

Sri Lanka - Census of Public Sector and Corporation Sector Employment - 1990

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TITLE

Census of Public Sector and Corporation Sector Employment - 1990

COUNTRY

Name	Country code
Sri Lanka	LKA

STUDY TYPE

Labor Force Survey [hh/lfs]

SERIES INFORMATION

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ABSTRACT

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The first census conducted by the Department of Census and Statistics on Public and Corporation Sector Employment was in 1980 and the second in 1985. The information collected at these three censuses were obtained through postal medium by an individual questionnaire filled personally by the employees.

A provincial public service was created by the government in 1990 by a section of the public sector employees being absorbed in to the Provincial Public Service. These employees are employed under the provincial councils. A special feature of the Census of Public & Corporation Sector Employment conducted in 1990 was that, apart from the public sector and the corporation sector, information on the provincial public sector employment have also been collected in this census.

Listing of all the institutions under these three sectors, was done in 1989 with a view of a complete coverage. This operation was somewhat delayed due to the organizational changes in the administrative set up, which was mainly due to the transfers of employees to Provincial Councils from the State Sector (Central Government) institutions in January 1990. At this point of time officials of some of the provincial councils were not aware of the institutions coming under each provincial council as well as the numbers of the employees working under them. This had an adverse effect in obtaining the estimated numbers of employees under each provincial council. These numbers were obtained from the Ministry of Provincial Councils based on the reports of Salaries and Cadres Committee. A list of all the institutions coming under each Ministry of Central Government was prepared along with the estimated number of employees in them. Institutions include Ministry offices, Departments, Corporations, Authorities, boards and Public Private Companies. A list of provincial councils along with the respective Ministries and Offices under each of them was also prepared.

KIND OF DATA

Census/enumeration data [cen]

UNIT OF ANALYSIS

Employees in the the public sector and the corporation sector (information on the provincial public sector employment have also been collected in this census).

Version

VERSION DESCRIPTION

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

VERSION DATE

2009-06-30

Scope

NOTES

Following themes have been covered in the Census:

1. Demographic Characteristics - Location and type of place of work, Sex, Ethnicity, Religion, Age, Marital status
2. Details about the occupation
3. Educational qualifications
5. Salary details
6. Leave Details
8. Mode of travel

TOPICS

Topic	Vocabulary	URI
employment [3.1]	CESSDA	Link

Coverage

GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

National coverage including institutions in the Northern and Eastern Provinces.

Total number of employees covered in the census in all three sectors was 700,592 persons.

The sectors being (i) State Sector (ii) Provincial Public Sector and (iii) Semi-Government Sector.

(i) The State Sector includes all the Ministries, Departments and the institutions not coming under any Ministry of the Central Government.

(ii) The Provincial Public Sector includes all the Ministries and institutions under the provincial councils.

(iii) The Semi-Government Sector includes all the Corporations, Boards, Authorities, State Banks, Public Private Companies and Local Authorities.

(Note:-Public-Private company is a company in which some percentage of shares is owned by the State.)

The employees in the following categories are included in the census.

(i) Permanent. (ii) Casual (iii) Temporary. (iv) Pensioner, re-employed.

The employees in the following categories are not included in the Census.

(i) The personnel attached to armed forces (Army, Navy and Air force) except for civilian staff. (ii) The field labourers in the state owned estates.

It was not possible to obtain the estimated number of employees from some of the local authorities under the provincial councils. One of the difficulties faced in the census was getting the estimates for the number of employees as at 2nd May 1990, in both State Sector and Provincial Public Sector institutions, because of the premature stage of the functioning of the Provincial Public Sector in general.

The other major problem faced was that receiving the filled questionnaires from the institutions in the Northern and the Eastern Provinces. Nearly 53,000 questionnaires were dispatched to the North-Eastern Provincial Council for the distribution among the employees. However only about 18,500 filled questionnaires were returned from the North-Eastern Provincial Council back to the Department of Census and Statistics. Further a relatively low response was reported even in some of the Central Government, institutions located in the Northern and the Eastern provinces. i.e.

1. State Banks
2. Postal Department
3. Railway Department etc.

The social background of the employees as reflected in the census could have been affected to some extent. owing to this

under enumeration.

