

Sri Lanka - Labour Force Survey - 2009

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Identification

SURVEY ID NUMBER

LKA-DCS-LFS-2009-v1.0

TITLE

Labour Force Survey - 2009

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. 2009 is the twentieth successive year in which the survey has been repeated. Amongst other figures, Provincial level estimates are taken from the Annual LFS 2009 data file which is a combination of all the four quarterly files processed for the year 2009.

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

VERSION DESCRIPTION

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

VERSION DATE

2010-09-22

Scope

NOTES

The scope of LFS 2009 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

Topic	Vocabulary	URI
LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT [3]	CESSDA	Link

Coverage

GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

National coverage. [Excluding the Northern and the Eastern Provinces] This survey covered persons living in housing units only and, it excludes the institutional population.

UNIVERSE

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

Producers and sponsors

PRIMARY INVESTIGATORS

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

Sampling

SAMPLING PROCEDURE

2.1 Sampling plan and the sampling frame A two stage stratified sampling procedure was adopted to select a sample of 22,500 housing units to be enumerated in the survey. The master sampling frame prepared for 2001 Census of Population and Housing was used as the sampling frame for the selection of sample for the labour force survey 2009. This main frame was updated after the Tsunami incident in 2007 using quick count method. **2.2 Sample size** The quarterly survey was conducted since 1990 using a sample of 2,000 housing units per quarter in areas other than North and East, and the sample size was increased to 4,000 housing units per quarter in 1996 and continued thereafter. However, in 1992 and 1997, an annual sample of 20,000 housing units was selected to give reliable estimates of district level. In 2004 again 20,000 housing units were selected for the survey. However, in order to provide district level estimates precisely, it was decided to use 20,000 - 25,000 housing units as the annual sample from 2006. As such, in 2009, the annual sample of 22,500 housing units were selected. **2.3 Sample Allocation** In 2008, 2,250 Primary Sampling Units (PSU's) are allocated to each district and each sector by using the Neymann Allocation method which considers the variance of unemployment rate as usually. The allocated sample for each district then equally distributed among the 12 months. Table 1 gives the sample distributions by district for year 2009. Table 1: Sample allocation by district - 2009 District Housing Units Total 22,500 Mullaitivu 390 Colombo 2,150 Kilinochchi 360 Gampaha 1,920 Batticaloa 560 Kalutara 1,210 Ampara 900 Kandy 1,400 Trincomalee 390 Matale 610 Kurunegala 1,680 Nuwara Eliya 600 Puttalam 840 Galle 1,200 Anuradhapura 960 Matara 970 Polonnaruwa 500 Hambantota 840 Badulla 860 Jaffna 720 Moneragala 550 Mannar 390 Ratnapura 1,160 Vavuniya 390 Kegalle 950 **2.4 Selection of Primary Sampling Units (PSU)** Primary sampling units are the census blocks prepared for the Census of Population and Housing - 2001. The sample frame, which was updated after Tsunami has been used for the selection of primary sampling units. **2.5 Selection of Secondary Sampling Units (SSU)** Secondary Sampling Units are the housing units in the selected 2,250 primary sampling units (census blocks). From each primary sampling unit 10 housing units (SSU) are selected for the survey using random sampling method.

DEVIATIONS FROM THE SAMPLE DESIGN

In 2008, the field work of the survey for the year 2009 was done in all twelve months in 2009. Even though it was planned to conduct the labour force survey in Northern and Eastern provinces, the survey could not be conducted properly in Northern province due to the prevailing conditions. In year 2009 the survey was carried out in Eastern province successfully as in 2008. Therefore, this report is based on an annual sample of 20,260 housing units, excluding only Northern province providing national, provincial and district level estimates with a stipulated standard errors of labour force characteristics as reported in the relevant reference periods of each 12 months of the year 2009. This survey covers persons living in housing units only and, it excludes the institutional population.

Data Collection

DATES OF DATA COLLECTION

Start	End	Cycle
2009-01-01	2009-12-31	12 months

DATA COLLECTION MODE

Face-to-face [f2f]

SUPERVISION

Field supervision Senior officers of the DCS visited the Districts to check whether enumerators have done their work properly. These supervising officers were expected to submit their reports to the heads of the relevant divisions based on their observations.

DATA COLLECTION NOTES

Field Work The field work of the survey for the year 2009 was done in all 12 months from January to December 2009. Listing operation was also staggered over a period of 12 months starting from November 2008 to October 2009. For each primary sampling unit, updating was done, about two months prior to the scheduled interviewing. As such, for example, the census blocks which were surveyed in April, were updated in February. Statistical officers of the DCS were involved in the listing operation prior to the survey and also in the survey data collection operation. Each statistical officer is responsible for doing all statistical activities in a Divisional Secretariat division to which she/he is attached. These officers were given a thorough training before they were entrusted with the survey operations. In each district, there is an officer who is incharge of the statistical activities in the district.

DATA COLLECTORS

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

Questionnaires

QUESTIONNAIRES

Survey Schedule 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. Beginning in January 2006, some significant improvements were made to the labour force survey schedule in order to fulfill the requirements of its users and also to provide additional information for the planning purposes. This was done after carefully reviewing of the LFS schedule with the technical assistance provided by the Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP) Adviser. The revision was made focusing on literacy, household economic activities, informal sector employment and underemployment etc. This revised version of the questionnaire has been using since first quarter, 2006.

Data Appraisal

ESTIMATES OF SAMPLING ERROR

The estimation procedure is given in the section 2.6 in the Annual Report. The Annual Report is attached in the External Resources Section.

DATA APPRAISAL

The adjustments for non-response is given in the section 2.7 in the Annual Report. The Annual Report is attached in the External Resources Section.

Access policy

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CITATION REQUIREMENTS

"Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka Labour Force Survey - 2009, Version 1.0 of the public use dataset (June 2010), provided by the National Data Archive, Data Processing Division, www.statistics.gov.lk"

ACCESS AUTHORITY

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PRODUCERS

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation	Role
Department of Census and Statistics	DCS	Minstry of Finance & Planning	Data Collection

DATE OF METADATA PRODUCTION

2011-06-30

DDI DOCUMENT VERSION

Version 1.0 (June 2011).

Data Dictionary

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Data file: 2009-Identification Information

Cases: 19990

Variables: 19

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V219	REC\$TYPE		
V220	YEAR	Year	
V221	MONTH	Month	
V222	SECTOR	Sector	
V223	DISTRICT	District	
V224	PSU	Census Block Number	
V225	HUNO	Household Sample Reference Number	
V226	HHNO	Household Number	
V227	HHSERNO	Household Serial Number	
V228	TEMP	Temp	
V229	RCODE1	Result code - visit1	
V230	RCODE2	Result code - visit2	
V231	RCODE3	Result code - visit3	
V232	TIME1	Time taken - visit1 (minutes)	
V233	TIME2	Time taken - visit2 (minutes)	
V234	TIME3	Time taken - visit3 (minutes)	
V235	G4	Number of housing units (consolidated)	
V236	G5	Number of housing units (divided)	
V237	FCODE	Final result code	

Total: 19

Data file: 2009-Personal Information

Cases: 72801

Variables: 21

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V238	REC\$TYPE		
V239	YEAR	Year	
V240	MONTH	Month	
V241	SECTOR	Sector	
V242	DISTRICT	District	
V243	PSU	Census Block Number	
V244	HUNO	Household Sample Reference Number	
V245	HHNO	Household Number	
V246	HHSERNO	Household Serial Number	
V247	P1	Person's Serial Number	
V248	P3	Relationship To The Head	
V249	P4	Sex	
V250	P5	Age	
V251	P6	Race	
V252	P7	Religion	
V253	P8	Marital Status	
V254	P9	Educational Attainment	
V255	P10	Current Educational Status	
V256	P11	Literacy in Sinhala	
V257	P12	Literacy in Tamil	
V258	P13	Literacy in English	

Total: 21

Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force

Cases: 60839

Variables: 18

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V259	REC\$TYPE		
V260	YEAR	Year	
V261	MONTH	Month	
V262	SECTOR	Sector	
V263	DISTRICT	District	
V264	PSU	Census Block Number	
V265	HUNO	Household Sample Reference Number	
V266	HHNO	Household Number	
V267	HHSERNO	Household Serial Number	
V268	Q1SERNO	Person's Serial Number	
V269	Q2	Engaged in economic activity?	
V270	Q3	What activity engaged?	
V271	Q4	Did you have an economic activity to be engaged?	
V272	Q5	Not involving work?	
V273	Q6A	Engaged activities listed?	
V274	Q6BHH1	Bringing firewood	
V275	Q6BHH2	Bringing water	
V276	Q6BHH3	Engage in a repairing work	

Total: 18

Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13

Cases: 27723

Variables: 17

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V277	REC\$TYPE		
V278	YEAR	Year	
V279	MONTH	Month	
V280	SECTOR	Sector	
V281	DISTRICT	District	
V282	PSU	Census Block Number	
V283	HUNO	Household Sample Reference Number	
V284	HHNO	Household Number	
V285	HHSERNO	Household Serial Number	
V286	Q7SERNO	Person's Serial Number	
V287	Q7	The main economic activity	
V288	Q8	The main activity at your place work	
V289	Q9	Status of occupation	
V290	Q10	Type of occupation	
V291	Q11	Pension or provident fund contribution?	
V292	Q12	Are you entitled for annual paid leave or leave encashment	
V293	Q13	To which sector of your institution belong?	

Total: 17

Data file: 2009-Question 14 to 19

Cases: 27724

Variables: 15

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V294	REC\$TYPE		
V295	YEAR	Year	
V296	MONTH	Month	
V297	SECTOR	Sector	
V298	DISTRICT	District	
V299	PSU	Census Block Number	
V300	HUNO	Household Sample Reference Number	
V301	HHNO	Household Number	
V302	HHSERNO	Household Serial Number	
V303	Q14SERNO	Person's Serial Number	
V304	Q14	Registered under EPF or IRD	
V305	Q15	Operate proper accounting system?	
V306	Q16	Number of employees	
V307	Q17	No. of hours usually work per week?	
V308	Q18	No.of hours actually work per week?	

