

NEIGHBORHOOD

Data on neighborhood conditions include the presence of particular services, their dependability/adequacy, and the presence/extent of both of particular detriments (e.g., litter, crime pollution). Users should note that data on neighborhood conditions are based on subjective assessments of the respondent rather than on objective evaluations of the neighborhood (there are a few exceptions where the enumerator's observations are available; these are indicated as appropriate). It should also be noted that the definition of "neighborhood" varies across years (for example, in 1973, respondents were asked to rate the conditions of their street while in later years they were asked to rate the conditions of the neighborhood). Furthermore, neighborhood is not defined to the respondent; it is whatever the respondent considers his/her neighborhood to be. Items related to previous neighborhood are presented in the Past and Future Homes section. Starting in 1984, interviewers are asked to complete, by observation, a few questions describing the immediate surroundings of the sample unit. The area is defined as 300 feet in any direction from the front of the building. These variables are identified in the documentation by the words "within 300 feet" in the variable description.

Many of the questions were asked in a three-part format: Does the problem exist, is it disturbing to you, and does the problem make you want to move? In the 1973 National and 1974 SMSA files, the answers are preserved in three separate variables (e.g., CRIME, CRIMED, CRIMEM), while in later files, the answers were combined (for example, CRIME).

The phrase "want to move" in these variables is not intended as a measure of mobility but as a measure of dissatisfaction. Nevertheless, the variables are weakly correlated to mobility.

Besides these questions about the general neighborhood, the 1985N survey has actual interviews with neighbors. For about 680 urban AHS units, chosen at random, the 10 closest units were chosen and interviewed. These units are identified in the RURREC and NEIGH variables in the Geography section. A regular AHS interview was conducted, so you can analyze income, income mix, family composition, types of houses, etc. in each cluster of neighbors. The sample of neighbors will be interviewed again in 1989 and 1993.

REF#	NAME	SURVEYS	DESCRIPTION	PAGE ON QUESTIONNAIRE			
				<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>	<u>84S</u>	<u>85N</u>
0291	HOWN	73N-79N 81N 83N 85N-93N 74S-93S	Resident's Satisfaction With Neighborhood 73N-79N 85N-93N 81N,83N 84S-93S <u>74S-83S</u> 0 No Neighborhood 1 Worst On A Scale of 1 to 10 2 2 On A Scale of 1 to 10 3 3 On A Scale of 1 to 10 4 4 On A Scale of 1 to 10 5 5 On A Scale of 1 to 10 6 6 On A Scale of 1 to 10 7 7 On A Scale of 1 to 10 8 8 On A Scale of 1 to 10 9 9 On A Scale of 1 to 10 10 Best On A Scale of 1 to 10 1 Excellent 2 Good 3 Fair 4 Poor 8 98 Not Answered 9 99 Not Applicable	<u>50</u>	32	9	9
0292	ESFD	85N-93N	Single Family Detached House(s) Within 300 Feet Of Unit			<u>84S</u>	<u>85N</u>
0293	ELOW	84S-93S	SF Attached/MF Lowrise Buildings Within 300 Feet Of Unit			43	54
0294	EMID		Mid Rise Residential Buildings Within 300 Feet Of Unit			43	54
0295	EHIGH		High Rise Residential Buildings Within 300 Feet Of Unit			43	54
0296	EMOBIL		Mobile Home(s) (Excl Campers) Within 300 Feet Of Unit			43	54
0297	ECOM		Commercial/Institutional/Industrial Bldgs Within 300 Feet of Unit			43	54
0298	EPRKG		Residential Parking Lot(s) Within 300 Feet Of Unit			43	54
0299	EWATER		Body of Water Within 300 Feet Of Unit			43	54
0300	EGREEN		Open Space/Park/Woods/Farm/Ranch Within 300 Feet Of Unit			43	54
0301	ECL		Other Features Not Listed Above Within 300 Feet Of Unit For All Variables, Standard Codes Are: 0 Feature Not Observed 1 Feature Observed 9 Not Applicable			43	54
0302	ETRANS	87N-93N 86S-93S	Four Lane Highway/Railroad/Airport Within 300 Feet 0 Feature Not Observed 1 Feature Observed 9 Not Applicable			<u>86S</u> G	<u>87N</u> G
0303	ENOCL	85N-93N 84S-93S	Area Surrounding Sample Unit Could Not Be Observed 0 No 1 Yes 9 Not Applicable			<u>84S</u> 43	<u>85N</u> 54
0304	EAGE	85N-93N 84S-93S	Predominant Age Of Residential Buildings Within 300 Feet 1 Older Than Sample Unit 2 About The Same 3 Newer Than Sample Unit 4 Very Mixed 5 No Other Residential Buildings 9 Not Observed			<u>84S</u> 43	<u>85N</u> 54

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0305	EABAN	73N-93N 74S-93S	Abandoned/Boarded Up/Vandalized Buildings Within 300 Feet 73N-83N 85N-93N <u>74S-83S</u> <u>84S-93S</u> 1 1 Yes, One 2 2 Yes, More Than One 3 No 4 No Other Building Within 300 Feet 8 8 Not Answered 9 9 Not Applicable	<u>83N</u> 5	<u>83S</u> 5	<u>84S</u> 43	<u>85N</u> 54
<p>Note: In 79N-81N, 83N, and 82S-83S, question only asks about boarded up buildings or buildings with broken windows. Prior to 1984, the question referred to buildings on the street. From 1984 on, it covers 300 feet from unit.</p>							
0306	EBARCL	85N-93N 84S-93S	Bars on Windows of Buildings Within 300 Feet 1 Yes, One Building With Bars 2 Yes, More Than One Building 3 No Bars on Windows 8 Not Answered 9 Not Applicable			<u>84S</u> 43	<u>85N</u> 54
0307	EABAN2	79N-83N 82S-83S	Abandoned Buildings On Street (Enumerator Observation) 1 Yes 2 No 8 Not Answered 9 Not Applicable	<u>83N</u> 54	<u>83S</u> 40		
0308	EROAD	79N 81N 83N 85N-93N 82S-93S	Condition of Streets and Roads Within 300 Feet 79N,81N 85N-93N 83N 84S-93S <u>82S-83S</u> 3 1 Major Repairs Needed 2 2 Minor Repairs Needed 1 3 No Repairs Needed 4 No Street Within 300 Feet 8 8 Not Answered 9 9 Not Applicable	<u>83N</u> 54	<u>83S</u> 40	<u>84S</u> 43	<u>85N</u> 54
<p>Note: Prior to 1984, the question referred to the neighborhood. From 1984, it covers 300 feet from the unit.</p>							
0309	EJUNK	79N 81N 83N 85N-93N 82S-93S	Trash, Litter Or Junk In Neighborhood 79N,81N 85N-93N 83N 84S-93S <u>82S-83S</u> 1 Major Accumulation 2 Minor Accumulation 1 3 None 3 Moderate Accumulation 4 Heavy Accumulation 8 8 Not Answered 9 9 Not Applicable	<u>83N</u> 54	<u>83S</u> 40	<u>84S</u> 43	<u>85N</u> 54
<p>Note: Prior to 1984, the question referred to the neighborhood. From 1984, it covers 300 feet from the unit.</p>							