Coverage rates:

Ministry Offices

No of institutions = 28

Estimated No of Employees = 8,474

Enumerated No of employees = 7,248

Coverage Rate = 88.5

Departments

No of institutions = 149

Estimated No of Employees = 217,025

Enumerated No of employees = 191,177

Coverage Rate = 88.1

Corporations, Boards

No of institutions = 167

Estimated No of Employees = 230,292

Enumerated No of employees = 212,561

Coverage Rate = 92.3

Public Private Companies

No of institutions = 43

Estimated No of Employees = 35,642

Enumerated No of employees = 33,574

Coverage Rate = 94.2

Local Authorities

No of institutions = --

Estimated No of Employees = --

Enumerated No of employees = 33,448

Coverage Rate = --

Provincial Councils

No of institutions = 8

Estimated No of Employees = 281,713

Enumerated No of employees = 222,584

Coverage Rate = 79.0

UNIVERSE

All employees in the Central Government Public Sector/ Corporations/Statutory Boards and 'Public-Private' companies in Sri Lanka.

Producers and sponsors

PRIMARY INVESTIGATORS

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

FUNDING AGENCY/SPONSOR

Name	Abbreviation	Role
Department of Census and Statistics	DCS	Source of funds

Data Collection

DATES OF DATA COLLECTION

Start
1990-05-02

DATA COLLECTION MODE

Face-to-face [f2f]

DATA COLLECTION NOTES

A responsible officer was appointed from each of the institutions to liaise with the Department of Census and Statistics regarding the activities in connection with the census. These coordinating officers held the responsibility for all the activities starting from, preparing the estimates of number of employees in his institution, to returning of the questionnaires filled by the respective employees to the Department of Census and Statistics.

A responsible officer was also appointed from each provincial council to coordinate with the Department of Census and Statistics with regard to the distribution of questionnaires, collection of filled questionnaires and returning them to the Department of Census and Statistics. He was responsible for coordinating these activities with all the institutions under his provincial council and with the Census Department.

The listing operation faced another difficulty when the functions of cabinet Ministries were reallocated in 1990. The list of institutions had to be revised to suit the current situation after the reallocation. This has happened amidst the distribution of the questionnaires and has disturbed the scheme of work to some extent.

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Questionnaires

QUESTIONNAIRES

The questionnaire was printed in all three languages Sinhala, Tamil and English. The format of the questionnaire used to fill the details of the employees in the Central Government is the same as the one used for Provincial Public Sector.

Access policy

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Department of Census and Statistice	DCS	Ministry of Finance and Planning	Conducting the Census

DATE OF METADATA PRODUCTION

2009-06-30

DDI DOCUMENT VERSION

Version 1.0 (June 2009)