Total: 15

Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25

Cases: 27723

Variables: 16

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V309	REC\$TYPE		
V310	YEAR	Year	
V311	MONTH	Month	
V312	SECTOR	Sector	
V313	DISTRICT	District	
V314	PSU	Census Block Number	
V315	HUNO	Household Sample Reference Number	
V316	HHNO	Household Number	
V317	HHSERNO	Household Serial Number	
V318	Q20SERNO	Person's Serial Number	
V319	Q20	Reason for working few hours than usual?	
V320	Q21	Engaged in a secondary occupation?	
V321	Q22	What was you secondary occupation?	
V322	Q23	What is the main production activity?	
V323	Q24	Status of occupation?	
V324	Q25	No. of hours of working?	

Total: 16

Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30

Cases: 24289

Variables: 16

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V325	REC\$TYPE		
V326	YEAR	Year	
V327	MONTH	Month	
V328	SECTOR	Sector	
V329	DISTRICT	District	
V330	PSU	Census Block Number	
V331	HUNO	Household Sample Reference Number	
V332	HHNO	Household Number	
V333	HHSERNO	Household Serial Number	
V334	Q26SERNO	Person's Serial Number	
V335	Q261	No. of hours usually work per week?	
V336	Q262	No. of hours actually work per week?	
V337	Q27	Would you like to work longer period?	
V338	Q28	How would you like to work?	
V339	Q29	How many extra working hours?	
V340	Q30	Are you ready to work within next two week?	

Total: 16

Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32

Cases: 27723

Variables: 26

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V341	REC\$TYPE		
V342	YEAR	Year	
V343	MONTH	Month	
V344	SECTOR	Sector	
V345	DISTRICT	District	
V346	PSU	Census Block Number	
V347	HUNO	Household Sample Reference Number	
V348	HHNO	Household Number	
V349	HHSERNO	Household Serial Number	
V350	Q31SERNO	Person's Serial Number	
V351	Q31A	Are you an employee in the main occupation	
V352	Q31B1	Gross salary - last month	
V353	Q31B2	Additional earning - last month	
V354	Q31B3	Income in kind	
V355	Q31C1	Daily wage	
V356	Q31C2	No.of days worked-last month	
V357	Q31C3	Total earning	
V358	Q31C4	Income in kind	
V359	Q32	Are you an employee in the secondary occupation	
V360	Q32B1	Gross salary- last month	
V361	Q32B2	Additional earning -last month	
V362	Q32B3	Income in kind	
V363	Q32C1	Daily wage	
V364	Q32C2	No. of days worked- last month	
V365	Q32C3	Total earning	
V366	Q32C4	Income in kind	

Total: 26

Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36

Cases: 33116

Variables: 16

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V367	REC\$TYPE		
V368	YEAR	Year	
V369	MONTH	Month	
V370	SECTOR	Sector	
V371	DISTRICT	District	
V372	PSU	Census Block Number	
V373	HUNO	Household Sample Reference Number	
V374	HHNO	Household Number	
V375	HHSERNO	Household Serial Number	
V376	Q33SERNO	Person's Serial Number	
V377	Q33	Paid job or self employment	
V378	Q34	Steps taken to find an employment	
V379	Q351	What are the steps taken -1st	
V380	Q352	What are the steps taken -2nd	
V381	Q353	What are the steps taken -3rd	
V382	Q36	Reason for not taking action to find a job	

Total: 16

Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42

Cases: 32057

Variables: 19

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V383	REC\$TYPE		
V384	YEAR	Year	
V385	MONTH	Month	
V386	SECTOR	Sector	
V387	DISTRICT	District	
V388	PSU	Census Block Number	
V389	HUNO	Household Sample Reference Number	
V390	HHNO	Household Number	
V391	HHSERNO	Household Serial Number	
V392	Q37SERNO	Person's Serial Number	
V393	Q37	Are you ready to accept a job	
V394	Q38	Reason for not accepting?	
V395	Q39	Expect self employment or paid job?	
V396	Q40	Where do you expect to have a job?	
V397	Q41A	Do you expect any help for self-employment?	
V398	Q41B1	What assistance you Expect - 1st	
V399	Q41B2	What assistance you Expect - 2nd	
V400	Q41B3	What assistance you Expect - 3rd	
V401	Q42	Describe the nature of the employment	

Total: 19

Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46

Cases: 1805

Variables: 21

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V402	REC\$TYPE		
V403	YEAR	Year	
V404	MONTH	Month	
V405	SECTOR	Sector	
V406	DISTRICT	District	
V407	PSU	Census Block Number	
V408	HUNO	Household Sample Reference Number	
V409	HHNO	Household Number	
V410	HHSERNO	Household Serial Number	
V411	Q43SERNO	Person's Serial Number	
V412	Q43	What is the minimum salary/income expected?	
V413	Q44	How long have you been looking for a job?	
V414	Q45	Obtained professional/technical training?	
V415	Q46B1	Field of training- 1st	
V416	Q46C1	Nature of certificate received - 1st	
V417	Q46D1	Institution - 1st	
V418	Q46E1	Duration - 1st	
V419	Q46B2	Field of training - 2nd	
V420	Q46C2	Nature of certificate received -2nd	
V421	Q46D2	Institution - 2nd	
V422	Q46E2	Duration - 2nd	

Total: 21

Data file: 2009-Question 47 to 50

Cases: 1793

Variables: 14

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V423	REC\$TYPE		
V424	YEAR	Year	
V425	MONTH	Month	
V426	SECTOR	Sector	
V427	DISTRICT	District	
V428	PSU	Census Block Number	
V429	HUNO	Household Sample Reference Number	
V430	HHNO	Household Number	
V431	HHSERNO	Household Serial Number	
V432	Q47SERNO	Person's Serial Number	
V433	Q47	Why not able to get training?	
V434	Q48	Engaged work during last 2 weeks?	
V435	Q49	The main activities performed?	
V436	Q50	Status of previous employment?	

Total: 14

REC\$TYPE:**Data file: 2009-Identification Information****Overview**

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		19990	100%

YEAR: Year**Data file: 2009-Identification Information****Overview**

Valid: 19990 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 2008 - 2009 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

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2008		10	0.1%
2009		19980	99.9%

MONTH: Month**Data file: 2009-Identification Information****Overview**

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 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 12 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

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1	January	1685	8.4%
2	February	1654	8.3%
3	March	1651	8.3%
4	April	1647	8.2%

5	May	1648	8.2%
6	June	1660	8.3%
7	July	1706	8.5%
8	August	1664	8.3%
9	September	1695	8.5%
10	October	1636	8.2%
11	November	1680	8.4%
12	December	1664	8.3%

SECTOR: Sector

Data file: 2009-Identification Information

Overview

Valid: 19990 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Urban	2573	12.9%
2	Rural	16332	81.7%
3	Estate	1085	5.4%

DISTRICT: District

Data file: 2009-Identification Information

Overview

Valid: 19990 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 11 - 92 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

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11	Colombo	2101	10.5%
12	Gampaha	1915	9.6%
13	Kalutara	1213	6.1%
21	Kandy	1389	6.9%
22	Matale	593	3%

23	Nuwara Eliya	551	2.8%
31	Galle	1204	6%
32	Matara	951	4.8%
33	Hambantota	814	4.1%
41	Jaffna	0	0%
42	Mannar	0	0%
43	Vavuniya	0	0%
44	Mulativu	0	0%
45	Kilinochchi	0	0%
51	Batticaloa	520	2.6%
52	Ampara	870	4.4%
53	Trincomalee	456	2.3%
61	Kurunegala	1672	8.4%
62	Puttalama	826	4.1%
71	Anuradhapura	956	4.8%
72	Polonnaruwa	492	2.5%
81	Badulla	855	4.3%
82	Monaragala	539	2.7%
91	Ratnapura	1145	5.7%
92	Kegalle	928	4.6%

PSU: Census Block Number

Data file: 2009-Identification Information

Overview

Valid: 19990 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 215 Mean: 62.187 Standard deviation: 46.179
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 215 Format: Numeric

HUNO: Household Sample Reference Number

Data file: 2009-Identification Information

Overview

Valid: 19990 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		1999	10%

2		2000	10%
3		2006	10%
4		2006	10%
5		1994	10%
6		2000	10%
7		1996	10%
8		2000	10%
9		1991	10%
10		1998	10%

HHNO: Household Number

Data file: 2009-Identification Information

Overview

Valid: 19990 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 5 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

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1		19830	99.2%
2		142	0.7%
3		15	0.1%
4		2	0%
5		1	0%

HHSERNO: Household Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Identification Information

Overview

Valid: 19990 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 184 Mean: 51.132 Standard deviation: 38.306
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TEMP: Temp

Data file: 2009-Identification Information

Overview

Valid: 0 Invalid: 19990
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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
Sysmiss	

RCODE1: Result code - visit1

Data file: 2009-Identification Information

Overview

Valid: 19948 Invalid: 42
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 8 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Completed	16721	83.8%
2	Deferred	389	2%
3	Ineligible	125	0.6%
4	No Competent respondent at home	600	3%
5	Refused	26	0.1%
6	Housing unit is temporarily closed	1986	10%
7	Other	100	0.5%
8		1	0%
Sysmiss		42	

RCODE2: Result code - visit2

Data file: 2009-Identification Information

Overview

Valid: 2907 Invalid: 17083
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 7 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Completed	1685	58%
2	Deferred	40	1.4%

3	Ineligible	11	0.4%
4	No Competent respondent at home	187	6.4%
5	Refused	4	0.1%
6	Housing unit is temporarily closed	964	33.2%
7	Other	16	0.6%
Sysmiss		17083	