REF#	NAME	SURVEYS	DESCRIPTION	PAGE ON QUESTIONNAIRE			
0310	NPROBS	85N-93N 84S-93S	Something About Neighborhood Is Bothersome 1 Yes 2 No 8 Not Answered 9 Not Applicable	9	9	<u>84S</u>	<u>85N</u>
0311	NOPROB	85N-93N	No Problem About Neighborhood Is Bothersome			<u>84S</u>	<u>85N</u>
0312	NUCRIM	84S-93S	Crime In Neighborhood Is Bothersome			9	9
0313	NOISE		Noise In Neighborhood Is Bothersome			9	9
0314	NUTRAF		Traffic In Neighborhood Is Bothersome			9	9
0315	LITTER		Litter Or Housing Deterioration Is Bothersome			9	9
0316	BADSRV		Poor City/Co Services In Neighborhood Are Bothersome			9	9
0317	BADFRP		Undesirable Non-Residential Uses Are Bothersome			9	9
0318	BADFER		People In Neighborhood Are Bothersome			9	9
0319	OTHNHD		Other Feature In Neighborhood Is Bothersome For All Variables, Standard Codes Are: 0 No, Condition Does Not Bother 1 Yes, Condition Bothers 8 Not Answered 9 Not Applicable			9	9
0320	TPARK	74N-93N 75S-93S	Number of Mobile Homes In Group (Enumerator Observation) 74N-77N 78N-81N 85N-93N 83N 84S-93S <u>75S-81S</u> <u>82S-83S</u> _____ 0 Not A Mobile Home 1 6 or More 1 1 Mobile Home 2 1-5 2 6-99 3 2 or More 3 100 or More 9 9 9 Not Applicable	<u>83N</u> 10	<u>83S</u> 10	<u>84S</u> 42	<u>85N</u> 53
0321	TRAF	73N-77N	Heavy Street Traffic Present	<u>77N</u> 30	<u>81S</u> 30		
0322	STRL	74S-81S	Inadequate Street Lighting	30	30		
0323	DUMP		Rundown Houses or Buildings Present	30	30		
0324	AIRN		Airplane Noise Present	30	30		
0325	SNOW		Roads Impassable Due to Snow, Water, Etc. For All Variables, Standard Codes Are: 73N 74N 75N-76N 77N 74S 75S-77S 78S-80S _____ <u>81S</u> _____ 2 1 2 2 Condition Does Not Exist 1 Condition Exists 2 4 3 Exists, Not A Bother 4 6 Bothers, Not Enough To Move 4 Bothers A Little 5 Bothers Very Much 3 5 6 Bothers, Want To Move 1 1 Exists, Bothersomeness Not Answered 3 Bothers, Wish To Move Not Answered 8 8 8 8 Not Answered 9 9 9 9 Not Applicable	30	30		

Note: SNOW is not available for 73N or 74S.

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0326	STRN	73N-77N	Street Noise Present	83N	83S	85S	85N
0327	CRIME	79N	Street/Neighborhood Crime Present	49	31	46	46
		81N	For All Variables, Standard Codes Are:				
		83N	73N 74N 75N-76N 77N				
		85N-93N	74S 79N,81N 78S-80S				
		74S-83S	83N-93N				
		85S-88S	75S-77S				
			81S-83S				
			85S-88S				
			2 1 2 2				
			1				
			2 4 3				
			4 6				
			4				
			5				
			3 5 6				
			1 1				
			3				
			8 8 8 8				
			9 9 9 9				
				Condition Does Not Exist			
				Condition Exists			
				Exists, Not A Bother			
				Objectionable, Don't Wish To Move			
				Bothers A Little			
				Bothers Very Much			
				Objectionable, Wish To Move			
				Exists, Bothersomeness Not Answered			
				Bothers, Wish To Move Not Answered			
				Not Answered			
				Not Applicable			
					83N	83S	85S
0328	ROAD	73N-77N	Street Continually In Need Of Repair	49	31	46	46
0329	JUNK	79N	Trash, Litter or Junk Present	49	31	46	46
0330	ABAN	81N	Houses Or Buildings In Rundown Condition Present	49	31	46	46
0331	NONRES	83N	Commercial, Industrial, Non-Res Activities Present	49	31	46	46
0332	ODOR	85N	Odors, Smoke, Or Gas Present	49	31	46	46
		74S-83S	For All Variables, Standard Codes Are:				
		85S-87S	73N 74N 75N-76N 77N				
			74S 79N,81N 78S-80S				
			83N,85N				
			75S-77S				
			81S-83S				
			85S-87S				
			2 1 2 2				
			1				
			2 4 3				
			4 6				
			4				
			5				
			3 5 6				
			1 1				
			3				
			8 8 8 8				
			9 9 9 9				
				Condition Does Not Exist			
				Condition Exists			
				Exists, Not A Bother			
				Objectionable, Don't Wish To Move			
				Bothers A Little			
				Bothers Very Much			
				Objectionable, Wish To Move			
				Exists, Bothersomeness Not Answered			
				Bothers, Wish To Move Not Answered			
				Not Answered			
				Not Applicable			
					73N	74S	
0333	STRND	73N	Street Noise Disturbing	14	14		
0334	TRAFD	74S	Heavy Street Traffic Disturbing	14	14		
0335	ROADD		Street Continually In Need Of Repair Disturbing	14	14		
0336	STRLD		Inadequate Street Lighting Disturbing	14	14		
0337	CRIMED		Street/Neighborhood Crime Disturbing	14	14		
0338	JUNKD		Trash, Litter, or Junk Disturbing	14	14		
0339	ABAND		Abandoned or Boarded-up Buildings Disturbing	14	14		
0340	DUMPD		Rundown Houses or Buildings Disturbing	14	14		
0341	NONRESD		Commercial, Industrial, Non-res. Activities Disturbing	14	14		
0342	ODORD		Odors, Smoke, or Gas Disturbing	14	14		
0343	AIRND		Airplane Noise Disturbing	14	14		
			For All Variables, Standard Values Are:				
			1 Yes, Disturbing				
			2 No, Not Disturbing				
			8 Not Answered				
			9 Not Applicable				

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				<u>73N</u>	<u>74S</u>		
0344	STRNM	73N	Street Noise-Want To Move	14	14		
0345	TRAFM	74S	Heavy Street Traffic-Want To Move	14	14		
0346	ROADM		Street Continually in Need of Repair-Want To Move	14	14		
0347	STRLM		Inadequate Street Lighting-Want To Move	14	14		
0348	CRIMEM		Street/Neighborhood Crime-Want To Move	14	14		
0349	JUNKM		Trash, Litter, or Junk-Want To Move	14	14		
0350	ABANM		Abandoned or Boarded-Up Buildings-Want To Move	14	14		
0351	DUMPM		Rundown Houses or Buildings-Want To Move	14	14		
0352	NONRESM		Commercial, Industrial, Non-Res. Activities-Want To Move	14	14		
0353	ODORM		Odors, Smoke, or Gas-Want To Move	14	14		
0354	AIRNM		Airplane, Noise-Want To Move	14	14		
			For All Variables, Standard Values Are:				
			1 Yes, Disturbing				
			2 No, Not Disturbing				
			8 Not Answered				
			9 Not Applicable				
				<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>		
0355	FUZZ	74N-77N	Police Protection Adequate	49	31		
		79N	74N-77N				
		81N	79N,81N				
		83N	83N				
		74S-83S	<u>74S</u> <u>75S-83S</u>				
			2 1 Adequate				
			1 2 Inadequate				
			3 3 Don't Know				
			8 8 Not Answered				
			9 9 Not Applicable				
				<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>	<u>85S</u>	<u>85N</u>
0356	FUZZM	74N-77N	How Inadequate Is Police Protection	49	31	46	46
		79N	74N-76N 77N 85N				
		81N	79N,81N 78S-80S 85S-87S				
		83N	83N				
		85N	74S-77S				
		74S-83S	<u>81S-83S</u>				
		85S-87S					
			1 Adequate, Wish To Move Not Answered				
			2 Inadequate, Wish To Move Not Answered				
			3 Adequacy Not Known Wish To Move Not Answered				
			1 4 4 Inadequate Service, Wish To Move				
			2 5 Inadequate Service, No Wish To Move				
			1 Not A Bother				
			2 Bothers A Little				
			3 Bothers Very Much				
			8 8 8 Not Answered				
			9 9 9 Not Applicable				
				<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>	<u>85S</u>	<u>85N</u>
0357	SHP	73N-77N	Shopping Facilities Adequate	50	32	47	47
		79N	74N-77N				
		81N-93N	73N 79N,81N				
		74S-83S	83N-93N				
		85S-88S	<u>74S</u> <u>75S-88S</u>				
			2 1 Adequate				
			1 2 Inadequate				
			3 3 Don't Know				
			8 8 Not Answered				
			9 9 Not Applicable				

