 88037 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 9  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 4 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
0		135	5.2%
1	Employee	1647	63.6%
2	Employer	318	12.3%
3	Own account worker	217	8.4%
4	Unpaid family worker	187	7.2%
5		9	0.3%
6		11	0.4%
7		23	0.9%
8		4	0.2%
9		39	1.5%
Sysmiss		88037	

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## **Q19Y: Duration engaged (Years)**

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

### **Overview**

Valid: 2597 Invalid: 88030 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 50  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 50 Format: Numeric

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## **Q19M: Duration engaged (Months)**

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

### **Overview**

Valid: 2597 Invalid: 88030 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 80 Mean: 10.795 Standard deviation: 9.854  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 10 Format: Numeric

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## **Q20: No. of hours actuall worked-last week**

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

### **Overview**

Valid: 2599 Invalid: 88028 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 60  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 72 Format: Numeric

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## **Q21: Available for additional work?**

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

### **Overview**

Valid: 33284 Invalid: 57343 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 9  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

### **Questions and instructions**

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#### CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
0		545	1.6%
1	Yes	4306	12.9%
2	No	28082	84.4%
3		208	0.6%
4		96	0.3%
5		19	0.1%
6		13	0%
7		6	0%
8		7	0%

9		2	0%
Sysmiss		57343	

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## Q22: Looking for alternative work?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 33410 Invalid: 57217 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 9  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

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#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		1448	4.3%
1	Yes	2089	6.3%
2	No	28961	86.7%
3		26	0.1%
4		232	0.7%
5		187	0.6%
6		171	0.5%
7		49	0.1%
8		233	0.7%
9		14	0%
Sysmiss		57217	

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## Q23: What kind of work expected?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 0 Invalid: 90627  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 0 - 9999 Format: Numeric

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## Q24: Expected lowest wage (Rs.)

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 0 Invalid: 90627  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 1 - 9999 Format: Numeric

## **Q25: Monthly, Weekly or Daily wage?**

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

### **Overview**

Valid: 0 Invalid: 90627  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 4 Format: Numeric

### **Questions and instructions**

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	Daily
2	Weekly
3	Monthly
4	Other
Sysmiss	

## **Q26: Preferred employment?**

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

### **Overview**

Valid: 0 Invalid: 90627  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 5 Range: 12345 - 24345 Format: Numeric

## **Q27: What steps S(He) has taken to search a job?**

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

### **Overview**

Valid: 0 Invalid: 90627  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 99 Format: Numeric

## **Q28: Why not seeking employment?**

**Data file:** LF2004-Final Dataest

### **Overview**

Valid: 0 Invalid: 90627  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 6 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	Discouraged, not able to get a job
2	Believes no suitable work available
3	Has no skills or training
4	Engaged in housework
6	Other
Sysmiss	

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## Q29: Did S(He) ever have a job?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 0 Invalid: 90627  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	Yes
2	No
Sysmiss	

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## Q30: Job lasting two or more weeks?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 0 Invalid: 90627  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 5 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

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### LITERAL QUESTION

When was the last time S(He) had a job lasting two or more weeks?

### CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	Within the past three months

2	3 - less than 7 months
3	7 - less than 12 months
4	1 - less than 5 years
5	5 years and over
Sysmiss	

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### Q31: What kind of work

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

#### Overview

Valid: 1    Invalid: 90626    Minimum: 11    Maximum: 11  
 Type: Discrete    Decimal: 0    Width: 4    Range: 110 - 9341    Format: Numeric

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### Q32: Source of assistance?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

#### Overview

Valid: 9    Invalid: 90618    Minimum: 2    Maximum: 93413  
 Type: Discrete    Decimal: 0    Width: 5    Range: -    Format: Numeric

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### Q33: Did S(He) do any work?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

#### Overview

Valid: 76252    Invalid: 14375    Minimum: 1    Maximum: 2  
 Type: Discrete    Decimal: 0    Width: 1    Range: 1 - 2    Format: Numeric

#### Questions and instructions

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##### LITERAL QUESTION

During the past 12 months did S(He) do any work for pay, profit or fsmily gain?

##### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	33745	44.3%
2	No	42507	55.7%
Sysmiss		14375	

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### Q34: Total no. of weeks worked during the year

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

## Overview

Valid: 33744 Invalid: 56883 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 52  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 52 Format: Numeric

## Questions and instructions

### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		10	0%
2		981	2.9%
3		2729	8.1%
4		4973	14.7%
5		23789	70.5%
6		26	0.1%
7		32	0.1%
8		116	0.3%
9		19	0.1%
10		45	0.1%
11		39	0.1%
12		132	0.4%
13		29	0.1%
14		36	0.1%
15		38	0.1%
16		93	0.3%
17		36	0.1%
18		53	0.2%
19		45	0.1%
20		118	0.3%
21		38	0.1%
22		70	0.2%
23		64	0.2%
24		186	0.6%
25		46	0.1%
52		1	0%
Sysmiss		56883	

### Q36: was S(He) available for work last year?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

**Overview**

Valid: 76249 Invalid: 14378 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 9  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

**Questions and instructions**

## CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
0		1497	2%
1	Yes	3793	5%
2	No	64561	84.7%
3		355	0.5%
4		612	0.8%
5		565	0.7%
6		1352	1.8%
7		559	0.7%
8		2586	3.4%
9		369	0.5%
Sysmiss		14378	

**Q37: Total no of weeks s(he) available, last year?****Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest****Overview**

Valid: 3390 Invalid: 87237 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 52  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 3 - 52 Format: Numeric

**Q38: The staus of the person****Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest****Overview**

Valid: 76248 Invalid: 14379 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 3  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

**Questions and instructions**

## CATEGORIES

<b>Value</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Cases</b>	
1	Usually employed past 12 months	32419	42.5%
2	Usually unemployed past 12 months	3014	4%
3	Usually not economically active in the past 12 months	40815	53.5%

Sysmiss		14379	
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### Q39: Was S(He) an employed inthe main occupation?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

#### Overview

Valid: 76252 Invalid: 14375 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 2  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

#### Questions and instructions

##### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	20013	26.2%
2	No	56239	73.8%
Sysmiss		14375	

### Q40A: Last month earnings( Rs. )

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

#### Overview

Valid: 19636 Invalid: 70991 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 99999  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 5 Range: 0 - 40000 Format: Numeric

### Q40B: Any payment in kind?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

#### Overview

Valid: 19962 Invalid: 70665 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 2  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

#### Questions and instructions

##### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	3623	18.1%
2	No	16339	81.9%
Sysmiss		70665	

## Q41: An employee in the secondary activity?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 76004 Invalid: 14623 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 2  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	680	0.9%
2	No	75324	99.1%
Sysmiss		14623	

## Q42A: Earnings from secondary activity?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 640 Invalid: 89987 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 15800  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 5 Range: 1 - 7500 Format: Numeric

## Q42B: Any payment in kind(secondary)?

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

### Overview

Valid: 713 Invalid: 89914 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 2  
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

### Questions and instructions

#### CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		11	1.5%
1	Yes	185	25.9%
2	No	517	72.5%
Sysmiss		89914	

## INFLATION\_FACTOR: Inflation Factor

Data file: LF2004-Final Dataest

## Overview

Valid: 90627   Invalid: 0   Minimum: 13.222   Maximum: 1015.614  
Type: Discrete   Decimal: 4   Width: 10   Range: 85.5975 - 3467.9575   Format: Numeric   Weighted: Yes

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