

# India - Household Consumer Expenditure, NSS 52th Round : July 1995 - June 1996, NSS 52nd Round

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## Overview

### Identification

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## Overview

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#### ABSTRACT

The National Sample Survey Organisation (NSSO) has been carrying out All-India surveys on consumer expenditure. While some of these smaller-scale surveys are spread over a full year and others over six months only, the quinquennial (full-scale) surveys have all been of a full year's duration. Household consumer expenditure is measured as the expenditure incurred by a household on domestic account during a specified period, called reference period. It includes the imputed values of goods and services, which are not purchased but procured otherwise for consumption. In other words, it is the sum total of monetary values of all the items (i.e. goods and services) consumed by the household on domestic account during the reference period. Any expenditure incurred towards the productive enterprises of the households is also excluded from household consumer expenditure. To minimise recall errors, a very detailed item classification is adopted to collect information, including items of food, items of fuel, items of clothing, bedding and footwear, items of educational and medical expenses, items of durable goods and other items. The schedule has also collected some other household particulars including age, sex and educational level etc. of each household member. The schedule design for the survey is more or less similar to that adopted in the previous rounds. The household consumer expenditure schedule used for the survey collected information on quantity and value of household consumption with a reference period of "last 7 days and 30 days" for some frequent items of consumption and "last 365 days" for some less frequently purchased items.

#### KIND OF DATA

Sample survey data [ssd]

#### UNITS OF ANALYSIS

Randomly selected households based on sampling procedure and members of the household

## Scope

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#### NOTES

The NSSO surveys on consumer expenditure aim to measure the household consumer expenditure in quantitative terms disaggregated by various household characteristics.

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Block-11.2 : Annual household expenditure on ceremonies has been recorded here.

Block-12 : Summary of household consumer expenditure has been recorded here.

## Coverage

### GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

The survey covered the whole of Indian Union except

(i) Ladakh and Kargil districts of Jammu & Kashmir,

(ii) interior villages of Nagaland (consistind of 71.2 % of total number of villages ) situated beyond 5 kms. of a bus route and

(iii) 35.5% villages of Andaman & Nicobar Islands which are inaccessible throughout the year.

### UNIVERSE

The survey used the interview method of data collection from a sample of randomly selected households and members of the household.

## Producers and Sponsors

### PRIMARY INVESTIGATOR(S)

Name	Affiliation
National Sample Survey Office	M/o Statistics and Programme Implementation(MOSPI),Government of India (GOI)

### OTHER PRODUCER(S)

Name	Affiliation	Role
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Name	Affiliation	Role
Survey Design Research Division	National Sample Survey Office	Questionnaire Design, Sampling methodology, Survey Reports
Field Operations Division	National Sample Survey Office	Field Work
Data Processing Division	National Sample Survey Office	Data Processing
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## Sampling

### Sampling Procedure

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As usual, a stratified two-stage design is adopted for the current round. The first-stage units are census villages in the rural sector (panchayat wards in case of Kerala) and the NSSO urban frame survey (UFS) blocks in the urban sector. The second-stage units are households in both the sectors.

**SAMPLING FRAME FOR FIRST STAGE UNITS :** The lists of census villages of 1991 census (1981 census list for J & K ) constitute the sampling frame for the rural sector. For Kerala, however, the list of panchayat wards has been used as the sampling frame for selection of panchayat wards in the rural sector. For Nagaland, the villages located within 5 kms. of a bus route constitute the sampling frame whereas, for Andaman & Nicobar Islands, the list of 'accessible' villages constitutes the sampling frame. For the urban sector, the lists of NSSO Urban Frame Survey (UFS) blocks have been considered as the sampling frame.

#### STRATIFICATION

**RURAL :** In the rural sector, each district is treated as a separate stratum. However, if the 1991 census population of the district is greater than or equal to 2 million (1.8 million population as per 1981 census for J & K ) , the districts is split into two or more strata, by grouping contiguous thesis to form strata. In Gujarat, in the case of districts extending over more than one NSS region, the part of a district falling within each NSS region forms a separate stratum.

**URBAN :** In the urban sector, strata are formed, within each NSS region, by grouping towns on the basis of the population size class of towns.

### Weighting

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Two different weights have been provided in each file in the data set. Details are as follows:-

1. Weight for each sub sample is stored in the variable name : Wgt\_SubSample
2. Combined subsample weight is stored in the variable name : Wgt\_Combined

# Questionnaires

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## Data Collection

### Data Collection Dates

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<b>Start</b>	<b>End</b>	<b>Cycle</b>
1995-07-01	1995-09-30	Sub Round 1
1995-10-01	1995-12-31	Sub Round 2
1996-01-01	1996-03-31	Sub Round 3
1996-04-01	1996-06-30	Sub Round 4

### Data Collection Mode

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Face-to-face [f2f]

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# Data Processing

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# Data Appraisal

No content available

## File Description

# Variable List

## Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

Content	Household characteristics like, household size, principal industry-occupation, social group, land possessed, primary source of energy used for cooking and lighting etc. have been recorded in these blocks.
Cases	48637
Variable(s)	42
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Primary key - unique identifier for identifying a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

## Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V41	HHID	Primary key - unique identifier for identifying a household	discrete	character	
V2	RoundSchedule	Round Schedule	discrete	character	Round Schedule
V3	State_Region	State Region	discrete	character	State Region
V42	State	State	discrete	character	State
V4	SubRound	Sub Round	discrete	character	Sub Round
V5	FlotNo	Flot No.	discrete	character	Flot No.
V33	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	Sample
V34	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	Sector
V35	Stratum	Stratum	discrete	character	Stratum
V36	District_Code	District Code	discrete	character	District Code
V37	Sub_Sample	Sub Sample	discrete	character	Sub Sample
V6	Vill_BlK_Slno	Village/Bl. Srl. No.	discrete	character	Village/Bl. Srl. No.
V7	Sample_Vill_BlK_No	Sample vill / Block No.	discrete	character	Sample vill / Block No.
V8	Second_Stratum	2nd stg strm / schedule type	discrete	character	2nd stg strm / Sch. Type
V9	Hhold_no	Sample Household No.	discrete	character	Sample Household No.
V10	Level	Level	discrete	character	Level
V11	Informant_Srl_No	Informant's Serial Number	discrete	character	Informant's Serial Number
V12	Resp_Code	Response Code	discrete	character	Response Code
V13	Survey_Code	Survey Code	discrete	character	Survey Code
V14	Substn_Code	Reason for substitution	discrete	character	Reason for substitution
V15	TimeToCanvass	Time taken to canvass sch.	discrete	character	How much time was taken to canvass schedule?
V16	DateOfSurvey	Date of survey	discrete	character	Date of survey
V17	B3_q1	Household size	contin	numeric	How many members are there in the household?
V18	B3_q2a	NIC Code	discrete	character	Which industry are the members of the household working in?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V19	B3_q2b	NCO Code	discrete	character	What is the occupation of the members of the household?
V20	B3_q3	Household type	discrete	character	
V43	HH_Type	Sector wise household type	discrete	character	
V21	B3_q4	Social Group Code	discrete	character	Which social group do you belong to? Do you come under scheduled caste or scheduled tribe or others category?
V22	B3_q5	Land possessed code	discrete	character	How much land does the household own?
V23	B3_q6	Percapita expenditure	contin	numeric	
V24	B3_q7	Dwelling unit	discrete	character	What is the dwelling unit status of the household? Is it owned, hired or anything else?
V25	B3_q8	Type of dwelling	discrete	character	What is the type of dwelling unit? Is it an independent house or flat or anything else?
V26	B3_q9	Type of structure	discrete	character	What kind of structure the dwelling unit has? Is it katcha or semi-pucca or pucca?
V27	B3_q10	Covered area	contin	numeric	How much is the covered are of the dwelling unit?
V28	B3_q11	Source of energy for cooking	discrete	character	What is the primary source of energy that is being used by the household for cooking?
V29	B3_q12	Source of energy for lighting	discrete	character	What is the primary source of energy that is being used by the household for lighting?
V30	B3_q13	Member taken meal outside	discrete	character	Do the members of the household take meals outside?
V31	B3_q14	Ceremony performed	discrete	character	Does the household perform any ceremony?
V32	B3_q15	Purchase from ration shop	discrete	character	Does the household purchase things from ration shop?
V38	Update_Code	Update code	discrete	character	Update code
V39	Wgt_SubSample	Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2)	contin	numeric	
V40	Wgt_Combined	Multiplier (combined)	contin	numeric	

**Block 4\_Person records**

Content	In this block detailed demographic particulars including age, sex, educational level, marital status, number of meals usually taken in a day etc. has been recorded.
Cases	238515
Variable(s)	39
Structure	Type: relational Keys: Person_key(Primary key - unique identifier for a member in a household), HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

**Variables**

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V82	Person_key	Primary key - unique identifier for a member in a household	discrete	character	
V80	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V44	RoundSchedule	Round Schedule	discrete	character	Round Schedule
V45	State_Region	State Region	discrete	character	State Region
V81	State	State	discrete	character	State
V46	SubRound	Sub Round	discrete	character	Sub Round
V47	FlotNo	Flot No.	discrete	character	Flot No.
V48	Vill_BlK_Slno	Village/Bl. Srl. No.	discrete	character	Village/Bl. Srl. No.
V72	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	Sample
V73	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	Sector
V74	Stratum	Stratum	discrete	character	Stratum
V75	District_Code	District Code	discrete	character	District Code
V76	Sub_Sample	Sub Sample	discrete	character	Sub Sample
V49	Sample_Vill_BlK_No	Sample vill / Block No.	discrete	character	Sample vill / Block No.
V50	Second_Stratum	2nd stg strm / schedule type	discrete	character	2nd stg strm / Sch. Type
V51	Hhold_no	Sample Household No.	discrete	character	Sample Household No.
V52	Level	Level	discrete	character	Level
V53	B4_q1	Serial No. of members	discrete	character	Serial No. of members
V54	B4_q3	Relation to Head Code	discrete	character	What is the relationship of the members of the household with the head of the household?
V55	B4_q4	Sex Code	discrete	character	Sex of the member of the household
V56	B4_q5	Age	contin	numeric	Age of the member of the household
V57	B4_q6	Marital Status Code	discrete	character	Marital status of the member of the household

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V58	B4_q7	General Education Code	discrete	character	Education level of the member of the household
V59	B4_q8	Usual Activity. Principal Status	discrete	character	Which industry has the member of the household usually worked in during the last one year?
V60	B4_q9	Usual Activity. Principal NIC code	discrete	character	Which industry has the member of the household worked in during the last one year?
V61	B4_q10	Usual Activity. Subsidiary Status	discrete	character	Which industry has the member of the household worked in subsidiary capacity during the last one year?
V62	B4_q11	Usual Activity. Subsidiary NIC code	discrete	character	Which industry has the member of the household worked in subsidiary capacity during the last one year?
V63	B4_q12	Weekly Activity. Status	discrete	character	Which industry has the member of the household worked in during the last 7 days?
V64	B4_q13	Weekly Activity NIC code	discrete	character	Which industry has the member of the household worked in during the last 7 days?
V65	B4_q14	Days Stayed away	contin	numeric	How many days has the member stayed away from home during the last 30 days?
V66	B4_q15	No. of Meals per day	contin	numeric	How many meals does the household usually take every day?
V67	B4_q16	Meals (School)	contin	numeric	How many free meals do the members of the household usually take from school?
V68	B4_q17	Meals (Employer)	contin	numeric	How many free meals do the members of the household usually take from the employer?
V69	B4_q18	Meals (Others)	contin	numeric	How many free meals do the members of the household usually take from other sources?
V70	B4_q19	Meals (Payment)	contin	numeric	How many meals do the members of the household usually take on payment basis?
V71	B4_q20	Meals (At Home)	contin	numeric	How many meals do the members of the household usually take at home?
V77	Update_Code	Update code	discrete	character	Update code
V78	Wgt_SubSample	Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2)	contin	numeric	
V79	Wgt_Combined	Multiplier (combined)	contin	numeric	

**Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items**

Content	In this block cash purchase and household consumption of food, pan, tobacco and intoxicants during the last 7 days have been recorded.
Cases	2210204
Variable(s)	26
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

**Variables**

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V107	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V83	RoundSchedule	Round Schedule	discrete	character	Round Schedule
V84	State_Region	State Region	discrete	character	State Region
V108	State	State	discrete	character	State
V85	SubRound	Sub Round	discrete	character	Sub Round
V86	FlotNo	Flot No.	discrete	character	Flot No.
V87	Vill_BlK_Slno	Village/Bl. Srl. No.	discrete	character	Village/Bl. Srl. No.
V99	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	Sample
V100	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	Sector
V101	Stratum	Stratum	discrete	character	Stratum
V102	District_Code	District Code	discrete	character	District Code
V103	Sub_Sample	Sub Sample	discrete	character	Sub Sample
V88	Sample_Vill_BlK_No	Sample vill / Block No.	discrete	character	Sample vill / Block No.
V89	Second_Stratum	2nd stg strm / schedule type	discrete	character	2nd stg strm / Sch. Type
V90	Hhold_no	Sample Household No.	discrete	character	Sample Household No.
V91	Level	Level	discrete	character	Level
V92	B5_q1	Block 5 Item Code	discrete	character	Block 5 Item Code
V93	B5_q3	Cash Purchase Quantity	contin	numeric	How much quantity of the item was purchased by the household in the last 7 days?
V94	B5_q4	Cash Purchase Value	contin	numeric	How much money was spent by the household on the purchase of the item in the last 7 days?
V95	B5_q5	Quantity of Home Grown Items Consumed	contin	numeric	How much quantity of the home grown item was consumed by the household in the last 7 days?
V96	B5_q6	Value of Home Grown Items Consumed	contin	numeric	Home grown item of how much value was consumed by the household in the last 7 days?
V97	B5_q7	Total consumption - Quantity	contin	numeric	



<b>ID</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Label</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Question</b>
V98	B5_q8	Total consumption - Value	contin	numeric	
V104	Update_Code	Update code	discrete	character	Update code
V105	Wgt_SubSample	Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2)	contin	numeric	
V106	Wgt_Combined	Multiplier (combined)	contin	numeric	

**Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light**

Content	In this block cash purchase and household consumption of fuel and light during the last 30 days have been recorded.
Cases	230625
Variable(s)	26
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