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0358	SHPM	73N-77N 74S-81S	How Inadequate Is Shopping 73N-76N 77N 74S-77S 78S-80S <u>81S</u>	<u>77N</u>	<u>81S</u>		
				31	31		
			2				
			1				
			2				
			3				
			1				
			8				
			9				
0359	SHPCLS	79N 81N-93N 82S-83S 85S-88S	Grocery or Drug Store Within 1 Mile 1 Yes 2 No 8 Not Answered 9 Not Applicable School(s) Children Attend (Ages 5-13)	<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>	<u>85S</u>	<u>85N</u>
				50	32	47	47
0360	SHPUB	79N	1 Public Elementary School	<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>	<u>85S</u>	<u>85N</u>
0361	SHPRI	81N-93N	2 Private Elementary School	50	32	47	47
0362	SCHOTH	82S-83S 85S-88S	3 Other School	50	32	47	47
			The Codes Unique To Each Variable Are Shown Above: For All Variables, Standard Codes Are: 0 This Answer Not Given 9 Not Answered Or Not Applicable				
			Note: To Distinguish Between Not Answered And Not Applicable, Use Variable SCHNO described below.				
0363	SCHNO	79N 81N-93N 82S-83S 85S-88S	Do School Age Children Attend School 4 Do Not Attend School 8 Not Answered 9 Not Applicable	<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>	<u>85S</u>	<u>85N</u>
				50	32	47	47
0364	SCHOK	79N 81N 83N 82S-85S	Is Closest Public School Satisfactory 1 Yes 2 No 3 Don't Know 8 Not Answered 9 Not Applicable	<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>	<u>84S</u>	
				50	32		
0365	SCH	73N-77N 85N-93N 74S-81S 83S	Schools Adequate 73N 74N-77N 74S 85N-93N 75S-81S <u>83S</u>	<u>77N</u>	<u>83S</u>	<u>85N</u>	
				31	32	47	
			2				
			1				
			3				
			8				
			9				

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				<u>77N</u>	<u>81S</u>	<u>85S</u>	<u>85N</u>
0366	SCHEM	73N-77N	How Inadequate Are Schools	<u>31</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>47</u>
		85N-93N 74S-81S 85S-88S	73N-76N 77N 74S-77S 78S-80S 81S 85N-93N <u>85S-88S</u>	2	1	2	3
			Not A Bother or Not Enough To Move				
			Not A Bother				
			Bothers A Little				
			Bothers Very Much				
			Bothers, Want To Move				
			Not Answered				
			Not Applicable				
0367	SCHCLS	79N	Public School Within 1 Mile	<u>50</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>47</u>
		81N-93N 82S-83S 85S-88S	1 Yes 2 No 8 Not Answered 9 Not Applicable				
0368	RECR	77N	Outdoor Recreation Facilities Adequate	<u>49</u>	<u>31</u>		
		79N 81N 83N 77S-83S	1 Adequate 2 Inadequate 3 Don't Know 8 Not Answered 9 Not Applicable				
0369	RECRM	77N	How Inadequate Are Outdoor Rec. Facilities	<u>49</u>	<u>31</u>		
		79N 81N 83N 77S-83S	77N 79N,81N 83N 78S-80S 77S <u>81S-83S</u>	2	1	2	3
			Not A Bother or Not Enough To Move				
			Not A Bother				
			Bothers A Little				
			Bothers Very Much				
			Bothers, Want To Move				
			Not Answered				
			Not Applicable				
0370	HOSP	74N-77N	Hospitals Or Health Clinics Adequate	<u>49</u>	<u>31</u>		
		79N 81N 83N 75S-83S	1 Adequate 2 Inadequate 3 Don't Know 8 Not Answered 9 Not Applicable				

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0371	HOSPM	74N-77N 79N 81N-85N 75S-83S 85S-87S	Hospitals So Inadequate That You Want To Move								
			74N-76N 77N 85N								
			79N,81N 73S-80S 85S-87S								
			83N								
			75S-77S								
			<u>81S-83S</u>								
				1		Adequate, Wish To Move Not Answered					
				2		Inadequate, Wish To Move Not Answered					
				3		Adequacy Not Known, Wish To Move Not Answered					
			1	4	4	Inadequate, Wish To Move					
			2		5	Not A Bother Or No Wish To Move					
				1		Not A Bother					
	2		Bothers A Little								
	3		Bothers Very Much								
8	8	8	Not Answered								
9	9	9	Not Applicable								
				<u>76N</u>	<u>76S</u>						
				30	31						
0372	FIRE	74N-76N 74S-76S	Fire Protection Adequate								
			74N-76N								
			<u>74S</u>	<u>75S-76S</u>							
			2	1	Adequate						
			1	2	Inadequate						
			3	3	Don't Know						
			8	8	Not Answered						
			9	9	Not Applicable						
							<u>76N</u>	<u>76S</u>			
							30	31			
			0373	FIREM	74N-76N 74S-76S	Fire Protection So Inadequate That You Want To Move					
						1 Bothers, Want To Move					
2 Not a Bother or Not Enough To Move											
8 Not Answered											
9 Not Applicable											
							<u>76N</u>	<u>76S</u>			
							30	31			
0374	NEWTRN	79N 81N-93N 82S-83S 85S-88S				Public Transportation Available					
						1 Yes					
						2 No					
						8 Not Answered					
						9 Not Applicable					
							<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>	<u>85S</u>	<u>85N</u>	
							50	32	47	47	
			0375	USETRN	79N 81N-93N 82S-83S 85S-88S	Household Member Use Public Transportation Once A Week					
						1 Yes					
						2 No					
						8 Not Answered					
						9 Not Applicable					
							<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>	<u>85S</u>	<u>85N</u>	
							50	32	47	47	
0376	TRN	73N-77N 85N-93N 74S-81S 85S-88S				Public Transportation Adequate					
						73N 74N-77N 85N-93N					
						<u>74S</u>	<u>75S-81S</u>	<u>85S-88S</u>			
						2	1	1	Adequate		
						1	2	2	Inadequate		
					3	Do Not Use					
				3		Don't Know					
			8	8	8	Not Answered					
			9	9	9	Not Applicable					
							<u>77N</u>	<u>81S</u>	<u>85S</u>	<u>85N</u>	
							31	31	47	47	
			0377	TRAN	79N 81N 83N 82S-83S	Public Transportation For Area Satisfactory					
1 Yes											
2 No											
3 Don't Know											
8 Not Answered											
9 Not Applicable											
							<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>			
							50	32			

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				<u>77N</u>	<u>81S</u>
0378	TRNM	73N-77N 74S-81S	Public Transportation So Inadequate That Want To Move 73N-76N 77N 74S-77S 78S-80S <u>81S</u>	31	31
			2 Not A Bother or Not Enough To Move 1 Not A Bother 2 Bothers A Little 3 Bothers Very Much 1 4 Bothers, Want To Move 8 8 Not Answered 9 9 Not Applicable		
0379	ZSTRM	74N-77N 74S-83S	Recorded Neighborhood Condition - Desire To Move <u>74N-77N</u> <u>74S-77S</u> <u>76S-80S</u> <u>81S-83S</u>	<u>77N</u> G	<u>83S</u> G
			1 1 1 Move Due To 1 Condition 0 0 6 1 No Inadequate Condition 2 2 2 Move Due to 2-3 Conditions 3 3 3 Not A Bother 3 3 3 Move Due to 5+ Conditions 4 4 4 3 Bothers, Not Enough to Move 4 4 4 Inadequate, But No Wish To Move 5 5 4 Bothers, Want To Move 5 5 4 Wish To Move Not Reported 5 5 5 Bothers, Wish To Move Not Reported 6 6 6 Condition Exists. Bothersomeness Not Answered 8 8 8 7 Not Answered 9 9 9 9 Not Applicable		
0380	ZMOVE	73N-74N 74S	Recorded Inadequate Services - Want To Move 73N 74N <u>74S</u>	<u>74N</u> G	<u>74S</u> G
			1 1 Inadequate Service, Want To Move 2 2 Inadequate Service, Don't Want To Move 3 3 Inadequate Service, Wish To Move Not Reported 4 4 Adequate Services 8 8 Not Reported Or Out Of Universe 9 9 Out of Universe		
0381	ZSERVM	73N-74N 74S	Recorded Inadequate Services-Desire Move 2 Want To Move 3 Don't Want To Move 8 Not Reported 9 Not Applicable	<u>74N</u> G	<u>74S</u> G
0382	ZSERVM2	74N-77N	Recorded Wish To Move Due To Inadequate Services 1 Wish To Move 2 Don't Wish To Move 3 Wish To Move Not Reported 4 No Inadequate Services 5 Don't Know (Not On 74N) 8 Not Answered 9 Not Applicable	<u>77N</u> G	

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HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION

Data on household composition are collected for all members of the household and describe both individual members and aggregate household demographics. Basic demographic data such as age, sex, and race are available, as well as data on years of education. Concepts such as spouse present, race, Spanish origin, and marital status are not defined to the respondent. The variables reflect the answers as stated by the respondent. Some variables are available for the head or reference person only. (The concept of "head of household" was dropped in 1980, and replaced by the "reference person" who may be any of the people who own or rent the unit.) Summary household variables include total number of people, number of adults, number of children, number of people not related to the head or reference person, and number of people 65 years or older. The availability of these summary variables vary from year to year. Any variable can be recreated using the detailed information for each household member. Additional information on household members is contained in the Disabilities section, when they moved in is in the Mobility section, and their incomes are in the Income section.