Data Dictionary

Data file	Cases	Variables
CPE1990	700578	29

Data file: CPE1990

Cases: 700578

Variables: 29

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V1	SERIAL	SERIAL	
V2	MINISTRY	(i) MINISTRY	
V3	DEPARTMENT	(ii) DEPARTMENT	
V4	DISTRICT	(ii) DISTRICT	
V5	SEX	Q2. SEX	
V6	AGE	Q3. AGE	Age as at last blrthday
V7	MARITAL	Q4. MARITAL	
V8	ETHNICITY	Q5. ETHNICITY	
V9	RELIGION	Q6. RELIGION	
V10	OCCUPATION	Q7a. OCCUPATION	Q7.a Designation (without using abbreviations write designation in full)
V11	SERVICE	Q7b. SERVICE	Q7.b Service (service to which you belong) Class/Grade/segment eg. General Clerical Service Class II Seg. A)
V12	APPOINTMENT	Q8. APPOINTMENT	Q9. Year and month of first appointment
V13	APPOINT_YEAR	Q9a. APPOINT_YEAR	
V14	APPOINT_MTH	Q9b. APPOINT_MTH	
V15	HIGHST_EDU	Q10. HIGHST_EDU	Q10 Highest educational qualification Highest grade passed or Highest Educational Quaklification obtained. eg. (1)Passed Grade 8 (2)GCE Advanced Level (Science/Arts/Commerce)(3)Post Graduate Diploma in Education
V16	TECH_QUAL	Q12. TECH_QUAL	Q11 Vocational/Tech/Prof. qualifications Special courses followed with more than 6 months duration (State name in full. Do not use abbreviations) eg. Teacher Training (Science) National Certificate in Draughtmanship
V17	BASIC	Q12.a BASIC	Q12.1 Basic salary
V18	COL	Q12.b COL	Q12.2 Cost of living allowance
V19	ALLOWNCS	Q12.c ALLOWNCS	Q12.3 All other allowances
V20	TOTAL	Q12.d TOTAL	Q12.4 Total
V21	DIST_WRKPL	Q13. DIST_WRKPL	Q13 Distance to place of work from the residence from where you travel to work
V22	TRANSPT_WKPL	Q14. TRANSPT_WKPL	Q14. Principal mode of travel
V23	CASUAL	Q15a. CASUAL	Q15. No of days leave taken in 1989 (Consult your leave clerk before filling this cage)
V24	VACATION	Q15b. VACAT	
V25	MEDICAL	Q15c. MEDI	
V26	NOPAY	Q15d. NOPAY	
V27	OTHER	Q15e. OTH	
V28	SECTOR	SECTOR	
V29	BALANCE	BALANCE	

Total: 29

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OCCUPATION: Q7a. OCCUPATION**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

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Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Q7.a Designation (without using abbreviations write designation in full)

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9321		63	0%

9322		2376	0.3%
9331		4867	0.7%
9332		72	0%
9333		2	0%
9334		9151	1.3%
9341		60634	8.7%

Description

DEFINITION

Classification of Occupations

The classification of occupations used in this Census was based on the International Standard Classification of Occupation (ISCO) 1988 revision. In the previous censuses, however, ISCO - 68 revision had been used to classify the occupations. In ISCO - 88 revision all occupations have been categorized into nine major groups.

Major Group 1 - Legislators, Senior Officials and Managers

This group of occupations covers the persons who are involved in planning, formulating and deciding on policies. Hence policy makers Administrators and Managers are categorized under this group. The core content of this group is identical with that of major group "Administrative and Managerial Workers" in ISCO - 68, but occupations with similar tasks classified under other ISCO - 68 major groups have also been added in this group.

Major Group 2 - Professionals

This major group includes the occupations whose main tasks require a high level of professional knowledge and experience in related fields. For example Doctors, Pharmacists, Nurses and Midwives are taken under the "Professional" category in the health Sector. According to ISCO - 88, Teachers at all levels are also classified under this major group. All occupations classified under this major group were classified under the major group "Professional, Technical and related workers" in ISCO - 68.

Major Group 3 - Technicians and Associate Professionals

This major group covers the occupations which require the experience and knowledge necessary to assume operational responsibility and to give technical support to the administrators and the professionals in the major groups 1 and 2. The core content of this major group consists of occupations which were classified under the major group Professional, Technical and related Workers" in ISCO 68. Occupations with skill requirement at a similar level which were classified under other ISCO - 68 major groups, such as major group - 3 "Clerical and related workers" and major group 4 - "Sales workers" are also classified under this major group. This is a new major group introduced in the ISCO - 88 revision.

Major Group 4 - Clerks

This major group covers occupations whose main tasks require the knowledge and experience necessary in recording, organizing, storing and retrieving, information, computing, numerical, financial and statistical data and also performing a number of client oriented clerical duties. The core content of this group consists of the occupations that were classified under the major group as clerical and related workers" in ISCO - 68.

Major Group 5 - Service Workers and Shop and Market Sales Workers

This major group covers occupations whose main tasks require the knowledge and experience necessary to provide protective services and personal services related to travel, house keeping, catering and personal care or to sell and demonstrate goods for wholesale or retail shops and similar establishments. The core content of this group consists of occupations that were classified under the major groups "Sales Workers" and "Service Workers" in ISCO - 68.