**Variables**

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V133	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V109	RoundSchedule	Round Schedule	discrete	character	Round Schedule
V110	State_Region	State Region	discrete	character	State Region
V134	State	State	discrete	character	State
V111	SubRound	Sub Round	discrete	character	Sub Round
V112	FlotNo	Flot No.	discrete	character	Flot No.
V113	Vill_BlK_Slno	Village/Bl. Srl. No.	discrete	character	Village/Bl. Srl. No.
V125	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	Sample
V126	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	Sector
V127	Stratum	Stratum	discrete	character	Stratum
V128	District_Code	District Code	discrete	character	District Code
V129	Sub_Sample	Sub Sample	discrete	character	Sub Sample
V114	Sample_Vill_BlK_No	Sample vill / Block No.	discrete	character	Sample vill / Block No.
V115	Second_Stratum	2nd stg strm / schedule type	discrete	character	2nd stg strm / Sch. Type
V116	Hhold_no	Sample Household No.	discrete	character	Sample Household No.
V117	Level	Level	discrete	character	Level
V118	B5_1_q1	Block 5.1 Item Code	discrete	character	Block 5.1 Item Code
V119	B5_1_q3	Cash Purchase Quantity	contin	numeric	How much quantity of the item was purchased by the household in the last 30 days?
V120	B5_1_q4	Cash Purchase Value	contin	numeric	How much money was spent by the household on the purchase of the item in the last 30 days?
V121	B5_1_q5	Quantity of Home Grown Items Consumed	contin	numeric	How much quantity of the home grown item was consumed by the household in the last 30 days?
V122	B5_1_q6	Value of Home Grown Items Consumed	contin	numeric	Home grown item of how much value was consumed by the household in the last 30 days?
V123	B5_1_q7	Total consumption - Quantity	contin	numeric	

<b>ID</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Label</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Question</b>
V124	B5_1_q8	Total consumption - Value	contin	numeric	
V130	Update_Code	Update code	discrete	character	Update code
V131	Wgt_SubSample	Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2)	contin	numeric	
V132	Wgt_Combined	Multiplier (combined)	contin	numeric	

**Block 6 Annual household expenditure on clothing**

Content	Annual household consumption of clothing has been recorded in this block.
Cases	195085
Variable(s)	26
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

**Variables**

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V160	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V135	RoundSchedule	Round Schedule	discrete	character	Round Schedule
V136	State_Region	State Region	discrete	character	State Region
V161	State	State	discrete	character	State
V137	SubRound	Sub Round	discrete	character	Sub Round
V138	FlotNo	Flot No.	discrete	character	Flot No.
V152	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	Sample
V153	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	Sector
V154	Stratum	Stratum	discrete	character	Stratum
V155	District_Code	District Code	discrete	character	District Code
V156	Sub_Sample	Sub Sample	discrete	character	Sub Sample
V139	Vill_BlK_Slno	Village/Bl. Srl. No.	discrete	character	Village/Bl. Srl. No.
V140	Sample_Vill_BlK_No	Sample vill / Block No.	discrete	character	Sample vill / Block No.
V141	Second_Stratum	2nd stg strm / schedule type	discrete	character	2nd stg strm / Sch. Type
V142	Hhold_no	Sample Household No.	discrete	character	Sample Household No.
V143	Level	Level	discrete	character	Level
V144	B6_q1	Block 6 Item Code	discrete	character	Clothing Item Code
V146	B6_q3	Cash Purchase Quantity	contin	numeric	How much quantity of the item was purchased by the household in the last 365 days?
V147	B6_q4	Cash Purchase Value	contin	numeric	How much money was spent by the household on the purchase of the item in the last 365 days?
V148	B6_q5	Quantity of Home Grown Items Consumed	contin	numeric	How much quantity of the home grown item was consumed by the household in the last 365 days?
V149	B6_q6	Value of Home Grown Items Consumed	contin	numeric	Home grown item of how much value was consumed by the household in the last 365 days?
V150	B6_q7	Total consumption - Quantity	contin	numeric	

<b>ID</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Label</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Question</b>
V151	B6_q8	Total consumption - Value	contin	numeric	
V157	Update_Code	Update code	discrete	character	Update code
V158	Wgt_SubSample	Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2)	contin	numeric	
V159	Wgt_Combined	Multiplier (combined)	contin	numeric	

**Block 7 Annual household expenditure on footwear**

Content	Annual household consumption of footwear has been recorded in this block.
Cases	72820
Variable(s)	26
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

**Variables**

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V186	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V162	RoundSchedule	Round Schedule	discrete	character	Round Schedule
V163	State_Region	State Region	discrete	character	State Region
V187	State	State	discrete	character	State
V164	SubRound	Sub Round	discrete	character	Sub Round
V165	FlotNo	Flot No.	discrete	character	Flot No.
V178	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	Sample
V179	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	Sector
V180	Stratum	Stratum	discrete	character	Stratum
V181	District_Code	District Code	discrete	character	District Code
V182	Sub_Sample	Sub Sample	discrete	character	Sub Sample
V166	Vill_BlK_Slno	Village/Bl. Srl. No.	discrete	character	Village/Bl. Srl. No.
V167	Sample_Vill_BlK_No	Sample vill / Block No.	discrete	character	Sample vill / Block No.
V168	Second_Stratum	2nd stg strm / schedule type	discrete	character	2nd stg strm / Sch. Type
V169	Hhold_no	Sample Household No.	discrete	character	Sample Household No.
V170	Level	Level	discrete	character	Level
V171	B7_q1	Block 7 Item Code	discrete	character	Footwear Item Code
V172	B7_q3	Cash Purchase Quantity	contin	numeric	How much quantity of the item was purchased by the household in the last 365 days?
V173	B7_q4	Cash Purchase Value	contin	numeric	How much money was spent by the household on the purchase of the item in the last 365 days?
V174	B7_q5	Quantity of Home Grown Items Consumed	contin	numeric	How much quantity of the home grown item was consumed by the household in the last 365 days?
V175	B7_q6	Value of Home Grown Items Consumed	contin	numeric	Home grown item of how much value was consumed by the household in the last 365 days?
V176	B7_q7	Total consumption - Quantity	contin	numeric	

<b>ID</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Label</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Question</b>
V177	B7_q8	Total consumption - Value	contin	numeric	
V183	Update_Code	Update code	discrete	character	Update code
V184	Wgt_SubSample	Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2)	contin	numeric	
V185	Wgt_Combined	Multiplier (combined)	contin	numeric	

## Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

Content	Household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services and rents and taxes during the last 30 days has been recorded in this block.
Cases	801115
Variable(s)	22
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

### Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V208	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V188	RoundSchedule	Round Schedule	discrete	character	Round Schedule
V189	State_Region	State Region	discrete	character	State Region
V209	State	State	discrete	character	State
V190	SubRound	Sub Round	discrete	character	Sub Round
V191	FlotNo	Flot No.	discrete	character	Flot No.
V192	Vill_Blkc_Slno	Village/Bl. Srl. No.	discrete	character	Village/Bl. Srl. No.
V200	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	Sample
V201	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	Sector
V202	Stratum	Stratum	discrete	character	Stratum
V203	District_Code	District Code	discrete	character	District Code
V204	Sub_Sample	Sub Sample	discrete	character	Sub Sample
V193	Sample_Vill_Blkc_No	Sample vill / Block No.	discrete	character	Sample vill / Block No.
V194	Second_Stratum	2nd stg strm / schedule type	discrete	character	2nd stg strm / Sch. Type
V195	Hhold_no	Sample Household No.	discrete	character	Sample Household No.
V196	Level	Level	discrete	character	Level
V197	B8_q1	Block 8 Item Code	discrete	character	Block 8 Item Code
V198	B8_q3	Value in cash	contin	numeric	How much money was spent by the household on the purchase of the item in the last 30 days?
V199	B8_q4	Value in cash and kind	contin	numeric	How much was spent by the household in cash & kind on the purchase of the item in the last 30 days?
V205	Update_Code	Update code	discrete	character	Update code
V206	Wgt_SubSample	Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2)	contin	numeric	
V207	Wgt_Combined	Multiplier (combined)	contin	numeric	



## Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

Content	Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services has been recorded here.
Cases	101714
Variable(s)	22
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

### Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V230	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V210	RoundSchedule	Round Schedule	discrete	character	Round Schedule
V211	State_Region	State Region	discrete	character	State Region
V231	State	State	discrete	character	State
V212	SubRound	Sub Round	discrete	character	Sub Round
V213	FlotNo	Flot No.	discrete	character	Flot No.
V222	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	Sample
V223	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	Sector
V224	Stratum	Stratum	discrete	character	Stratum
V225	District_Code	District Code	discrete	character	District Code
V226	Sub_Sample	Sub Sample	discrete	character	Sub Sample
V214	Vill_BlK_Slno	Village/Bl. Srl. No.	discrete	character	Village/Bl. Srl. No.
V215	Sample_Vill_BlK_No	Sample vill / Block No.	discrete	character	Sample vill / Block No.
V216	Second_Stratum	2nd stg strm / schedule type	discrete	character	2nd stg strm / Sch. Type
V217	Hhold_no	Sample Household No.	discrete	character	Sample Household No.
V218	Level	Level	discrete	character	Level
V219	B8_1_q1	Block 8.1 Item Code	discrete	character	Block 8.1 Item Code
V220	B8_1_q3	Value in cash	contin	numeric	How much money was spent by the household on the purchase of the item in the last 365 days?
V221	B8_1_q4	Value in cash and kind	contin	numeric	How much was spent by the household in cash & kind on the purchase of the item in the last 365 days?
V227	Update_Code	Update code	discrete	character	Update code
V228	Wgt_SubSample	Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2)	contin	numeric	
V229	Wgt_Combined	Multiplier (combined)	contin	numeric	

## Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

Content	Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services has been recorded here.
Cases	52721
Variable(s)	22
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

### Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V252	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V232	RoundSchedule	Round Schedule	discrete	character	Round Schedule
V233	State_Region	State Region	discrete	character	State Region
V253	State	State	discrete	character	State
V234	SubRound	Sub Round	discrete	character	Sub Round
V235	FlotNo	Flot No.	discrete	character	Flot No.
V244	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	Sample
V245	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	Sector
V246	Stratum	Stratum	discrete	character	Stratum
V247	District_Code	District Code	discrete	character	District Code
V248	Sub_Sample	Sub Sample	discrete	character	Sub Sample
V236	Vill_BlK_Slno	Village/Bl. Srl. No.	discrete	character	Village/Bl. Srl. No.
V237	Sample_Vill_BlK_No	Sample vill / Block No.	discrete	character	Sample vill / Block No.
V238	Second_Stratum	2nd stg strm / schedule type	discrete	character	2nd stg strm / Sch. Type
V239	Hhold_no	Sample Household No.	discrete	character	Sample Household No.
V240	Level	Level	discrete	character	Level
V241	B8_2_q1	Block 8.2 Item Code	discrete	character	Block 8.2 Item Code
V242	B8_2_q3	Value in cash	contin	numeric	How much money was spent by the household on the purchase of the item in the last 30 days?
V243	B8_2_q4	Value in cash and kind	contin	numeric	How much was spent by the household in cash & kind on the purchase of the item in the last 30 days?
V249	Update_Code	Update code	discrete	character	Update code
V250	Wgt_SubSample	Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2)	contin	numeric	
V251	Wgt_Combined	Multiplier (combined)	contin	numeric	

**Block 9 Annual household expenditure on durables**

Content	Annual household expenditure for purchase and construction (including repairs) of durable goods for domestic use has been recorded here.
Cases	94931
Variable(s)	31
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

**Variables**

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V283	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V254	RoundSchedule	Round Schedule	discrete	character	Round Schedule
V255	State_Region	State Region	discrete	character	State Region
V284	State	State	discrete	character	State
V256	SubRound	Sub Round	discrete	character	Sub Round
V257	FlotNo	Flot No.	discrete	character	Flot No.
V258	Vill_BlK_Slno	Village/Bl. Srl. No.	discrete	character	Village/Bl. Srl. No.
V275	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	Sample
V276	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	Sector
V277	Stratum	Stratum	discrete	character	Stratum
V278	District_Code	District Code	discrete	character	District Code
V279	Sub_Sample	Sub Sample	discrete	character	Sub Sample
V259	Sample_Vill_BlK_No	Sample vill / Block No.	discrete	character	Sample vill / Block No.
V260	Second_Stratum	2nd stg strm / schedule type	discrete	character	2nd stg strm / Sch. Type
V261	Hhold_no	Sample Household No.	discrete	character	Sample Household No.
V262	Level	Level	discrete	character	Level
V263	B9_q1	Block 9 Item Code	discrete	character	
V264	B9_q3	No. of First-hand purchase	contin	numeric	How many items were purchased through first hand purchase in the last 365 days?
V265	B9_q4	Whether Hire-purchase?	discrete	character	Whether item was hire-purchased?
V266	B9_q5	Value of First-hand purchase - in cash	contin	numeric	How much money was spent by the household on first hand purchase of the item in the last 365 days?
V267	B9_q6	Value of First-hand purchase - in cash & kind	contin	numeric	How much was spent by the household in cash and kind on first hand purchase of the item in the last 365 days?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V268	B9_q7	Cost of Raw material,service & repair - in cash	contin	numeric	How much was spent by the household in cash towards the cost of raw material, service & repair in the last 365 days?
V269	B9_q8	Cost of Raw material,service & repair - in cash & kind	contin	numeric	How much was spent by the household in cash & kind towards the cost of raw material, service & repair in the last 365 days?
V270	B9_q9	Total Expenditure - in cash	contin	numeric	
V271	B9_q10	Total Expenditure - in cash & kind	contin	numeric	
V272	B9_q11	No. of Second-hand purchase	contin	numeric	How many items were purchased through second hand purchase in the last 365 days?
V273	B9_q12	Value of Second-hand purchase - in cash	contin	numeric	How much was spent by the household in cash on second hand purchase of the item in the last 365 days?
V274	B9_q13	Value of Second-hand purchase - in cash & kind	contin	numeric	How much was spent by the household in cash & kind on second hand purchase of the item in the last 365 days?
V280	Update_Code	Update code	discrete	character	Update code
V281	Wgt_SubSample	Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2)	contin	numeric	
V282	Wgt_Combined	Multiplier (combined)	contin	numeric	

**Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food**

Content	Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food has been recorded here.
Cases	48463
Variable(s)	32
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

**Variables**

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V315	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V285	RoundSchedule	Round Schedule	discrete	character	Round Schedule
V286	State_Region	State Region	discrete	character	State Region
V316	State	State	discrete	character	State
V287	SubRound	Sub Round	discrete	character	Sub Round
V288	FlotNo	Flot No.	discrete	character	Flot No.
V307	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	Sample
V308	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	Sector
V309	Stratum	Stratum	discrete	character	Stratum
V310	District_Code	District Code	discrete	character	District Code
V311	Sub_Sample	Sub Sample	discrete	character	Sub Sample
V289	Vill_BlK_Slno	Village/Bl. Srl. No.	discrete	character	Village/Bl. Srl. No.
V290	Sample_Vill_BlK_No	Sample vill / Block No.	discrete	character	Sample vill / Block No.
V291	Second_Stratum	2nd stg strm / schedule type	discrete	character	2nd stg strm / Sch. Type
V292	Hhold_no	Sample Household No.	discrete	character	Sample Household No.
V293	Level	Level	discrete	character	Level
V294	B10_q1	Do all members get two square meals?	discrete	character	Do all members get two square meals?
V295	B10_q2_1	Month when not enough food	discrete	character	Which month or months the household did not enough food?
V296	B10_q2_2	Month when not enough food	discrete	character	Which month or months the household did not enough food?
V297	B10_q2_3	Month when not enough food	discrete	character	Which month or months the household did not enough food?
V298	B10_q2_4	Month when not enough food	discrete	character	Which month or months the household did not enough food?
V299	B10_q2_5	Month when not enough food	discrete	character	Which month or months the household did not enough food?
V300	B10_q2_6	Month when not enough food	discrete	character	Which month or months the household did not enough food?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V301	B10_q2_7	Month when not enough food	discrete	character	Which month or months the household did not enough food?
V302	B10_q2_8	Month when not enough food	discrete	character	Which month or months the household did not enough food?
V303	B10_q2_9	Month when not enough food	discrete	character	Which month or months the household did not enough food?
V304	B10_q2_10	Month when not enough food	discrete	character	Which month or months the household did not enough food?
V305	B10_q2_11	Month when not enough food	discrete	character	Which month or months the household did not enough food?
V306	B10_q3	Whether the question(Do all members get two square meals?)was actually asked from the informant	discrete	character	Whether the question(Do all members get two square meals?)was actually asked from the informant?
V312	Update_Code	Update code	discrete	character	Update code
V313	Wgt_SubSample	Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2)	contin	numeric	
V314	Wgt_Combined	Multiplier (combined)	contin	numeric	

**Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies**

Content	Block 11.1 (sub-sample 2 only) : Particulars of expenditure incurred on ceremonies by the household during the last 7 days prior to the date of survey : Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies has been recorded here.
Cases	295
Variable(s)	27
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

**Variables**

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V342	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V317	RoundSchedule	Round Schedule	discrete	character	Round Schedule
V318	State_Region	State Region	discrete	character	State Region
V343	State	State	discrete	character	State
V319	SubRound	Sub Round	discrete	character	Sub Round
V320	FlotNo	Flot No.	discrete	character	Flot No.
V334	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	Sample
V335	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	Sector
V336	Stratum	Stratum	discrete	character	Stratum
V337	District_Code	District Code	discrete	character	District Code
V338	Sub_Sample	Sub Sample	discrete	character	Sub Sample
V321	Vill_BlK_Slno	Village/Bl. Srl. No.	discrete	character	Village/Bl. Srl. No.
V322	Sample_Vill_BlK_No	Sample vill / Block No.	discrete	character	Sample vill / Block No.
V323	Second_Stratum	2nd stg strm / schedule type	discrete	character	2nd stg strm / Sch. Type
V324	Hhold_no	Sample Household No.	discrete	character	Sample Household No.
V325	Level	Level	discrete	character	Level
V326	B11_1_q2_1	Serial no. of ceremony	discrete	character	Serial no. of ceremony
V327	B11_1_q2_3	Code (Ceremony)	discrete	character	Which ceremony did the household perform during the last 7 days?
V328	B11_1_q2_4	Expenditure incurred on food	contin	numeric	How much expenditure was incurred on food in the ceremony?
V329	B11_1_q2_5	Expenditure incurred on fuel & light	contin	numeric	How much expenditure was incurred on fuel & light in the ceremony?
V330	B11_1_q2_6	Expenditure incurred on clothing & footwear	contin	numeric	How much expenditure was incurred on clothing & footwear in the ceremony?
V331	B11_1_q2_7	Expenditure incurred on miscellaneous goods & services	contin	numeric	How much expenditure was incurred on miscellaneous goods & services in the ceremony?

<b>ID</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Label</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Question</b>
V332	B11_1_q2_8	Expenditure incurred on durables	contin	numeric	How much expenditure was incurred on durables in the ceremony?
V333	B11_1_q2_9	Expenditure incurred - All	contin	numeric	
V339	Update_Code	Update code	discrete	character	Update code
V340	Wgt_SubSample	Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2)	contin	numeric	
V341	Wgt_Combined	Multiplier (combined)	contin	numeric	



**Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies**

Content	Block 11.2 (sub-sample 2 only): Particulars of expenditure incurred on ceremonies by the household during last 365 days prior to the date of survey : This block is similar to the earlier block i.e. block 11.1 except that the reference period for collection of information is 365 days prior to the date of survey instead of 7 days prior to the date of survey as in block 11.1. Annual household expenditure on ceremonies has been recorded here.
Cases	3789
Variable(s)	27
Structure	Type: relational Keys: HHID(Key to identify a household)
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

**Variables**

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V369	HHID	Key to identify a household	discrete	character	
V344	RoundSchedule	Round Schedule	discrete	character	Round Schedule
V345	State_Region	State Region	discrete	character	State Region
V370	State	State	discrete	character	State
V346	SubRound	Sub Round	discrete	character	Sub Round
V347	FlotNo	Flot No.	discrete	character	Flot No.
V361	Sample	Sample	discrete	character	Sample
V362	Sector	Sector	discrete	character	Sector
V363	Stratum	Stratum	discrete	character	Stratum
V364	District_Code	District Code	discrete	character	District Code
V365	Sub_Sample	Sub Sample	discrete	character	Sub Sample
V348	Vill_Blkc_Slno	Village/Bl. Srl. No.	discrete	character	Village/Bl. Srl. No.
V349	Sample_Vill_Blkc_No	Sample vill / Block No.	discrete	character	Sample vill / Block No.
V350	Second_Stratum	2nd stg strm / schedule type	discrete	character	2nd stg strm / Sch. Type
V351	Hhold_no	Sample Household No.	discrete	character	Sample Household No.
V352	Level	Level	discrete	character	Level
V353	B11_2_q2_1	Serial no. of ceremony	discrete	character	Serial no. of ceremony
V354	B11_2_q2_3	Code (Ceremony)	discrete	character	Which ceremony did the household perform during the last 365 days?
V355	B11_2_q2_4	Expenditure incurred on food	contin	numeric	How much expenditure was incurred on food in the ceremony?
V356	B11_2_q2_5	Expenditure incurred on fuel & light	contin	numeric	How much expenditure was incurred on fuel & light in the ceremony?
V357	B11_2_q2_6	Expenditure incurred on clothing & footwear	contin	numeric	How much expenditure was incurred on clothing & footwear in the ceremony?

<b>ID</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Label</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Question</b>
V358	B11_2_q2_7	Expenditure incurred on miscellaneous goods & services	contin	numeric	How much expenditure was incurred on miscellaneous goods & services in the ceremony?
V359	B11_2_q2_8	Expenditure incurred on durables	contin	numeric	How much expenditure was incurred on durables in the ceremony?
V360	B11_2_q2_9	Expenditure incurred - All	contin	numeric	
V366	Update_Code	Update code	discrete	character	Update code
V367	Wgt_SubSample	Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2)	contin	numeric	
V368	Wgt_Combined	Multiplier (combined)	contin	numeric	



## Primary key - unique identifier for identifying a household (HHID)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48637
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	

## Round Schedule (RoundSchedule)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48637
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

#### Literal question

Round Schedule

## State Region (State\_Region)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48637
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

#### Description

Regions are hierarchical domains of study below the level of State/ Union Territory in the NSS.

#### Literal question

State Region

## State (State)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48637
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

#### Literal question

State

## Sub Round (SubRound)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48637
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

#### Description

The survey period of one year of this round was divided into four sub-rounds of three months duration. Equal number of sample villages and blocks were allotted for survey in each of these four sub-rounds.

## Sub Round (SubRound)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

**Literal question**

Sub Round

## Flot No. (FlotNo)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 48637

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 5

**Literal question**

Flot No.

## Sample (Sample)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 48637

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

**Literal question**

Sample

## Sector (Sector)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 48637

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

**Description**

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

**Literal question**

Sector

## Stratum (Stratum)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 48637

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 2

**Description**

Within each district of a State/ UT, two basic strata were formed:

(i) rural stratum comprising of all rural areas of the district and (ii) urban stratum comprising of all the urban areas of the district.

**Literal question**

Stratum

## District Code (District\_Code)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48637
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

#### Literal question

District Code

## Sub Sample (Sub\_Sample)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48637
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

#### Description

An important feature of the NSS sampling design is that the total sample of first stage units is drawn in the form of two or more independent and parallel samples, termed as interpenetrating sub-samples. Each sub-sample is drawn by the same sampling scheme and is capable of providing valid estimates of the population parameters. The comparison of sub-sample wise estimates shows the margin of uncertainty associated with the combined sample estimate.

Interpenetrating sub-samples have been used in NSS (i) to obtain valid estimates from each sub-round (season) of the survey round, and (ii) to ensure that Central and State samples for any State/ UT cover independent and equally valid samples of units.

The samples surveyed by the NSSO staff are termed as Central sample and the matched samples surveyed by State Government staff are termed as State sample.

#### Literal question

Sub Sample

## Village/Bl. Srl. No. (Vill\_Blk\_Slno)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48637
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 5	

#### Literal question

Village/Bl. Srl. No.

## Sample vill / Block No. (Sample\_Vill\_Blk\_No)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48637
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

#### Literal question

Sample vill / Block No.

## 2nd stg strm / schedule type (Second\_Stratum)

## File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48637
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

2nd stg strm / Sch. Type

## Sample Household No. (Hhold\_no)

## File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48637
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Sample Household No.

## Level (Level)

## File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48637
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Level

## Informant's Serial Number (Informant\_Srl\_No)

## File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48605
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Literal question**

Informant's Serial Number

## Response Code (Resp\_Code)

## File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 47407
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

Response Code

**Interviewer instructions**

## Response Code (Resp\_Code)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

The type of informant, considering his cooperation and capability in providing the required information, will be recorded against this item in terms of specified response codes.

## Survey Code (Survey\_Code)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 48637  
Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

Survey Code

#### Interviewer instructions

Survey code : Whether the originally selected sample household has been surveyed or a substituted household has been surveyed will be indicated against this item by recording '1' if it is the originally selected sample household, and '2' if it is the substituted one. If neither the originally selected household nor the substituted household could be surveyed i.e., if the sample household was a casualty, code '3' would be recorded. In such cases only blocks 0,1, 2, 13 and 14 will be filled up and on the top of the front page of the schedule the word 'CASUALTY' will be written and underlined.

## Reason for substitution (Substn\_Code)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 1342  
Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

Reason for substitution

#### Interviewer instructions

Reason for substitution : For the originally selected sample household which could not be surveyed, the reason for its becoming a casualty will be recorded against this item in terms of the specified codes.

## Time taken to canvass sch. (TimeToCanvass)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 3

Valid cases: 48059  
Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

How much time was taken to canvass schedule?

## Date of survey (DateOfSurvey)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 6

Valid cases: 48518  
Invalid: 0



## Date of survey (DateOfSurvey)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Literal question

Date of survey

## Household size (B3\_q1)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 48591
Format: numeric	Invalid: 46
Width: 2	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 34
Range: 1-34	Mean: 4.9
	Standard deviation: 2.5

#### Description

Household :

A group of persons normally living together and taking food from a common kitchen constitutes a household. The word "normally" means that temporary visitors are excluded but temporary stay-aways are included. Thus a son or daughter residing in a hostel for studies is excluded from the household of his/her parents, but a resident employee or resident domestic servant or paying guest (but not just a tenant in the house) is included in the employer/host's household. "Living together" is usually given more importance than "sharing food from a common kitchen" in drawing the boundaries of a household in case the two criteria are in conflict; however, in the special case of a person taking food with his family but sleeping elsewhere (say in a shop or a different house) due to space shortage, the household formed by such a person's family members is taken to include the person also. Each inmate of a mess, hotel, boarding and lodging house, hostel, etc. is considered as a single-member household except that a family living in a hotel (say) is considered as one household only; the same applies to residential staff of such establishments.

Household size :

The size of a household is the total number of persons in the household.

#### Literal question

How many members are there in the household?

#### Interviewer instructions

The size of the sample household i.e., the total number of persons normally residing together (i.e., under the same roof) and taking food from the same kitchen (including temporary stayaways and excluding temporary visitors) will be recorded against this item. This number will be same as the last serial number recorded in column 1 of block 4.

## NIC Code (B3\_q2a)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 46466
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

#### Literal question

Which industry are the members of the household working in?

#### Interviewer instructions

## NIC Code (B3\_q2a)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

The description of the principal household industry-occupation will be recorded in the space provided. The right hand side of item 2 has been divided into two lines. The appropriate three digit industry code of the NIC 1987 will be recorded in the first line and the relevant occupation family of the NCO 1968 will be entered in the second line.

To determine the principal household industry-occupation, the general procedure to be followed is to list all the gainful occupations pursued by the members of the household excluding those employed by the household and paying guests (who in view of their staying and taking food in the household are considered as its normal members) during the one year period preceding the date of survey, no matter whether such occupations are pursued by the members in their principal or subsidiary (on the basis of earnings) capacity. Out of the occupations listed, that one which fetched the maximum earnings to the household during the last 365 days preceding the date of survey would be considered as the principal household occupation. It is quite possible that the household occupation, thus determined as the principal one, may be pursued in different industries by one or more members of the household. In such cases, the particular industry out of all the different industries corresponding to the principal occupation, which fetched the maximum earnings, should be considered as the principal industry of the household. In extreme cases, the earnings may be equal in two different occupations or industry- occupation combinations. By convention, in such cases, priority will be given to the occupation or industry-occupation combination of the senior most among the participating members. For households deriving income from non-gainful activities only, a dash (-) may be put against this item.

