Main Data Record

NOTE: SAS label appears in caps, while the actual question from the questionnaire appears in lower case. These data are found in SAS data set v1main.xXX, where XX = most updated SAS export file extension number.

Var Name	Len	Label	Comments
SECTION G: HOUSEHOLD UPDATE, CURRENT STUDENT STATUS, AND EMPLOYMENT HISTORY			
V1G1	1	CURRENT MARITAL STATUS QUESTION: G1. Are you currently single, married, separated, divorced or widowed?	1 = single/never married 2 = married → V1G3 3 = separated 4 = divorced 5 = widowed 8 = refused
V1G2	1	CURRENTLY LIVING W/ PARTNER QUESTION: G2. Are you currently living with a partner?	0 = no 1 = yes 8 = refused NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G1 ≠ 2
V1G3	2	# ADULT, INCLUDE SELF, LIVE IN HOUSE NOW QUESTION: G3. How many adults, including yourself, live in your house now?	Between 1 and 20
V1G4	2	# KID < 18 LIVE W/ HER NOW QUESTION: G4. How many children under age 18 live with you now?	Between 0 and 20
V1G5A	2	MONTH STOPPED WORKING QUESTION: G5. Since your last interview, on V1PRE8A V1PRE8B, V1PRE8C when did you stop working?	0 = wasn't working before having the baby → V1G7 between 1 and 12 13 = beginning of year winter 14 = end of year winter 15 = spring 16 = summer 17 = fall 18 = winter (not specified) 19 = mid year NOTE: this variable along with V1G5B and V1G5C should be used to construct date that she stopped working

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V1G5B	2	DAY STOPPED WORKING QUESTION: G5. Since your last interview, on V1PRE8A V1PRE8B, V1PRE8C when did you stop working?	Between 1 and 31 32 = beginning of the month 33 = middle of the month 34 = end of the month 35 = 1st week of the month 36 = 2nd week of the month 37 = 3rd week of the month 38 = 4th/last week of the month NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G5A = 0
V1G5C	4	DAY STOPPED WORKING QUESTION: G5. Since your last interview, on V1PRE8A V1PRE8B, V1PRE8C when did you stop working?	Between 2002 and 2007 NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G5A = 0
V1G6_1	1	PRENATAL PROVIDER TOLD HER TO STOP WORK QUESTION: G6. Why did you stop working? CHECK ALL THAT APPLY Option: prenatal provider told me to do so	0 = not checked 1 = checked 8 = don't know/refused NOTE: variables V1G6_1-V1G6_8 were constructed in SAS from Blaise variables V1G6A-V1G6H to account for each of the possible reasons why she stopped working. NOTE: variables V1G6_1-V1G6_8 should be used to construct any variables about why she stopped working because more than one reason may be indicated by the participant. NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G5A = 0
V1G6_2	1	SHE DIDN'T FEEL WELL ENOUGH TO WORK QUESTION: G6. Why did you stop working? CHECK ALL THAT APPLY Option: did not feel well enough to work	0 = not checked 1 = checked 8 = don't know/refused NOTE: variables V1G6_1-V1G6_8 were constructed in SAS from Blaise variables V1G6A-V1G6H to account for each of the possible reasons why she stopped working. NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G5A = 0

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V1G6_3	1	STOPPED WORK B/C WAS LET GO BY EMPLOYER QUESTION: G6. Why did you stop working? CHECK ALL THAT APPLY Option: was let go by employer	0 = not checked 1 = checked 8 = don't know/refused NOTE: variables V1G6_1-V1G6_8 were constructed in SAS from Blaise variables V1G6A-V1G6H to account for each of the possible reasons why she stopped working. NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G5A = 0
V1G6_4	1	STOPPED WORK B/C HAD MATERNITY LEAVE QUESTION: G6. Why did you stop working? CHECK ALL THAT APPLY Option: had maternity leave	0 = not checked 1 = checked 8 = don't know/refused NOTE: variables V1G6_1-V1G6_8 were constructed in SAS from Blaise variables V1G6A-V1G6H to account for each of the possible reasons why she stopped working. NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G5A = 0
V1G6_5	1	STOPPED WORK B/C HAD BABY QUESTION: G6. Why did you stop working? CHECK ALL THAT APPLY Option: had baby	0 = not checked 1 = checked 8 = don't know/refused NOTE: variables V1G6_1-V1G6_8 were constructed in SAS from Blaise variables V1G6A-V1G6H to account for each of the possible reasons why she stopped working. NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G5A = 0
V1G6_6	1	STOPPED WORK B/C MOVED OR CHANGED JOB QUESTION: G6. Why did you stop working? CHECK ALL THAT APPLY Option: moved or changed job	0 = not checked 1 = checked 8 = don't know/refused NOTE: variables V1G6_1-V1G6_8 were constructed in SAS from Blaise variables V1G6A-V1G6H to account for each of the possible reasons why she stopped working. NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G5A = 0