Major Group 6 - Skilled Agricultural and Fishery Workers

This major group covers occupations whose main tasks require the knowledge and experience necessary to grow and harvest crops, breed, feed or hunt animals, catch or breed fish or cultivate or gather other forms of aquatic life. The core content of this group consists of occupations that were classified under the major group, "Agricultural, Animal husbandry and Forestry Workers, Fishermen and Hunters" in ISCO - 68. However this major group is not much significant in the Census of Public and Corporation Sector Employment in Sri Lanka.

Major Group 7 - Craft and Related Workers

This major group covers occupations whose tasks require the knowledge and experience necessary to extract and treat raw materials, manufactures and repair goods and construct, maintain and repair roads, structures and machinery. The core content of this group consists of occupations that were classified under major groups 7/8/9 "Production and related workers, Transport -Equipment Operators and Labourers," in ISCO - 68.

The Group 8 - Plant and Machine Operators and Assemblers

This major group covers occupations whose main tasks require the knowledge and experience necessary to operate vehicles and other mobile equipment, control and monitor the operations of industrial plant and machinery. The core content of this group consists of occupations that were classified under major group 7/8/9 "Production and related workers, Transport Equipment Operators, and Labourers," in ISCO - 68.

Major Group 9 - Elementary Occupations

This major group covers occupation with mostly simple and routine tasks, performed with physical effort and hand held simple tools with little initiative and judgment which needs simple knowledge and experience. The core content of this group consists of occupations that were classified under major groups 7/8/9 "Production and Related Workers, Transport Equipment Operators, and Labourers" in ISCO - 68 and occupations with skill requirement at a similar level classified under other ISCO - 68 major groups.

MINISTRY: (i) MINISTRY

Data file: CPE1990

Overview

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
00		2878	0.4%
01		20933	3%
02		176	0%
03		9653	1.4%
04		59324	8.5%
05		16433	2.3%
06		138	0%
07		34497	4.9%
08		2556	0.4%
09		2134	0.3%
10		604	0.1%
11		9346	1.3%
12		20376	2.9%
13		23876	3.4%
14		22255	3.2%
15		5772	0.8%
16		2787	0.4%

17		32380	4.6%
18		24229	3.5%
19		7135	1%
20		19181	2.7%
21		29661	4.2%
22		20952	3%
23		4268	0.6%
24		531	0.1%
25		2876	0.4%
26		8553	1.2%
27		59143	8.4%
28		1909	0.3%
51		67943	9.7%
52		37306	5.3%
53		31051	4.4%
54		18588	2.7%
55		38263	5.5%
56		16114	2.3%
57		19585	2.8%
58		27172	3.9%

DEPARTMENT: (ii) DEPARTMENT**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
00		7240	1%
01		44486	6.3%
02		16724	2.4%
03		31941	4.6%
04		15451	2.2%
05		2085	0.3%
06		75052	10.7%

07		64621	9.2%
08		44073	6.3%
09		29385	4.2%
10		13832	2%
11		940	0.1%
12		4815	0.7%
13		4971	0.7%
14		1447	0.2%
15		53214	7.6%
16		1169	0.2%
18		1326	0.2%
19		711	0.1%
20		33448	4.8%
22		486	0.1%
23		710	0.1%
24		57	0%
25		596	0.1%
26		49	0%
27		208	0%
28		1208	0.2%
29		814	0.1%
30		128	0%
31		10	0%
32		18	0%
33		217	0%
34		41	0%
35		2973	0.4%
36		23355	3.3%
37		39214	5.6%
38		16278	2.3%
39		1175	0.2%
40		11244	1.6%
41		4138	0.6%
42		5028	0.7%
43		1996	0.3%
44		341	0%
45		1934	0.3%
46		1906	0.3%
47		2003	0.3%

51		20856	3%
52		20163	2.9%
53		10456	1.5%
54		11193	1.6%
55		973	0.1%
56		3728	0.5%
57		11876	1.7%
58		3852	0.5%
59		2397	0.3%
60		4814	0.7%
61		2732	0.4%
62		24	0%
63		5	0%
64		112	0%
65		140	0%
66		237	0%
67		1068	0.2%
68		689	0.1%
69		726	0.1%
70		584	0.1%
71		2285	0.3%
72		634	0.1%
73		540	0.1%
76		1491	0.2%
77		1097	0.2%
78		574	0.1%
79		201	0%
80		499	0.1%
81		8648	1.2%
82		7192	1%
83		2098	0.3%
84		1577	0.2%
85		2510	0.4%
86		5545	0.8%
87		3057	0.4%
88		2947	0.4%