It should be noted that the variable ZCOMP presented at the end of this section and intended to provide a household classification, is not recommended as some users have found that it is unreliable.

The following is a discussion of key concepts related to household composition as well as definitions for a number of variables documented in this section. The definitions are followed by a discussion of the interviewing and recording procedures to obtain household composition and demographic data items.

Households--A household consists of all the people who occupy a housing unit whether or not they are related. By definition, the count of households is the same as the count of occupied housing units.

Number of people--All people occupying the housing unit are counted. These people include not only occupants related to the reference person but also any lodgers, roomers, boarders, partners, wards, foster children, and resident employees who share the living quarters of the reference person.

A person is counted at the usual place of residence for that person. This refers to the place where the person lives and sleeps most of the time. This place is not necessarily the same as legal residence, voting residence, or domicile. Unmarried students temporarily away in another locality to attend school are considered household members, unless they have left home permanently.

Reference person--Family relationships are coded in relation to a "reference person". The "reference person" is the first household member listed on the questionnaire or control card who is an owner or renter of the sample unit. If no household member occupying the sample unit owns or rents the unit, the reference person is the first household member listed who is 18 years old or older, or the first person listed if all household members are under 18. In

surveys from 1973 through 1979, the concept "head of household" was used. One person in each household was designated as the head, that is the person who was regarded as the head by the respondent. However, if a married woman living with her husband was reported as the head, her husband was considered the head for the purpose of simplifying the coding.

Relationship--Starting in 1984, the relationships provided in the AHS files are less detailed than in earlier years. Several variables have been added to the files. The variable PARENT provides the line number of the father or mother of a given household member, if living in the household. If both are present, the line number of the first person listed is entered. The second parent, if present, can be identified by using the variable SPOUSE, which includes the line number of the spouse. These two variables, together with the relationship codes, can be used to determine the composition of a household.

Own children--A child is defined as an "own" child if he or she is a single (never married) son, daughter, stepchild, or adopted child of the reference person. Own children of subfamilies are excluded from the total count of own children, as are foster children.

Subfamily--A subfamily is a married couple with or without children, or one parent with one or more of their own single (never married) children, living in a household and related to, but not including the reference person or spouse. The most common example of a subfamily is a young married couple sharing the home of the husband's or wife's parents.

Other relative--This category includes all people related to the reference person by blood, marriage, or adoption except wife, husband, or child of reference person and members of subfamilies.

Nonrelative--A nonrelative of the reference person is any person in the household who is not related to the reference person by blood, marriage, or adoption. Roomers, boarders, lodgers, partners, resident employees, wards, and foster children are in this category.

Age--The age classification refers to the age reported as of each person's last birthday.

Race--The concept of race used by the Census Bureau does not denote clear-cut scientific definitions of biological stock. The interviewer was to report the race of the reference person in three categories: White, Black (Negro), and other. The last category includes American Indian, Chinese, Eskimo, Japanese, Korean, and any other race except White and Black. The classification of race in the American Housing Survey up through 1977 was made by the interviewer based on his own observation of the respondent (and a question about the other members of the household if there seemed any reason why they might be of a different race). In the 1970 and 1980 Census, race was essentially a self-classification by people according to the race with which they identified themselves. Starting with the 1978 AHS National and SMSA Surveys, new households joining the sample were asked to classify themselves by race, but other households interviewed before kept the interviewer observation.

Spanish origin--Spanish origin was determined on the basis of a question that asked for self-identification of a person's origin or descent.

Care should be exercised in the interpretation of differences in the estimated counts of Spanish-origin households between the American Housing Survey, the 1970 Census, 1980 Census, and other current surveys. Spanish people are identified according to various criteria: birthplace, birthplace of parents, language, surname, and origin or descent. In addition, research indicates that 1970 estimates of Spanish-origin households may be significantly overstated in the South Region and North Central Region. In the 1980 Census the categories are essentially the same as the 1980 AHS, except the category "Central or South American" is not present. Starting in 1984, the data state whether a person is of Spanish origin but do not distinguish between the various origins.

Years of school completed by reference person--The data refer to the highest grade of regular school completed and not to the highest grade attended. For people still attending school, the highest grade completed is one less than the one in which they are currently enrolled. Regular school refers to formal education obtained in graded public, private, or parochial schools, colleges, universities, or professional schools, whether day or night school, and whether attendance was full or part time. That is "regular schooling" is formal education which may advance a person toward an elementary or high school diploma, or college, university, or professional school degree. Schooling or tutoring in other than regular schools is counted only if the credits obtained are regarded as transferable to a school in the regular school system. Reference persons whose highest grade completed was in a foreign school system or in an ungraded school were instructed to report the approximate equivalent grade (or years) in the regular United States school system. They were not reported as having completed a given grade if they dropped out or failed to pass the last grade attended. Education received in the following types of schools is not counted as "regular schooling": vocational schools, trade schools, and noncredit adult education classes.

Note that in the 1970 and 1980 Census, data for years of school completed were based on responses to two questions--highest grade or year of regular school each household member attended, and whether or not that grade or year was completed. In the American Housing Survey, data for years of school completed were based on responses to a single question--the highest grade or year of regular school completed by the householder. Therefore, the American Housing Survey may overstate the education level of the reference person; that is, respondents may have reported the grade or year the person was currently enrolled in or had last been enrolled in whether or not the grade or year was completed.

Household characteristics--As described above, the American Housing Survey has information on each person in each household: age, sex, marital status, relationship to a reference person, and race. These are stored in AGE-AGE15, SEX-SEX15, MAR-MAR15, REL-REL15, and RACE-RACE15.

Most of the variables documented in this section are recorded on the control card of the AHS Survey. A sample of the control card is shown below. The control card is completed by the interviewer, the first time that the occupants of a sample unit are interviewed. The

interviewer lists all household members on page 2 of the control card, and completes items 10-26 for each person that does not have a Usual Residence Elsewhere (see Item 14 on page 2 of the control card). During later interviews in that same unit, the interviewer reviews the information on the control card with the respondent and identifies household members that have left or have moved in since the last interview.

Line numbers (PLINE-PLIN15)--are assigned as name of household members are written down in the interview. The reference person is always entered first. Line numbers are consistent from survey to survey, until the household moves out. For example, if the household as a whole stays in place, but the person on line 4 moves out, and a new baby is born, the baby will be assigned a new line number at the end of the list, and no person in the household will have line number 4.

Income data for each household member are also coded using the concept of line numbers. See sample of income questions following the control card sample. Amount of wages, salaries and tips earned is collected for each household member, age 14 or more. The line number of the household member is entered next to the appropriate amount. Therefore, the variable SAL3 for example, provides salary information for the household member listed in PLINE3, Ages, Sexes, etc. Refer to the introduction to the Income Section for a more detailed description of the income variables and a discussion of the coding changes which occurred starting in 1984.

