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Section:	Respondent Profile				
<i>Variable Name:</i>	PUMFID	<i>Position:</i>	1	<i>Length:</i>	5
Sequential Identification Number					
<i>Response:</i>				0	0
<i>Coverage:</i> All respondents					
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<i>Variable Name:</i>	SYEAR	<i>Position:</i>	6	<i>Length:</i>	4
<i>Collection Name:</i>	SRYR				
Survey reference year					
2004	2004			FREQ 11,593 =====	WTD 6,284,550 =====
				11,593	6,284,550
<i>Coverage:</i> All respondents					
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<i>Variable Name:</i>	REGION6	<i>Position:</i>	10	<i>Length:</i>	1
Province or region					
				FREQ	WTD
1	Atlantic region			2,350	507,994
2	Quebec			2,069	1,495,516
3	Ontario			3,310	2,411,638
4	Manitoba and Saskatchewan			1,664	396,448
5	Alberta			1,174	635,461
6	British Columbia			1,026	837,494
				=====	=====
				11,593	6,284,550
<i>Coverage:</i> All respondents					
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<i>Variable Name:</i>	SEX	<i>Position:</i>	11	<i>Length:</i>	1
Sex of respondent					
				FREQ	WTD
1	Male			4,213	2,561,268
2	Female			7,380	3,723,283
				=====	=====
				11,593	6,284,550
<i>Coverage:</i> All respondents					

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Variable Name: **AGECAT** *Position:* 12 *Length:* 1

Age of respondent (groups)

		FREQ	WTD
1	15-24 years	3,977	2,322,649
2	25-44 years	4,002	2,029,497
3	45 years or older	3,614	1,932,405
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents

Variable Name: **EDUC** *Position:* 13 *Length:* 1

Highest educational attainment

		FREQ	WTD
0	Grade 8 or lower	538	253,999
1	Grade 9-13, non graduate	2,692	1,344,490
2	Grade 11-13, graduate	2,090	1,095,141
3	Some post-graduate	1,512	935,252
4	Trades certificate or diploma, community college, CEGEP, etc., university certificate below Bachelor's	3,147	1,642,769
5	University graduate (Bachelor's, Master's or PhD)	1,599	1,007,213
9	Not stated	15	5,686
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents

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Variable Name: **TYPE** *Position:* 14 *Length:* 1

Survey type as determined for the EICS

		FREQ	WTD
1	Unemployed during LFS reference week	2,340	1,187,630
2	Employed less than 30 usual hours during reference week	4,387	2,637,981
3	Not in the labour force during reference week	4,040	2,027,090
4	Working full-time during ref. wk. with an interruption - last 3 months	642	393,333
5	Mothers of infants working in reference week	184	38,516
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents

Note: In a few cases a person could fall into more than one group. The priority sequence is TYPE 5 then TYPE 2 and TYPE 4. Mothers of infants can have TYPE=1, 3 or 5. Mothers absent from work in reference week will have TYPE=3 even though they have a job. They were treated the same way as other type 3's for the purposes of survey operations because they considered themselves "not working and not looking for work" when responding to questions in the interview. TYPE=4 is composed of full-time workers who have experienced an interruption of work in the 3 months prior to the reference period.

Variable Name: **WORKNOW** *Position:* 15 *Length:* 1

Respondent currently working at a job or business

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	1,022	469,340
2	No	2,983	1,268,827
6	Valid skip	7,568	4,535,715
9	Not stated	20	10,669
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Unemployed respondents, mothers and other persons not employed (during the LFS reference week) who collected Employment Insurance benefits in the survey reference month

Note: Based on EICS questions JS_Q06 or PR_Q01.

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Variable Name: **MOTHER** **Position:** 16 **Length:** 1

Respondent status (Mother or not)

		FREQ	WTD
0	EICS regular population	10,346	5,934,395
1	Mother of a child 0 to 12 months old	1,247	350,156
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents

Note: Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months are represented in the survey, starting in 2000. Some mothers are also part of the original population, e.g. unemployed mothers, mothers not in the labour force who worked in the past two years and mothers absent from part-time jobs.

Section: **Socio-Demographics**

Variable Name: **IMMIGR** **Position:** 17 **Length:** 1

Immigrant status

		FREQ	WTD
1	Canadian by birth	10,166	5,024,020
2	Immigrant	1,346	1,206,099
9	Not stated	81	54,431
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents

Note: Based on EICS question SD_Q03Y.

Section: **Job Information**

Variable Name: **LSTWRK** **Position:** 18 **Length:** 1

Last worked period (groups)

		FREQ	WTD
0	Working during reference week	5,213	3,069,830
1	0 to 4 months ago	2,728	1,387,280
2	5 to 12 months ago	1,978	935,802
3	13 to 24 months ago	1,087	612,602
4	More than 24 months ago	421	183,985
5	Never worked	166	95,051
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents

Note: This refers to last month worked before the LFS reference week. Note that persons may have worked between reference week and the week of the survey.

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Variable Name: **FTPT** *Position:* 19 *Length:* 1

Full-time or part-time status of last or current job

		FREQ	WTD
1	Full-time	4,421	2,212,591
2	Part-time	5,253	3,036,119
6	Valid skip	1,748	955,279
9	Not stated	171	80,562
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Paid employees at last or current job

Note: Based on LFS variable UHRSMAN. "Not stated" in this variable results mainly from non-response "don't know" at JB_Q18.

Variable Name: **WRKTYP** *Position:* 20 *Length:* 2

Type of work arrangement

		FREQ	WTD
01	Permanent full-time worker	2,663	1,373,458
02	Permanent part-time worker	3,253	1,888,119
03	Permanent, work hours unknown	27	14,729
04	Not permanent, seasonal worker	1,281	605,157
05	Not permanent, other	2,553	1,415,038
06	Self-employed	1,582	860,228
96	Valid skip	166	95,051
99	Not stated	68	32,771
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents who ever worked

Note: Based on FTPT and LFS variable PERMTEMP or EICS questions JB_Q19 and JB_Q20.