RCODE3: Result code - visit3

Data file: 2009-Identification Information

Overview

Valid: 1053 Invalid: 18937

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 7 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Completed	275	26.1%
2	Deferred	0	0%
3	Ineligible	10	0.9%
4	No Competent respondent at home	99	9.4%
5	Refused	3	0.3%
6	Housing unit is temporarily closed	654	62.1%
7	Other	12	1.1%
Sysmiss		18937	

TIME1: Time taken - visit1 (minutes)

Data file: 2009-Identification Information

Overview

Valid: 17390 Invalid: 2600 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 99 Mean: 32.307 Standard deviation: 13.302

Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 99 Format: Numeric

TIME2: Time taken - visit2 (minutes)

Data file: 2009-Identification Information

Overview

Valid: 1902 Invalid: 18088 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 95 Mean: 33.316 Standard deviation: 17.092

Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 95 Format: Numeric

TIME3: Time taken - visit3 (minutes)**Data file: 2009-Identification Information****Overview**

Valid: 410 Invalid: 19580

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 90 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		58	14.1%
1		8	2%
2		1	0.2%
5		28	6.8%
10		34	8.3%
15		12	2.9%
18		1	0.2%
20		28	6.8%
25		23	5.6%
30		47	11.5%
35		23	5.6%
38		1	0.2%
40		50	12.2%
42		1	0.2%
45		48	11.7%
50		15	3.7%
55		7	1.7%
60		15	3.7%
70		2	0.5%
75		1	0.2%
80		3	0.7%
90		4	1%
Sysmiss		19580	

G4: Number of housing units (consolidated)**Data file: 2009-Identification Information**

Overview

Valid: 19956 Invalid: 34
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		19784	99.1%
1		165	0.8%
2		7	0%
Sysmiss		34	

G5: Number of housing units (divided)

Data file: 2009-Identification Information

Overview

Valid: 19954 Invalid: 36
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 5 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		19828	99.4%
1		121	0.6%
2		4	0%
5		1	0%
Sysmiss		36	

FCODE: Final result code

Data file: 2009-Identification Information

Overview

Valid: 19990 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 5 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
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1	Completed	18675	93.4%
2	Partially completed, usable	0	0%
3	Partially completed, unusable	0	0%
4	Not completed	1168	5.8%
5	Ineligible	147	0.7%

REC\$TYPE:**Data file: 2009-Personal Information****Overview**

Valid: 72801 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Width: 2 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
2		72801	100%

YEAR: Year**Data file: 2009-Personal Information****Overview**

Valid: 72801 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 2008 - 2009 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
2008		37	0.1%
2009		72764	99.9%

MONTH: Month**Data file: 2009-Personal Information****Overview**

Valid: 72801 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 12 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	January	6209	8.5%
2	February	6085	8.4%
3	March	5971	8.2%
4	April	6082	8.4%

5	May	5909	8.1%
6	June	6047	8.3%
7	July	6275	8.6%
8	August	6101	8.4%
9	September	6143	8.4%
10	October	5905	8.1%
11	November	6098	8.4%
12	December	5976	8.2%

SECTOR: Sector

Data file: 2009-Personal Information

Overview

Valid: 72801 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Urban	9676	13.3%
2	Rural	59035	81.1%
3	Estate	4090	5.6%

DISTRICT: District

Data file: 2009-Personal Information

Overview

Valid: 72801 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 11 - 92 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
11	Colombo	7744	10.6%
12	Gampaha	6896	9.5%
13	Kalutara	4538	6.2%
21	Kandy	5060	7%
22	Matale	2175	3%

23	Nuwara Eliya	2059	2.8%
31	Galle	4510	6.2%
32	Matara	3554	4.9%
33	Hambantota	3103	4.3%
41	Jaffna	0	0%
42	Mannar	0	0%
43	Vavuniya	0	0%
44	Mulativu	0	0%
45	Kilinochchi	0	0%
51	Batticaloa	1895	2.6%
52	Ampara	3363	4.6%
53	Trincomalee	1782	2.4%
61	Kurunegala	5663	7.8%
62	Puttalama	3036	4.2%
71	Anuradhapura	3310	4.5%
72	Polonnaruwa	1667	2.3%
81	Badulla	3096	4.3%
82	Monaragala	1840	2.5%
91	Ratnapura	4276	5.9%
92	Kegalle	3234	4.4%

PSU: Census Block Number

Data file: 2009-Personal Information

Overview

Valid: 72801 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 215 Mean: 61.738 Standard deviation: 45.907
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 215 Format: Numeric

HUNO: Household Sample Reference Number

Data file: 2009-Personal Information

Overview

Valid: 72801 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		7366	10.1%

2		7429	10.2%
3		7344	10.1%
4		7358	10.1%
5		7239	9.9%
6		7119	9.8%
7		7366	10.1%
8		7363	10.1%
9		7140	9.8%
10		7077	9.7%

HHNO: Household Number

Data file: 2009-Personal Information

Overview

Valid: 72801 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 5 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		72262	99.3%
2		471	0.6%
3		51	0.1%
4		13	0%
5		4	0%

HHSERNO: Household Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Personal Information

Overview

Valid: 72801 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 184 Mean: 50.841 Standard deviation: 38.093
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 184 Format: Numeric

P1: Person's Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Personal Information

Overview

Valid: 72801 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 18 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		18675	25.7%
2		17604	24.2%
3		14960	20.5%
4		11040	15.2%
5		6099	8.4%
6		2632	3.6%
7		1037	1.4%
8		407	0.6%
9		188	0.3%
10		84	0.1%
11		38	0.1%
12		18	0%
13		6	0%
14		5	0%
15		3	0%
16		2	0%
17		2	0%
18		1	0%

P3: Relationship To The Head

Data file: 2009-Personal Information

Overview

Valid: 72801 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Head of Household	18675	25.7%
2	Wife / Husband	13290	18.3%
3	Son / Daughter	29155	40%
4	Parents	1309	1.8%
5	Other Relative	10022	13.8%

6	Domestic Servant	155	0.2%
7	Boarder	113	0.2%
9	Other	82	0.1%

P4: Sex**Data file: 2009-Personal Information****Overview**

Valid: 72801 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Male	34578	47.5%
2	Female	38223	52.5%

P5: Age**Data file: 2009-Personal Information****Overview**

Valid: 72801 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 99 Mean: 32.482 Standard deviation: 21.126
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 99 Format: Numeric

P6: Race**Data file: 2009-Personal Information****Overview**

Valid: 72801 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Sinhala	56787	78%
2	Sri Lankan Tamil	5681	7.8%
3	Indian Tamil	2560	3.5%
4	Sri Lankan Moor	7356	10.1%

5	Malay	179	0.2%
6	Burger	125	0.2%
9	Other	113	0.2%

P7: Religion

Data file: 2009-Personal Information

Overview

Valid: 72801 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Buddhist	53614	73.6%
2	Hindu	6934	9.5%
3	Muslim	7589	10.4%
4	Catholic or christian	4658	6.4%
5	Other	0	0%
9		6	0%

P8: Marital Status

Data file: 2009-Personal Information

Overview

Valid: 72801 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 5 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Never Married	32550	44.7%
2	Married	35199	48.3%
3	Widowed	4376	6%
4	Divorced	156	0.2%
5	Separated	520	0.7%

P9: Educational Attainment**Data file: 2009-Personal Information****Overview**

Valid: 66927 Invalid: 5874

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 19 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Studying/Studied - Grade 1	1339	2%
1	Passed Grade -1	1958	2.9%
2	Passed Grade -2	2832	4.2%
3	Passed Grade -3	2813	4.2%
4	Passed Grade -4	3596	5.4%
5	Passed Grade -5	4528	6.8%
6	Passed Grade -6	3131	4.7%
7	Passed Grade -7	3810	5.7%
8	Passed Grade -8	4939	7.4%
9	Passed Grade -9	3657	5.5%
10	Passed Grade -10	13995	20.9%
11	Passed G.C.E(O/L) / N.C.G.E	6194	9.3%
12	Passed Grade -12	3359	5%
13	Passed G.C.E.(A/L) / H.N.C.E.	6057	9.1%
14	Passed G.A.Q. / G.S.Q.	206	0.3%
15	Degree	1010	1.5%
16	Post Graduate Degree / Diploma	226	0.3%
19	No School	3277	4.9%
Sysmiss		5874	

P10: Current Educational Status**Data file: 2009-Personal Information****Overview**

Valid: 66868 Invalid: 5933

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

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	School	15778	23.6%
2	University	302	0.5%
3	Other educational Institution	845	1.3%
4	Vocational / Technical Institution	340	0.5%
5	Does not attend	49603	74.2%
Sysmiss		5933	

P11: Literacy in Sinhala

Data file: 2009-Personal Information

Overview

Valid: 60852 Invalid: 11949

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

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Able to read and write	47200	77.6%
2	Unable to read and write	13652	22.4%
Sysmiss		11949	

P12: Literacy in Tamil

Data file: 2009-Personal Information

Overview

Valid: 60839 Invalid: 11962

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

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Able to read and write	11061	18.2%
2	Unable to read and write	49778	81.8%
Sysmiss		11962	

P13: Literacy in English

Data file: 2009-Personal Information

Overview

Valid: 60840 Invalid: 11961

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

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Able to read and write	10943	18%
2	Unable to read and write	49897	82%
Sysmiss		11961	

REC\$TYPE:**Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force****Overview**

Valid: 60839 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Width: 2 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
3		60839	100%

YEAR: Year**Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force****Overview**

Valid: 60839 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 2008 - 2009 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
2008		32	0.1%
2009		60807	99.9%

MONTH: Month**Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force****Overview**

Valid: 60839 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 12 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	January	5208	8.6%
2	February	5076	8.3%
3	March	5031	8.3%
4	April	5073	8.3%