REF#	NAME	SURVEYS	DESCRIPTION	PAGE ON QUESTIONNAIRE					
				<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>	<u>84S</u>	<u>85N</u>		
0383	DLINE1	74N-93N 74S-93S	Line Number of Respondent						
			74N	75N-83N	85N-93N	8	8	C2	C2
				<u>74S-83S</u>	<u>84S-93S</u>				
			1-97	1-97	1-97				
					1-88				
					89 Manager				
					90 Owner				
					91 Landlord				
					92 Rental/Real Estate Agent				
					93 Neighbor				
					94 Enumerator Observation				
					95 Other				
				98	98	98 Not Answered			
		99	99 URE, Or Non-Interview						
		99	Vacant, URE, Or Non-Interview						
		99	Vacant, Or Non-Interview (URE Coded Above)						
0384	PLINE	74N-93N	Line Number-Reference Person	<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>	<u>84S</u>	<u>85N</u>		
0385	PLINE2	74S-93S	Line Number-Person 2	8	8	26	26		
0386	PLINE3		Line Number-Person 3			C2			
0387	PLINE4		Line Number-Person 4			C2			
0388	PLINE5		Line Number-Person 5			26	C2		
0389	PLINE6		Line Number-Person 6			C2			
0390	PLINE7		Line Number-Person 7			26	C2		
0391	PLINE8		Line Number-Person 8	8	8	26	26		
0392	PLINE9		Line Number-Person 9			C2			
0393	PLINEA		Line Number-Person 10			C2	26		
0394	PLINEB		Line Number-Person 11			C2	26		
0395	PLINEC		Line Number-Person 12	8	8	C2	C2		
0396	PLINED		Line Number-Person 13	8	8	C2	C2		
0397	PLINEE		Line Number-Person 14	8	8	C2	C2		
0398	PLINEF		Line Number-Person 15	8	8	C2	C2		
For All Variables, Standard Codes Are:									
74N 75N-93N									
<u>75S-93S</u>									
0 Not Present									
1-97 1-97 1-97									
99 Not Present, Vacant, URE, Or Non-Interview									
99 Vacant Or Non-Interview (URE Coded Above)									
0399	PAR	85N-93N	Line Number of Parent Of Reference Person			<u>84S</u>	<u>85N</u>		
0400	PAR2	84S-93S	Line Number of Parent of 2nd Person			C2	C2		
0401	PAR3		Line Number of Parent of 3rd Person			C2	C2		
0402	PAR4		Line Number of Parent of 4th Person			C2	C2		
0403	PAR5		Line Number of Parent of 5th Person			C2	C2		
0404	PAR6		Line Number of Parent of 6th Person			C2	C2		
0405	PAR7		Line Number of Parent of 7th Person			C2	C2		
0406	PAR8		Line Number of Parent of 8th Person			C2	C2		
0407	PAR9		Line Number of Parent of 9th Person			C2	C2		
0408	PAR10		Line Number of Parent of 10th Person			C2	C2		
0409	PAR11		Line Number of Parent of 11th Person			C2	C2		
0410	PAR12		Line Number of Parent of 12th Person			C2	C2		
0411	PAR13		Line Number of Parent of 13th Person			C2	C2		
0412	PAR14		Line Number of Parent of 14th Person			C2	C2		
0413	PAR15		Line Number of Parent of 15th Person			C2	C2		
For All Variables Above, Standard Codes Are:									
1-97 1 to 97									
98 Parent of Hhld Member Not Present In Hhld									
99 Person Not Present In Hhld, Vacant, URE, or Non-Interview									

Note: If both parents of a household member are living in the household, the line number of the first parent listed is entered. The second parent can be identified using the variable SPOS below.

REF#	NAME	SURVEYS	DESCRIPTION	PAGE ON QUESTIONNAIRE			
0414	SPOS	85N-93N	Line Number of Spouse of Reference Person		<u>84S</u>	<u>85N</u>	
0415	SPOS2	84S-93S	Line Number of Spouse of 2nd Person		C2	C2	
0416	SPOS3		Line Number of Spouse of 3rd Person		C2	C2	
0417	SPOS4		Line Number of Spouse of 4th Person		C2	C2	
0418	SPOS5		Line Number of Spouse of 5th Person		C2	C2	
0419	SPOS6		Line Number of Spouse of 6th Person		C2	C2	
0420	SPOS7		Line Number of Spouse of 7th Person		C2	C2	
0421	SPOS8		Line Number of Spouse of 8th Person		C2	C2	
0422	SPOS9		Line Number of Spouse of 9th Person		C2	C2	
0423	SPOS10		Line Number of Spouse of 10th Person		C2	C2	
0424	SPOS11		Line Number of Spouse of 11th Person		C2	C2	
0425	SPOS12		Line Number of Spouse of 12th Person		C2	C2	
0426	SPOS13		Line Number of Spouse of 13th Person		C2	C2	
0427	SPOS14		Line Number of Spouse of 14th Person		C2	C2	
0428	SPOS15		Line Number of Spouse of 15th Person		C2	C2	
For All Variables Above, Standard Codes Are:							
1-97 1 to 97							
98 Spouse of Hhld Member Not Present in Hhld							
99 Person Not Present in Hhld, Vacant, URE, Non-Interview, or Age 0-13							
0429	REFPER	79N	Line Number-Reference Person		<u>79N</u>		
			0 Not Applicable		25		
			1-97 1 to 97				
			98 Not Answered				
			99 Not Applicable, Vacant, URE, Or Non-Interview				
0430	REL	75N-93N 75S-93S	Relationship to Reference Person		<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>	<u>84S</u> <u>85N</u>
			74N 74N-83N 85N-93N		8	8	C2 C2
			— <u>75S-83S</u> <u>84S-93S</u>				
			1 Reference Person, Other Rels Present				
			2 Reference Person, No Rels Present				
			11 11 Head of Household (Reference Person)				
			99 99 99 Vacant, URE or Non-Interview				
			99 Vacant or Non-Interview (URE Coded Above)				

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REF#	NAME	SURVEYS	DESCRIPTION	PAGE ON QUESTIONNAIRE			
				83N	83S	84S	85N
0431	REL2	74N-93N	Relationship To Reference Person of Person 2	8	8	C2	C2
0432	REL3	75S-93S	Relationship To Reference Person of Person 3	8	8	C2	C2
0433	REL4		Relationship To Reference Person of Person 4	8	8	C2	C2
0434	REL5		Relationship To Reference Person of Person 5	8	8	C2	C2
0435	REL6		Relationship To Reference Person of Person 6	8	8	C2	C2
0436	REL7		Relationship To Reference Person of Person 7	8	8	C2	C2
0437	REL8		Relationship To Reference Person of Person 8	8	8	C2	C2
0438	REL9		Relationship To Reference Person of Person 9	8	8	C2	C2
0439	REL10		Relationship To Reference Person of Person 10	8	8	C2	C2
0440	REL11		Relationship To Reference Person of Person 11	8	8	C2	C2
0441	REL12		Relationship To Reference Person of Person 12	8	8	C2	C2
0442	REL13		Relationship To Reference Person of Person 13	8	8	C2	C2
0443	REL14		Relationship To Reference Person of Person 14	8	8	C2	C2
0444	REL15		Relationship To Reference Person of Person 15	8	8	C2	C2

For All Variables, Standard Codes Are:

74N 75N-83N 85N-93N

— 75S-83S 84S-93S

0		Not Present
		3 Husband of Ref Person
		4 Wife of Ref Person
12	12	Spouse of Ref Person
13	13	5 Unmarried Child of Ref Per (Natural, Adopted, Step) (excl Foster)
		6 Parent of Ref Person (excl Inlaws)
		7 Sibling of Ref Person (Natural, Step, Half)
4	4	8 Other Relative of Ref Person
5	5	Non-Relative (Partner)
6	6	Other Non-Relative
		9 Non-Relative w/Own Rel Present
		10 Non-Relative w/o Own Rel Present
21	21	Subfamily 1--Ref Person
22	22	Subfamily 1--Wife
23	23	Subfamily 1--Unmarried Child
31	31	Subfamily 2--Ref Person
32	32	Subfamily 2--Wife
33	33	Subfamily 2--Unmarried Child
41	41	Subfamily 3--Ref Person
42	42	Subfamily 3--Wife
43	43	Subfamily 4--Unmarried Child
51	51	Subfamily 4--Ref Person
52	52	Subfamily 4--Wife
53	53	Subfamily 4--Unmarried Child
	99	99 Not Present, Vacant, URE, or Non-Interview
99		Vacant Or Non-Interview (URE Coded Above)

Note: Code "12" Is Not Applicable For Persons 3-15

REF#	NAME	SURVEYS	DESCRIPTION	84S	85N
				C2	C2
0445	TEN	85N-93N	House Is Rented/Owned in Reference Person's Name	C2	C2
0446	TEN2	84S-93S	House Is Rented/Owned in Person Number 2's Name	C2	C2
0447	TEN3		House Is Rented/Owned in Person Number 3's Name	C2	C2
0448	TEN4		House Is Rented/Owned in Person Number 4's Name	C2	C2
0449	TEN5		House Is Rented/Owned in Person Number 5's Name	C2	C2
0450	TEN6		House Is Rented/Owned in Person Number 6's Name	C2	C2
0451	TEN7		House Is Rented/Owned in Person Number 7's Name	C2	C2
0452	TEN8		House Is Rented/Owned in Person Number 8's Name	C2	C2
0453	TEN9		House Is Rented/Owned in Person Number 9's Name	C2	C2
0454	TEN10		House Is Rented/Owned in Person Number 10's Name	C2	C2
0455	TEN11		House Is Rented/Owned in Person Number 11's Name	C2	C2
0456	TEN12		House Is Rented/Owned in Person Number 12's Name	C2	C2
0457	TEN13		House Is Rented/Owned in Person Number 13's Name	C2	C2
0458	TEN14		House Is Rented/Owned in Person Number 14's Name	C2	C2
0459	TEN15		House Is Rented/Owned in Person Number 15's Name	C2	C2