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Variable Name: **UNIONCA** *Position:* 22 *Length:* 1

Union status

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes, union member or covered by a collective agreement	2,363	1,259,090
2	Not a union member and not covered by a collective agreement	7,414	4,039,145
6	Valid skip	1,748	955,279
7	Don't know	61	27,623
8	Refused	6	3,224
9	Not stated	1	190
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Paid employees at last or current job

Note: Based on LFS variable UNION_CA or EICS questions JB_Q13, JB_Q14.

Variable Name: **TENURE_G** *Position:* 23 *Length:* 2

Job tenure (groups)

		FREQ	WTD
01	Less than one month	318	162,530
02	1-3 months	2,165	1,199,581
03	4-6 months	1,021	519,781
04	7-12 months	1,072	591,534
05	13-24 months	1,156	652,247
06	3-5 years	1,593	889,067
07	6-10 years	947	458,555
08	11-20 years	728	386,417
09	21 years or more	587	315,277
96	Valid skip	1,748	955,279
99	Not stated	258	154,283
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Paid employees at last or current job

Note: Based on LFS variable TENURE or EICS questions JB_Q12Y, JB_Q12M and last work date. "Not stated" in this item results mostly from the inability of some respondents to recall precisely when they started working (the month).

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Variable Name: **NAICS6** *Position:* 25 *Length:* 2

Industry based on NAICS 1997

		FREQ	WTD
01	Agriculture & forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas	472	178,508
02	Construction	510	265,458
03	Manufacturing	897	492,418
04	Retail trade & accommodation and food services	3,032	1,667,137
05	Educational services & health care and social assistance & public administration	2,396	1,236,342
06	All others	2,480	1,463,117
96	Valid skip	1,746	954,919
99	Not stated	60	26,652
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents who ever worked

Note: Based on LFS or collected by the EICS. "Not stated" in this item refers primarily to situations where a code could not be assigned based on the respondent's answer.

Variable Name: **NOC6** *Position:* 27 *Length:* 2

Occupation based on NOC 2001

		FREQ	WTD
01	Management	210	115,187
02	Business, finance and administration	1,491	855,186
03	Health and natural applied sciences	837	455,255
04	Social science, education, government, religion, art, culture, recreation and sport	1,160	646,250
05	Trade, transport and equipment operators, primary processing, manufacturing and utilities	2,211	1,090,584
06	Sales and service	3,886	2,137,780
96	Valid skip	1,746	953,613
99	Not stated	52	30,695
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents who ever worked

Note: Based on LFS or collected by the EICS. "Not stated" in this item refers primarily to situations where a code could not be assigned based on the respondent's answer.

Variable Name:	TIPS	Position:	29	Length:	1
Respondent usually receives tips or commissions					
				FREQ	WTD
1	Yes			951	550,719
2	No			8,857	4,754,980
6	Valid skip			1,748	955,279
7	Don't know			24	16,602
8	Refused			13	6,970
				=====	=====
				11,593	6,284,550

Variable Name:	HOUREARN	Position:	30	Length:	7.2
Usual hourly earnings					
0001.76 : 0079.60	Usual hourly earnings			FREQ	WTD
9999.96	Valid skip			9,369	5,070,406
9999.99	Not stated			1,748	955,279
				476	258,866
				=====	=====
				11,593	6,284,550

Variable Name:	EIDEDUC	Position:	37	Length:	1
Collection Name:	JB_Q21				
Employment Insurance premiums deducted at job					
				FREQ	WTD
1	Yes			8,322	4,411,256
2	No			1,110	673,762
6	Valid skip			1,505	815,926
7	Don't know			648	380,024
8	Refused			8	3,582
				=====	=====
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Variable Name: **RNDEDUC** *Position:* 38 *Length:* 1

Reason for Employment Insurance premiums not deducted

		FREQ	WTD
1	Weekly hours or earnings were too low	462	285,311
2	Self-employed or working for a business owned by a family member	232	134,784
3	Other reasons	324	196,374
6	Valid skip	10,483	5,610,788
9	Not stated	92	57,294
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents who stated that Employment Insurance premiums were not deducted from their pay (EIDEDUC=2)

Note: Based on EICS questions JB_Q21 and JB_Q22. "Not stated" in this variable means that the respondent could not identify a reason with certainty.

Section: **Stopped Working**

Variable Name: **LEFTLOST** *Position:* 39 *Length:* 1

Job leaver, job loser or unpaid absence

		FREQ	WTD
1	Left job	2,311	1,335,307
2	Lost job or laid off or job ended (includes involuntary retirement)	2,100	1,005,120
3	Was on unpaid absence from the job	769	267,960
6	Valid Skip	6,403	3,670,157
9	Not Stated	10	6,006
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Paid employees at last job, worked within the past two years

Note: Based on LFS variables WHYABSNT and WHYLEFT or EICS question SW_Q02.

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Variable Name: **RSWORK** *Position:* 40 *Length:* 2

Reason stopped working at job

		FREQ	WTD
01	Own illness or disability	403	209,283
02	Pregnancy (maternity)	707	226,402
03	Other personal reasons or family responsibilities	297	152,953
04	Going to school	725	487,055
05	End of seasonal job	632	241,493
06	End of temporary, term or contract (non-seasonal)	382	177,952
07	Casual job	148	75,382
08	Business conditions (includes company went out of business)	759	392,443
09	Lost job for other reasons (including dismissal)	186	117,357
10	Dissatisfied with job	305	165,968
11	Retired	400	226,501
12	Other reasons	237	136,409
96	Valid skip	6,403	3,670,157
99	Not stated	9	5,194
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Paid employees at last job, worked within the past two years

Note: Based on LFS variables WHYABSNT and WHYLEFT or EICS question SW_Q03.