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V1G6_7	1	STOPPED WORK B/C DECIDED NOT TO WORK QUESTION: G6. Why did you stop working? CHECK ALL THAT APPLY Option: decided not to work	0 = not checked 1 = checked 8 = don't know/refused NOTE: variables V1G6_1-V1G6_8 were constructed in SAS from Blaise variables V1G6A-V1G6H to account for each of the possible reasons why she stopped working. NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G5A = 0
V1G6_8	1	STOPPED WORK B/C OTHER REASON QUESTION: G6. Why did you stop working? CHECK ALL THAT APPLY Option: other	0 = not checked 1 = checked 8 = don't know/refused NOTE: variables V1G6_1-V1G6_8 were constructed in SAS from Blaise variables V1G6A-V1G6H to account for each of the possible reasons why she stopped working. NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G5A = 0
V1G6T	100, Text	OTHER REASON STOPPED WORKING QUESTION: G6. Why did you stop working? CHECK ALL THAT APPLY Text for "other" response	NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G5A = 0 OR if V1G6_8 = 0 or V1G6_8 = 8
V1G7	1	WORK STATUS SINCE BIRTH OF BABY QUESTION: G7. Since the birth of your baby, what is your employment status?	1 = working 2 = in school → V1G10A 3 = working and in school 4 = at home (not working) → V1G12A 8 = refused → V1G12A *This variable dropped 16 September 2003*
V1G7A	1	SINCE BIRTH OF BABY, GO TO SCHOOL? QUESTION: G7a. Since the birth of your baby, have you gone back to school or become a new student?	0 = no → V1G7D 1 = yes *This variable added 16 September 2003*

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V1G7BA	2	MONTH RETURN/START SCHOOL QUESTION: G7b. On what date did you return to/begin school?	between 1 and 12 13 = beginning of year winter 14 = end of year winter 15 = spring 16 = summer 17 = fall 18 = winter (not specified) 19 = mid year NOTE: this variable along with V1G7BB and V1G7BC should be used to construct when she started school NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G7A = 0 *This variable added 16 September 2003*
V1G7BB	2	DAY RETURN/START SCHOOL QUESTION: G7b. On what date did you return to/begin school?	Between 1 and 31 32 = beginning of the month 33 = middle of the month 34 = end of the month 35 = 1st week of the month 36 = 2nd week of the month 37 = 3rd week of the month 38 = 4th/last week of the month NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G7A = 0 *This variable added 16 September 2003*
V1G7BC	4	YEAR RETURN/START SCHOOL QUESTION: G7b. On what date did you return to/begin school?	Between 2002 and 2007 NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G7A = 0 *This variable added 16 September 2003*
V1G7C	1	FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME STUDENT? QUESTION: G7c. Are you a full-time or part-time student?	1 = full-time 2 = part-time 8 = don't know/refused NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G7A = 0 *This variable added 16 September 2003*
V1G7D	1	SINCE BIRTH OF BABY, GO TO WORK? QUESTION: G7d. Since the birth of your baby, have you gone back to work or started a new job?	0 = no → V1G12C 1 = yes *This variable added 16 September 2003*

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V1G8A	2	MONTH BEGIN/RETURN TO WORK QUESTION: Wording prior to 16 September 2003: G8. After the birth of your baby, when did you return to work or start working? Wording 16 September 2003 and after: G8. After your baby was born, on what date did you start working?	between 1 and 12 13 = beginning of year winter 14 = end of year winter 15 = spring 16 = summer 17 = fall 18 = winter (not specified) 19 = mid year NOTE: this variable along with V1G8B and V1G8C should be used to construct date she began/returned to work NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G7 = 2 or V1G7 = 4 or V1G7 = 8 if version prior to 16 September 2003; this variable skipped if V1G7D = 0 if version 16 September 2003 or after
V1G8B	2	DAY BEGIN/RETURN TO WORK QUESTION: Wording prior to 16 September 2003: G8. After the birth of your baby, when did you return to work or start working? Wording 16 September 2003 and after: G8. After your baby was born, on what date did you start working?	Between 1 and 31 32 = beginning of the month 33 = middle of the month 34 = end of the month 35 = 1st week of the month 36 = 2nd week of the month 37 = 3rd week of the month 38 = 4th/last week of the month NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G7 = 2 or V1G7 = 4 or V1G7 = 8 if version prior to 16 September 2003; this variable skipped if V1G7D = 0 if version 16 September 2003 or after
V1G8C	4	YEAR BEGIN/RETURN TO WORK QUESTION: Wording prior to 16 September 2003: G8. After the birth of your baby, when did you return to work or start working? Wording 16 September 2003 and after: G8. After your baby was born, on what date did you start working?	Between 2002 and 2007 NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G7 = 2 or V1G7 = 4 or V1G7 = 8 if version prior to 16 September 2003; this variable skipped if V1G7D = 0 if version 16 September 2003 or after
V1G8A1	1	STILL WORKING? QUESTION: G8a. Are you still working?	0 = no → V1G12C 1 = yes NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G7D = 0 *This variable added 16 September 2003*