## NCO Code (B3\_q2b)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 46411
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

#### Literal question

What is the occupation of the members of the household?

## Household type (B3\_q3)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48567
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

#### Interviewer instructions

The household type code based on the means of livelihood of a household will be decided on the basis of the source of the household's income during the 365 days preceding the date of survey. For this purpose, only the household's income (net income and not gross income) from gainful employment will be considered; but the incomes of servants and paying guests will not be taken into account.

## Sector wise household type (HH\_Type)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48637
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

## Social Group Code (B3\_q4)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

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### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48566
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

#### Literal question

Which social group do you belong to?  
Do you come under scheduled caste or scheduled tribe or others category?

#### Interviewer instructions

Whether or not the household belongs to scheduled tribe or scheduled caste will be indicated against this item in terms of the specified codes.

## Land possessed code (B3\_q5)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48295
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

#### Literal question

How much land does the household own?

#### Interviewer instructions

The area of land possessed will include land 'owned', 'leased in' and 'neither owned nor leased in' by the household but exclude land 'leased out'. The total land area possessed by the household as on the date of survey will be worked out and recorded against this item in code.

## Percapita expenditure (B3\_q6)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 48575
Format: numeric	Invalid: 62
Width: 8	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 50520.9
Range: 0-50520.88	Mean: 536.9
	Standard deviation: 565.3

#### Description

Household consumer expenditure :

The expenditure incurred by a household on domestic consumption during the reference period is the household's consumer expenditure. The household consumer expenditure is the total of the monetary values of consumption of various groups of items namely (i) food, pan (betel leaves), tobacco, intoxicants and fuel & light, (ii) clothing and footwear and (iii) miscellaneous goods and services and durable articles.

Monthly per capita expenditure (MPCE) :

For a household, this is household consumer expenditure over a period of 30 days divided by household size. A person's MPCE is understood as that of the household to which he/she belongs.

## Dwelling unit (B3\_q7)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

## Dwelling unit (B3\_q7)

## File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 48578  
Invalid: 0

**Description**

Dwelling unit :

This item refers only to the dwelling unit or the actual residence of the sample household. The dwelling unit may be an entire structure or may be only a part of a structure.

**Literal question**

What is the dwelling unit status of the household? Is it owned, hired or anything else?

## Type of dwelling (B3\_q8)

## File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 48565  
Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

What is the type of dwelling unit? Is it an independent house or flat or anything else?

**Interviewer instructions**

A dwelling unit may be in a chawl or bustee, or an independent house or a flat. Applicable code for each type of dwelling will be entered against this item.

## Type of structure (B3\_q9)

## File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 48563  
Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

What kind of structure the dwelling unit has? Is it katcha or semi-pucca or pucca?

**Interviewer instructions**

The structures have been classified into three categories, namely, pucca, semi-pucca and katcha on the basis of materials used for construction.

## Covered area (B3\_q10)

## File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 4  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2880

Valid cases: 48494  
Invalid: 143  
Minimum: 1  
Maximum: 2880  
Mean: 48.3  
Standard deviation: 59.3

**Literal question**

How much is the covered are of the dwelling unit?

**Interviewer instructions**

## Covered area (B3\_q10)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

This will be the sum of the floor areas of all the rooms, kitchen etc., and covered and/or uncovered verandah of the building. The area will be recorded (to nearest integer) in square meters. The verandah will mean the space adjacent to rooms (both living and other) which is used as an access to the rooms of the dwelling unit. Verandah will not, however, cover a passage or a corridor used mainly as an access to the dwelling unit itself. A verandah covered on four sides by walls with a roof above, is a covered verandah. But the verandah not surrounded by walls on four sides is an uncovered verandah, irrespective of whether there is a roof or not.

## Source of energy for cooking (B3\_q11)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 2

Valid cases: 48538

Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

What is the primary source of energy that is being used by the household for cooking?

#### Interviewer instructions

Items : primary source of energy used for cooking and lighting : Against these two items, the code corresponding to the primary source of energy that is being used by the household for the purpose of cooking and for lighting, will have to be recorded. If more than one type of energy is utilized, the primary or principal one on the basis of its use will have to be identified and the corresponding code will be noted in the appropriate box.

## Source of energy for lighting (B3\_q12)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 48531

Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

What is the primary source of energy that is being used by the household for lighting?

#### Interviewer instructions

Items : primary source of energy used for cooking and lighting : Against these two items, the code corresponding to the primary source of energy that is being used by the household for the purpose of cooking and for lighting, will have to be recorded. If more than one type of energy is utilized, the primary or principal one on the basis of its use will have to be identified and the corresponding code will be noted in the appropriate box.

## Member taken meal outside (B3\_q13)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 48591

Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

Do the members of the household take meals outside?

#### Interviewer instructions

If any member of the household has taken meals from outside, with or without payment, during last 30 days preceding the date of enquiry, code 1 will be recorded against this item, otherwise code 2 will be entered.

## Ceremony performed (B3\_q14)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 24462  
Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

Does the household perform any ceremony?

#### Interviewer instructions

Ceremonies are performed to solemnize some events of life, e.g. birth, marriage etc. Members of a household may have to perform some religious rites consequent upon the death of a person. For various religions, faiths, there are some days in a year which are observed with ceremonial performances like offering puja, prayer, ritual performances etc. Some of such ceremonies may be performed by household members as required under the social/religious customs without incurring expenditure for entertaining guests. On the other hand, some households may spend some amount of money for entertaining guests with meals which are considered as an essential part of the ceremonies performed by them. Code 1 will be entered in the box space provided against this item if at least one ceremony had been performed by the household during the last 30 days preceding the date of enquiry, and code 2 will be entered if no such ceremony was performed by the household.

## Purchase from ration shop (B3\_q15)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 48559  
Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

Does the household purchase things from ration shop?

#### Interviewer instructions

Item : did the household purchase any cereal from ration/fair price shop during last 30 days ? : The answer against this question will be recorded in codes. The codes are yes-1, no-2. Purchase of food grains by workers from shops run by their employer at concessional or subsidised rates (this is prevalent, for example, in tea garden areas) will come under the coverage of this item. If any such purchase has been made, code 1 will be recorded.

## Update code (Update\_Code)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 4011  
Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

Update code

## Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2) (Wgt\_SubSample)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

## Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2) (Wgt\_SubSample)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 48637
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 5.6
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 190897
Range: 5.58-190897.03	Mean: 7031.2
	Standard deviation: 9207.9

#### Description

Sub sample multiplier generated by NSSO

## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

### File: Blocks 1,3\_Household Characteristics

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 48637
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 2.8
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 95448.5
Range: 2.79-95448.52	Mean: 3516.3
	Standard deviation: 4605.2

#### Description

Combined multiplier generated by NSSO

## Primary key - unique identifier for a member in a household (Person\_key)

File: Block 4\_Person records

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 11

Valid cases: 238515  
Invalid: 0

## Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 4\_Person records

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 8

Valid cases: 238515  
Invalid: 0

## Round Schedule (RoundSchedule)

File: Block 4\_Person records

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 3

Valid cases: 238515  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

Round Schedule

## State Region (State\_Region)

File: Block 4\_Person records

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 3

Valid cases: 238515  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Regions are hierarchical domains of study below the level of State/ Union Territory in the NSS.

### Literal question

State Region

## State (State)

File: Block 4\_Person records

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 2

Valid cases: 238515  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

State



## Sub Round (SubRound)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 238515
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

#### Description

The survey period of one year of this round was divided into four sub-rounds of three months duration. Equal number of sample villages and blocks were allotted for survey in each of these four sub-rounds.

#### Literal question

Sub Round

## Flot No. (FlotNo)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 238515
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 5	

#### Literal question

Flot No.

## Village/Bl. Srl. No. (Vill\_Blk\_Slno)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 238515
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 5	

#### Literal question

Village/Bl. Srl. No.

## Sample (Sample)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 238515
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

#### Literal question

Sample

## Sector (Sector)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 238515
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

## Sector (Sector)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

#### Literal question

Sector

## Stratum (Stratum)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 2

Valid cases: 238515

Invalid: 0

#### Description

Within each district of a State/ UT, two basic strata were formed:

(i) rural stratum comprising of all rural areas of the district and (ii) urban stratum comprising of all the urban areas of the district.

#### Literal question

Stratum

## District Code (District\_Code)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 2

Valid cases: 238515

Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

District Code

## Sub Sample (Sub\_Sample)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 238515

Invalid: 0

#### Description

An important feature of the NSS sampling design is that the total sample of first stage units is drawn in the form of two or more independent and parallel samples, termed as interpenetrating sub-samples. Each sub-sample is drawn by the same sampling scheme and is capable of providing valid estimates of the population parameters. The comparison of sub-sample wise estimates shows the margin of uncertainty associated with the combined sample estimate.

Interpenetrating sub-samples have been used in NSS (i) to obtain valid estimates from each sub-round (season) of the survey round, and (ii) to ensure that Central and State samples for any State/ UT cover independent and equally valid samples of units.

The samples surveyed by the NSSO staff are termed as Central sample and the matched samples surveyed by State Government staff are termed as State sample.

#### Literal question

Sub Sample

## Sample vill / Block No. (Sample\_Vill\_Blk\_No)

## File: Block 4\_Person records

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 238515
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Literal question**

Sample vill / Block No.

## 2nd stg strm / schedule type (Second\_Stratum)

## File: Block 4\_Person records

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 238515
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

2nd stg strm / Sch. Type

## Sample Household No. (Hhold\_no)

## File: Block 4\_Person records

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 238515
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Sample Household No.

## Level (Level)

## File: Block 4\_Person records

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 238515
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Level

## Serial No. of members (B4\_q1)

## File: Block 4\_Person records

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 238515
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Literal question**

Serial No. of members

**Interviewer instructions**

## Serial No. of members (B4\_q1)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

All the members of the sample household will be listed in block 4 using a continuous serial number in column (1). In the list, the head of the household will appear first followed by head's spouse, the first son, first son's wife and children, second son, second son's wife and children & so on. After the sons are enumerated, the daughters will be listed followed by other relations, dependants, servants, etc.

## Relation to Head Code (B4\_q3)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 238482

Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

What is the relationship of the members of the household with the head of the household?

#### Interviewer instructions

The family relationship of each member of the household with the head of the household (for the head, the relationship is 'self') expressed in terms of specified codes will be recorded in this column. The codes to be used are :

description code

self ..... 1  
 spouse of head ..... 2  
 married child ..... 3  
 spouse of married child ..... 4  
 unmarried child ..... 5  
 grandchild ..... 6  
 father/mother/father-in-law/mother-in-law ..... 7  
 brother/sister/brother-in-law/sister-in-law/other  
 relatives..... 8  
 servant/employee/other non-relatives ..... 9

## Sex Code (B4\_q4)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 238515

Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

Sex of the member of the household

#### Interviewer instructions

For each and every member of the household, sex in terms of the code (male-1, female-2) will be recorded in this column.

## Age (B4\_q5)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

## Age (B4\_q5)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

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

Valid cases: 238469  
 Invalid: 46  
 Minimum: 0  
 Maximum: 99  
 Mean: 25.3  
 Standard deviation: 18.6

**Literal question**

Age of the member of the household

**Interviewer instructions**

The age in completed years of all the members listed will be ascertained and recorded in column (5). For babies below one year of age at the time of listing, enter '0' in column "Age".

## Marital Status Code (B4\_q6)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 238418  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Marital status of the member of the household

**Interviewer instructions**

The marital status of each member will be recorded in terms of the specified code in this column. The codes are :

description code  
 never married ..... 1  
 currently married ..... 2  
 widowed..... 3  
 divorced/separated ..... 4

## General Education Code (B4\_q7)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 238262  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Education level of the member of the household

**Interviewer instructions**

For the purpose of making entries in this column, only the course successfully completed will be considered.

## Usual Activity. Principal Status (B4\_q8)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 238515  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

## Usual Activity. Principal Status (B4\_q8)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

The usual activity status relates to the activity status of a person during the reference period of 365 days preceding the date of survey. The activity status on which a person spent relatively longer time (major time criterion) during the 365 days preceding the date of survey is considered the principal usual activity status of the person.

#### Literal question

Which industry has the member of the household usually worked in during the last one year?

#### Interviewer instructions

In the first instance the broad principal usual activity of the person will be identified based on the various activities pursued by the person during the reference period of last 365 days adopting a relatively long time (or major time) criterion, not necessarily for a continuous period. The broad principal usual activity status will be one of the three categories viz. 'employed' (working), 'unemployed' (available for work) or 'not in labour force' (neither willing nor available for work). It is to be noted that in deciding this, only the normal working hours available for pursuing various activities need be considered, and not the 24 hours of a day. The broad principal usual activity status will be obtained on the basis of a two- stage dichotomous classification depending on the major time spent. Persons will be classified in the first stage into (i) those who are engaged in any economic activity (i.e., employed) and/or available for any economic activity (i.e. unemployed) and (ii) who are not engaged and not available for any economic activity i.e. the persons will be first classified as those in the labour force and those not in the labour force depending on in which of these two statuses the person spent major part of the year.

In the second stage, those who are found in the labour force will be further classified into working (i.e., engaged in economic activity or employed) and seeking and/or available for work (i.e., unemployed) based on the major time spent.

## Usual Activity. Principal NIC code (B4\_q9)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 87563

Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

Which industry has the member of the household worked in during the last one year?

#### Interviewer instructions

For the persons categorised 'working' (i.e., those with status codes 11-51), the corresponding 'industry section' will be recorded in terms of the specified codes. The codes are ;

description code

agriculture, hunting, forestry & fishing ..... 0  
 mining and quarrying ..... 1  
 manufacturing .....2/3  
 electricity, gas and water ..... 4  
 construction ..... 5  
 wholesale and retail trade, restaurants & hotels .....6  
 transport, storage & communication services .....7  
 financial, insurance, real estate and business services ....8  
 community, social & personal services .....9

## Usual Activity. Subsidiary Status (B4\_q10)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 2

Valid cases: 20056

Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

## Usual Activity. Subsidiary Status (B4\_q10)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

Which industry has the member of the household worked in subsidiary capacity during the last one year?