Variable Name: **NOTICE** *Position:* 42 *Length:* 1
Collection Name: SW_Q04

Received advanced notice or knew in advance

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	1,443	703,085
2	No	1,217	603,321
6	Valid skip	8,914	4,960,198
7	Don't know	17	17,520
8	Refused	2	426
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Paid employees who lost their job, job ended, retired involuntarily or left their job because they were dissatisfied

Note: Based on EICS question SW_Q04.

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Variable Name: **NOTICE_G** *Position:* 43 *Length:* 1

Weeks in advance notice (groups)

		FREQ	WTD
1	Less than one week	191	102,161
2	1-2 weeks	395	209,982
3	3-4 weeks	76	37,914
4	5 weeks +	35	18,679
5	Knew it from the beginning	694	306,228
6	Valid skip	10,131	5,563,519
7	Don't know	19	9,664
8	Refused	1	133
9	Not stated	51	36,271
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Paid employees who retired involuntarily, who lost their job, were laid off, their job ended, who reported that their business closed, who were dissatisfied with their job and received an advanced notice or knew in advance that they would stop working

Note: Based on EICS questions SW_Q05, SW_Q05A and SW_Q05B.

Variable Name: **ROE** *Position:* 44 *Length:* 1
Collection Name: SW_Q06

Received a record of employment when stopped working

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	3,460	1,599,357
2	No	1,539	901,740
6	Valid skip	6,403	3,670,157
7	Don't know	182	105,725
8	Refused	9	7,571
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Paid employees at last job, worked within the past two years

Note: Based on EICS question SW_Q06.

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Variable Name: **LEAVEPAY** *Position:* 45 *Length:* 1

Received pay when losing job

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	665	413,176
2	No	1,682	724,840
6	Valid skip	9,219	5,126,166
9	Not stated	27	20,368
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Paid employees who lost their job, were laid off, their job ended, their business closed or they retired involuntarily

Note: Based on EICS questions SW_Q07A to SW_Q07F.

Variable Name: **RETURN** *Position:* 46 *Length:* 1
Collection Name: SW_Q08

Expected to return to employer

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	1,061	443,728
2	No	987	533,024
6	Valid skip	9,489	5,281,493
7	Don't know	56	26,305
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Paid employees who lost their job, were laid off, their job ended or their business closed

Note: Based on EICS question SW_Q08.

Section: **Work After Birth/Adoption**

Variable Name: **ALLEAVE** *Position:* 47 *Length:* 2

Duration of the leave (Time ended or planned)

		FREQ	WTD
00 : 47	Time ended or planned (in months)	835	232,809
95	Do not plan to return to work	92	23,593
96	Valid skip	10,555	5,993,740
97	Don't know	73	22,377
99	Not stated	38	12,031
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Mothers who have returned to work or have worked in a paid job over the past two years

Note: Based on survey month and year, month and year of birth, and EICS questions BK_Q04, BK_Q04A, BK_Q04B, PR_Q04, PR_Q05, WA_Q08Y and WA_Q08M. Use WRKAFTER to distinguish between mothers who have already returned to work and those who have not.

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Variable Name: **LEAVECAT** *Position:* 49 *Length:* 1

Duration of the leave (groups)

		FREQ	WTD
1	0 to 4 months	125	29,516
2	5 to 8 months	100	28,391
3	9 to 12 months	468	135,069
4	More than one year	142	39,834
5	Do not plan to return to work	92	23,593
6	Valid skip	10,555	5,993,740
7	Don't know	73	22,377
9	Not stated	38	12,031
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Mothers who have returned to work or have worked in a paid job over the past two years

Note: Based on survey month and year, month and year of birth, and EICS questions BK_Q04, BK_Q04A, BK_Q04B, PR_Q04, PR_Q05, WA_Q08Y and WA_Q08M. Use WRKAFTER to distinguish between mothers who have already returned to work and those who have not.

Section: **Employment Insurance**

Variable Name: **CLAIM** *Position:* 50 *Length:* 1

Has the person made a claim in the last 12 months or since the month last worked

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	3,253	1,458,292
2	No	8,340	4,826,258
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents

Note: Based on EICS questions EI_Q01, EI_Q02, EI_Q03, EI_Q04, EI_Q05 and EI_Q06.

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Variable Name: **BENEFIT** *Position:* 51 *Length:* 1

Received Employment Insurance benefits

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes, during the reference week	1,904	781,889
2	Yes, during the reference month (but not during the reference week)	165	69,966
3	Yes, since last worked (but not during the reference month)	431	190,405
4	No	9,084	5,237,075
9	Not stated	9	5,215
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents

Note: Based on EICS questions EI_Q04, EI_Q05, EI_Q06 and PB_Q02.

Variable Name: **BENTYP** *Position:* 52 *Length:* 1

Type of benefits received in reference week or reference month

		FREQ	WTD
1	Regular	1,174	573,683
2	Maternity or parental	750	220,517
3	Other	134	55,974
6	Valid skip	9,524	5,432,695
9	Not stated	11	1,681
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents who received benefits in the reference month

Note: Based on EICS questions EI_Q07 and PB_Q02.

Variable Name: **BENWEEKS** *Position:* 53 *Length:* 3

Weeks of benefits since last applied

		FREQ	WTD
001 : 050	Weeks of benefits since last applied	1,946	783,823
996	Valid skip	9,431	5,409,304
999	Not stated	216	91,423
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents who received benefits in the reference month, or for mothers since last worked

Note: Based on EICS question EI_Q10.