5	May	4963	8.2%
6	June	4978	8.2%
7	July	5279	8.7%
8	August	5107	8.4%
9	September	5130	8.4%
10	October	4894	8%
11	November	5026	8.3%
12	December	5074	8.3%

SECTOR: Sector

Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force

Overview

Valid: 60839 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Urban	8137	13.4%
2	Rural	49412	81.2%
3	Estate	3290	5.4%

DISTRICT: District

Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force

Overview

Valid: 60839 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 11 - 92 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
11	Colombo	6543	10.8%
12	Gampaha	5868	9.6%
13	Kalutara	3845	6.3%
21	Kandy	4274	7%
22	Matale	1803	3%

23	Nuwara Eliya	1655	2.7%
31	Galle	3829	6.3%
32	Matara	3002	4.9%
33	Hambantota	2550	4.2%
41	Jaffna	0	0%
42	Mannar	0	0%
43	Vavuniya	0	0%
44	Mulativu	0	0%
45	Kilinochchi	0	0%
51	Batticaloa	1504	2.5%
52	Ampara	2719	4.5%
53	Trincomalee	1408	2.3%
61	Kurunegala	4812	7.9%
62	Puttalama	2511	4.1%
71	Anuradhapura	2715	4.5%
72	Polonnaruwa	1399	2.3%
81	Badulla	2517	4.1%
82	Monaragala	1519	2.5%
91	Ratnapura	3623	6%
92	Kegalle	2743	4.5%

PSU: Census Block Number

Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force

Overview

Valid: 60839 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 215 Mean: 62.101 Standard deviation: 46.162
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 215 Format: Numeric

HUNO: Household Sample Reference Number

Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force

Overview

Valid: 60839 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		6199	10.2%

2		6224	10.2%
3		6088	10%
4		6125	10.1%
5		6079	10%
6		5895	9.7%
7		6173	10.1%
8		6103	10%
9		5987	9.8%
10		5966	9.8%

HHNO: Household Number

Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force

Overview

Valid: 60839 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 5 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		60425	99.3%
2		366	0.6%
3		36	0.1%
4		10	0%
5		2	0%

HHSERNO: Household Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force

Overview

Valid: 60839 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 184 Mean: 51.088 Standard deviation: 38.221
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 184 Format: Numeric

Q1SERNO: Person's Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force

Overview

Valid: 60839 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 18 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		18675	30.7%
2		17177	28.2%
3		11892	19.5%
4		7319	12%
5		3457	5.7%
6		1425	2.3%
7		554	0.9%
8		196	0.3%
9		76	0.1%
10		31	0.1%
11		16	0%
12		9	0%
13		4	0%
14		2	0%
15		2	0%
16		1	0%
17		2	0%
18		1	0%

Q2: Engaged in economic activity?

Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force

Overview

Valid: 60839 Invalid: 0

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

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	25837	42.5%
2	No	35002	57.5%

Q3: What activity engaged?**Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force****Overview**

Valid: 25837 Invalid: 35002

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	The main economic activity	23089	89.4%
2	Another economic activity	291	1.1%
3	Both	2457	9.5%
Sysmiss		35002	

Q4: Did you have an economic activity to be engaged?**Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force****Overview**

Valid: 35002 Invalid: 25837

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

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	1887	5.4%
2	No	33115	94.6%
Sysmiss		25837	

Q5: Not involving work?**Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force****Overview**

Valid: 1887 Invalid: 58952

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
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1	Off season/Bad weather	400	21.2%
2	Temporary disorganization	270	14.3%
3	Sick/Injury	308	16.3%
4	Leave/Holiday vacation/educational leave or training	470	24.9%
5	Personal/Family Needs	182	9.6%
9	Other	257	13.6%
Sysmiss		58952	

Q6A: Engaged activities listed?

Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force

Overview

Valid: 33115 Invalid: 27724

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

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	3016	9.1%
2	No	30099	90.9%
Sysmiss		27724	

Q6BHH1: Bringing firewood

Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force

Overview

Valid: 2361 Invalid: 58478

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 52 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		5	0.2%
1		449	19%
2		657	27.8%
3		371	15.7%
4		271	11.5%
5		131	5.5%

6		160	6.8%
7		72	3%
8		92	3.9%
9		14	0.6%
10		79	3.3%
12		21	0.9%
14		16	0.7%
15		11	0.5%
18		1	0%
20		5	0.2%
25		1	0%
30		3	0.1%
45		1	0%
52		1	0%
Sysmiss		58478	

Q6BHH2: Bringing water

Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force

Overview

Valid: 1581 Invalid: 59258 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 90 Mean: 4.732 Standard deviation: 6.574
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 90 Format: Numeric

Q6BHH3: Engage in a repairing work

Data file: 2009-Information on Labour Force

Overview

Valid: 90 Invalid: 60749 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 80 Mean: 16.533 Standard deviation: 14.937
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 80 Format: Numeric

REC\$TYPE:**Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13****Overview**

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Width: 2 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
4		27723	100%

YEAR: Year**Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13****Overview**

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 2008 - 2009 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
2008		13	0%
2009		27710	100%

MONTH: Month**Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13****Overview**

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 12 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	January	2344	8.5%
2	February	2384	8.6%
3	March	2296	8.3%
4	April	2343	8.5%

5	May	2201	7.9%
6	June	2231	8%
7	July	2332	8.4%
8	August	2331	8.4%
9	September	2413	8.7%
10	October	2205	8%
11	November	2292	8.3%
12	December	2351	8.5%

SECTOR: Sector

Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Urban	3266	11.8%
2	Rural	22673	81.8%
3	Estate	1784	6.4%

DISTRICT: District

Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 11 - 92 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
11	Colombo	2890	10.4%
12	Gampaha	2543	9.2%
13	Kalutara	1715	6.2%
21	Kandy	1665	6%
22	Matale	864	3.1%

23	Nuwara Eliya	906	3.3%
31	Galle	1648	5.9%
32	Matara	1333	4.8%
33	Hambantota	1198	4.3%
41	Jaffna	0	0%
42	Mannar	0	0%
43	Vavuniya	0	0%
44	Mulativu	0	0%
45	Kilinochchi	0	0%
51	Batticaloa	552	2%
52	Ampara	1037	3.7%
53	Trincomalee	590	2.1%
61	Kurunegala	2257	8.1%
62	Puttalama	1139	4.1%
71	Anuradhapura	1477	5.3%
72	Polonnaruwa	668	2.4%
81	Badulla	1332	4.8%
82	Monaragala	830	3%
91	Ratnapura	1829	6.6%
92	Kegalle	1250	4.5%

PSU: Census Block Number

Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 215 Mean: 61.47 Standard deviation: 45.998
Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 215 Format: Numeric

HUNO: Household Sample Reference Number

Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		2906	10.5%

2		2822	10.2%
3		2754	9.9%
4		2839	10.2%
5		2766	10%
6		2671	9.6%
7		2807	10.1%
8		2734	9.9%
9		2731	9.9%
10		2693	9.7%

HHNO: Household Number

Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 5 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		27517	99.3%
2		180	0.6%
3		22	0.1%
4		3	0%
5		1	0%

HHSERNO: Household Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 184 Mean: 50.813 Standard deviation: 38.298
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 184 Format: Numeric

Q7SERNO: Person's Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 17 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		12981	46.8%
2		7191	25.9%
3		4272	15.4%
4		1912	6.9%
5		746	2.7%
6		335	1.2%
7		180	0.6%
8		64	0.2%
9		26	0.1%
10		8	0%
11		3	0%
12		3	0%
13		1	0%
17		1	0%

Q7: The main economic activity

Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 9341 Mean: 6201.318 Standard deviation: 2544.757
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 0 - 9341 Format: Numeric

Q8: The main activity at your place work

Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 9900 Mean: 3590.942 Standard deviation: 3140.725
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 0 - 9900 Format: Numeric

Q9: Status of occupation

Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 4 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Employee	15977	57.6%
2	Employer	696	2.5%
3	Own account worker	8132	29.3%
4	Unpaid family worker	2918	10.5%

Q10: Type of occupation

Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13

Overview

Valid: 15977 Invalid: 11746

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

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Permenent	6963	43.6%
2	Temporary	4440	27.8%
3	Casual	1674	10.5%
4	No permancent Employer	2900	18.2%
Sysmiss		11746	

Q11: Pension or provident fund contribution?

Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13

Overview

Valid: 13077 Invalid: 14646

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	7351	56.2%
2	No	5389	41.2%
3	Do not Know	337	2.6%

Sysmiss		14646	
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Q12: Are you entitled for annual paid leave or leave encashment

Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13

Overview

Valid: 13077 Invalid: 14646

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	6146	47%
2	No	6689	51.2%
3	Do not Know	242	1.9%
Sysmiss		14646	

Q13: To which sector of your institution belong?