#### Interviewer instructions

For each person listed in this block, it has to be ascertained whether he or she worked in a subsidiary capacity during the 365 days preceding the date of survey or not; in other words, whether he or she had a subsidiary economic usual status. This has to be ascertained for all the three broad categories of persons initially classified as 'employed', 'unemployed' and 'not in labour force'. To illustrate, a person categorised as working and assigned the principal usual activity status 'self-employed' may also be engaged for a relatively shorter time during the year as casual wage labour. In such a case, he will be considered to have worked also in a subsidiary capacity (i.e., having a subsidiary economic status which is different from the principal status). On the other hand, a person may be self-employed in trade for a relatively longer period and simultaneously also engaged in agricultural production for a relatively minor time. In such a case, the principal usual activity status will be 'self-employed in trade' and subsidiary economic status, 'self-employed in agriculture'. Similarly, persons categorised as 'unemployed' or 'not in labour force' on the basis of 'relatively longer time' criterion might have pursued some economic activity for relatively shorter time during the year. In all the above cases, they will be treated to have had subsidiary economic usual status. It may be noted that engagement in work in subsidiary capacity may arise out of two situations :

(i) a person may be engaged for a relatively longer period during the 365 days in one economic activity/non-economic activity and for a relatively shorter period in another economic activity;

(ii) a person may be pursuing one economic activity/non-economic activity almost throughout the year in the principal status and also simultaneously pursuing another economic activity for relatively shorter time in a subsidiary capacity.

## Usual Activity. Subsidiary NIC code (B4\_q11)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 20350

Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

Which industry has the member of the household worked in subsidiary capacity during the last one year?

#### Interviewer instructions

For all persons engaged in any 'work' in subsidiary capacity, the status codes of the economic activities pursued by them in their subsidiary capacity will be recorded and the corresponding 'industry section' codes will be recorded in next column. In the situation where a person has been found to have pursued more than one economic activity during the last 365 days in his or her subsidiary capacity, the activity on which more time has been spent would be considered for recording entry in this column. Columns are to be filled in for each and every member of the household irrespective of whether the person's principal status is economic activity or not. For those reporting no subsidiary economic activity, 'X' may be recorded in both the columns.

## Weekly Activity. Status (B4\_q12)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 2

Valid cases: 238515

Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

Which industry has the member of the household worked in during the last 7 days?

#### Interviewer instructions

## Weekly Activity. Status (B4\_q12)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

The current weekly activity status of a person will be the activity status obtaining for a person during a reference period of seven days preceding the date of survey. Irrespective of the usual activity pursued by a person, his/her current weekly activity will be determined strictly on the basis of the activities pursued by the person during the reference period of seven days preceding the date of survey adopting the priority criterion. Even for self-employed persons, one need not prejudge and take for granted that the current activity situation for them will be identical with the usual activity situation. A careful probe on the part of the investigator regarding the various activities pursued by the person during the seven days preceding the date of survey is, therefore, necessary for ascertaining his/her current weekly activity status. In defining the 'activity status', it has already been mentioned that the activities are grouped broadly into three categories, namely :

- (i) working,
- (ii) not working but seeking and/or available for work, and
- (iii) neither working nor available for work.

According to the priority criterion, the status of 'working' gets priority over the status 'not working but seeking and/or available for work' which in turn gets priority over the status of 'neither working nor available for work'. In the category, 'not working but seeking and/or available for work', the status 'seeking' gets priority over the status of 'not seeking but available for work'. A person would be considered 'working (or employed)' if he/she while pursuing any economic activity had worked for at least one hour on any one day during the week preceding the date of survey. A person would be considered 'seeking and/or available for work (or unemployed)' if during the reference week no 'work' was done by the person but he or she had made efforts to get work or had been available for work during the reference week though not actively seeking work, in the belief that no work was available. A person who had neither worked nor was available for work will be considered to be engaged in non-economic activities (or not in labour force).

## Weekly Activity NIC code (B4\_q13)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 86775
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

#### Literal question

Which industry has the member of the household worked in during the last 7 days?

#### Interviewer instructions

For persons categorised as 'working' the industry section code corresponding to the activity status will be entered in this column.

## Days Stayed away (B4\_q14)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 44153
Format: numeric	Invalid: 194362
Width: 2	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 30
Range: 0-30	Mean: 1.9
	Standard deviation: 5

#### Pre question

Has any member stayed away from home during the last 30 days?

#### Literal question

How many days has the member stayed away from home during the last 30 days?

#### Interviewer instructions



## Days Stayed away (B4\_q14)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

The number of days for which the member 'stayed away from home ' during the 30 days preceding the date of enquiry should be recorded here. A continuous absence from home for 24 hours will be reckoned as a 'day stayed away'. That is, the entry will be made in completed number of days and any fraction of a day will be ignored. The location of the place where the person stayed, having been away from his/her own household, may also be within the same village/town and staying away will not only mean physical absence but also non- participation in food consumption from his/her own household.

## No. of Meals per day (B4\_q15)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-3

Valid cases: 238515  
Invalid: 0

#### Description

Meal

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#### Literal question

How many meals does the household usually take every day?

#### Interviewer instructions

The number of meals consumed by a person is usually reported as 2 or 3. In rare cases, one may come across a person who may be taking food only once in a day or more than three times a day. While in the former case the number of meals for the person will be 1 per day, in the latter case, however, only 3 should be entered. That is, in this column, the recorded number of meals taken in a day, even if it is reported to be higher, should not exceed 3. A breast-fed baby does not directly share the food consumed by members of the household. Hence for such babies the entry in this column will be '0'.

## Meals (School) (B4\_q16)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-90

Valid cases: 15068  
Invalid: 223447  
Minimum: 0  
Maximum: 90  
Mean: 3.6  
Standard deviation: 8.9

#### Description

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A 'Meal' is composed of one or more readily cat able (generally cooked) items of food, the usual major constituent of which is cereal food. The meals consumed by a person twice or thrice a day provide him/her the required energy of (calorie) and other nutrients for living and for pursuing his/her normal avocations. A 'meal' as opposed to 'snacks ' as opposed to 'snacks', 'nasta' or 'high tea' , contains larger quantum and variety of food. In rare cases, a full meal may contain larger quantity of non-cereal food. Even that, if the total quantum of food in plate is heavy as a meal, the contents of the food plate will also be considered as a meal. Sometimes the contents of a 'nasta' may not be very different from the contents of a 'meal'. The difference in quantity will there be the guiding factor for deciding whether the plate is to be led as a 'meal ' or a nasta.

#### Literal question

How many free meals do the members of the household usually take from school?

## Meals (School) (B4\_q16)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Interviewer instructions

Number of meals taken outside home on payment and at home during last 30 days preceding the date of survey, for each member of the household will be recorded here. There are schools/balwadis etc., which provide standard food to all or some students as midday meal, tiffin etc., free or at subsidised rate. Such meals are to be considered as meals taken away from home. If such food is received free it will be recorded in column "Meals (School)". Meals received at subsidised rate will be recorded in column "Meals (Payment)". There are institutions which provide canteen facilities to their students. Students can purchase food of their choice and to their requirements from those canteens on payment. In such cases also entry will be made in column "Meals (Payment)".

## Meals (Employer) (B4\_q17)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 13933
Format: numeric	Invalid: 224582
Width: 2	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 90
Range: 0-90	Mean: 1.8
	Standard deviation: 8.3

#### Description

##### Meal

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#### Literal question

How many free meals do the members of the household usually take from the employer?

#### Interviewer instructions

Sometimes meals are provided by the employer. These may be as perquisites or as part of wages in kind. These meals are generally consumed at the place of work and are to be considered as meals taken away from home. It may not be rare that meals provided by the employer are brought home by the employees and consumed there. Such meals are also to be considered as meals taken away from home. In this column the number of such meals received and consumed during the reference period by an individual member will be recorded.

## Meals (Others) (B4\_q18)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 25525
Format: numeric	Invalid: 212990
Width: 2	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 90
Range: 0-90	Mean: 7.4
	Standard deviation: 14.9

#### Description

## Meals (Others) (B4\_q18)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Meal

A 'Meal' is composed of one of more readily cat able (generally cooked) items of food, the usual major constituent of which is cereal food. The meals consumed by a person twice or thrice a day provide him/her the required energy of (calorie) and other nutrients for living and for pursuing his/her normal avocations. A 'meal' as opposed to 'snacks ' as opposed to 'snacks', 'nasta' or 'high tea' , contains larger quantum and variety of food. In rare cases, a full meal may contain larger quantity of non-cereal food. Even that, if the total quantum of food in plate is heavy as a meal, the contents of the food plate will also be considered as a real. Sometimes the contents of a 'nasta' may not be very different from the contents of a 'meal'. The difference in quantity will there be the guiding factor for deciding whether the plate is to be led as a 'meal ' or a nasta.

#### Literal question

How many free meals do the members of the household usually take from other sources?

#### Interviewer instructions

Meals consumed as guests in other households, will also be taken into account while making entries in column (18) .

## Meals (Payment) (B4\_q19)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 16895
Format: numeric	Invalid: 221620
Width: 2	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 90
Range: 0-90	Mean: 4.8
	Standard deviation: 13.8

#### Description

#### Meal

A 'Meal' is composed of one of more readily cat able (generally cooked) items of food, the usual major constituent of which is cereal food. The meals consumed by a person twice or thrice a day provide him/her the required energy of (calorie) and other nutrients for living and for pursuing his/her normal avocations. A 'meal' as opposed to 'snacks ' as opposed to 'snacks', 'nasta' or 'high tea' , contains larger quantum and variety of food. In rare cases, a full meal may contain larger quantity of non-cereal food. Even that, if the total quantum of food in plate is heavy as a meal, the contents of the food plate will also be considered as a real. Sometimes the contents of a 'nasta' may not be very different from the contents of a 'meal'. The difference in quantity will there be the guiding factor for deciding whether the plate is to be led as a 'meal ' or a nasta.

#### Literal question

How many meals do the members of the household usually take on payment basis?

#### Interviewer instructions

For the purpose of making entry in column "Meals (Payment)". 'Meals received on payment' will mean that the informant has to incur some expense or part with a certain portion of his salary/wage for getting the meals. Meals purchased from hotel, restaurant or an eating house will be considered as 'meals taken away from home on payment' and will have to be counted also for making entry in column "Meals (Payment)".

## Meals (At Home) (B4\_q20)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 236452
Format: numeric	Invalid: 2063
Width: 2	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 90
Range: 0-90	Mean: 71.8
	Standard deviation: 16.6

#### Description

## Meals (At Home) (B4\_q20)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Meal

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#### Literal question

How many meals do the members of the household usually take at home?

## Update code (Update\_Code)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 19202  
Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

Update code

## Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2) (Wgt\_SubSample)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 9  
Decimals: 2  
Range: 5.58-190897.03

Valid cases: 238515  
Invalid: 0  
Minimum: 5.6  
Maximum: 190897  
Mean: 7006.5  
Standard deviation: 9088.8

#### Description

Sub sample multiplier generated by NSSO

## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

### File: Block 4\_Person records

#### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 2  
Range: 2.79-95448.52

Valid cases: 238515  
Invalid: 0  
Minimum: 2.8  
Maximum: 95448.5  
Mean: 3503.9  
Standard deviation: 4545.7

#### Description

Combined multiplier generated by NSSO

## Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 8

Valid cases: 2210204  
Invalid: 0

## Round Schedule (RoundSchedule)

File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 3

Valid cases: 2210204  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

Round Schedule

## State Region (State\_Region)

File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 3

Valid cases: 2210204  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Regions are hierarchical domains of study below the level of State/ Union Territory in the NSS.

### Literal question

State Region

## State (State)

File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 2

Valid cases: 2210204  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

State

## Sub Round (SubRound)

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**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 2210204  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

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**Literal question**

Sub Round

## Flot No. (FlotNo)

### File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 5

Valid cases: 2210204  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Flot No.

## Village/Bl. Srl. No. (Vill\_Blk\_Slno)

### File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 5

Valid cases: 2210204  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Village/Bl. Srl. No.

## Sample (Sample)

### File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 2210204  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Sample

## Sector (Sector)

### File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 2210204  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

**Literal question**

Sector

## Stratum (Stratum)

### File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 2210204  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Within each district of a State/ UT, two basic strata were formed:

(i) rural stratum comprising of all rural areas of the district and (ii) urban stratum comprising of all the urban areas of the district.

**Literal question**

Stratum

## District Code (District\_Code)

### File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 2210204  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

District Code

## Sub Sample (Sub\_Sample)

### File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 2210204  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

## Sub Sample (Sub\_Sample)

### File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

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The samples surveyed by the NSSO staff are termed as Central sample and the matched samples surveyed by State Government staff are termed as State sample.

#### Literal question

Sub Sample

## Sample vill / Block No. (Sample\_Vill\_Blck\_No)

### File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

#### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 3

Valid cases: 2210204

Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

Sample vill / Block No.

## 2nd stg strm / schedule type (Second\_Stratum)

### File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

#### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 2210204

Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

2nd stg strm / Sch. Type

## Sample Household No. (Hhold\_no)

### File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

#### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 2

Valid cases: 2210204

Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

Sample Household No.



## Level (Level)

File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2210204
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Level

## Block 5 Item Code (B5\_q1)

File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2210204
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Literal question**

Block 5 Item Code

## Cash Purchase Quantity (B5\_q3)

File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 1389484
Format: numeric	Invalid: 820720
Width: 9	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 100456
Range: 0-100456	Mean: 55.2
	Standard deviation: 244.6

**Literal question**

How much quantity of the item was purchased by the household in the last 7 days?

## Cash Purchase Value (B5\_q4)

File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 1772746
Format: numeric	Invalid: 437458
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 6011.3
Range: 0-6011.26	Mean: 42.7
	Standard deviation: 92.5

**Literal question**

How much money was spent by the household on the purchase of the item in the last 7 days?

## Quantity of Home Grown Items Consumed (B5\_q5)

File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 169289
Format: numeric	Invalid: 2040915
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 6400
Range: 0-6400	Mean: 37.3
	Standard deviation: 124.9

### Literal question

How much quantity of the home grown item was consumed by the household in the last 7 days?