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Variable Name: **BENAMNT** *Position:* 56 *Length:* 3

Amount of Employment Insurance benefits received

		FREQ	WTD
000 : 410	Amount of EI benefits received	1,821	730,358
996	Valid skip	9,582	5,475,929
999	Not stated	190	78,264
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents who received benefits in the reference month, or for mothers since they last worked
Note: Based on EICS question EI_Q11.

Variable Name: **RNBENRW** *Position:* 59 *Length:* 2

Reason did not receive or claim benefits for the reference week or since birth/adoption

		FREQ	WTD
01	Was employed or expecting to return to work	2,319	1,413,351
02	Was not paying EI premiums/work was not insurable	1,153	643,249
03	Did not work enough hours or weeks to qualify	1,317	638,649
04	Was a student	961	558,484
05	Received a severance package or retirement pension	473	251,003
06	Quit voluntarily	164	97,198
07	Did not want or need EI (and did not claim)	950	589,215
08	Did not know enough about EI program	700	467,729
09	Still expecting benefits (waiting period, benefit withheld)	251	126,178
10	Claim ran out	350	179,912
11	Has not worked recently (2 years) or never worked	361	182,228
12	Other	384	221,548
96	Valid skip	2,011	808,622
99	Not stated	199	107,185
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents who did not receive benefits for the reference week, or at all since birth or adoption for mothers
Note: Based on EICS questions EI_Q14, EI_Q16, EI_Q17 and JB_Q21. Generally, this variable reflects the answer provided by the respondents as the reason for not receiving or claiming benefits. People who have not worked in two years or more were coded to '11' unless they provided a different reason for not receiving or claiming benefits. This category is also composed of respondents who have recent work experience according to other information collected from them but still believed that they were not eligible for benefits because they had not worked recently. Other survey variables were also used when the reason provided was vague. This increased the usefulness of the variable by reducing the number of observations in the categories "Other" and "Not Stated". People who were self-employed or did not pay EI premiums in their previous job were coded to category 02, unless they provided a different reason for not receiving benefits. Similarly, people working in the reference week in a paid job were coded to category 01.

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Section: Work in Last Year

Variable Name: **WEEKSCAT** *Position:* 61 *Length:* 2

Weeks worked during the reference year (groups)

		FREQ	WTD
00	None	1,365	754,581
01	01 to 10 weeks	1,405	719,346
02	11 to 25 weeks	2,074	1,081,758
03	26 to 38 weeks	1,493	807,614
04	39 to 51 weeks	2,027	1,163,880
05	52 weeks	2,562	1,421,960
96	Valid skip	166	95,051
97	Don't know	485	230,288
98	Refused	16	10,072
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents who ever worked

Note: Based on EICS question WY_Q01. The value "00" may mean that no work was done for a Canadian employer.

Variable Name: **FTPT_RY** *Position:* 63 *Length:* 1

Full-time/part-time status in reference year

		FREQ	WTD
1	All weeks full-time	3,046	1,485,177
2	Some weeks full-time and some weeks part-time	1,784	978,199
3	All weeks part-time	3,783	2,192,781
6	Valid skip	2,945	1,609,085
9	Not stated	35	19,309
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents who had at least one week of paid employment at last or current job

Note: Based on EICS questions WY_Q01 and WY_Q04. Full-time work is interpreted as 30 hours or more per week. If working at two jobs in a week, hours are added from both jobs.

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Section: Employment Insurance

Variable Name: **HOURS** *Position:* 64 *Length:* 4

Number of insurable hours in reference year

		FREQ	WTD
0000	None	20	15,654
0002 : 3930	# of insurable hours in reference year	4,191	2,052,495
9996	Valid skip	7,373	4,211,474
9999	Not stated	9	4,928
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Paid employees at last job, worked within the last year

Note: Based primarily on EICS questions WY_Q04, WY_Q05 and WY_Q06. These questions deal with hours worked for an "average" week in the reference period. When this information was missing, the usual hours worked at the main job was used as a proxy. The job variable provides an estimate of insurable hours worked in the reference year. It was derived for the sole purpose of determining eligibility for Employment Insurance when no other information was available to assess it.

Variable Name: **INSEMP** *Position:* 68 *Length:* 1

Insurable employment in past two years

		FREQ	WTD
0	Has no insurable employment in past two years	327	89,826
1	Has insurable employment in past two years	920	260,330
6	Valid skip	10,346	5,934,395
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months

Note: Based on EICS questions WY_Q01, EI_Q04, EI_Q17 and PB_Q02.

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Variable Name: **COVERAGE** *Position:* 69 *Length:* 2

Taxonomy of Employment Insurance coverage

		FREQ	WTD
01	Received regular benefits during reference week	944	452,421
02	Received special benefits during reference week	810	248,227
03	Benefits temporarily interrupted or will receive benefits	230	112,506
04	Exhausted benefits (last 12 months)	175	71,718
05	Eligible and claimed but did not receive benefits or eligible but did not claim benefits	170	99,774
07	Did not meet entrance requirements	529	273,671
08	Quit job without a cause acceptable to EI program	671	341,647
09	Quit job to go to school and cannot qualify	732	467,358
10	No recent insurable employment	579	313,338
11	Has not worked in the last 12 months and could not qualify	1,221	701,331
12	Has never worked	121	80,552
96	Valid skip	5,411	3,122,007
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents who were not working during the reference week and worked in the past two years or were looking for work

Note: Based on EICS derived variables BENEFIT, RNBENRW, RSWORK, and HOURS. Persons who received benefits are assigned a value of 1, 2, 3 or 4 as appropriate. Then, people who have not worked in the last year are assigned a value of 11 or 12. Respondents who were self-employed in the last year or in a job where Employment Insurance premiums were not deducted from their pay are assigned a value of 10. Respondents who left their job to return to school or for other reasons not deemed valid for the Employment Insurance Act are then identified and assigned a value of 8 or 9. Lastly, when no other information was available to determine eligibility, an estimate of hours worked in the reference week was used (700 hours guarantees eligibility in all regions of the country for paid employees contributing to the program). In COVERAGE, those who did not receive Employment Insurance benefits despite likely being eligible are all included in a single category. In COV (only available from the master file), a distinction is made between those who made a claim and those who didn't.