DISTRICT: (ii) DISTRICT**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0
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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
01	Colombo	209627	29.9%
02	Gampaha	59332	8.5%
03	Kalutara	29091	4.2%
04	Kandy	49681	7.1%
05	Matale	14799	2.1%
06	N-Eliya	20878	3%
07	Galle	25633	3.7%
08	Matara	22795	3.3%
09	Hambantota	16388	2.3%
10	Jaffna	9487	1.4%
11	Kilinochchi	1903	0.3%
12	Mannar	3130	0.4%
13	Vavuniya	1376	0.2%
14	Mullaitivu	11761	1.7%
15	Batticaloa	11588	1.7%
16	Ampara	11364	1.6%
17	Trincomalee	48824	7%
18	Kurunegala	18424	2.6%
19	Puttalam	29147	4.2%
20	Anuradhapura	13351	1.9%
21	Polonnarua	27503	3.9%
22	Badulla	11169	1.6%
23	Moneragala	27341	3.9%
24	Ratnapura	23590	3.4%
25	Kegalle	2396	0.3%
50	Outside Sri Lanka	0	0%
99	Unspecified	0	0%

SEX: Q2. SEX**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Width: 1 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Male	492729	70.3%
2	Female	207849	29.7%

AGE: Q3. AGE**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 18 Maximum: 99 Mean: 38.012 Standard deviation: 11.834
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 18 - 99 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Age as at last birthday

MARITAL: Q4. MARITAL**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Width: 1 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Never Married	185951	26.5%
2	Married	501464	71.6%
3	Widowed	7222	1%
4	Divorced	1829	0.3%
5	Legally Separated	1194	0.2%

6	Other	0	0%
9	Unspecified	2918	0.4%

ETHNICITY: Q5. ETHNICITY

Data file: CPE1990

Overview

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0
Type: Discrete Width: 1 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Sinhalese	622419	88.8%
2	Sri Lanka Tamil	50264	7.2%
3	Indian Tamil	2160	0.3%
4	Sri Lanka Moor	20274	2.9%
5	Burgher	1443	0.2%
6	Malay	2201	0.3%
7	Other	403	0.1%
9	Unspecified	1414	0.2%

RELIGION: Q6. RELIGION

Data file: CPE1990

Overview

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0
Type: Discrete Width: 1 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Buddhist	581075	82.9%
2	Hindu	41881	6%
3	Islam	22937	3.3%
4	Roman Catholic	43915	6.3%
5	Other Christian	6740	1%
6	Other	270	0%

9	Unspecified	3760	0.5%
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SERVICE: Q7b. SERVICE

Data file: CPE1990

Overview

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0
Type: Discrete Width: 2 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Q7.b Service (service to which you belong)

Class/Grade/segment

eg. General Clerical Service Class II Seg. A)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
00		640055	91.4%
01		287	0%
02		1107	0.2%
03		74	0%
04		153	0%
05		121	0%
06		571	0.1%
07		23	0%
08		168	0%
09		23	0%
10		261	0%
11		26	0%
12		127	0%
13		48	0%
14		259	0%
15		832	0.1%
16		67	0%
17		434	0.1%
18		67	0%
19		258	0%
20		703	0.1%
21		1004	0.1%

22		1445	0.2%
23		1532	0.2%
24		33	0%
25		88	0%
26		188	0%
27		629	0.1%
28		90	0%
29		644	0.1%
30		3357	0.5%
31		3692	0.5%
32		781	0.1%
33		1777	0.3%
34		5102	0.7%
35		535	0.1%
36		2811	0.4%
37		16274	2.3%
38		36	0%
39		279	0%
40		670	0.1%
41		52	0%
42		449	0.1%
43		2589	0.4%
44		41	0%
45		251	0%
46		55	0%
47		70	0%
48		48	0%
49		342	0%
50		405	0.1%
51		2679	0.4%
52		5091	0.7%
53		66	0%
54		37	0%
55		41	0%
56		12	0%
57		30	0%
58		160	0%
59		736	0.1%
60		105	0%