## Value of Home Grown Items Consumed (B5\_q6)

File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 217450
Format: numeric	Invalid: 1992754
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 4371.4
Range: 0-4371.43	Mean: 89
	Standard deviation: 175.8

### Literal question

Home grown item of how much value was consumed by the household in the last 7 days?

## Total consumption - Quantity (B5\_q7)

File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 1778501
Format: numeric	Invalid: 431703
Width: 8	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 45000
Range: 0-45000	Mean: 55.1
	Standard deviation: 194.2

## Total consumption - Value (B5\_q8)

File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 2195347
Format: numeric	Invalid: 14857
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 6650
Range: 0-6650	Mean: 45.9
	Standard deviation: 102.5

## Update code (Update\_Code)

File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 177526
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

Update code

## Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2) (Wgt\_SubSample)

File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 2210204
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 5.6
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 190897
Range: 5.58-190897.03	Mean: 6993.4
	Standard deviation: 9046.4

**Description**

Sub sample multiplier generated by NSSO

## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

File: Block 5\_Weekly household expenditure on food and non-food items

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 2210204
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 2.8
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 95448.5
Range: 2.79-95448.52	Mean: 3497.2
	Standard deviation: 4524.2

**Description**

Combined multiplier generated by NSSO

## Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 8

Valid cases: 230625

Invalid: 0

## Round Schedule (RoundSchedule)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 3

Valid cases: 230625

Invalid: 0

### Literal question

Round Schedule

## State Region (State\_Region)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 3

Valid cases: 230625

Invalid: 0

### Description

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### Literal question

State Region

## State (State)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 2

Valid cases: 230625

Invalid: 0

### Literal question

State

## Sub Round (SubRound)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 230625

Invalid: 0

### Description

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## Sub Round (SubRound)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

### Literal question

Sub Round

## Flot No. (FlotNo)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 230625

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 5

### Literal question

Flot No.

## Village/Bl. Srl. No. (Vill\_Blk\_Slno)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 230625

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 5

### Literal question

Village/Bl. Srl. No.

## Sample (Sample)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 230625

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

### Literal question

Sample

## Sector (Sector)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 230625

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

### Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

### Literal question

Sector

## Stratum (Stratum)

### File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 230625  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

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**Literal question**

Stratum

## District Code (District\_Code)

### File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 230625  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

District Code

## Sub Sample (Sub\_Sample)

### File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 230625  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

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**Literal question**

Sub Sample

## Sample vill / Block No. (Sample\_Vill\_Blkc\_No)

### File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 3

Valid cases: 230625  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

## Sample vill / Block No. (Sample\_Vill\_Blck\_No)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

Sample vill / Block No.

## 2nd stg strm / schedule type (Second\_Stratum)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 230625

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

**Literal question**

2nd stg strm / Sch. Type

## Sample Household No. (Hhold\_no)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 230625

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 2

**Literal question**

Sample Household No.

## Level (Level)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 230625

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 2

**Literal question**

Level

## Block 5.1 Item Code (B5\_1\_q1)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 230625

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 3

**Literal question**

Block 5.1 Item Code

## Cash Purchase Quantity (B5\_1\_q3)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

**Overview**

## Cash Purchase Quantity (B5\_1\_q3)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 134640
Format: numeric	Invalid: 95985
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 1761
Range: 0-1761	Mean: 22.6
	Standard deviation: 41.2

### Literal question

How much quantity of the item was purchased by the household in the last 30 days?

## Cash Purchase Value (B5\_1\_q4)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 185150
Format: numeric	Invalid: 45475
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 1966
Range: 0-1966	Mean: 48
	Standard deviation: 73.3

### Literal question

How much money was spent by the household on the purchase of the item in the last 30 days?

## Quantity of Home Grown Items Consumed (B5\_1\_q5)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 11471
Format: numeric	Invalid: 219154
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 2173.9
Range: 0-2173.91	Mean: 123.7
	Standard deviation: 131.1

### Literal question

How much quantity of the home grown item was consumed by the household in the last 30 days?

## Value of Home Grown Items Consumed (B5\_1\_q6)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 37360
Format: numeric	Invalid: 193265
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 1400
Range: 0-1400	Mean: 74.6
	Standard deviation: 68.1

### Literal question

Home grown item of how much value was consumed by the household in the last 30 days?



## Total consumption - Quantity (B5\_1\_q7)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 165976
Format: numeric	Invalid: 64649
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 9800
Range: 0-9800	Mean: 36.7
	Standard deviation: 70.2

## Total consumption - Value (B5\_1\_q8)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 230500
Format: numeric	Invalid: 125
Width: 7	Minimum: 0.1
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 9825
Range: 0.1-9825	Mean: 61.2
	Standard deviation: 83.5

## Update code (Update\_Code)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 18120
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

Update code

## Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2) (Wgt\_SubSample)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 230625
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 5.6
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 190897
Range: 5.58-190897.03	Mean: 7072.2
	Standard deviation: 9221

**Description**

Sub sample multiplier generated by NSSO

## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

**Overview**

## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

### File: Block 5pt1\_Monthly household expenditure on fuel and light

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 2  
Range: 2.79-95448.52

Valid cases: 230625  
Invalid: 0  
Minimum: 2.8  
Maximum: 95448.5  
Mean: 3536.7  
Standard deviation: 4611.8

#### **Description**

Combined multiplier generated by NSSO

## Key to identify a household (HHID)

### File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 195085
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	

## Round Schedule (RoundSchedule)

### File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 195085
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Literal question**

Round Schedule

## State Region (State\_Region)

### File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 195085
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Description**

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**Literal question**

State Region

## State (State)

### File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 195085
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

State

## Sub Round (SubRound)

### File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 195085
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Description**

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## Sub Round (SubRound)

File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

### Literal question

Sub Round

## Flot No. (FlotNo)

File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 195085

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 5

### Literal question

Flot No.

## Sample (Sample)

File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 195085

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

### Literal question

Sample

## Sector (Sector)

File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 195085

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

### Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

### Literal question

Sector

## Stratum (Stratum)

File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 195085

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 2

### Description

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### Literal question

Stratum

## District Code (District\_Code)

### File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 195085
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

District Code

## Sub Sample (Sub\_Sample)

### File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 195085
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Description**

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**Literal question**

Sub Sample

## Village/Bl. Srl. No. (Vill\_Blк\_Slno)

### File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 195085
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 5	

**Literal question**

Village/Bl. Srl. No.

## Sample vill / Block No. (Sample\_Vill\_Blк\_No)

### File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 195085
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Literal question**

Sample vill / Block No.

## 2nd stg strm / schedule type (Second\_Stratum)

## File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 195085
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

2nd stg strm / Sch. Type

## Sample Household No. (Hhold\_no)

## File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 195085
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Sample Household No.

## Level (Level)

## File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 195085
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Level

## Block 6 Item Code (B6\_q1)

## File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 195085
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Literal question**

Clothing Item Code

## Cash Purchase Quantity (B6\_q3)

## File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 157665
Format: numeric	Invalid: 37420
Width: 8	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 19500
Range: 0-19500	Mean: 15.2
	Standard deviation: 154.4

**Literal question**

## Cash Purchase Quantity (B6\_q3)

### File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

How much quantity of the item was purchased by the household in the last 365 days?

## Cash Purchase Value (B6\_q4)

### File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 192976
Format: numeric	Invalid: 2109
Width: 8	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 36773
Range: 0-36773	Mean: 515.1
	Standard deviation: 932.6

#### Literal question

How much money was spent by the household on the purchase of the item in the last 365 days?

## Quantity of Home Grown Items Consumed (B6\_q5)

### File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 824
Format: numeric	Invalid: 194261
Width: 8	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 16000
Range: 0-16000	Mean: 24
	Standard deviation: 559.4

#### Literal question

How much quantity of the home grown item was consumed by the household in the last 365 days?

## Value of Home Grown Items Consumed (B6\_q6)

### File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 1114
Format: numeric	Invalid: 193971
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 2860
Range: 0-2860	Mean: 126.8
	Standard deviation: 237.9

#### Literal question

Home grown item of how much value was consumed by the household in the last 365 days?

## Total consumption - Quantity (B6\_q7)

### File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

#### Overview

## Total consumption - Quantity (B6\_q7)

## File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 158695
Format: numeric	Invalid: 36390
Width: 9	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 100031
Range: 0-100031	Mean: 15.2
	Standard deviation: 293.9

## Total consumption - Value (B6\_q8)

## File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 194152
Format: numeric	Invalid: 933
Width: 9	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 1000000
Range: 0-999999.99	Mean: 516
	Standard deviation: 2451.9

## Update code (Update\_Code)

## File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 16071
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

Update code

## Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2) (Wgt\_SubSample)

## File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 195085
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 5.6
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 190110.9
Range: 5.58-190110.94	Mean: 7170.2
	Standard deviation: 9395.6

**Description**

Sub sample multiplier generated by NSSO

## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

## File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

**Overview**



## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

### File: Block 6\_Annual household expenditure on clothing

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 2  
Range: 2.79-95055.47

Valid cases: 195085  
Invalid: 0  
Minimum: 2.8  
Maximum: 95055.5  
Mean: 3586.3  
Standard deviation: 4699.9

#### **Description**

Combined multiplier generated by NSSO

## Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 72820
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	

## Round Schedule (RoundSchedule)

File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 72820
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

### Literal question

Round Schedule

## State Region (State\_Region)

File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 72820
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

### Description

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### Literal question

State Region

## State (State)

File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 72820
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

### Literal question

State

## Sub Round (SubRound)

File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 72820
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

### Description

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## Sub Round (SubRound)

File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

### Literal question

Sub Round

## Flot No. (FlotNo)

File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 72820

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 5

### Literal question

Flot No.

## Sample (Sample)

File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 72820

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

### Literal question

Sample

## Sector (Sector)

File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 72820

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

### Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

### Literal question

Sector

## Stratum (Stratum)

File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 72820

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 2

### Description

Within each district of a State/ UT, two basic strata were formed:

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### Literal question

Stratum

## District Code (District\_Code)

### File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 72820  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

District Code

## Sub Sample (Sub\_Sample)

### File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 72820  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

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**Literal question**

Sub Sample

## Village/Bl. Srl. No. (Vill\_Blк\_Slno)

### File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 5

Valid cases: 72820  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Village/Bl. Srl. No.

## Sample vill / Block No. (Sample\_Vill\_Blк\_No)

### File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 3

Valid cases: 72820  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Sample vill / Block No.

## 2nd stg strm / schedule type (Second\_Stratum)

File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 72820
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

2nd stg strm / Sch. Type

## Sample Household No. (Hhold\_no)

File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 72820
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Sample Household No.

## Level (Level)

File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 72820
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Level

## Block 7 Item Code (B7\_q1)

File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 72820
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Literal question**

Footwear Item Code

## Cash Purchase Quantity (B7\_q3)

File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 72567
Format: numeric	Invalid: 253
Width: 6	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 130
Range: 0-130	Mean: 3.4
	Standard deviation: 3.3

**Literal question**

## Cash Purchase Quantity (B7\_q3)

### File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

How much quantity of the item was purchased by the household in the last 365 days?

## Cash Purchase Value (B7\_q4)

### File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 72567
Format: numeric	Invalid: 253
Width: 7	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 7900
Range: 1-7900	Mean: 237.5
	Standard deviation: 313.4

#### Literal question

How much money was spent by the household on the purchase of the item in the last 365 days?

## Quantity of Home Grown Items Consumed (B7\_q5)

### File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 125
Format: numeric	Invalid: 72695
Width: 4	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 6
Range: 0-6	Mean: 0.4
	Standard deviation: 1.1

#### Literal question

How much quantity of the home grown item was consumed by the household in the last 365 days?

## Value of Home Grown Items Consumed (B7\_q6)

### File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 119
Format: numeric	Invalid: 72701
Width: 6	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 900
Range: 0-900	Mean: 43.6
	Standard deviation: 144.3

#### Literal question

Home grown item of how much value was consumed by the household in the last 365 days?

## Total consumption - Quantity (B7\_q7)

### File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

#### Overview

## Total consumption - Quantity (B7\_q7)

## File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 72741
Format: numeric	Invalid: 79
Width: 6	Minimum: 0.4
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 130
Range: 0.44-130	Mean: 3.4
	Standard deviation: 3.3

## Total consumption - Value (B7\_q8)

## File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 72741
Format: numeric	Invalid: 79
Width: 7	Minimum: 4
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 7900
Range: 4-7900	Mean: 237.1
	Standard deviation: 312.3

## Update code (Update\_Code)

## File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 6301
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

Update code

## Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2) (Wgt\_SubSample)

## File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 72820
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 7.8
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 190110.9
Range: 7.81-190110.94	Mean: 6789.6
	Standard deviation: 9165.3

**Description**

Sub sample multiplier generated by NSSO

## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

## File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

**Overview**

## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

### File: Block 7\_Annual household expenditure on footwear

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 2  
Range: 3.91-95055.47

Valid cases: 72820  
Invalid: 0  
Minimum: 3.9  
Maximum: 95055.5  
Mean: 3395.6  
Standard deviation: 4584.2

#### **Description**

Combined multiplier generated by NSSO



## Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 8

Valid cases: 801115  
Invalid: 0

## Round Schedule (RoundSchedule)

File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 3

Valid cases: 801115  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

Round Schedule

## State Region (State\_Region)

File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 3

Valid cases: 801115  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Regions are hierarchical domains of study below the level of State/ Union Territory in the NSS.

### Literal question

State Region

## State (State)

File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 2

Valid cases: 801115  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

State

## Sub Round (SubRound)

File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

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**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 801115  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

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**Literal question**

Sub Round

## Flot No. (FlotNo)

### File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 5

Valid cases: 801115  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Flot No.

## Village/Bl. Srl. No. (Vill\_Blk\_Slno)

### File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 5

Valid cases: 801115  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Village/Bl. Srl. No.

## Sample (Sample)

### File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 801115  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Sample

## Sector (Sector)

### File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 801115  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

**Literal question**

Sector

## Stratum (Stratum)

### File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 801115  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

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**Literal question**

Stratum

## District Code (District\_Code)

### File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 801115  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

District Code

## Sub Sample (Sub\_Sample)

### File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 801115  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

## Sub Sample (Sub\_Sample)

### File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

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**Literal question**

Sub Sample

## Sample vill / Block No. (Sample\_Vill\_Blck\_No)

### File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 3

Valid cases: 801115

Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Sample vill / Block No.