Variable Name: **ELIGIBLE** *Position:* 71 *Length:* 1

Employment Insurance eligibility status

		FREQ	WTD
1	Potentially eligible - Eligible	2,329	984,645
2	Potentially eligible - Not eligible	529	273,671
3	Not potentially eligible	3,324	1,904,226
6	Valid skip	5,411	3,122,007
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents who were not working during the reference week and worked in the past two years or were looking for work

Note: Based on EICS derived variable COVERAGE.

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Section: Parental Benefits

Variable Name: **MATPAR** *Position:* 72 *Length:* 1

Received maternity and/or parental benefits

		FREQ	WTD
1	Received maternity or parental benefits	809	230,877
2	Insurable employment but no maternity or parental benefits	111	29,453
3	Worked within last 2 years but no insurable employment	122	31,701
4	Not worked in two years	205	58,124
6	Valid skip	10,346	5,934,395
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months

Note: Based on EICS questions EI_Q09B, EI_Q09C and PB_Q02.

Variable Name: **SPCLAIM** *Position:* 73 *Length:* 1

Parental benefits claimed by spouse

		FREQ	WTD
1	Spouse/partner claimed or intends to claim	123	29,749
2	Spouse/partner did not claim or intend to claim	984	275,755
6	Valid skip	10,462	5,970,622
9	Not stated	24	8,424
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months with a spouse present

Note: Based on EICS questions PB_Q05 or PB_Q07.

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Variable Name: **REASPNCL** *Position:* 74 *Length:* 1

Reason that spouse is not claiming parental benefits

		FREQ	WTD
1	Mother wants to stay home	301	90,474
2	Mother can take time off easier	66	18,033
3	More financially advantageous	218	58,137
4	Spouse not eligible for EI	213	61,046
5	Other	178	45,075
6	Valid skip	10,609	6,008,796
9	Not stated	8	2,989
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Mothers whose spouse does not intend to claim parental benefits

Note: Based on EICS questions PB_Q08 or PB_Q09. Due to the new design and application this variable is not comparable to the years 2000-2003.

Section: **Additional Payments**

Variable Name: **ADDPAYM** *Position:* 75 *Length:* 1

Received payments from employer, insurance or other benefits

		FREQ	WTD
1	Received additional payments from the employer	189	52,952
2	Received additional payments from other sources (including insurance)	35	13,193
3	Did not receive additional payments	812	224,386
6	Valid skip	10,555	5,993,740
9	Not stated	2	279
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Mothers who are working or who have worked in the past two years, with a period not at work since the pregnancy or adoption

Note: Based on EICS questions AP_Q01 and AP_Q02A.

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Variable Name: **APWEEKS** *Position:* 76 *Length:* 1

Weeks of additional payments

		FREQ	WTD
1	0-8 weeks	61	15,701
2	9-17 weeks	83	26,470
3	18 weeks +	71	20,990
6	Valid skip	11,369	6,218,405
9	Not stated	9	2,986
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Mothers who have worked in the past two years and who have received additional payments since the birth of their child

Note: Based on EICS question AP_Q05.

Section: **Income and Hardship**

Variable Name: **PARENTS** *Position:* 77 *Length:* 1
Collection Name: IN_Q01

Relied on parents for most day-to-day financial needs

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	2,884	1,675,768
2	No	365	223,680
6	Valid skip	8,324	4,374,856
8	Refused	3	2,144
9	Not stated	17	8,103
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents who are sons and daughters aged less than 30

Note: Based on EICS question IN_Q01.

Variable Name: **OWNEMP** *Position:* 78 *Length:* 1

Received wages or salaries from employment

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	3,845	2,231,471
2	No	4,833	2,354,023
6	Valid skip	2,884	1,675,768
9	Not stated	31	23,288
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents

Note: Based on EICS questions IN_Q01, IN_Q02 and IN_Q16. Paid employees at work during the reference month were not asked the question but assigned "Yes".

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Variable Name: **OWNSEMP** *Position:* 79 *Length:* 1

Received income or funds from self-employment

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	955	517,918
2	No	7,721	4,069,519
6	Valid skip	2,884	1,675,768
9	Not stated	33	21,345
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents

Note: Based on EICS questions IN_Q01, IN_Q03A or IN_Q16.

Variable Name: **CHILDBEN** *Position:* 80 *Length:* 1
Collection Name: IN_Q03C

Received child tax benefit or child benefit

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	823	212,439
2	No	403	128,190
6	Valid skip	10,359	5,940,376
7	Don't know	8	3,546
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Households with children less than 18 years old, except sons and daughters who rely on their parents

Note: Based on EICS question IN_Q03C.

Variable Name: **PENSION** *Position:* 81 *Length:* 1

Self or spouse received retirement or pension related benefits

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	1,634	864,007
2	No	1,116	603,762
6	Valid skip	8,834	4,812,241
9	Not stated	9	4,539
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents aged 50 years and older

Note: Based on EICS questions IN_Q03D, IN_Q03E, IN_Q03F, IN_Q03G, IN_Q05 and IN_Q16. Includes withdrawals from a Registered Retirement Savings Plan (RRSP, RRIF), Worker's Compensation benefits (or disability pension), employer pensions (or survivors' pensions), Canada Pension Plan or Quebec Pension Plan or Old Age Security benefits, or pensions of a spouse or common-law partner.