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V1G9	3	# HRS/WEEK WORK IN ALL JOBS NOW QUESTION: Wording prior to 16 September 2003 G9. How many hours per week do you work (in all jobs) right now? Wording 16 September 2003 and after: G9. How many hours per week do you work right now? If you have more than one job, please let me know how many total hours you are working.	Integer value NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G7 = 2 or V1G7 = 4 or V1G7 = 8 if version prior to 16 September 2003; this variable skipped if V1G7D = 0 OR if V1G8A1 = 0 if version 16 September 2003 or after NOTE: if V1G7 = 1 → V1G12A if version prior to 16 September 2003
V1G10A	2	MONTH RETURN TO/BEGIN SCHOOL QUESTION: G10. After the birth of your baby, when did you return to/begin school?	between 1 and 12 13 = beginning of year winter 14 = end of year winter 15 = spring 16 = summer 17 = fall 18 = winter (not specified) 19 = mid year NOTE: this variable along with V1G10B and V1G10C should be used to construct date she began/returned to school NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G7 = 1 or V1G7 = 4 or V1G7 = 8 *This variable dropped 16 September 2003*
V1G10B	2	DAY RETURN TO/BEGIN SCHOOL QUESTION: G10. After the birth of your baby, when did you return to/begin school?	Between 1 and 31 32 = beginning of the month 33 = middle of the month 34 = end of the month 35 = 1st week of the month 36 = 2nd week of the month 37 = 3rd week of the month 38 = 4th/last week of the month NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G7 = 1 or V1G7 = 4 or V1G7 = 8 *This variable dropped 16 September 2003*
V1G10C	4	DAY RETURN TO/BEGIN SCHOOL QUESTION: G10. After the birth of your baby, when did you return to/begin school?	Between 2002 and 2007 NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G7 = 1 or V1G7 = 4 or V1G7 = 8 *This variable dropped 16 September 2003*

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V1G11	1	STUDENT STATUS QUESTION: G11. What is your status as a student?	1 = full time 2 = part time 8 = don't know/refused NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G7 = 1 or V1G7 = 4 or V1G7 = 8 *This variable dropped 16 September 2003*
V1G12A	2	PAID HELP TO HELP CARE FOR CHILD QUESTION: G12a. Do you have any paid hired help on a routine basis to assist you in caring for your child? (Examples would be nannies or routine paid caretakers in the home. This does not include occasional evening babysitters or occasional unpaid help from relatives.)	0 = no 1 = yes → V1G13R 92 = this variable not yet added to interview *This variable added 3 June 2003.* *This variable dropped 16 September 2003*
V1G12B	2	CHILD ATTEND DAYCARE AT LEAST 2 DAYS/WK QUESTION: G12b. Does your child attend childcare at least two days per week?	0 = no 1 = yes 92 = this variable not yet added to interview NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G12A = 1 *This variable added 3 June 2003.* *This variable dropped 16 September 2003*
V1G12C	1	PAID/HIRED HELP ON REG BASIS CARE 4 BABY QUESTION: G12c. Do you have any paid or hired help on a regular basis to take care of your child? This could be a nanny or other caretaker in your home, or it could be in a day care center. This does not include occasional babysitters or occasional unpaid help from relatives.	0 = no → V1G12G if V1G7A = 1 OR if V1G8A1 = 1 → V1G12H if V1G7A ≠ 1 & V1G8A1 ≠ 1 1 = yes *This variable added 16 September 2003*
V1G12D	3	CLASS SIZE TAKEN CARE OF BY CAREGIVER QUESTION: G12d. About how many other children besides your own are taken care of by the same person or day care center? HERE WE REALLY WANT TO KNOW THE CLASS SIZE, NOT THE DAY CENTER SIZE	0 = caretaker comes to her house and takes care of only her child(ren) if V1G12D = 0 → V1G12G if V1G7A = 1 OR if V1G8A1 = 1 → V1G12H if V1G7A ≠ 1 & V1G8A1 ≠ 1 NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G12C = 0 *This variable added 16 September 2003*