Data file: 2009-Question 7 to 13

Overview

Valid: 13077 Invalid: 14646

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Government	2942	22.5%
2	Semi-Government	1302	10%
3	Private	8833	67.5%
Sysmiss		14646	

REC\$TYPE:**Data file: 2009-Question 14 to 19****Overview**

Valid: 27724 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Width: 2 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
5		27724	100%

YEAR: Year**Data file: 2009-Question 14 to 19****Overview**

Valid: 27724 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 2008 - 2009 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
2008		13	0%
2009		27711	100%

MONTH: Month**Data file: 2009-Question 14 to 19****Overview**

Valid: 27724 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 12 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	January	2344	8.5%
2	February	2385	8.6%
3	March	2296	8.3%
4	April	2343	8.5%

5	May	2201	7.9%
6	June	2231	8%
7	July	2332	8.4%
8	August	2331	8.4%
9	September	2413	8.7%
10	October	2205	8%
11	November	2292	8.3%
12	December	2351	8.5%

SECTOR: Sector

Data file: 2009-Question 14 to 19

Overview

Valid: 27724 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Urban	3266	11.8%
2	Rural	22674	81.8%
3	Estate	1784	6.4%

DISTRICT: District

Data file: 2009-Question 14 to 19

Overview

Valid: 27724 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 11 - 92 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
11	Colombo	2890	10.4%
12	Gampaha	2543	9.2%
13	Kalutara	1715	6.2%
21	Kandy	1665	6%
22	Matale	864	3.1%

23	Nuwara Eliya	906	3.3%
31	Galle	1648	5.9%
32	Matara	1333	4.8%
33	Hambantota	1198	4.3%
41	Jaffna	0	0%
42	Mannar	0	0%
43	Vavuniya	0	0%
44	Mulativu	0	0%
45	Kilinochchi	0	0%
51	Batticaloa	552	2%
52	Ampara	1037	3.7%
53	Trincomalee	590	2.1%
61	Kurunegala	2257	8.1%
62	Puttalama	1139	4.1%
71	Anuradhapura	1477	5.3%
72	Polonnaruwa	668	2.4%
81	Badulla	1332	4.8%
82	Monaragala	830	3%
91	Ratnapura	1830	6.6%
92	Kegalle	1250	4.5%

PSU: Census Block Number

Data file: 2009-Question 14 to 19

Overview

Valid: 27724 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 215 Mean: 61.468 Standard deviation: 45.998
Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 215 Format: Numeric

HUNO: Household Sample Reference Number

Data file: 2009-Question 14 to 19

Overview

Valid: 27724 Invalid: 0
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		2906	10.5%

2		2822	10.2%
3		2754	9.9%
4		2839	10.2%
5		2766	10%
6		2671	9.6%
7		2807	10.1%
8		2734	9.9%
9		2732	9.9%
10		2693	9.7%

HHNO: Household Number

Data file: 2009-Question 14 to 19

Overview

Valid: 27724 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 5 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		27518	99.3%
2		180	0.6%
3		22	0.1%
4		3	0%
5		1	0%

HHSERNO: Household Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 14 to 19

Overview

Valid: 27724 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 184 Mean: 50.812 Standard deviation: 38.297
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 184 Format: Numeric

Q14SERNO: Person's Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 14 to 19

Overview

Valid: 27724 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 17 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		12981	46.8%
2		7191	25.9%
3		4272	15.4%
4		1912	6.9%
5		746	2.7%
6		335	1.2%
7		181	0.7%
8		64	0.2%
9		26	0.1%
10		8	0%
11		3	0%
12		3	0%
13		1	0%
17		1	0%

Q14: Registered under EPF or IRD

Data file: 2009-Question 14 to 19

Overview

Valid: 20580 Invalid: 7144

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	5270	25.6%
2	No	14073	68.4%
3	Do not know	1237	6%
Sysmiss		7144	

Q15: Operate proper accounting system?

Data file: 2009-Question 14 to 19

Overview

Valid: 20580 Invalid: 7144
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	5281	25.7%
2	No	14205	69%
3	Do not know	1094	5.3%
Sysmiss		7144	

Q16: Number of employees

Data file: 2009-Question 14 to 19

Overview

Valid: 20580 Invalid: 7144
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 8 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Less than 5	3103	15.1%
2	5 to 9	903	4.4%
3	10 to 15	663	3.2%
4	16 to 49	917	4.5%
5	50 to 99	672	3.3%
6	100 or more	2265	11%
7	No specific institution	2075	10.1%
8	No paid employees/regular employees	9982	48.5%
Sysmiss		7144	

Q17: No. of hours usually work per week?

Data file: 2009-Question 14 to 19

Overview

Valid: 27724 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 99 Mean: 46.212 Standard deviation: 15.989
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 99 Format: Numeric

Q18: No.of hours actually work per week?**Data file: 2009-Question 14 to 19****Overview**

Valid: 27724 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 99 Mean: 39.716 Standard deviation: 20.443
Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 99 Format: Numeric

REC\$TYPE:**Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25****Overview**

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Width: 2 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
6		27723	100%

YEAR: Year**Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25****Overview**

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 2008 - 2009 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
2008		13	0%
2009		27710	100%

MONTH: Month**Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25****Overview**

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 12 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	January	2344	8.5%
2	February	2384	8.6%
3	March	2296	8.3%
4	April	2343	8.5%

5	May	2201	7.9%
6	June	2231	8%
7	July	2332	8.4%
8	August	2331	8.4%
9	September	2413	8.7%
10	October	2205	8%
11	November	2292	8.3%
12	December	2351	8.5%

SECTOR: Sector**Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25****Overview**

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Urban	3266	11.8%
2	Rural	22673	81.8%
3	Estate	1784	6.4%

DISTRICT: District**Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25****Overview**

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 11 - 92 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
11	Colombo	2890	10.4%
12	Gampaha	2543	9.2%
13	Kalutara	1715	6.2%
21	Kandy	1665	6%
22	Matale	864	3.1%

23	Nuwara Eliya	906	3.3%
31	Galle	1648	5.9%
32	Matara	1333	4.8%
33	Hambantota	1198	4.3%
41	Jaffna	0	0%
42	Mannar	0	0%
43	Vavuniya	0	0%
44	Mulativu	0	0%
45	Kilinochchi	0	0%
51	Batticaloa	552	2%
52	Ampara	1037	3.7%
53	Trincomalee	590	2.1%
61	Kurunegala	2257	8.1%
62	Puttalama	1139	4.1%
71	Anuradhapura	1477	5.3%
72	Polonnaruwa	668	2.4%
81	Badulla	1332	4.8%
82	Monaragala	830	3%
91	Ratnapura	1829	6.6%
92	Kegalle	1250	4.5%

PSU: Census Block Number

Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 215 Mean: 61.47 Standard deviation: 45.998
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 215 Format: Numeric

HUNO: Household Sample Reference Number

Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		2906	10.5%

2		2822	10.2%
3		2754	9.9%
4		2839	10.2%
5		2766	10%
6		2671	9.6%
7		2807	10.1%
8		2734	9.9%
9		2731	9.9%
10		2693	9.7%

HHNO: Household Number

Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 5 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		27517	99.3%
2		180	0.6%
3		22	0.1%
4		3	0%
5		1	0%

HHSERNO: Household Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 184 Mean: 50.813 Standard deviation: 38.298
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 184 Format: Numeric

Q20SERNO: Person's Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 17 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		12981	46.8%
2		7191	25.9%
3		4272	15.4%
4		1912	6.9%
5		746	2.7%
6		335	1.2%
7		180	0.6%
8		64	0.2%
9		26	0.1%
10		8	0%
11		3	0%
12		3	0%
13		1	0%
17		1	0%

Q20: Reason for working few hours than usual?

Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25

Overview

Valid: 7804 Invalid: 19919

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Off season / Bad weather	1383	17.7%
2	Temporary disorganization	418	5.4%
3	Could not find a work	1086	13.9%
4	Temporary lay-off	596	7.6%
5	Job started/end within reference period	331	4.2%
6	temporary dismissed by employer	21	0.3%
7	Sick injury / personal	1327	17%
8	Leave/ holiday/vacation/educational leave or training	1588	20.3%
9	Other	1054	13.5%

Sysmiss		19919	
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Q21: Engaged in a secondary occupation?

Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	2804	10.1%
2	No	24919	89.9%

Q22: What was you secondary occupation?

Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25

Overview

Valid: 2804 Invalid: 24919 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 9341 Mean: 6280.619 Standard deviation: 2007.912
Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 0 - 9341 Format: Numeric

Q23: What is the main production activity?

Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25

Overview

Valid: 2804 Invalid: 24919 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 9600 Mean: 1893.414 Standard deviation: 2764.108
Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 0 - 9600 Format: Numeric

Q24: Status of occupation?

Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25

Overview

Valid: 2804 Invalid: 24919
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 0 - 4 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
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0		1	0%
1	Employee	516	18.4%
2	Employer	68	2.4%
3	Own account worker	1650	58.8%
4	Unpaid family worker	569	20.3%
Sysmiss		24919	

Q25: No. of hours of working?

Data file: 2009-Question 20 to 25

Overview

Valid: 2804 Invalid: 24919 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 99 Mean: 19.806 Standard deviation: 12.14
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 99 Format: Numeric

REC\$TYPE:**Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30****Overview**

Valid: 24289 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Width: 2 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
7		24289	100%

YEAR: Year**Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30****Overview**

Valid: 24289 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 2008 - 2009 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
2008		10	0%
2009		24279	100%

MONTH: Month**Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30****Overview**

Valid: 24289 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 12 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	January	2065	8.5%
2	February	2027	8.3%
3	March	1978	8.1%
4	April	2104	8.7%

5	May	1966	8.1%
6	June	1927	7.9%
7	July	2044	8.4%
8	August	2049	8.4%
9	September	2102	8.7%
10	October	1942	8%
11	November	2023	8.3%
12	December	2062	8.5%

SECTOR: Sector

Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30

Overview

Valid: 24289 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Urban	2973	12.2%
2	Rural	19684	81%
3	Estate	1632	6.7%

DISTRICT: District

Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30

Overview

Valid: 24289 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 11 - 92 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
11	Colombo	2671	11%
12	Gampaha	2335	9.6%
13	Kalutara	1585	6.5%
21	Kandy	1471	6.1%
22	Matale	690	2.8%

23	Nuwara Eliya	809	3.3%
31	Galle	1469	6%
32	Matara	1163	4.8%
33	Hambantota	994	4.1%
41	Jaffna	0	0%
42	Mannar	0	0%
43	Vavuniya	0	0%
44	Mulativu	0	0%
45	Kilinochchi	0	0%
51	Batticaloa	523	2.2%
52	Ampara	961	4%
53	Trincomalee	538	2.2%
61	Kurunegala	1924	7.9%
62	Puttalama	993	4.1%
71	Anuradhapura	1091	4.5%
72	Polonnaruwa	554	2.3%
81	Badulla	1051	4.3%
82	Monaragala	689	2.8%
91	Ratnapura	1619	6.7%
92	Kegalle	1159	4.8%

PSU: Census Block Number

Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30

Overview

Valid: 24289 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 215 Mean: 62.209 Standard deviation: 46.344
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 215 Format: Numeric

HUNO: Household Sample Reference Number

Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30

Overview

Valid: 24289 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		2497	10.3%

2		2478	10.2%
3		2405	9.9%
4		2507	10.3%
5		2400	9.9%
6		2340	9.6%
7		2480	10.2%
8		2408	9.9%
9		2412	9.9%
10		2362	9.7%

HHNO: Household Number

Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30

Overview

Valid: 24289 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 5 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		24104	99.2%
2		159	0.7%
3		22	0.1%
4		3	0%
5		1	0%

HHSERNO: Household Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30

Overview

Valid: 24289 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 184 Mean: 51.508 Standard deviation: 38.681
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 184 Format: Numeric

Q26SERNO: Person's Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30

Overview

Valid: 24289 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 17 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		10763	44.3%
2		6475	26.7%
3		3933	16.2%
4		1802	7.4%
5		716	2.9%
6		326	1.3%
7		172	0.7%
8		60	0.2%
9		26	0.1%
10		8	0%
11		3	0%
12		3	0%
13		1	0%
17		1	0%

Q261: No. of hours usually work per week?

Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30

Overview

Valid: 24289 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 99 Mean: 46.665 Standard deviation: 15.914
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 99 Format: Numeric

Q262: No. of hours actually work per week?

Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30

Overview

Valid: 20732 Invalid: 3557 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 99 Mean: 44.226 Standard deviation: 19.075
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 99 Format: Numeric

Q27: Would you like to work longer period?

Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30

Overview

Valid: 4156 Invalid: 20133
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	1151	27.7%
2	No	3005	72.3%
Sysmiss		20133	

Q28: How would you like to work?

Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30

Overview

Valid: 1151 Invalid: 23138

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

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	In the present occupation/economic activity	523	45.4%
2	Doing an another occupation while doing the present occupati	187	16.2%
3	Fully in another occupation	213	18.5%
4	Any of the above	228	19.8%
Sysmiss		23138	

Q29: How many extra working hours?

Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30

Overview

Valid: 1151 Invalid: 23138 Minimum: 2 Maximum: 84 Mean: 26.419 Standard deviation: 12.165

Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 2 - 84 Format: Numeric

Q30: Are you ready to work within next two week?

Data file: 2009-Question 26 to 30

Overview

Valid: 1151 Invalid: 23138

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

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	1107	96.2%
2	No	44	3.8%
Sysmiss		23138	

REC\$TYPE:**Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32****Overview**

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Width: 2 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
8		27723	100%

YEAR: Year**Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32****Overview**

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 2008 - 2009 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
2008		13	0%
2009		27710	100%

MONTH: Month**Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32****Overview**

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 12 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	January	2344	8.5%
2	February	2384	8.6%
3	March	2296	8.3%
4	April	2343	8.5%

5	May	2201	7.9%
6	June	2231	8%
7	July	2332	8.4%
8	August	2331	8.4%
9	September	2413	8.7%
10	October	2205	8%
11	November	2292	8.3%
12	December	2351	8.5%

SECTOR: Sector

Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Urban	3266	11.8%
2	Rural	22673	81.8%
3	Estate	1784	6.4%

DISTRICT: District

Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 11 - 92 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
11	Colombo	2890	10.4%
12	Gampaha	2543	9.2%
13	Kalutara	1715	6.2%
21	Kandy	1665	6%
22	Matale	864	3.1%

23	Nuwara Eliya	906	3.3%
31	Galle	1648	5.9%
32	Matara	1333	4.8%
33	Hambantota	1198	4.3%
41	Jaffna	0	0%
42	Mannar	0	0%
43	Vavuniya	0	0%
44	Mulativu	0	0%
45	Kilinochchi	0	0%
51	Batticaloa	552	2%
52	Ampara	1037	3.7%
53	Trincomalee	590	2.1%
61	Kurunegala	2257	8.1%
62	Puttalama	1139	4.1%
71	Anuradhapura	1477	5.3%
72	Polonnaruwa	668	2.4%
81	Badulla	1332	4.8%
82	Monaragala	830	3%
91	Ratnapura	1829	6.6%
92	Kegalle	1250	4.5%

PSU: Census Block Number

Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 215 Mean: 61.47 Standard deviation: 45.998
Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 215 Format: Numeric

HUNO: Household Sample Reference Number

Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		2906	10.5%

2		2822	10.2%
3		2754	9.9%
4		2839	10.2%
5		2766	10%
6		2671	9.6%
7		2807	10.1%
8		2734	9.9%
9		2731	9.9%
10		2693	9.7%

HHNO: Household Number

Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 5 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		27517	99.3%
2		180	0.6%
3		22	0.1%
4		3	0%
5		1	0%

HHSERNO: Household Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 184 Mean: 50.813 Standard deviation: 38.298
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 184 Format: Numeric

Q31SERNO: Person's Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 17 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		12981	46.8%
2		7191	25.9%
3		4272	15.4%
4		1912	6.9%
5		746	2.7%
6		335	1.2%
7		180	0.6%
8		64	0.2%
9		26	0.1%
10		8	0%
11		3	0%
12		3	0%
13		1	0%
17		1	0%

Q31A: Are you an employee in the main occupation

Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	15977	57.6%
2	No	11746	42.4%

Q31B1: Gross salary - last month

Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32

Overview

Valid: 9560 Invalid: 18163 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 99999 Mean: 14569.379 Standard deviation: 11043.673

Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 5 Range: 0 - 99999 Format: Numeric

Q31B2: Additional earning - last month**Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32****Overview**

Valid: 1543	Invalid: 26180	Minimum: 0	Maximum: 60500	Mean: 3895.334	Standard deviation: 4678.63
Type: Continuous	Decimal: 0	Width: 5	Range: 0 - 60500	Format: Numeric	

Q31B3: Income in kind**Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32****Overview**

Valid: 917	Invalid: 26806	Minimum: 0	Maximum: 25500	Mean: 1713.353	Standard deviation: 2817.927
Type: Continuous	Decimal: 0	Width: 5	Range: 0 - 25500	Format: Numeric	

Q31C1: Daily wage**Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32****Overview**

Valid: 6303	Invalid: 21420	Minimum: 0	Maximum: 10000	Mean: 491.344	Standard deviation: 331.626
Type: Continuous	Decimal: 0	Width: 5	Range: 0 - 10000	Format: Numeric	

Q31C2: No.of days worked-last month**Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32****Overview**

Valid: 6315	Invalid: 21408	Minimum: 0	Maximum: 31	Mean: 17.083	Standard deviation: 5.98
Type: Continuous	Decimal: 0	Width: 2	Range: 0 - 31	Format: Numeric	

Q31C3: Total earning**Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32****Overview**

Valid: 6426	Invalid: 21297	Minimum: 0	Maximum: 99999	Mean: 8115.111	Standard deviation: 5494.574
Type: Continuous	Decimal: 0	Width: 5	Range: 0 - 99999	Format: Numeric	

Q31C4: Income in kind**Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32**

Overview

Valid: 1274 Invalid: 26449 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 10000 Mean: 696.662 Standard deviation: 934.146
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 5 Range: 0 - 10000 Format: Numeric

Q32: Are you an employee in the secondary occupation

Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32

Overview

Valid: 27723 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	516	1.9%
2	No	27207	98.1%

Q32B1: Gross salary- last month

Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32

Overview

Valid: 115 Invalid: 27608 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 72000 Mean: 7324.13 Standard deviation: 10662.97
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 5 Range: 0 - 72000 Format: Numeric

Q32B2: Additional earning -last month

Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32

Overview

Valid: 3 Invalid: 27720
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 5 Range: 0 - 0 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		3	100%
Sysmiss		27720	

Q32B3: Income in kind**Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32****Overview**

Valid: 7 Invalid: 27716

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 5 Range: 0 - 7000 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0		3	42.9%
100		1	14.3%
750		1	14.3%
1400		1	14.3%
7000		1	14.3%
Sysmiss		27716	

Q32C1: Daily wage**Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32****Overview**

Valid: 403 Invalid: 27320 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 6400 Mean: 532 Standard deviation: 419.205

Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 5 Range: 0 - 6400 Format: Numeric

Q32C2: No. of days worked- last month**Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32****Overview**

Valid: 397 Invalid: 27326 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 31 Mean: 9.635 Standard deviation: 5.239

Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 31 Format: Numeric

Q32C3: Total earning**Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32****Overview**

Valid: 392 Invalid: 27331 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 18400 Mean: 4679.406 Standard deviation: 2941.892

Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 5 Range: 0 - 18400 Format: Numeric

Q32C4: Income in kind**Data file: 2009-Question 31 to 32****Overview**

Valid: 87 Invalid: 27636 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 3450 Mean: 547.609 Standard deviation: 666.523
Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 5 Range: 0 - 3450 Format: Numeric

REC\$TYPE:**Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36****Overview**

Valid: 33116 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Width: 2 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
9		33116	100%

YEAR: Year**Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36****Overview**

Valid: 33116 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 2008 - 2009 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
2008		19	0.1%
2009		33097	99.9%

MONTH: Month**Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36****Overview**

Valid: 33116 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 12 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	January	2864	8.6%
2	February	2692	8.1%
3	March	2735	8.3%
4	April	2730	8.2%

5	May	2762	8.3%
6	June	2747	8.3%
7	July	2947	8.9%
8	August	2776	8.4%
9	September	2717	8.2%
10	October	2689	8.1%
11	November	2734	8.3%
12	December	2723	8.2%

SECTOR: Sector

Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36

Overview

Valid: 33116 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Urban	4871	14.7%
2	Rural	26739	80.7%
3	Estate	1506	4.5%