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Variable Name: **SPEMP** *Position:* 82 *Length:* 1

Spouse or partner received employment earnings

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	4,145	2,042,813
2	No	1,296	632,221
6	Valid skip	6,110	3,589,249
9	Not stated	42	20,267
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents with spouse, except sons and daughters who rely on their parents
Note: Based on EICS questions IN_Q04 or IN_Q16.

Variable Name: **MAINFUND** *Position:* 83 *Length:* 2

Main source of funds used to meet household expenses in reference month

		FREQ	WTD
01	Wages or self-employment earnings of spouse/partner/family member	3,768	1,912,927
02	Own wages or self-employment income	1,266	784,885
03	Employment Insurance benefits	784	313,075
04	Social assistance	388	196,569
05	Pensions, disability insurance, Workers' Compensation	1,203	621,064
06	Alimony, student loans, scholarships	165	91,027
07	Financial assistance from friends or relatives	111	75,391
08	Income from investments, interest, dividends, rentals or savings	630	405,010
09	Other	299	150,368
96	Valid skip	2,884	1,675,768
97	Don't know	42	28,287
98	Refused	48	28,498
99	Not stated	5	1,681
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents
Note: Based on EICS questions IN_Q01 and IN_Q16.

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Variable Name: **SAPAYM** *Position:* 85 *Length:* 1

Household received social assistance payments

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	533	263,208
2	No	7,655	4,023,565
6	Valid skip	3,253	1,902,756
9	Not stated	152	95,021
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents
Note: Based on EICS questions IN_Q07 and IN_Q16. Social assistance payments refer to payments or benefits paid from provincial or municipal programs for persons whose income is not adequate to meet basic needs. Terms such as welfare, child welfare, mother's allowance, family benefits, daycare subsidy, financial support programs, general welfare, social allowances, income support and income assurance are used to describe some of these benefits.

Variable Name: **SAMTHS** *Position:* 86 *Length:* 3
Collection Name: IN_Q09

Months in receipt of social assistance

Allowed values: 000 : 720

		FREQ	WTD
000 : 720	Months in receipt of social assistance	444	220,702
996	Valid skip	10,935	5,939,136
997	Don't know	55	27,142
998	Refused	4	1,132
999	Not stated	155	96,439
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents who were social assistance recipients in reference month, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents
Note: Based on EICS question IN_Q09.

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Variable Name: **ADEQUACY** *Position:* 89 *Length:* 1

Sufficiency of household income to meet day-to-day expenses

		FREQ	WTD
1	Met all your regular expenses and financial commitment	4,432	2,423,607
2	Met most but not all	2,922	1,474,825
3	Met some	852	426,491
4	Met very little or none	379	204,565
6	Valid skip	2,884	1,675,768
7	Don't know	70	49,268
8	Refused	46	26,051
9	Not stated	8	3,975
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents

Note: Based on EICS questions IN_Q01 and IN_Q17.

Variable Name: **FAMFRND** *Position:* 90 *Length:* 1

Received some financial assistance from friends or relatives

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	848	491,760
2	No	7,348	3,809,968
6	Valid skip	3,223	1,886,961
9	Not stated	174	95,860
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents

Note: Based on EICS questions IN_Q10, IN_Q16, IN_Q18C or IN_Q18D. This variable combines non-income sources of funds used in the reference month and additional funding required to meet regular household expenses. Regular household expenses are those that are necessary for daily living such as for food, heating, rental or mortgage payments, transportation to school or work, some clothing, taxes, etc.

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Variable Name: **GETJOB** *Position:* 91 *Length:* 1

Got a job, started a business or did odd jobs (for friends or relatives)

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	615	327,288
2	No	7,674	4,030,365
6	Valid skip	3,223	1,886,961
9	Not stated	81	39,936
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents

Note: Based on EICS questions IN_Q11 or IN_Q18B.

Variable Name: **SAVINGS** *Position:* 92 *Length:* 1

Used up some savings or cashed in some investments

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	1,977	1,085,239
2	No	5,551	2,851,874
6	Valid skip	3,834	2,219,828
9	Not stated	231	127,609
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents, full-time workers and mothers who received payments from the employer to complement their Employment Insurance benefits

Note: Based on EICS questions AP_Q03, IN_Q12, IN_Q16 or IN_Q18H. This variable combines non-income sources of funds used in the reference month necessary for daily living such as for food, heating, rental or mortgage payments, transportation to school or work, some clothing, taxes, etc. "Not stated" codes for this variable are due to non-response to either some or all the questions related to use of savings.

Variable Name: **SELL** *Position:* 93 *Length:* 1

Had to sell property or belongings

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	231	107,400
2	No	6,951	3,649,580
6	Valid skip	3,834	2,219,828
9	Not stated	577	307,743
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents, full-time workers and mothers who received payments from the employer to complement their Employment Insurance benefits

Note: Based on EICS questions AP_Q03, IN_Q13 or IN_Q18I. This variable combines non-income sources of funds used in the reference month and additional funding required to meet regular household expenses. Regular household expenses are those that are necessary for daily living such as for food, heating, rental or mortgage payments, transportation to school or work, some clothing, taxes, etc. "Not stated" codes for this variable are due to non-response to either some or all the questions related to use of savings.

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Variable Name: **CREDIT** *Position:* 94 *Length:* 1

Increased reliance on credit

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	1,578	822,734
2	No	5,579	2,918,962
6	Valid skip	3,834	2,219,828
9	Not stated	602	323,027
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents, full-time workers and mothers who received payments from the employer to complement their Employment Insurance benefits

Note: Based on EICS questions IN_Q14, IN_Q15, IN_Q18F, IN_Q18G or AP_Q03. This variable combines non-income sources of funds used in the reference month and additional funding required to meet regular household expenses. Regular household expenses are those that are necessary for daily living such as for food, heating, rental or mortgage payments, transportation to school or work, some clothing, taxes, etc. "Not stated" codes for this variable are due to non-response to either some or all the questions related to use of savings.