## 2nd stg strm / schedule type (Second\_Stratum)

### File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 1

Valid cases: 801115

Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

2nd stg strm / Sch. Type

## Sample Household No. (Hhold\_no)

### File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 2

Valid cases: 801115

Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Sample Household No.

## Level (Level)

File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 801115
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Level

## Block 8 Item Code (B8\_q1)

File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 801115
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Literal question**

Block 8 Item Code

## Value in cash (B8\_q3)

File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 799430
Format: numeric	Invalid: 1685
Width: 8	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 54383
Range: 0-54383	Mean: 49.2
	Standard deviation: 164.4

**Literal question**

How much money was spent by the household on the purchase of the item in the last 30 days?

## Value in cash and kind (B8\_q4)

File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 801114
Format: numeric	Invalid: 1
Width: 8	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 54383
Range: 0-54383	Mean: 49.4
	Standard deviation: 164.6

**Literal question**

How much was spent by the household in cash & kind on the purchase of the item in the last 30 days?

## Update code (Update\_Code)

File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 64836
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

Update code

## Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2) (Wgt\_SubSample)

File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 801115
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 5.6
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 190897
Range: 5.58-190897.03	Mean: 6982.8
	Standard deviation: 8977.9

**Description**

Sub sample multiplier generated by NSSO

## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

File: Block 8\_Monthly household expenditure on miscellaneous goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 801115
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 2.8
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 95448.5
Range: 2.79-95448.52	Mean: 3491.8
	Standard deviation: 4489.9

**Description**

Combined multiplier generated by NSSO

## Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 8

Valid cases: 101714  
Invalid: 0

## Round Schedule (RoundSchedule)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 3

Valid cases: 101714  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

Round Schedule

## State Region (State\_Region)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 3

Valid cases: 101714  
Invalid: 0

### Description

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### Literal question

State Region

## State (State)

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### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 2

Valid cases: 101714  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

State

## Sub Round (SubRound)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

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Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 101714  
Invalid: 0

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### Literal question

Sub Round

## Flot No. (FlotNo)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 5

Valid cases: 101714  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

Flot No.

## Sample (Sample)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 101714  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

Sample

## Sector (Sector)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 101714  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

### Literal question

Sector



## Stratum (Stratum)

### File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 2

Valid cases: 101714  
Invalid: 0

#### Description

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#### Literal question

Stratum

## District Code (District\_Code)

### File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 2

Valid cases: 101714  
Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

District Code

## Sub Sample (Sub\_Sample)

### File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 101714  
Invalid: 0

#### Description

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#### Literal question

Sub Sample

Village/Bl. Srl. No. (Vill\_Blk\_Slno)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 5

Valid cases: 101714  
Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Village/Bl. Srl. No.

Sample vill / Block No. (Sample\_Vill\_Blk\_No)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 3

Valid cases: 101714  
Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Sample vill / Block No.

2nd stg strm / schedule type (Second\_Stratum)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 101714  
Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

2nd stg strm / Sch. Type

Sample Household No. (Hhold\_no)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 2

Valid cases: 101714  
Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Sample Household No.

Level (Level)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

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File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 101714
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Level

## Block 8.1 Item Code (B8\_1\_q1)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 101714
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Literal question**

Block 8.1 Item Code

## Value in cash (B8\_1\_q3)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 101650
Format: numeric	Invalid: 64
Width: 9	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 143000
Range: 0-143000	Mean: 545.5
	Standard deviation: 1640.6

**Literal question**

How much money was spent by the household on the purchase of the item in the last 365 days?

## Value in cash and kind (B8\_1\_q4)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 101714
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 143000
Range: 0.04-143000	Mean: 546.4
	Standard deviation: 1641.5

**Literal question**

How much was spent by the household in cash & kind on the purchase of the item in the last 365 days?

## Update code (Update\_Code)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 8399
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

Update code

## Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2) (Wgt\_SubSample)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 101714
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 10.3
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 190897
Range: 10.25-190897.03	Mean: 6413.4
	Standard deviation: 8237.1

**Description**

Sub sample multiplier generated by NSSO

## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

File: Block 8pt1\_Annual household expenditure on education and medical (institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 101714
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 5.1
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 95448.5
Range: 5.13-95448.52	Mean: 3206.7
	Standard deviation: 4118.6

**Description**

Combined multiplier generated by NSSO

## Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 8

Valid cases: 52721  
Invalid: 0

## Round Schedule (RoundSchedule)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 3

Valid cases: 52721  
Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Round Schedule

## State Region (State\_Region)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 3

Valid cases: 52721  
Invalid: 0

**Description**

Regions are hierarchical domains of study below the level of State/ Union Territory in the NSS.

**Literal question**

State Region

## State (State)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 2

Valid cases: 52721  
Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

State

## Sub Round (SubRound)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

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### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 52721  
Invalid: 0

### Description

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### Literal question

Sub Round

## Flot No. (FlotNo)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 5

Valid cases: 52721  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

Flot No.

## Sample (Sample)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 52721  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

Sample

## Sector (Sector)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 52721  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

### Literal question

Sector

## Stratum (Stratum)

### File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 52721  
 Invalid: 0

#### Description

Within each district of a State/ UT, two basic strata were formed:

(i) rural stratum comprising of all rural areas of the district and (ii) urban stratum comprising of all the urban areas of the district.

#### Literal question

Stratum

## District Code (District\_Code)

### File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 52721  
 Invalid: 0

#### Literal question

District Code

## Sub Sample (Sub\_Sample)

### File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 52721  
 Invalid: 0

#### Description

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#### Literal question

Sub Sample

Village/Bl. Srl. No. (Vill\_Blk\_Slno)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 5

Valid cases: 52721  
Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Village/Bl. Srl. No.

Sample vill / Block No. (Sample\_Vill\_Blk\_No)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 3

Valid cases: 52721  
Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Sample vill / Block No.

2nd stg strm / schedule type (Second\_Stratum)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 52721  
Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

2nd stg strm / Sch. Type

Sample Household No. (Hhold\_no)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 2

Valid cases: 52721  
Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Sample Household No.

Level (Level)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services



## Level (Level)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 52721
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Level

## Block 8.2 Item Code (B8\_2\_q1)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 52721
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Literal question**

Block 8.2 Item Code

## Value in cash (B8\_2\_q3)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 52693
Format: numeric	Invalid: 28
Width: 8	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 26000
Range: 0-26000	Mean: 122.2
	Standard deviation: 323.5

**Literal question**

How much money was spent by the household on the purchase of the item in the last 30 days?

## Value in cash and kind (B8\_2\_q4)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 52721
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 0.1
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 26000
Range: 0.05-26000	Mean: 122.3
	Standard deviation: 323.5

**Literal question**

How much was spent by the household in cash & kind on the purchase of the item in the last 30 days?

## Update code (Update\_Code)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 4221
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

Update code

## Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2) (Wgt\_SubSample)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 52721
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 5.6
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 190897
Range: 5.58-190897.03	Mean: 7472.3
	Standard deviation: 9141.2

**Description**

Sub sample multiplier generated by NSSO

## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

File: Block 8pt2\_Monthly household expenditure on medical (non-institutional) goods and services

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 52721
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 2.8
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 95448.5
Range: 2.79-95448.52	Mean: 3736.5
	Standard deviation: 4571.2

**Description**

Combined multiplier generated by NSSO

## Key to identify a household (HHID)

### File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 94931
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	

## Round Schedule (RoundSchedule)

### File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 94931
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Literal question**

Round Schedule

## State Region (State\_Region)

### File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 94931
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Description**

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**Literal question**

State Region

## State (State)

### File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 94931
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

State

## Sub Round (SubRound)

### File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 94931
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Description**

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## Sub Round (SubRound)

File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Literal question**

Sub Round

## Flot No. (FlotNo)

File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 94931

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 5

**Literal question**

Flot No.

## Village/Bl. Srl. No. (Vill\_Blk\_Slno)

File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 94931

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 5

**Literal question**

Village/Bl. Srl. No.

## Sample (Sample)

File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 94931

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

**Literal question**

Sample

## Sector (Sector)

File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 94931

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

**Description**

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

**Literal question**

Sector

## Stratum (Stratum)

### File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 94931
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Description**

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**Literal question**

Stratum

## District Code (District\_Code)

### File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 94931
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

District Code

## Sub Sample (Sub\_Sample)

### File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 94931
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Description**

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**Literal question**

Sub Sample

## Sample vill / Block No. (Sample\_Vill\_Blkc\_No)

### File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 94931
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Literal question**

Sample vill / Block No. (Sample\_Vill\_Blck\_No)

File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

Sample vill / Block No.

2nd stg strm / schedule type (Second\_Stratum)

File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 94931

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

**Literal question**

2nd stg strm / Sch. Type

Sample Household No. (Hhold\_no)

File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 94931

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 2

**Literal question**

Sample Household No.

Level (Level)

File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 94931

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 2

**Literal question**

Level

Block 9 Item Code (B9\_q1)

File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 94931

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 3

No. of First-hand purchase (B9\_q3)

File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

## No. of First-hand purchase (B9\_q3)

## File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 3  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-819

Valid cases: 6878  
 Invalid: 88053  
 Minimum: 0  
 Maximum: 819  
 Mean: 2.2  
 Standard deviation: 19.8

**Literal question**

How many items were purchased through first hand purchase in the last 365 days?

**Interviewer instructions**

The number of each item of durable goods purchased (first-hand) for which some expenditure has been incurred during the reference period will be recorded in this column.

## Whether Hire-purchase? (B9\_q4)

## File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 18175  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Whether item was hire-purchased?

**Interviewer instructions**

If an item of durable goods is purchased on instalment payment and the expenditure made on it during the reference period consists of one or more such instalment payments, code 1 will be recorded in this column. Otherwise i.e., when durable goods are purchased and entire amount is paid during the reference period, code 2 will be recorded in this column.

## Value of First-hand purchase - in cash (B9\_q5)

## File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 9  
 Decimals: 2  
 Range: 0-451700

Valid cases: 50049  
 Invalid: 44882  
 Minimum: 0  
 Maximum: 451700  
 Mean: 798.5  
 Standard deviation: 5472.4

**Literal question**

How much money was spent by the household on first hand purchase of the item in the last 365 days?

**Interviewer instructions**

Value of first-hand purchase during the reference period will be entered in this column. The total amount paid during the reference period will be recorded here.

## Value of First-hand purchase - in cash &amp; kind (B9\_q6)

## File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

## Value of First-hand purchase - in cash & kind (B9\_q6)

### File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 50140
Format: numeric	Invalid: 44791
Width: 9	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 451700
Range: 0-451700	Mean: 801.3
	Standard deviation: 5476.5

#### Literal question

How much was spent by the household in cash and kind on first hand purchase of the item in the last 365 days?

## Cost of Raw material,service & repair - in cash (B9\_q7)

### File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 55771
Format: numeric	Invalid: 39160
Width: 9	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 135000
Range: 0-135000	Mean: 343.6
	Standard deviation: 1688.9

#### Literal question

How much was spent by the household in cash towards the cost of raw material, service & repair in the last 365 days?

#### Interviewer instructions

This column is for recording expenditure on materials and services for construction, assemblage, repair and maintenance of all durable goods - first-hand as well as second-hand. Value of durable goods constructed will comprise value of raw materials, services and/or labour charges and any other charges. The total value of raw materials, services and labour charges will be recorded in this block. Here, expenditure incurred towards repair and maintenance of items purchased on second-hand will also be accounted.

## Cost of Raw material,service & repair - in cash & kind (B9\_q8)

### File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 55928
Format: numeric	Invalid: 39003
Width: 9	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 135000
Range: 0-135000	Mean: 351.1
	Standard deviation: 1737.9

#### Literal question

How much was spent by the household in cash & kind towards the cost of raw material, service & repair in the last 365 days?

## Total Expenditure - in cash (B9\_q9)

### File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

#### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 94688
Format: numeric	Invalid: 243
Width: 9	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 451900
Range: 0-451900	Mean: 625
	Standard deviation: 4213.8



## Total Expenditure - in cash &amp; kind (B9\_q10)

## File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 94755
Format: numeric	Invalid: 176
Width: 9	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 451900
Range: 0-451900	Mean: 631.8
	Standard deviation: 4234.4

## No. of Second-hand purchase (B9\_q11)

## File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 175
Format: numeric	Invalid: 94756
Width: 3	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-819	

**Literal question**

How many items were purchased through second hand purchase in the last 365 days?

**Interviewer instructions**

The number of each item of second-hand durable goods purchased during the reference period will be recorded in this column

## Value of Second-hand purchase - in cash (B9\_q12)

## File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 2971
Format: numeric	Invalid: 91960
Width: 8	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 20500
Range: 0-20500	Mean: 248.9
	Standard deviation: 1406.7

**Literal question**

How much was spent by the household in cash on second hand purchase of the item in the last 365 days?

**Interviewer instructions**

Value of second-hand purchase during the reference period will be entered in this column.

## Value of Second-hand purchase - in cash &amp; kind (B9\_q13)

## File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 2967
Format: numeric	Invalid: 91964
Width: 8	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 20500
Range: 0-20500	Mean: 257.4
	Standard deviation: 1426.5

**Literal question**

How much was spent by the household in cash & kind on second hand purchase of the item in the last 365 days?

## Update code (Update\_Code)

## File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 9960
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

Update code

## Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2) (Wgt\_SubSample)

## File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 94931
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 5.6
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 187200
Range: 5.58-187200	Mean: 7018.5
	Standard deviation: 8675.8

**Description**

Sub sample multiplier generated by NSSO

## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

## File: Block 9\_Annual household expenditure on durables

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 94931
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 2.8
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 93600
Range: 2.79-93600	Mean: 3510.5
	Standard deviation: 4340.6

**Description**

Combined multiplier generated by NSSO

## Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48463
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	

## Round Schedule (RoundSchedule)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48463
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

### Literal question

Round Schedule

## State Region (State\_Region)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48463
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

### Description

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### Literal question

State Region

## State (State)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48463
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

### Literal question

State

## Sub Round (SubRound)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48463
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

### Description

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## Sub Round (SubRound)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

### Literal question

Sub Round

## Flot No. (FlotNo)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48463
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 5	

### Literal question

Flot No.