1 Yes
8 Person Present But Did Not Answer
9 Person Not Present in Household

REF#	NAME	SURVEYS	DESCRIPTION	PAGE ON QUESTIONNAIRE			
				83N	83S	84S	85N
0491	AGE2	74N-93N	Age of Person 2	8	8	C2	C2
0492	AGE3	75S-93S	Age of Person 3	8	8	C2	C2
0493	AGE4		Age of Person 4	8	8	C2	C2
0494	AGE5		Age of Person 5	8	8	C2	C2
0495	AGE6		Age of Person 6	8	8	C2	C2
0496	AGE7		Age of Person 7	8	8	C2	C2
0497	AGE8		Age of Person 8	8	8	C2	C2
0498	AGE9		Age of Person 9	8	8	C2	C2
0499	AGE10		Age of Person 10	8	8	C2	C2
0500	AGE11		Age of Person 11	8	8	C2	C2
0501	AGE12		Age of Person 12	8	8	C2	C2
0502	AGE13		Age of Person 13	8	8	C2	C2
0503	AGE14		Age of Person 14	8	8	C2	C2
0504	AGE15		Age of Person 15	8	8	C2	C2

For All Variables, Standard Codes Are:

74N	75S-77S	75N-83N	85N-93N	
		78S-83S	84S-93S	
0	0	0	0	Less Than 1 Year
				Less Than 1 Year Or Not Present
			1-90	1-90 Years
			91	91 Years or more
1-96	1-96	1-96		Years
97		97		97 Years or more
	1-98			1-98 Years
		99	99	Not Present, Vacant, URE, Or
				Non-Interview
	99			99 Years Or More, Not Present,
				Vacant, URE, Or Non-Interview
99				Vacant Or Non-Interview (URE Coded
				Above)

Note: Starting 1985S, top codes will be the 97th percentile of each metropolitan area. Beginning in 1987N, the top code is the 97th percentile for the entire national sample.

0505	ZAGE	74N-83N	Age Of Head/Reference Person			83N
			74N	75N-76N	77N-81N	8
			1	1	1	14-19 Years
			2	2	2	20-24 Years
			3	3	3	25-29 Years
			4	4	4	30-34 Years
			5	5	5	35-39 Years
			6	6	6	40-44 Years
			7	7	7	45-49 Years
			8	8	8	50-54 Years
			9	9	9	55-59 Years
			10	10	10	60-61 Years
			11	11	11	62-64 Years
			12	12		65-69 Years
					12	65-67 Years
					13	68-69 Years
			13	13	14	70-74 Years
			14	14	15	75-79 Years
			15	15	16	80-84 Years
			16	16	17	85-89 Years
			17	17	18	90 Years Or Over
				99	99	Vacant, URE, Or Non-Interview
			99			Vacant Or Non-Interview, URE Coded Above

Note: Break in pattern for codes 10-12 or 13.

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REF#	NAME	SURVEYS	DESCRIPTION	PAGE ON QUESTIONNAIRE			
				83N	83S	84S	85N
0506	MAR	74N-93N	Marital Status Head/Reference Person	8	8	C2	C2
0507	MAR2	75S-93S	Marital Status of Person 2	8	8	C2	C2
0508	MAR3		Marital Status of Person 3	8	8	C2	C2
0509	MAR4		Marital Status of Person 4	8	8	C2	C2
0510	MAR5		Marital Status of Person 5	8	8	C2	C2
0511	MAR6		Marital Status of Person 6	8	8	C2	C2
0512	MAR7		Marital Status of Person 7	8	8	C2	C2
0513	MAR8		Marital Status of Person 8	8	8	C2	C2
0514	MAR9		Marital Status of Person 9	8	8	C2	C2
0515	MAR10		Marital Status of Person 10	8	8	C2	C2
0516	MAR11		Marital Status of Person 11	8	8	C2	C2
0517	MAR12		Marital Status of Person 12	8	8	C2	C2
0518	MAR13		Marital Status of Person 13	8	8	C2	C2
0519	MAR14		Marital Status of Person 14	8	8	C2	C2
0520	MAR15		Marital Status of Person 15	8	8	C2	C2

For All Variables, Standard Codes Are:

74N 75N-93N

75S-93S

0			Not Present
1	1		Married
2	2		Widowed
3	3		Divorced
4	4		Separated
5	5		Never married
9			Age 0-13, Not Present, Vacant, URE, Or Non-Interview
9			Age 0-13, Vacant, Or Non-Interview (URE Coded Above)

REF#	NAME	SURVEYS	DESCRIPTION	83N	83S	84S	85N
				8	8	C2	C2
0521	RACE	73N-93N 74S-93S	Race Of Head/Reference Person				
			73N-74N 74N-83N 85N-93N				
			74S 75S-83S 84S-93S				

1	1	1	White, Including Hispanic White
2	2	2	Black, Including Hispanic Black
3	3	3	American Indian, Aleutian, Eskimo
			Alaskan Native, American Indian, Asian, Or Pacific Islander
		4	Asian or Pacific Islander
		5	Other
	9	9	Vacant, URE, Or Non-Interview
9			Vacant Or Non-Interview (URE Coded Above)

REF#	NAME	SURVEYS	DESCRIPTION	83N	83S	84S	85N
				8	8	C2	C2
0522	RACE2	73N-93N	Race of Person 2	8	8	C2	C2
0523	RACE3	75S-93S	Race of Person 3	8	8	C2	C2
0524	RACE4		Race of Person 4	8	8	C2	C2
0525	RACE5		Race of Person 5	8	8	C2	C2
0526	RACE6		Race of Person 6	8	8	C2	C2
0527	RACE7		Race of Person 7	8	8	C2	C2
0528	RACE8		Race of Person 8	8	8	C2	C2
0529	RACE9		Race of Person 9	8	8	C2	C2
0530	RACE10		Race of Person 10	8	8	C2	C2
0531	RACE11		Race of Person 11	8	8	C2	C2
0532	RACE12		Race of Person 12	8	8	C2	C2
0533	RACE13		Race of Person 13	8	8	C2	C2
0534	RACE14		Race of Person 14	8	8	C2	C2
0535	RACE15		Race of Person 15	8	8	C2	C2

For All Variables, Standard Codes Are:

73N-74N 74N-83N 85N-93N

75S-83S 84S-93S

0			Not Present
1	1	1	White, Including Hispanic White
2	2	2	Black, Including Hispanic Black
3	3	3	American Indian, Aleutian, Eskimo
			Alaskan Native, American Indian, Asian, Or Pacific Islander
		4	Asian or Pacific Islander
		5	Other
	9	9	Not Present, Vacant, URE, Or Non-Interview
9			Vacant Or Non-Interview (URE Coded Above)