Variable Name: **CUTEXP** *Position:* 95 *Length:* 1

Cut expenses to make up for shortfall in income

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	1,017	525,395
2	No	207	101,054
6	Valid skip	10,238	5,574,200
9	Not stated	131	83,901
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents who stated that their income only met some, very little or did not meet any of their regular household expenditures, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents

Note: Based on EICS questions IN_Q18A and IN_Q18E. "Not stated" codes for this variable are almost exclusively linked to non-response at question IN_Q17 (ADEQUACY).

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Section: Job Search

Variable Name: **LOOKWORK** *Position:* 96 *Length:* 1
Collection Name: JS_Q01

Did anything to find work during the reference week

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	1,916	986,836
2	No	903	429,676
6	Valid skip	8,736	4,848,368
7	Don't know	17	9,582
8	Refused	18	9,541
9	Not stated	3	547
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Unemployed respondents and those who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference week, except mothers

Note: Based on EICS question JS_Q01.

Variable Name: **JOBSRCH** *Position:* 97 *Length:* 2

Most important job search method during reference week

		FREQ	WTD
01	Employment agency (public or private)	157	79,220
02	Contacted employers directly (resume, visit, call, placed or answered job ads)	1,035	529,020
03	Looked at job ads	245	111,328
04	Internet access or kiosk	225	125,028
05	Organization/networking community	43	31,469
06	Checked with friends or relatives	63	41,426
07	Other	133	61,457
96	Valid skip	9,677	5,297,714
97	Don't know	15	7,887
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Unemployed respondents and those who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference month, except mothers and others who were working at the time of the interview, who reported some job search

Note: Based on EICS questions JS_Q01 and JS_Q02.

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Variable Name: **LOOKHRS** *Position:* 99 *Length:* 2
Collection Name: JS_Q03

Hours spent looking for work during the reference week

Allowed values: 00 : 60

		FREQ	WTD
00 : 60	Hours spent looking	1,766	919,492
61	More than 60 hours	0	0
96	Valid skip	9,674	5,297,167
97	Don't know	146	65,746
98	Refused	4	1,599
99	Not stated	3	547
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Unemployed respondents and those not working during the reference week and who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference month, except mothers and who indicated some job search
Note: Based on EICS question JS_Q03.

Variable Name: **LOOKCOST** *Position:* 101 *Length:* 4
Collection Name: JS_Q04

Cost of job search activities

		FREQ	WTD
0000	Nothing significant	634	313,286
0001 : 2528	Cost of job search activities	1,099	579,397
9996	Valid skip	9,674	5,297,167
9997	Don't know	174	90,077
9998	Refused	9	4,076
9999	Not stated	3	547
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Unemployed respondents and those not working during the reference week and who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference month, except mothers and who indicated some job search
Note: Based on EICS question JS_Q04.

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Variable Name: **LOOKOUT** *Position:* 105 *Length:* 1

Looking within community or province

		FREQ	WTD
1	Looked outside province	204	103,170
2	Looked outside community (within province)	605	318,528
3	Looked within community	1,096	555,281
6	Valid skip	9,677	5,297,714
9	Not stated	11	9,857
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Unemployed respondents and those who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference month, except mothers and others who were working at the time of the interview, who reported some job search
Note: Based on EICS questions JS_Q01, JS_Q05A and JS_Q05B.

Variable Name: **LIKELYJB** *Position:* 106 *Length:* 1

Chances of finding an acceptable job in the next three months

		FREQ	WTD
1	Not very good	660	289,027
2	Good	581	327,164
3	Very good	253	135,036
4	Have a job (to start in the future)	342	133,120
5	Would not take a job in the next 3 months	118	63,896
6	Valid skip	9,506	5,257,665
7	Don't know	82	53,966
8	Refused	2	551
9	Not stated	49	24,126
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Unemployed respondents and those who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference month, except mothers who were not working at the time of the interview
Note: Based on EICS questions JS_Q08 and JS_Q09.

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Variable Name: **HELPFIND** *Position:* 107 *Length:* 2

Would help most to find a job

		FREQ	WTD
01	Skills training	179	100,473
02	More education (academic)	143	66,720
03	Work experience	119	61,708
04	Help in job search	179	115,833
05	Moving to another city/region	91	31,337
06	Help in starting a business/entrepreneurship training	23	12,321
07	More jobs/work available	135	55,297
08	Other	330	157,802
96	Valid skip	10,246	5,602,719
99	Not stated	148	80,341
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Unemployed respondents and those who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference month and who would like to work if a suitable job was offered in the next 3 months but whose chances of finding such job were not very good, except mothers and others who were working at the time of the interview

Note: Based on EICS questions JS_Q09 and JS_Q10.

Section: **Work After Birth/Adoption**

Variable Name: **EMPAGREE** *Position:* 109 *Length:* 1

Agreement with employer to return to work there

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	665	188,224
2	No	150	43,669
6	Valid skip	10,744	6,041,681
9	Not stated	34	10,976
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Mothers who have worked in a paid job in the past two years (and took a break)

Note: Based on EICS question PR_Q03 or WA_Q07. Use WRKAFTER to distinguish between mothers who have already returned to work and those who have not.

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Variable Name: **SAMEMP** *Position:* 110 *Length:* 1

Returned or plan to return to the same employer

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	698	199,632
2	No	102	29,451
6	Valid skip	10,696	6,022,486
9	Not stated	97	32,982
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Mothers who have worked in a paid job in the past two years, intend to return to work within the next 18 months or have already returned (after a break)

Note: Based on EICS questions WA_Q01, PR_Q06 or WA_Q10. Use WRKAFTER to distinguish between mothers who have already returned to work and those who have not.