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V1G12E	2	# CAREGIVERS AVAILABLE TO CARE FOR KIDS QUESTION: G12e. How many caregivers are available on a typical day to care for the number of children you just mentioned?	NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G12C = 0 OR if V1G12D = 0 *This variable added 16 September 2003*
V1G12F	1	LICENSED OR UNLICENSED CAREGIVER? QUESTION: G12f. Is it a licensed or unlicensed day care facility? For our purposes this is all we need to know.	1 = licensed 2 = unlicensed 8 = don't know NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G12C = 0 OR if V1G12D = 0 *This variable added 16 September 2003*
V1G12G	1	RELATIVES/FRIENDS CARE WHILE @ WORK/SCH QUESTION: G12g. Are there relatives or friends who care for your child while you are at work or school?	0 = no 1 = yes NOTE: this variable skipped V1G7A ≠ 1 & V1G8A1 ≠ 1 *This variable added 16 September 2003*
V1G12H	1	RELATIVES/FRIENDS CARE FOR FREE TIME QUESTION: G12h. Are there relatives or friends who care for your child to allow you to have time to run errands, schedule appointments, or have some free time to meet friends or exercise?	0 = no 1 = yes *This variable added 16 September 2003*
V1G13R	1	REPORT INCOME IN TERMS OF YEAR OF MONTH? QUESTION: G13. The next question is about your household income since the delivery of your baby. Again, these questions are confidential and won't be reported to anyone. In terms of your household income, is it easier for you to say how much your household made in a month or in a year?	1 = in a month 2 = in a year

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V1G13A	2	HOUSEHOLD INCOME AT 3 MONTH INTERVIEW QUESTION: G13a. I am going to read a list of monthly/yearly incomes. Be sure to include income from all sources, such as salary and wages before taxes, child support, interest, public assistance, and pensions. Please tell me to stop when I have reached your household's income level right now.	1 = 5,000 or less per year 2 = $5,001 - $7,500 3 = $7,501 - $10,000 4 = $10,001 - $12,500 5 = $12,501 - $15,000 6 = $15,001 - $20,000 7 = $20,001 - $25,000 8 = $25,001 - $30,000 9 = $30,001 – $35,000 10 = $35,001 – $40,000 11 = $40,001 – $50,000 12 = $50,001 – $60,000 13 = $60,001 – $75,000 14 = more than $75,001 15 = less than $400 per month 16 = $400 - $625 17 = $626 - $825 18 = $826 - $1,025 19 = $1,026 – $1,250 20 = $1,251 – $1,650 21 = $1,651 – $2,100 22 = $2,101 – $2,500 23 = $2,501 – $2,900 24 = $2,901 – $3,300 25 = $3,301 – $4,200 26 = $4,201 – $5,000 27 = $5,001 – $6,250 28 = more than $6,250 98 = don't know/refused NOTE: this variable constructed in SAS from two Blaise variables (V1G13A1 V1G13A2). These two Blaise variables were used because wording and response categories were specific to whether she could report in terms of monthly or yearly income. NOTE: if this variable ≠ 98 → V1H1

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V1G13B	2	WHAT IS PRE-TAX HOUSEHOLD INCOME QUESTION: G13b. Can you tell me if your pre-tax household income was...	Values for 2002: 1 = below $11940 per year (100%) 2 = between $11941 and $22090 (100%-185%) 3 = between $22091 and $63350 (185%-350%) 4 = above $63351 (>350%) 5 = below $1000 per month (100%) 6 = between $1001 and $1840 (100%-185%) 7 = between $1841 and $5280 (185%-350%) 8 = above $5281 (>350%) Values for 2003 (in place 13 May 2003): 1 = below $12120 per year (100%) 2 = between $12121 and $22422 (100%-185%) 3 = between $22423 and $64400 (185%-350%) 4 = above $64400 (> 350%) 5 = below $1010 per month (100%) 6 = between $1011 and $1870 (100%-185%) 7 = between $1871 and $5365 (185%-350%) 8 = above $5365 (> 350%) 98 = don't know/refused for all cases NOTE: this variable skipped if V1G13A $\neq$ 98