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0536	RACE70	83S-93S	Race Of Household Head Who Occupied Unit In 1970/1980 1 Non-Black 2 Black 3 Unit Vacant In 1970/80 4 1970/80 Data Not Available Note: This data comes from the 1970 Census for sample cases selected from the 1970 Census, or from the 1980 Census for sample cases added to the sample after 1983. See LONGIT in the General Section to determine whether the data comes from the 1970 or 1980 Census.	<u>83S</u>	<u>84S</u>		
					C2		
0537	SPAN	73N-93N 74S-93S	Spanish Origin Of Head/Reference Person 73N-74N 74N-83N 85N-93N <u>74S-83S</u> <u>84S-93S</u>	<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>	<u>84S</u>	<u>85N</u>
				9	9	C2	C2
			1 Hispanic or Spanish American				
			2 Mexican American				
			3 Chicano				
			4 Mexican				
			5 Mexicano				
			6 Puerto Rican				
			7 Cuban				
			8 Central or South American				
			9 Other Spanish				
			99 2 Not Hispanic or Spanish American				
			99 9 Vacant, URE, or Non-Interview				
			99 Vacant or Non-Interview (URE Coded Above)				
0538	SPAN2	85N-93N	Spanish Origin Of Person 2			<u>84S</u>	<u>85N</u>
0539	SPAN3	84S-93S	Spanish Origin Of Person 3			C2	C2
0540	SPAN4		Spanish Origin Of Person 4			C2	C2
0541	SPAN5		Spanish Origin Of Person 5			C2	C2
0542	SPAN6		Spanish Origin Of Person 6			C2	C2
0543	SPAN7		Spanish Origin Of Person 7			C2	C2
0544	SPAN8		Spanish Origin Of Person 8			C2	C2
0545	SPAN9		Spanish Origin Of Person 9			C2	C2
0546	SPAN10		Spanish Origin Of Person 10			C2	C2
0547	SPAN11		Spanish Origin Of Person 11			C2	C2
0548	SPAN12		Spanish Origin Of Person 12			C2	C2
0549	SPAN13		Spanish Origin Of Person 13			C2	C2
0550	SPAN14		Spanish Origin Of Person 14			C2	C2
0551	SPAN15		Spanish Origin Of Person 15			C2	C2
			Standard Codes For All Variables Are:				
			1 Hispanic or Spanish American				
			2 Not Hispanic or Spanish American				
			9 Vacant, URE, or Non-Interview				
0552	SPANR	79N	Spanish Origin Of Reference Person	<u>79N</u>			
			1 Mexican-American	25			
			2 Chicano				
			3 Mexican				
			4 Mexicano				
			5 Puerto Rican				
			6 Cuban				
			7 Central or South American				
			8 Other Spanish				
			9 Not Hispanic (i.e., Anglo)				
			98 Not Answered				
			99 Vacant, URE, Non-Interview, Or Reference Person is Head				

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				<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>	<u>84S</u>	<u>85N</u>
0553	SEX	73N-93N 74S-93S	Sex Of Head/Reference Person 73N-74N 75N-93N <u>74S</u> <u>75S-93S</u> 1 1 Male 2 2 Female 9 Vacant, URE, Or Non-Interview 9 Vacant Or Non-Interview (URE Coded Above)	8	8	C2	C2
0554	SEX2	74N-93N	Sex Of Person 2	8	8	C2	C2
0555	SEX3	75S-93S	Sex Of Person 3	8	8	C2	C2
0556	SEX4		Sex Of Person 4	8	8	C2	C2
0557	SEX5		Sex Of Person 5	8	8	C2	C2
0558	SEX6		Sex Of Person 6	8	8	C2	C2
0559	SEX7		Sex Of Person 7	8	8	C2	C2
0560	SEX8		Sex Of Person 8	8	8	C2	C2
0561	SEX9		Sex Of Person 9	8	8	C2	C2
0562	SEX10		Sex Of Person 10	8	8	C2	C2
0563	SEX11		Sex Of Person 11	8	8	C2	C2
0564	SEX12		Sex Of Person 12	8	8	C2	C2
0565	SEX13		Sex Of Person 13	8	8	C2	C2
0566	SEX14		Sex Of Person 14	8	8	C2	C2
0567	SEX15		Sex Of Person 15	8	8	C2	C2
For All Variables, Standard Codes Are:							
			74N 75N-93N <u>75S-93S</u> 0 Not Present 1 1 Male 2 2 Female 9 Not Present, Vacant, URE, Or Non-Interview 9 Vacant Or Non-Interview (URE Coded Above)				
0568	GRADE1	74N-93N 75S-93S	Highest School Grade Attended By Head/Reference Person 74N 75N-83N 85N-93N <u>75S-83S</u> <u>84S-93S</u> 0 0 0 Never Attended 1 1 Kindergarten Only 2 2 1 Grade 1 3 3 2 Grade 2 4 4 3 Grade 3 5 5 4 Grade 4 6 6 5 Grade 5 7 7 6 Grade 6 8 8 7 Grade 7 9 9 8 Grade 8 10 10 9 Grade 9 11 11 10 Grade 10 12 12 11 Grade 11 13 13 12 Grade 12 14 14 21 1 Year of College 15 15 22 2 Years of College 16 16 23 3 Years of College 17 17 24 4 Years of College 18 18 25 1 Year of Graduate School 19 19 26 2 or More Years of Graduate School 99 99 Vacant, URE, or Non-Interview 99 Vacant, or Non-Interview, or Age 0-13 (Coded Above)	9	9	C2	C2

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				<u>84S</u>	<u>85N</u>		
0569	GRAD2	85N-93N	Highest School Grade Attended By Person 2	C2	C2		
0570	GRAD3	84S-93S	Highest School Grade Attended By Person 3	C2	C2		
0571	GRAD4		Highest School Grade Attended By Person 4	C2	C2		
0572	GRAD5		Highest School Grade Attended By Person 5	C2	C2		
0573	GRAD6		Highest School Grade Attended By Person 6	C2	C2		
0574	GRAD7		Highest School Grade Attended By Person 7	C2	C2		
0575	GRAD8		Highest School Grade Attended By Person 8	C2	C2		
0576	GRAD9		Highest School Grade Attended By Person 9	C2	C2		
0577	GRAD10		Highest School Grade Attended By Person 10	C2	C2		
0578	GRAD11		Highest School Grade Attended By Person 11	C2	C2		
0579	GRAD12		Highest School Grade Attended By Person 12	C2	C2		
0580	GRAD13		Highest School Grade Attended By Person 13	C2	C2		
0581	GRAD14		Highest School Grade Attended By Person 14	C2	C2		
0582	GRAD15		Highest School Grade Attended By Person 15	C2	C2		
			Standard Codes For All Variables Are:				
			0 Never Attended School				
			1 Grade 1				
			2 Grade 2				
			3 Grade 3				
			4 Grade 4				
			5 Grade 5				
			6 Grade 6				
			7 Grade 7				
			8 Grade 8				
			9 Grade 9				
			10 Grade 10				
			11 Grade 11				
			12 Grade 12				
			21 1 Year of College				
			22 2 Years of College				
			23 3 Years of College				
			24 4 Years of College				
			25 1 Year of Graduate School				
			26 2 Years or More of Graduate School				
			99 Vacant, URE, or Non-Interview				
			Note: Starting in 1984 question was asked on "Highest School Grade Completed" instead of "Attended."				
				<u>79N</u>			
0583	GRADER	79N	Highest School Grade Attended By Ref Person	25			
			0 No School				
			1 Kindergarten				
			2 Grade 1				
			3 Grade 2				
			4 Grade 3				
			5 Grade 4				
			6 Grade 5				
			7 Grade 6				
			8 Grade 7				
			9 Grade 8				
			10 Grade 9				
			11 Grade 10				
			12 Grade 11				
			13 Grade 12 - High School Grad				
			14 1 Year College				
			15 2 Years College				
			16 3 Years College				
			17 4 Years College				
			18 5 Years College				
			19 6 Years College Or More				
			98 Not Answered				
			99 Vacant, URE, Non-Interview, Or Reference Person Is Head				
				<u>83N</u>	<u>83S</u>	<u>84S</u>	<u>85N</u>
0584	OTH6	74N-93N	Other Pers Under 6 Yrs Old, Beyond Pers 1-15 Above	++	++	++	++
0585	OTHN	75S-93S	Other Non-Relatives, Beyond Persons 1-15 Above	++	++	++	++
0586	OTHT		Other Persons Not Counted Above	++	++	++	++
			0-6 0-6				
			7 7 Or More				
			9 Not Applicable				