DISTRICT: District

Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36

Overview

Valid: 33116 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 11 - 92 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
11	Colombo	3654	11%
12	Gampaha	3325	10%
13	Kalutara	2130	6.4%
21	Kandy	2609	7.9%
22	Matale	939	2.8%

23	Nuwara Eliya	749	2.3%
31	Galle	2181	6.6%
32	Matara	1669	5%
33	Hambantota	1352	4.1%
41	Jaffna	0	0%
42	Mannar	0	0%
43	Vavuniya	0	0%
44	Mulativu	0	0%
45	Kilinochchi	0	0%
51	Batticaloa	952	2.9%
52	Ampara	1682	5.1%
53	Trincomalee	818	2.5%
61	Kurunegala	2555	7.7%
62	Puttalama	1372	4.1%
71	Anuradhapura	1238	3.7%
72	Polonnaruwa	731	2.2%
81	Badulla	1185	3.6%
82	Monaragala	689	2.1%
91	Ratnapura	1793	5.4%
92	Kegalle	1493	4.5%

PSU: Census Block Number

Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36

Overview

Valid: 33116 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 215 Mean: 62.629 Standard deviation: 46.293
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 215 Format: Numeric

HUNO: Household Sample Reference Number

Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36

Overview

Valid: 33116 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		3293	9.9%

2		3402	10.3%
3		3334	10.1%
4		3286	9.9%
5		3313	10%
6		3224	9.7%
7		3365	10.2%
8		3369	10.2%
9		3256	9.8%
10		3274	9.9%

HHNO: Household Number

Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36

Overview

Valid: 33116 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 5 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		32908	99.4%
2		186	0.6%
3		14	0%
4		7	0%
5		1	0%

HHSERNO: Household Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36

Overview

Valid: 33116 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 184 Mean: 51.322 Standard deviation: 38.162
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 184 Format: Numeric

Q33SERNO: Person's Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36

Overview

Valid: 33116 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 18 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		5694	17.2%
2		9986	30.2%
3		7620	23%
4		5406	16.3%
5		2712	8.2%
6		1090	3.3%
7		374	1.1%
8		132	0.4%
9		50	0.2%
10		23	0.1%
11		13	0%
12		6	0%
13		3	0%
14		2	0%
15		2	0%
16		1	0%
17		1	0%
18		1	0%

Q33: Paid job or self employment

Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36

Overview

Valid: 33116 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	2845	8.6%
2	No	30212	91.2%
3	Already employed	59	0.2%

Q34: Steps taken to find an employment**Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36****Overview**

Valid: 2845 Invalid: 30271

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

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	1735	61%
2	No	1110	39%
Sysmiss		30271	

Q351: What are the steps taken -1st**Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36****Overview**

Valid: 1709 Invalid: 31407

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Registered for a government job	262	15.3%
2	Registered in private sector institutions/Internet	205	12%
3	Replying for advertisement published	374	21.9%
4	Inquiring from known persons	646	37.8%
5	Taking action to find resources to start a self employment	142	8.3%
9	Other	80	4.7%
Sysmiss		31407	

Q352: What are the steps taken -2nd**Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36****Overview**

Valid: 541 Invalid: 32575

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Registered for a government job	0	0%
2	Registered in private sector institutions/Internet	68	12.6%
3	Replying for advertisement published	162	29.9%
4	Inquiring from known persons	277	51.2%
5	Taking action to find resources to start a self employment	26	4.8%
9	Other	8	1.5%
Sysmiss		32575	

Q353: What are the steps taken -3rd

Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36

Overview

Valid: 180 Invalid: 32936

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Registered for a government job	0	0%
2	Registered in private sector institutions/Internet	0	0%
3	Replying for advertisement published	40	22.2%
4	Inquiring from known persons	105	58.3%
5	Taking action to find resources to start a self employment	25	13.9%
9	Other	10	5.6%
Sysmiss		32936	

Q36: Reason for not taking action to find a job

Data file: 2009-Question 33 to 36

Overview

Valid: 1110 Invalid: 32006

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Awaiting results of the examination /interviews held for a j	51	4.6%
2	Does not believe that (s)he gets a suitable job	143	12.9%
3	Unable to find any work	187	16.8%
4	Does not posses skills or training required for a job	99	8.9%
5	Personal difficulties faced while finding a job	104	9.4%
6	Household work	240	21.6%
7	Educational activities	82	7.4%
9	Other	204	18.4%
Sysmiss		32006	

REC\$TYPE:**Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42****Overview**

Valid: 32057 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Width: 2 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
10		32057	100%

YEAR: Year**Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42****Overview**

Valid: 32057 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 2008 - 2009 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
2008		18	0.1%
2009		32039	99.9%

MONTH: Month**Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42****Overview**

Valid: 32057 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 12 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	January	2771	8.6%
2	February	2600	8.1%
3	March	2668	8.3%
4	April	2636	8.2%

5	May	2661	8.3%
6	June	2669	8.3%
7	July	2846	8.9%
8	August	2693	8.4%
9	September	2623	8.2%
10	October	2576	8%
11	November	2670	8.3%
12	December	2644	8.2%

SECTOR: Sector

Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42

Overview

Valid: 32057 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Urban	4753	14.8%
2	Rural	25856	80.7%
3	Estate	1448	4.5%

DISTRICT: District

Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42

Overview

Valid: 32057 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 11 - 92 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
11	Colombo	3589	11.2%
12	Gampaha	3245	10.1%
13	Kalutara	2095	6.5%
21	Kandy	2523	7.9%
22	Matale	904	2.8%

23	Nuwara Eliya	745	2.3%
31	Galle	2102	6.6%
32	Matara	1610	5%
33	Hambantota	1304	4.1%
41	Jaffna	0	0%
42	Mannar	0	0%
43	Vavuniya	0	0%
44	Mulativu	0	0%
45	Kilinochchi	0	0%
51	Batticaloa	872	2.7%
52	Ampara	1616	5%
53	Trincomalee	781	2.4%
61	Kurunegala	2462	7.7%
62	Puttalama	1325	4.1%
71	Anuradhapura	1183	3.7%
72	Polonnaruwa	697	2.2%
81	Badulla	1158	3.6%
82	Monaragala	660	2.1%
91	Ratnapura	1702	5.3%
92	Kegalle	1484	4.6%

PSU: Census Block Number

Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42

Overview

Valid: 32057 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 215 Mean: 62.846 Standard deviation: 46.457
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 215 Format: Numeric

HUNO: Household Sample Reference Number

Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42

Overview

Valid: 32057 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		3168	9.9%

2		3307	10.3%
3		3211	10%
4		3184	9.9%
5		3201	10%
6		3116	9.7%
7		3268	10.2%
8		3262	10.2%
9		3159	9.9%
10		3181	9.9%

HHNO: Household Number

Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42

Overview

Valid: 32057 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 5 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		31854	99.4%
2		181	0.6%
3		14	0%
4		7	0%
5		1	0%

HHSERNO: Household Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42

Overview

Valid: 32057 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 184 Mean: 51.541 Standard deviation: 38.315
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 184 Format: Numeric

Q37SERNO: Person's Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42

Overview

Valid: 32057 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 18 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		5570	17.4%
2		9653	30.1%
3		7304	22.8%
4		5218	16.3%
5		2640	8.2%
6		1078	3.4%
7		364	1.1%
8		130	0.4%
9		48	0.1%
10		23	0.1%
11		13	0%
12		6	0%
13		3	0%
14		2	0%
15		2	0%
16		1	0%
17		1	0%
18		1	0%

Q37: Are you ready to accept a job

Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42

Overview

Valid: 1786 Invalid: 30271

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

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	1747	97.8%
2	No	39	2.2%
Sysmiss		30271	

Q38: Reason for not accepting?**Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42****Overview**

Valid: 30251 Invalid: 1806

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Educational or vocational training activities	11397	37.7%
2	Household activities	11498	38%
3	Retired/Old age	5045	16.7%
4	Physically illness /Disabled	1714	5.7%
9	Other	597	2%
Sysmiss		1806	

Q39: Expect self employment or paid job?**Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42****Overview**

Valid: 1806 Invalid: 30251

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Self employment	201	11.1%
2	Paid employment	1231	68.2%
3	Any employment	374	20.7%
Sysmiss		30251	

Q40: Where do you expect to have a job?**Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42****Overview**

Valid: 1231 Invalid: 30826

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

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Public Sector	452	36.7%
2	Semi-government Sector	20	1.6%
3	Private Sector	208	16.9%
4	Any Sector	551	44.8%
Sysmiss		30826	

Q41A: Do you expect any help for self-employment?

Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42

Overview

Valid: 196 Invalid: 31861

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

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	172	87.8%
2	No	24	12.2%
Sysmiss		31861	

Q41B1: What assistance you Expect - 1st

Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42

Overview

Valid: 172 Invalid: 31885

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	getting a loan facility	128	74.4%
2	An institution/aperson to get the neccessary knowledge	8	4.7%
3	Facilities to sell the production	9	5.2%
4	Capital resoures such as land/machinery	11	6.4%

5	Not decided yet	8	4.7%
9	Other	8	4.7%
Sysmiss		31885	

Q41B2: What assistance you Expect - 2nd

Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42

Overview

Valid: 67 Invalid: 31990

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	getting a loan facility	0	0%
2	An institution/aperson to get the neccessary knowledge	29	43.3%
3	Facilities to sell the production	22	32.8%
4	Capital resoures such as land/machinery	13	19.4%
5	Not decided yet	1	1.5%
9	Other	2	3%
Sysmiss		31990	

Q41B3: What assistance you Expect - 3rd

Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42

Overview

Valid: 36 Invalid: 32021

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	getting a loan facility	0	0%
2	An institution/aperson to get the neccessary knowledge	0	0%
3	Facilities to sell the production	18	50%
4	Capital resoures such as land/machinery	16	44.4%
5	Not decided yet	1	2.8%
9	Other	1	2.8%

Sysmiss		32021	
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■ Q42: Describe the nature of the employment

Data file: 2009-Question 37 to 42

Overview

Valid: 1425 Invalid: 30632 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 9341 Mean: 4881.004 Standard deviation: 2587.503
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 0 - 9341 Format: Numeric

REC\$TYPE:**Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46****Overview**

Valid: 1805 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Width: 2 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
11		1805	100%

YEAR: Year**Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46****Overview**

Valid: 1805 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 2008 - 2009 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
2008		1	0.1%
2009		1804	99.9%

MONTH: Month**Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46****Overview**

Valid: 1805 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 12 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	January	132	7.3%
2	February	152	8.4%
3	March	150	8.3%
4	April	168	9.3%

5	May	163	9%
6	June	145	8%
7	July	169	9.4%
8	August	133	7.4%
9	September	164	9.1%
10	October	144	8%
11	November	145	8%
12	December	140	7.8%

SECTOR: Sector

Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46

Overview

Valid: 1805 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Urban	246	13.6%
2	Rural	1516	84%
3	Estate	43	2.4%

DISTRICT: District

Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46

Overview

Valid: 1805 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 11 - 92 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
11	Colombo	132	7.3%
12	Gampaha	126	7%
13	Kalutara	75	4.2%
21	Kandy	173	9.6%
22	Matale	52	2.9%

23	Nuwara Eliya	20	1.1%
31	Galle	147	8.1%
32	Matara	142	7.9%
33	Hambantota	144	8%
41	Jaffna	0	0%
42	Mannar	0	0%
43	Vavuniya	0	0%
44	Mulativu	0	0%
45	Kilinochchi	0	0%
51	Batticaloa	50	2.8%
52	Ampara	89	4.9%
53	Trincomalee	55	3%
61	Kurunegala	134	7.4%
62	Puttalama	68	3.8%
71	Anuradhapura	63	3.5%
72	Polonnaruwa	44	2.4%
81	Badulla	62	3.4%
82	Monaragala	45	2.5%
91	Ratnapura	91	5%
92	Kegalle	93	5.2%

PSU: Census Block Number

Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46

Overview

Valid: 1805 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 214 Mean: 59.201 Standard deviation: 43.81
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 214 Format: Numeric

HUNO: Household Sample Reference Number

Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46

Overview

Valid: 1805 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		181	10%

2		173	9.6%
3		179	9.9%
4		197	10.9%
5		176	9.8%
6		173	9.6%
7		175	9.7%
8		203	11.2%
9		189	10.5%
10		159	8.8%

HHNO: Household Number

Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46

Overview

Valid: 1805 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		1796	99.5%
2		9	0.5%

HHSERNO: Household Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46

Overview

Valid: 1805 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 182 Mean: 49.143 Standard deviation: 35.855
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 182 Format: Numeric

Q43SERNO: Person's Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46

Overview

Valid: 1805 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		211	11.7%
2		342	18.9%
3		694	38.4%
4		363	20.1%
5		127	7%
6		45	2.5%
7		15	0.8%
8		4	0.2%
9		1	0.1%
10		2	0.1%
11		1	0.1%

Q43: What is the minimum salary/income expected?

Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46

Overview

Valid: 1804 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 99000 Mean: 13745.659 Standard deviation: 8485.017
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 5 Range: 1 - 99000 Format: Numeric

Q44: How long have you been looking for a job?

Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46

Overview

Valid: 1804 Invalid: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	less than 6 months	632	35%
2	Between 6-12 months	399	22.1%
3	One year or more	773	42.8%
Sysmiss		1	

Q45: Obtained professional/technical training?

Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46

Overview

Valid: 1804 Invalid: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	533	29.5%
2	No	1271	70.5%
Sysmiss		1	

Q46B1: Feild of training- 1st

Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46

Overview

Valid: 533 Invalid: 1272 Minimum: 111 Maximum: 983 Mean: 587.428 Standard deviation: 269.412
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 111 - 983 Format: Numeric

Q46C1: Nature of certificate received - 1st

Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46

Overview

Valid: 533 Invalid: 1272
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	General Certificate	370	69.4%
2	Diploma Certificate	147	27.6%
3	Higher Diploma Certificate	16	3%
Sysmiss		1272	

Q46D1: Institution - 1st

Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46

Overview

Valid: 533 Invalid: 1272 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 99 Mean: 30.762 Standard deviation: 18.791
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 99 Format: Numeric

Q46E1: Duration - 1st**Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46****Overview**

Valid: 533 Invalid: 1272 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 99 Mean: 13.398 Standard deviation: 18.627
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 99 Format: Numeric

Q46B2: Feild of training - 2nd**Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46****Overview**

Valid: 112 Invalid: 1693 Minimum: 122 Maximum: 983 Mean: 664.848 Standard deviation: 257.83
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 122 - 983 Format: Numeric

Q46C2: Nature of certificate received -2nd**Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46****Overview**

Valid: 112 Invalid: 1693
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	General Certificate	79	70.5%
2	Diploma Certificate	31	27.7%
3	Higher Diploma Certificate	2	1.8%
Sysmiss		1693	

Q46D2: Institutaion - 2nd**Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46****Overview**

Valid: 112 Invalid: 1693 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 47 Mean: 30.946 Standard deviation: 18.403
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 47 Format: Numeric

Q46E2: Duration - 2nd**Data file: 2009-Question 43 to 46**

Overview

Valid: 112 Invalid: 1693 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 99 Mean: 10.375 Standard deviation: 13.173
Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 99 Format: Numeric

REC\$TYPE:**Data file: 2009-Question 47 to 50****Overview**

Valid: 1793 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Width: 2 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
12		1793	100%

YEAR: Year**Data file: 2009-Question 47 to 50****Overview**

Valid: 1793 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 2008 - 2009 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
2008		1	0.1%
2009		1792	99.9%

MONTH: Month**Data file: 2009-Question 47 to 50****Overview**

Valid: 1793 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 12 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	January	134	7.5%
2	February	150	8.4%
3	March	151	8.4%
4	April	168	9.4%

5	May	163	9.1%
6	June	144	8%
7	July	167	9.3%
8	August	130	7.3%
9	September	160	8.9%
10	October	143	8%
11	November	143	8%
12	December	140	7.8%

SECTOR: Sector

Data file: 2009-Question 47 to 50

Overview

Valid: 1793 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Urban	243	13.6%
2	Rural	1507	84%
3	Estate	43	2.4%

DISTRICT: District

Data file: 2009-Question 47 to 50

Overview

Valid: 1793 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 11 - 92 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
11	Colombo	132	7.4%
12	Gampaha	126	7%
13	Kalutara	75	4.2%
21	Kandy	173	9.6%
22	Matale	52	2.9%

23	Nuwara Eliya	20	1.1%
31	Galle	144	8%
32	Matara	140	7.8%
33	Hambantota	143	8%
41	Jaffna	0	0%
42	Mannar	0	0%
43	Vavuniya	0	0%
44	Mulativu	0	0%
45	Kilinochchi	0	0%
51	Batticaloa	50	2.8%
52	Ampara	87	4.9%
53	Trincomalee	54	3%
61	Kurunegala	132	7.4%
62	Puttalama	68	3.8%
71	Anuradhapura	63	3.5%
72	Polonnaruwa	44	2.5%
81	Badulla	62	3.5%
82	Monaragala	45	2.5%
91	Ratnapura	91	5.1%
92	Kegalle	92	5.1%

PSU: Census Block Number

Data file: 2009-Question 47 to 50

Overview

Valid: 1793 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 214 Mean: 59.02 Standard deviation: 43.878
Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 214 Format: Numeric

HUNO: Household Sample Reference Number

Data file: 2009-Question 47 to 50

Overview

Valid: 1793 Invalid: 0
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		179	10%

2		172	9.6%
3		178	9.9%
4		197	11%
5		177	9.9%
6		171	9.5%
7		174	9.7%
8		203	11.3%
9		187	10.4%
10		155	8.6%

HHNO: Household Number

Data file: 2009-Question 47 to 50

Overview

Valid: 1793 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		1784	99.5%
2		9	0.5%

HHSERNO: Household Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 47 to 50

Overview

Valid: 1793 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 182 Mean: 49.129 Standard deviation: 35.778
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 1 - 182 Format: Numeric

Q47SERNO: Person's Serial Number

Data file: 2009-Question 47 to 50

Overview

Valid: 1793 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		217	12.1%
2		337	18.8%
3		686	38.3%
4		361	20.1%
5		127	7.1%
6		43	2.4%
7		14	0.8%
8		4	0.2%
9		1	0.1%
10		2	0.1%
11		1	0.1%

Q47: Why not able to get training?

Data file: 2009-Question 47 to 50

Overview

Valid: 1275 Invalid: 518

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Thinking that the higher education she/he received is adequa	260	20.4%
2	Didn't relative the imporatance of such training for a job	419	32.9%
3	Financial difficulties to get an appropriate formal training	197	15.5%
4	Non-availability of training projects or training institutio	104	8.2%
5	Not have confidence on the training institution available in	7	0.5%
6	Getting a training at present	79	6.2%
9	Other	209	16.4%
Sysmiss		518	

Q48: Engaged work during last 2 weeks?

Data file: 2009-Question 47 to 50

Overview

Valid: 1791 Invalid: 2

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

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	747	41.7%
2	No	1044	58.3%
Sysmiss		2	

Q49: The main activities performed?

Data file: 2009-Question 47 to 50

Overview

Valid: 747 Invalid: 1046 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 9341 Mean: 6208.7 Standard deviation: 2493.991
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 0 - 9341 Format: Numeric

Q50: Status of previous employment?

Data file: 2009-Question 47 to 50

Overview

Valid: 747 Invalid: 1046
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1 Range: 1 - 4 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Paid employee	650	87%
2	Employer	5	0.7%
3	Own account worker	74	9.9%
4	Contributing to family works	18	2.4%
Sysmiss		1046	

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