Variable Name: **WRKAFTER** *Position:* 111 *Length:* 1

Has worked since the birth or adoption

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	303	82,517
2	No	944	267,638
6	Valid skip	10,346	5,934,395
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months

Note: Based on variable TYPE and EICS questions PR_Q01, PR_Q02 and JS_Q06.

Variable Name: **CHLDCARE** *Position:* 112 *Length:* 1

Planned or current child care arrangement

		FREQ	WTD
1	Mother herself or shared with husband	139	33,765
2	Friend or relative will take care of child	191	61,204
3	Private babysitter	143	39,774
4	Private nursery or daycare (private or public)	226	68,421
5	Other	91	21,535
6	Valid skip	10,646	6,008,921
9	Not stated	157	50,929
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Mothers who have worked in the past, but have not worked for pay since the birth or adoption of their child and who are planning to return to work in less than 18 months or are not sure when they plan to return to work or have already returned to work after a break

Note: Based on EICS question PR_Q11 or WA_Q15. "Not stated" in this variable results mainly from non-response "don't know" or "refusals". Use WRKAFTER to distinguish between mothers who have already returned to work and those who have not.

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Variable Name: **WORKCOND** *Position:* 113 *Length:* 1

Working conditions after birth or adoption

		FREQ	WTD
1	Same working conditions	606	175,172
2	Different working conditions, fewer hours	110	31,572
3	Different working conditions, other	107	27,666
6	Valid Skip	10,674	6,018,551
9	Not stated	96	31,590
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Mothers who have worked in a paid job in the past two years, intend to return to work within the next 18 months or have already returned (after a break)

Note: Based on EICS question PR_Q07, PR_Q09, PR_Q10, WA_Q10, WA_Q11, WA_Q13 or WA_Q14. Use WRKAFTER to distinguish between mothers who have already returned to work and those who have not.

Section: **Changes in Income After Birth/Adoption**

Variable Name: **M_HHINC** *Position:* 114 *Length:* 1

Household income in the month before the birth/adoption

		FREQ	WTD
1	Less than \$1,600 (less than \$20,000 per annum)	215	57,134
2	\$1,600 to less than \$3,300 (\$20,000 - \$40,000 per annum)	585	168,785
3	\$3,300 to less than \$5,000 (\$40,000 - \$60,000 per annum)	194	51,632
4	More than \$5,000 (more than \$60,000 per annum)	178	51,246
6	Valid skip	10,346	5,934,395
9	Not stated	75	21,359
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months

Note: Based on EICS question CI_Q01. Income from all sources.

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Variable Name: **M_INCDEC** *Position:* 115 *Length:* 1
Collection Name: CI_Q02

Increase or decrease in income after the birth/adoption

		FREQ	WTD
1	Decrease	653	181,186
2	Increase	103	29,374
3	Stayed the same	465	128,004
6	Valid skip	10,346	5,934,395
7	Don't know	20	7,729
8	Refused	5	3,721
9	Not stated	1	141
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months
Note: Based on EICS question CI_Q02.

Variable Name: **M_CHGINC** *Position:* 116 *Length:* 2

Change in income (per month)

		FREQ	WTD
01	\$0-\$200	65	16,473
02	\$201-\$400	115	30,091
03	\$401-\$600	118	31,229
04	\$601-\$800	61	16,891
05	\$801-\$1000	104	30,975
06	\$1001-\$2000	143	37,560
07	\$2001 and over	70	23,658
08	Stayed the same	465	128,004
96	Valid skip	10,346	5,934,395
97	Don't know	67	21,059
98	Refused	12	2,455
99	Not stated	27	11,760
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months
Note: Based on EICS questions CI_Q02 and CI_Q03. Use with M_INCDEC.

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Section: Other variables from Labour Force Survey

Variable Name: **STUDENT** *Position:* 118 *Length:* 1

Student status

		FREQ	WTD
1	Full-time student	2,846	1,745,547
2	Part-time student	309	207,191
3	Non-student	7,941	4,051,881
6	Valid skip	479	272,301
9	Not stated	18	7,631
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: Respondents aged 15 to 64 years only

Variable Name: **EFAMILY** *Position:* 119 *Length:* 1

Type of economic family

		FREQ	WTD
1	Unattached individual	1,138	754,564
2	Husband-wife, dual earner couple	4,676	2,488,670
3	Husband-wife, single earner couple	3,032	1,574,484
4	Husband-wife, non-earner couple	1,176	561,903
5	Single-parent	1,117	596,895
6	Other families	445	303,084
9	Not stated	9	4,951
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents

Variable Name: **EFAMSZ_R** *Position:* 120 *Length:* 1

Number of persons in the economic family

		FREQ	WTD
1	One person	1,139	754,998
2	Two persons	2,728	1,469,588
3	Three persons	2,750	1,391,892
4	Four persons	3,017	1,608,078
5	Five persons or more	1,954	1,058,567
9	Not stated	5	1,427
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents

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Variable Name: **EFAMEM_R** *Position:* 121 *Length:* 1

Number of employed persons in the economic family

		FREQ	WTD
0	None	1,991	1,007,575
1	One person	3,536	1,879,946
2	Two persons	3,815	2,033,009
3	Three persons or more	2,251	1,364,021
		=====	=====
		11,593	6,284,550

Coverage: All respondents

Section: **Weights**

Variable Name: **WTPM** *Position:* 122 *Length:* 12.4

Weight - Format 12.4 (Physical decimal present) (9999999.9999)

Response: Weight - Format 12.4 0 0

Coverage: All respondents

Note: Physical decimal present in eighth position. For example, a weight of 1,234.56 is saved as 0001234.5600

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