61		562	0.1%
62		125	0%
99		1	0%

APPOINTMENT: Q8. APPOINTMENT

Data file: CPE1990

Overview

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0
Type: Discrete Width: 1 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Q9. Year and month of first appointment

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Permanent Pensionable	365674	52.2%
2	Permanent PSPF/EPF	214818	30.7%
3	Permanent Pensionable PSPF/EPF	41103	5.9%
4	Temporary/Casual	46479	6.6%
5	Contract Basis	2507	0.4%
6	Other	21494	3.1%
9	Unspecified	8503	1.2%

APPOINT_YEAR: Q9a. APPOINT_YEAR

Data file: CPE1990

Overview

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 43 Maximum: 99 Mean: 79.486 Standard deviation: 9.672
Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 43 - 99 Format: Numeric

APPOINT_MTH: Q9b. APPOINT_MTH

Data file: CPE1990

Overview

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 99 Mean: 10.427 Standard deviation: 19.617
Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 1 - 99 Format: Numeric

HIGHST_EDU: Q10. HIGHST_EDU**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Width: 2 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Q10 Highest educational qualification

Highest grade passed or Highest Educational Qualification obtained.

eg. (1)Passed Grade 8 (2)GCE Advanced Level (Science/Arts/Commerce)(3)Post Graduate Diploma in Education

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
00		5225	0.7%
01		17011	2.4%
02		54414	7.8%
03		127978	18.3%
04		251840	35.9%
05		47432	6.8%
06		93523	13.3%
07		29672	4.2%
08		3685	0.5%
09		31121	4.4%
10		4667	0.7%
11		3019	0.4%
12		738	0.1%
13		429	0.1%
14		898	0.1%
15		31	0%
16		1341	0.2%
17		3838	0.5%
18		784	0.1%
19		173	0%
20		920	0.1%
21		481	0.1%
22		1042	0.1%
23		292	0%
24		384	0.1%

25		173	0%
26		35	0%
27		253	0%
28		138	0%
29		227	0%
30		1635	0.2%
31		275	0%
32		625	0.1%
33		69	0%
34		5132	0.7%
35		69	0%
36		70	0%
37		15	0%
38		71	0%
39		12	0%
40		134	0%
41		26	0%
42		28	0%
43		64	0%
44		77	0%
45		376	0.1%
46		81	0%
47		585	0.1%
48		149	0%
49		13	0%
50		67	0%
51		31	0%
52		42	0%
53		285	0%
54		26	0%
55		9	0%
56		256	0%
57		50	0%
58		33	0%
59		11	0%
60		242	0%
61		14	0%
62		11	0%
63		17	0%

64		10	0%
65		93	0%
66		12	0%
67		16	0%
68		6	0%
69		6	0%
70		15	0%
71		26	0%
72		7	0%
73		6	0%
74		22	0%
75		57	0%
77		14	0%
78		20	0%
79		38	0%
80		23	0%
81		5	0%
82		8	0%
84		255	0%
85		95	0%
86		63	0%
87		3	0%
88		54	0%
89		51	0%
90		34	0%
91		58	0%
92		54	0%
93		31	0%
94		360	0.1%
95		24	0%
96		4	0%
97		4	0%
99		6740	1%

TECH_QUAL: Q12. TECH_QUAL

Data file: CPE1990

Overview

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0

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

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Q11 Vocational/Tech/Prof. qualifications

Special courses followed with more than 6 months duration (State name in full. Do not use abbreviations)

eg. Teacher Training (Science)

National Certificate in Draughtmanship

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
'2		1	0%
00		549747	78.5%
01		113	0%
02		30	0%
03		78	0%
04		141	0%
05		193	0%
06		144	0%
07		93	0%
08		22	0%
09		32	0%
10		18	0%
11		68	0%
12		30	0%
13		1802	0.3%
14		292	0%
15		265	0%
16		122	0%
17		32	0%
18		21	0%
19		30	0%
20		35	0%
21		1103	0.2%
22		68	0%
23		32	0%
24		301	0%
25		19	0%
26		293	0%
27		168	0%