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0587	OTH17	74N-84N 75S-83S	Other Persons 6-17 Years Old, Beyond Pers 1-15 Above 0-6 0-6 7 7 Or More 9 Not Applicable	<u>83N</u> ++	<u>83S</u> ++		
0588	PER	73N-93N 74S-93S	Number of Persons In Households 73N-74N 75N-76N 77N 78N 79N 74S 75S-76S 77S-78S 80N-83N 79S-83S 85N-93N <u>84S-93S</u>	<u>83N</u> 1	<u>83S</u> 1	<u>84S</u>	<u>85N</u>
			0 0 1-98 1-98 1-98 99 99 99 99 99				All URE, Some Vacant Some URE, Some Vacant 1-98 Occupied 1-98 Occupied and URE All URE, All Vacant, All Non-Interview All Vacant, All Non-Interview Some URE, All Vacant, All Non-Interview Some Vacant, Some Non-Interview Some URE, Some Vacant, All Non-Interview
0589	ZADULT	85N-93N 84S-93S	Total Number Of Adults (18+) In Household 0-10 0-10 Adults 11 11 Or More Adults 98 Not Answered 99 URE, Vacant, Or Non-Interview			<u>84S</u> G	<u>85N</u> G
0590	PER65	73N-83N 74S	Number of Persons in Household Age 65 or Over 74N 73N 75N-81N 83N <u>74S</u>	<u>83N</u> 1	<u>74S</u> 1		
			0-98 0-98, Vacant 0-98 0-98 99 URE, Non-Interview (Vacant coded above) 99 URE, Vacant, Non-Interview				
0591	C6	73N-77N	No. of Children of Ref Person 0-6 Years Old in Hhold	<u>77N</u> 1	<u>74S</u> 1		
0592	C617	74S	No. of Unmarried Children 6-17 of Ref Person, in Hhold 0 None 1-96 1-96 97 97 Or More 99 Not Applicable	1	1		
0593	C18	73N-74N 74S	No. of Unmarried Children 18 Or Over of Ref Person, in Hhold 0 None 1-96 1-96 97 97 Or More 99 Not Applicable	<u>74N</u> 1	<u>74S</u> 1		
0594	ZCHILD	73N-83N 74S	Children Under 18 of Head/Reference Person, in Hhold 0 None 1 1 Under 6 Only 2 2 Under 6 Only 3 3 Or More Under 6 4 1 6-17 Only 5 2 6-17 Only 6 3 Or More 6-17 7 2, Both Age Groups 8 3 (Or More), Both Age Groups 99 Not Applicable	<u>83N</u> G	<u>74S</u> G		
0595	HHCOMP	73N-77N 74S	Presence of Spouse 1 Reference Person Without Spouse 2 Married Couple 9 Not Applicable	<u>77N</u> 1	<u>74S</u> 1		

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0596	RELS	73N-83N 74S	Non-rels & Rels Other Than Spouse Or Children Present 0 No Relatives Other Than Spouse/Children, or Nonrelatives Present 1 Relatives Other Than Spouse Or Children Present 2 Nonrelatives Present 3 Relatives and Nonrelatives 9 Not Applicable	<u>83N</u> 1	<u>74S</u> 1
0597	S30	73N-77N	Number of Subfamily Heads Under 30	<u>77N</u> 1	<u>74S</u> 1
0598	S3064	74S	Number of Subfamily Heads 30 To 64	1	1
0599	S65		Number of Subfamily Heads 65 Or Over 73N 74N-77N 74S _____ 0-1 0-1 None or 1 99 9 Not Applicable	1	1
0600	ZCOMP	73N-84N 74S-83S	Recorded HH Composition By Age, Sex of Reference Person 73N-74N 75N-77N 78N-80N 81N-83N 74S <u>75S-76S</u> <u>77S-79S</u> <u>80S-83S</u>	<u>83N</u> G	<u>83S</u> G
			01 01 01 01 Married Couple, LT 25, NNR 02 02 02 02 Married Couple, 25-29, NNR 03 03 03 03 Married Couple, 30-34, NNR 04 04 04 04 Married Couple, 35-44, NNR 05 05 05 05 Married Couple, 45-64, NNR 06 06 06 06 Married Couple, 65+, NNR 07 07 07 07 Married Couple, LT 25, NR, MH Married Couple, LT 65, NR 08 08 08 08 Married Couple, 25-29, NR, MH 09 09 09 09 Married Couple, 30-34, NR, MH 10 10 10 10 Married Couple, 35-44, NR, MH 11 11 11 11 Married Couple, 45-64, NR, MH 08 12 12 12 Married Couple, 65+, NR, MH 09 Other Male Householder LT 65 13 13 13 13 Other Male Householder LT 25 14 14 14 14 Other Male Householder 25-29 15 15 15 15 Other Male Householder 30-34 16 16 16 16 Other Male Householder 35-44 17 17 17 17 Other Male Householder 45-64 10 18 18 18 Other Male Householder 65+ 11 Female Householder LT 65 19 19 19 19 Other Female Householder LT 25 20 20 20 20 Other Female Householder 25-29 21 21 21 21 Other Female Householder 30-34 22 22 22 22 Other Female Householder 35-44 23 23 23 23 Other Female Householder 45-64 12 24 24 24 Other Female Householder 65+ 13 Single Male LT 65 25 25 25 25 Single Male LT 25 26 26 26 26 Single Male 25-29 27 27 27 27 Single Male 30-34 28 28 28 28 Single Male 35-44 29 29 29 29 Single Male 45-64 14 30 30 30 Single Male 65+ 31 31 31 31 Single Female LT 25 32 32 32 32 Single Female 25-29 33 33 33 33 Single Female 30-34 34 34 34 34 Single Female 35-44 35 35 35 35 Single Female 45-64 36 36 36 36 Single Female 65+ 37 MC, Female Householder, NR, LT 25 38 MC, Female Householder, NR, 25-29 39 MC, Female Householder, NR, 30-34 40 MC, Female Householder, NR, 35-44 41 MC, Female Householder, NR, 45-64 42 MC, Female Householder, NR, 65+ 99 99 99 99 Not Applicable		

Note: Use of this variable is not recommended, because some cases are miscoded in some years.
Note also that MH=Male Head, NR=Non Relatives Present, NNR=No Non Relatives Present

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				<u>83N</u>
0601	KLINE1	83N	Line Number of First Female Household Member 35 or Older	52
0602	KLINE2		Line Number of Second Female Household Member 35 or Older	52
0603	KLINE3		Line Number of Third Female Household Member 35 or Older	53
0604	KLINE4		Line Number of Fourth Female Household Member 35 or Older	53
			For all Variables, Standard Codes Are:	
			1-97 1-97	
			98 Not Answered	
			99 Not Applicable	
				<u>83N</u>
0605	KIDS1	83N	First 35+ Female Raised Child(ren) To Adulthood	52
0606	KIDS2		Second 35+ Female Raised Child(ren) To Adulthood	52
0607	KIDS3		Third 35+ Female Raised Child(ren) To Adulthood	53
0608	KIDS4		Fourth 35+ Female Raised Child(ren) To Adulthood	53
			For All Variables, Standard Codes Are:	
			1 Yes	
			2 No	
			8 Not Answered	
			9 Not Applicable	
				<u>83N</u>
0609	NMKID1	83N	No. of Child(ren) Raised To Adulthood By 1st 35+ Female	52
0610	NMKID2		No. of Child(ren) Raised To Adulthood By 2nd 35+ Female	52
0611	NMKID3		No. of Child(ren) Raised To Adulthood By 3rd 35+ Female	53
0612	NMKID4		No. of Child(ren) Raised To Adulthood By 4th 35+ Female	53
			For All Variables, Standard Codes Are:	
			1-97 1-97	
			98 Not Answered	
			99 Not Applicable	
				<u>83N</u>
0613	KIDGO1	83N	Any Child(ren) of First 35+ Female Left Home	52
0614	KIDGO2		Any Child(ren) of Second 35+ Female Left Home	52
0615	KIDGO3		Any Child(ren) of Third 35+ Female Left Home	53
0616	KIDGO4		Any Child(ren) of Fourth 35+ Female Left Home	53
			For All Variables, Standard Codes Are:	
			1 Yes	
			2 No	
			8 Not Answered	
			9 Not Applicable	
				<u>83N</u>
0617	WKDGO1	83N	When Most Recent Leaver Left (1st 35+ Female's Child)	52
0618	WKDGO2		When Most Recent Leaver Left (2nd 35+ Female's Child)	52
0619	WKDGO3		When Most Recent Leaver Left (3rd 35+ Female's Child)	53
0620	WKDGO4		When Most Recent Leaver Left (4th 35+ Female's Child)	53
			1 Within the Last Year	
			2 More Than 1 But Less Than 3 Years Ago	
			3 Three Years to Less Than 5 Years Ago	
			4 Five Years to Less Than 10 Years Ago	
			5 Ten Years Ago or More	
			8 Not Answered	
			9 Not Applicable	

Notes: G = Variable is computer generated, and is not present on the questionnaire.

++ = Variable is present on a supplemental page to the questionnaire.

CC = Variable is present on the control card for the unit.