## Sample (Sample)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48463
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

### Literal question

Sample

## Sector (Sector)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48463
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

### Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

### Literal question

Sector

## Stratum (Stratum)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48463
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

### Description

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(i) rural stratum comprising of all rural areas of the district and (ii) urban stratum comprising of all the urban areas of the district.

### Literal question

Stratum

## District Code (District\_Code)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48463
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

### Literal question

District Code

## Sub Sample (Sub\_Sample)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48463
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

### Description

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### Literal question

Sub Sample

## Village/Bl. Srl. No. (Vill\_Blk\_Slno)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48463
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 5	

### Literal question

Village/Bl. Srl. No.

## Sample vill / Block No. (Sample\_Vill\_Blk\_No)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48463
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

### Literal question

Sample vill / Block No.

## 2nd stg strm / schedule type (Second\_Stratum)

## File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48463
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

2nd stg strm / Sch. Type

## Sample Household No. (Hhold\_no)

## File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48463
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Sample Household No.

## Level (Level)

## File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48463
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Level

## Do all members get two square meals? (B10\_q1)

## File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 48454
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

Do all members get two square meals?

**Interviewer instructions**

The expression 'getting two square meals a day', as is used in common parlance, conveys that the concerned person get, by and large, enough food to eat. While putting this question to the informant, it is thus presumed that the informant has a clear understanding about the meaning of it. There are equivalent phrases conveying the same meaning in regional languages. It is, therefore, important to put the proper question in the local language and record the answer given by the informant in terms of prescribed code numbers.

Care should however be taken to see that the informant is not offended with this question. Neither this question should be asked to those whose reported consumption would obviously indicate that they get enough to eat.

## Month when not enough food (B10\_q2\_1)

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File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 2

Valid cases: 395

Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Which month or months the household did not enough food?

## Month when not enough food (B10\_q2\_2)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 2

Valid cases: 374

Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Which month or months the household did not enough food?

## Month when not enough food (B10\_q2\_3)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 2

Valid cases: 283

Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Which month or months the household did not enough food?

## Month when not enough food (B10\_q2\_4)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 2

Valid cases: 168

Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Which month or months the household did not enough food?

## Month when not enough food (B10\_q2\_5)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: character

Width: 2

Valid cases: 139

Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Which month or months the household did not enough food?

## Month when not enough food (B10\_q2\_6)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 119  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Which month or months the household did not enough food?

## Month when not enough food (B10\_q2\_7)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 177  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Which month or months the household did not enough food?

## Month when not enough food (B10\_q2\_8)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 208  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Which month or months the household did not enough food?

## Month when not enough food (B10\_q2\_9)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 176  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Which month or months the household did not enough food?

## Month when not enough food (B10\_q2\_10)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 90  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Which month or months the household did not enough food?



## Month when not enough food (B10\_q2\_11)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 48  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Which month or months the household did not enough food?

Whether the question(Do all members get two square meals?)was actually asked from the informant (B10\_q3)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 48435  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Whether the question(Do all members get two square meals?)was actually asked from the informant?

## Update code (Update\_Code)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 3969  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Update code

## Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2) (Wgt\_SubSample)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 9  
 Decimals: 2  
 Range: 5.58-190897.03

Valid cases: 48463  
 Invalid: 0  
 Minimum: 5.6  
 Maximum: 190897  
 Mean: 7028.8  
 Standard deviation: 9199.8

**Description**

Sub sample multiplier generated by NSSO

## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

**Overview**

## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

### File: Block 10\_Perception of households regarding sufficiency of food

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 2  
Range: 2.79-95448.52

Valid cases: 48463  
Invalid: 0  
Minimum: 2.8  
Maximum: 95448.5  
Mean: 3515.1  
Standard deviation: 4601.2

#### **Description**

Combined multiplier generated by NSSO

## Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 8

Valid cases: 295  
Invalid: 0

## Round Schedule (RoundSchedule)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 3

Valid cases: 295  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

Round Schedule

## State Region (State\_Region)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 3

Valid cases: 295  
Invalid: 0

### Description

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### Literal question

State Region

## State (State)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 2

Valid cases: 295  
Invalid: 0

### Literal question

State

## Sub Round (SubRound)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 1

Valid cases: 295  
Invalid: 0

### Description

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## Sub Round (SubRound)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

### Literal question

Sub Round

## Flot No. (FlotNo)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 295

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 5

### Literal question

Flot No.

## Sample (Sample)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 295

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

### Literal question

Sample

## Sector (Sector)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 295

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

### Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

### Literal question

Sector

## Stratum (Stratum)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 295

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 2

### Description

Within each district of a State/ UT, two basic strata were formed:

(i) rural stratum comprising of all rural areas of the district and (ii) urban stratum comprising of all the urban areas of the district.

### Literal question

Stratum

## District Code (District\_Code)

### File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 295  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

District Code

## Sub Sample (Sub\_Sample)

### File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 295  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

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**Literal question**

Sub Sample

## Village/Bl. Srl. No. (Vill\_Blk\_Slno)

### File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 5

Valid cases: 295  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Village/Bl. Srl. No.

## Sample vill / Block No. (Sample\_Vill\_Blk\_No)

### File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 3

Valid cases: 295  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Sample vill / Block No.

## 2nd stg strm / schedule type (Second\_Stratum)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 295
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

2nd stg strm / Sch. Type

## Sample Household No. (Hhold\_no)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 295
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Sample Household No.

## Level (Level)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 295
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Level

## Serial no. of ceremony (B11\_1\_q2\_1)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 295
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Literal question**

Serial no. of ceremony

## Code (Ceremony) (B11\_1\_q2\_3)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 249
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Description**

## Code (Ceremony) (B11\_1\_q2\_3)

## File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

Ceremonies are performed to solemnise notable events of life e.g. birth, marriage etc. Members of a household may have to perform some religious rites consequent upon the death of a person. For various religious faiths, there are some days in a year which are observed with ceremonial performances like offering of puja, prayer, celebration of rituals etc. Such ceremonies may be performed by household members as required under the social/religious customs without incurring any expenditure for entertaining guests. On the other hand, it may happen that households have to spend some amount under different heads for the purpose of entertainment. Conventionally these expenditures are considered as an essential part of the ceremonies performed. The purpose of providing this block in this schedule is to estimate the amount of expenditure incurred by the household on these occasions under various broad groups of items e.g. food, fuel & light, clothing & footwear, misc. goods & services, durable goods etc. Hence only those ceremonies on which some amount of expenditure is involved should be listed in this block.

**Literal question**

Which ceremony did the household perform during the last 7 days?

## Expenditure incurred on food (B11\_1\_q2\_4)

## File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 284
Format: numeric	Invalid: 11
Width: 6	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 200000
Range: 0-200000	Mean: 3530.6
	Standard deviation: 17465.7

**Literal question**

How much expenditure was incurred on food in the ceremony?

## Expenditure incurred on fuel &amp; light (B11\_1\_q2\_5)

## File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 224
Format: numeric	Invalid: 71
Width: 6	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 100000
Range: 0-100000	Mean: 1312.9
	Standard deviation: 9454.6

**Literal question**

How much expenditure was incurred on fuel & light in the ceremony?

## Expenditure incurred on clothing &amp; footwear (B11\_1\_q2\_6)

## File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 169
Format: numeric	Invalid: 126
Width: 6	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 150000
Range: 0-150000	Mean: 3448.6
	Standard deviation: 16497.1

**Literal question**

How much expenditure was incurred on clothing & footwear in the ceremony?

## Expenditure incurred on miscellaneous goods &amp; services

(B11\_1\_q2\_7)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 160
Format: numeric	Invalid: 135
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2450000
Range: 0-2450000	Mean: 32635.4
	Standard deviation: 272980.3

**Literal question**

How much expenditure was incurred on miscellaneous goods &amp; services in the ceremony?

## Expenditure incurred on durables (B11\_1\_q2\_8)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 64
Format: numeric	Invalid: 231
Width: 6	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 250000
Range: 0-250000	Mean: 16413.8
	Standard deviation: 44978.3

**Literal question**

How much expenditure was incurred on durables in the ceremony?

## Expenditure incurred - All (B11\_1\_q2\_9)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 295
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 7	Minimum: 22
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 3150000
Range: 22-3150000	Mean: 27633
	Standard deviation: 259125.1

## Update code (Update\_Code)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 40
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

Update code

## Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2) (Wgt\_SubSample)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies



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File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 295
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 76.5
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 35713.1
Range: 76.5-35713.13	Mean: 6493.1
	Standard deviation: 7364

### Description

Sub sample multiplier generated by NSSO

## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

File: Block 11pt1\_Weekly household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 295
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 38.3
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 17856.6
Range: 38.25-17856.57	Mean: 3246.6
	Standard deviation: 3682

### Description

Combined multiplier generated by NSSO

## Key to identify a household (HHID)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 3789
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	

## Round Schedule (RoundSchedule)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 3789
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

### Literal question

Round Schedule

## State Region (State\_Region)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 3789
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

### Description

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### Literal question

State Region

## State (State)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 3789
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

### Literal question

State

## Sub Round (SubRound)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 3789
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

### Description

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## Sub Round (SubRound)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

### Literal question

Sub Round

## Flot No. (FlotNo)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 3789

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 5

### Literal question

Flot No.

## Sample (Sample)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 3789

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

### Literal question

Sample

## Sector (Sector)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 3789

Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 1

### Description

Sector : A word used for the rural-urban demarcation.

### Literal question

Sector

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### Overview

Type: Discrete

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Format: character

Invalid: 0

Width: 2

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### Literal question

Stratum

## District Code (District\_Code)

### File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 2

Valid cases: 3789  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

District Code

## Sub Sample (Sub\_Sample)

### File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 1

Valid cases: 3789  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

An important feature of the NSS sampling design is that the total sample of first stage units is drawn in the form of two or more independent and parallel samples, termed as interpenetrating sub-samples. Each sub-sample is drawn by the same sampling scheme and is capable of providing valid estimates of the population parameters. The comparison of sub-sample wise estimates shows the margin of uncertainty associated with the combined sample estimate.

Interpenetrating sub-samples have been used in NSS (i) to obtain valid estimates from each sub-round (season) of the survey round, and (ii) to ensure that Central and State samples for any State/ UT cover independent and equally valid samples of units.

The samples surveyed by the NSSO staff are termed as Central sample and the matched samples surveyed by State Government staff are termed as State sample.

**Literal question**

Sub Sample

## Village/Bl. Srl. No. (Vill\_Blk\_Slno)

### File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 5

Valid cases: 3789  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Village/Bl. Srl. No.

## Sample vill / Block No. (Sample\_Vill\_Blk\_No)

### File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 3

Valid cases: 3789  
 Invalid: 0

**Literal question**

Sample vill / Block No.

## 2nd stg strm / schedule type (Second\_Stratum)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 3789
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

2nd stg strm / Sch. Type

## Sample Household No. (Hhold\_no)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 3789
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Sample Household No.

## Level (Level)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 3789
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	

**Literal question**

Level

## Serial no. of ceremony (B11\_2\_q2\_1)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 3789
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	

**Literal question**

Serial no. of ceremony

## Code (Ceremony) (B11\_2\_q2\_3)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 3132
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Description**

## Code (Ceremony) (B11\_2\_q2\_3)

## File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

Ceremonies are performed to solemnise notable events of life e.g. birth, marriage etc. Members of a household may have to perform some religious rites consequent upon the death of a person. For various religious faiths, there are some days in a year which are observed with ceremonial performances like offering of puja, prayer, celebration of rituals etc. Such ceremonies may be performed by household members as required under the social/religious customs without incurring any expenditure for entertaining guests. On the other hand, it may happen that households have to spend some amount under different heads for the purpose of entertainment. Conventionally these expenditures are considered as an essential part of the ceremonies performed. The purpose of providing this block in this schedule is to estimate the amount of expenditure incurred by the household on these occasions under various broad groups of items e.g. food, fuel & light, clothing & footwear, misc. goods & services, durable goods etc. Hence only those ceremonies on which some amount of expenditure is involved should be listed in this block.

**Literal question**

Which ceremony did the household perform during the last 365 days?

## Expenditure incurred on food (B11\_2\_q2\_4)

## File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 3700
Format: numeric	Invalid: 89
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2000000
Range: 0-2000000	Mean: 4476.6
	Standard deviation: 54851.8

**Literal question**

How much expenditure was incurred on food in the ceremony?

## Expenditure incurred on fuel &amp; light (B11\_2\_q2\_5)

## File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 3060
Format: numeric	Invalid: 729
Width: 6	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 100000
Range: 0-100000	Mean: 683.3
	Standard deviation: 4370.8

**Literal question**

How much expenditure was incurred on fuel & light in the ceremony?

## Expenditure incurred on clothing &amp; footwear (B11\_2\_q2\_6)

## File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 2574
Format: numeric	Invalid: 1215
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1000000
Range: 0-1000000	Mean: 3862.7
	Standard deviation: 32781

**Literal question**

How much expenditure was incurred on clothing & footwear in the ceremony?

## Expenditure incurred on miscellaneous goods &amp; services

(B11\_2\_q2\_7)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 2418
Format: numeric	Invalid: 1371
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2450000
Range: 0-2450000	Mean: 4389.9
	Standard deviation: 76353.9

**Literal question**

How much expenditure was incurred on miscellaneous goods &amp; services in the ceremony?

## Expenditure incurred on durables (B11\_2\_q2\_8)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 1219
Format: numeric	Invalid: 2570
Width: 7	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 5000000
Range: 0-5000000	Mean: 16187.2
	Standard deviation: 211528

**Literal question**

How much expenditure was incurred on durables in the ceremony?

## Expenditure incurred - All (B11\_2\_q2\_9)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 3789
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 7	Minimum: 15
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 8200000
Range: 15-8200000	Mean: 15556.5
	Standard deviation: 224289.9

## Update code (Update\_Code)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 462
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

**Literal question**

Update code

## Multiplier (subsample 1 or 2) (Wgt\_SubSample)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

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File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 3789
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 41.9
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 70241.5
Range: 41.88-70241.5	Mean: 5977.2
	Standard deviation: 6887.9

**Description**

Sub sample multiplier generated by NSSO

## Multiplier (combined) (Wgt\_Combined)

File: Block 11pt2\_Annual household expenditure on ceremonies

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 3789
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 20.9
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 35120.8
Range: 20.94-35120.75	Mean: 2988.6
	Standard deviation: 3443.9

**Description**

Combined multiplier generated by NSSO



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