28		9	0%
29		16	0%
30		1848	0.3%
31		736	0.1%
32		187	0%
33		359	0.1%
34		1591	0.2%
35		1166	0.2%
36		1217	0.2%
37		53	0%
38		38	0%
39		182	0%
40		1154	0.2%
41		633	0.1%
42		1937	0.3%
43		108	0%
44		19	0%
45		111	0%
46		66	0%
47		3625	0.5%
48		102	0%
49		27	0%
50		69	0%
51		161	0%
52		161	0%
53		152	0%
54		51	0%
55		75	0%
56		49	0%
57		7987	1.1%
58		46469	6.6%
59		14414	2.1%
60		10521	1.5%
61		1484	0.2%
62		7156	1%
63		351	0.1%
64		74	0%
65		1514	0.2%
66		610	0.1%

67		517	0.1%
68		238	0%
69		15	0%
70		750	0.1%
71		568	0.1%
72		2982	0.4%
73		3537	0.5%
74		1782	0.3%
75		1495	0.2%
76		3981	0.6%
77		244	0%
78		86	0%
79		29	0%
80		74	0%
81		594	0.1%
82		13049	1.9%
83		5	0%
84		15	0%
85		7711	1.1%
98		1131	0.2%

BASIC: Q12.a BASIC**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

Valid: 616939 Invalid: 83639 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 99999 Mean: 6509.475 Standard deviation: 20884.653

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

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Q12.1 Basic salary

Description

DEFINITION

Q12 Total salary received in April 1990 without deductions (Do not include overtime, subsistence payments here)

COL: Q12.b COL**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

Valid: 598846 Invalid: 101732 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 9999 Mean: 1117.626 Standard deviation: 2494.369

Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 0 - 9999 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Q12.2 Cost of living allowance

ALLOWNCS: Q12.c ALLOWNCS**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

Valid: 522468 Invalid: 178110 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 9999 Mean: 1795.354 Standard deviation: 3489.329

Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 4 Range: 0 - 9999 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Q12.3 All other allowances

TOTAL: Q12.d TOTAL**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

Valid: 700540 Invalid: 38 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 99999 Mean: 2891.379 Standard deviation: 6793.765

Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 5 Range: 750 - 99999 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Q12.4 Total

DIST_WRKPL: Q13. DIST_WRKPL**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 999 Mean: 40.42 Standard deviation: 164.365

Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 0 - 999 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Q13 Distance to place of work from the residence from where you travel to work

TRANSPT_WKPL: Q14. TRANSPT_WKPL

Data file: CPE1990

Overview

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0
Type: Discrete Width: 1 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Q14. Principal mode of travel

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Unspecified	5799	0.8%
1	Walk	190071	27.1%
2	Bus	329828	47.1%
3	Train	19199	2.7%
4	Bus and Train	33780	4.8%
5	Private Mortor Car	83305	11.9%
6	Official Transport Facility	25993	3.7%
7	Motor Cycle	4790	0.7%
8	Bicycle	4348	0.6%
9	Other	3465	0.5%

CASUAL: Q15a. CASUAL

Data file: CPE1990

Overview

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 99 Mean: 25.957 Standard deviation: 31.3
Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 99 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Q15. No of days leave taken in 1989 (Consult your leave clerk before filling this cage)

VACATION: Q15b. VACAT**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 99 Mean: 22.905 Standard deviation: 32.977
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 99 Format: Numeric

MEDICAL: Q15c. MEDI**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 99 Mean: 21.887 Standard deviation: 33.75
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 2 Range: 0 - 99 Format: Numeric

NOPAY: Q15d. NOPAY**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

Valid: 700576 Invalid: 2 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 999 Mean: 174.78 Standard deviation: 354.443
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 0 - 999 Format: Numeric

OTHER: Q15e. OTH**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

Valid: 700571 Invalid: 7 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 999 Mean: 175.402 Standard deviation: 354.49
 Type: Continuous Decimal: 0 Width: 3 Range: 0 - 999 Format: Numeric

SECTOR: SECTOR**Data file: CPE1990****Overview**

Valid: 700578 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Width: 1 Range: - Format: character

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

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