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**Section: Respondent Profile**

*Variable Name:*        **PUMFID**                      *Position:*    1                      *Length:*        5

Sequential Identification Number

Response:

*Coverage:* All respondents

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*Variable Name:*        **YEAR**                      *Position:*    6                      *Length:*        4

Survey reference year

		FREQ	WTD
2007	2007	11,367	7,492,319
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* All respondents

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*Variable Name:*        **REGION6**                      *Position:*    10                      *Length:*        1

Province or region

		FREQ	WTD
1	Atlantic region	2,117	564,637
2	Quebec	2,138	1,831,087
3	Ontario	3,189	2,878,131
4	Manitoba and Saskatchewan	1,569	466,156
5	Alberta	1,141	768,252
6	British Columbia	1,213	984,057
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* All respondents

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*Variable Name:*        **SEX**                      *Position:*    11                      *Length:*        1

Sex of respondent

		FREQ	WTD
1	Male	4,053	3,215,691
2	Female	7,314	4,276,628
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* All respondents

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

Age of respondent (groups)

		FREQ	WTD
1	15-24 years	3,951	2,460,528
2	25-44 years	3,720	2,553,208
3	45 years or older	3,696	2,478,583
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* All respondents

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

Highest educational attainment

		FREQ	WTD
0	Grade 8 or lower	490	301,718
1	Grade 9-13, non graduate	2,589	1,431,258
2	Grade 11-13, graduate	2,107	1,435,545
3	Some post-graduate	1,334	910,821
4	Trades certificate or diploma, community college, CEGEP, etc., university certificate below Bachelor's	3,135	2,119,289
5	University graduate (Bachelor's, Master's or PhD)	1,695	1,267,558
9	Not stated	17	26,130
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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	1,938	1,029,522
2	Employed less than 30 usual hours during reference week	4,785	2,795,413
3	Not in the labour force during reference week	3,988	2,353,373
4	Working full-time during ref. wk. with an interruption - last 3 months	487	1,265,193
5	Mothers of infants working in reference week	169	48,819
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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.

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

Respondent currently working at a job or business

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	916	458,022
2	No	2,613	1,149,292
6	Valid skip	7,817	5,872,168
9	Not stated	21	12,838
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* Unemployed respondents, mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months 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	10,134	7,115,506
1	Mother of a child 0 to 12 months old	1,233	376,814
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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.

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**Section:**                            **Socio-Demographics**

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

Immigrant status

		FREQ	WTD
1	Canadian by birth	10,012	6,078,520
2	Immigrant	1,270	1,343,779
9	Not stated	85	70,021
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* All respondents

*Note:* Based on EICS question SD\_Q03Y.

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**Section:**                            **Job Information**

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

Last worked period (groups)

		FREQ	WTD
0	Working during reference week	5,441	4,109,424
1	0 to 4 months ago	2,606	1,426,049
2	5 to 12 months ago	1,842	965,109
3	13 to 24 months ago	974	749,017
4	More than 24 months ago	335	154,546
5	Never worked	169	88,174
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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	4,090	3,053,423
2	Part-time	5,584	3,304,514
6	Valid skip	1,498	1,018,617
9	Not stated	195	115,766
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* Paid employees at last or current job

*Note:* Based on LFS variable UHRSMIN. "Not stated" in this variable results mainly from non-response  
 "don't know" in JB\_Q18.

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

Type of work arrangement

		FREQ	WTD
01	Permanent full-time worker	2,617	2,189,507
02	Permanent part-time worker	3,633	2,141,678
03	Permanent, work hours unknown	35	26,594
04	Not permanent, seasonal worker	1,054	550,096
05	Not permanent, other	2,464	1,513,504
06	Self-employed	1,328	929,997
96	Valid skip	169	88,174
99	Not stated	67	52,770
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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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<i>Variable Name:</i>	<b>UNIONCA</b>	<i>Position:</i>	22	<i>Length:</i>	1
Union status					
				FREQ	WTD
1	Yes, union member or covered by a collective agreement			2,386	1,582,567
2	Not a union member and not covered by a collective agreement			7,374	4,810,868
6	Valid skip			1,498	1,018,617
7	Don't know			101	72,236
8	Refused			7	4,668
9	Not stated			1	3,363
				=====	=====
				11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* Paid employees at last or current job

*Note:* Based on LFS variable UNION\_CA or EICS questions JB\_Q13, JB\_Q14.

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<i>Variable Name:</i>	<b>TENURE_G</b>	<i>Position:</i>	23	<i>Length:</i>	2
Job tenure (groups)					
				FREQ	WTD
01	Less than one month			308	176,609
02	1-3 months			1,979	1,411,495
03	4-6 months			1,030	578,468
04	7-12 months			1,100	695,862
05	13-24 months			1,319	852,756
06	3-5 years			1,508	899,736
07	6-10 years			1,071	743,979
08	11-20 years			709	572,956
09	21 years or more			589	361,656
96	Valid skip			1,498	1,018,617
99	Not stated			256	180,187
				=====	=====
				11,367	7,492,319

*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	530	264,585
02	Construction	560	358,402
03	Manufacturing	784	701,514
04	Retail trade & accommodation and food services	3,319	2,133,636
05	Educational services & health care and social assistance & public administration	2,720	1,618,494
06	All others	3,135	2,195,557
96	Valid skip	169	88,174
99	Not stated	150	131,957
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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.

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

Occupation based on NOC 2001

		FREQ	WTD
01	Management	328	272,534
02	Business, finance and administration	1,764	1,194,146
03	Health and natural applied sciences	1,010	739,590
04	Social science, education, government, religion, art, culture, recreation and sport	1,400	845,094
05	Trade, transport and equipment operators, primary processing, manufacturing and utilities	2,171	1,494,609
06	Sales and service	4,369	2,722,050
96	Valid skip	169	88,174
99	Not stated	156	136,122
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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.



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*Variable Name:*           **TIPS**                           *Position:*   29           *Length:*    1

Respondent usually receives tips or commissions

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	957	584,888
2	No	8,864	5,855,128
6	Valid skip	1,498	1,018,617
7	Don't know	33	22,414
8	Refused	14	7,908
9	Not stated	1	3,363
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* Paid employees at last or current job

*Note:* Based on LFS variable or EICS questions JB\_Q15 and JB\_Q16.

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*Variable Name:*           **HOUREARN**                           *Position:*   30           *Length:*    7.2

Usual hourly earnings

		FREQ	WTD
0000.00 : 0113.02	Usual hourly earnings	9,326	6,144,782
9999.96	Valid skip	1,498	1,018,617
9999.99	Not stated	543	328,920
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* Paid employees at last or current job

*Note:* Based on LFS variable or EICS questions JB\_Q15, JB\_Q17A, JB\_Q17B and JB\_Q18. There has been NO editing or imputation for outliers for data collected by the EICS.

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*Variable Name:*           **EIDEDUC**                           *Position:*   37           *Length:*    1

Employment Insurance premiums deducted at job

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	8,073	5,271,451
2	No	1,025	661,020
6	Valid skip	1,314	873,377
7	Don't know	951	679,269
8	Refused	3	3,839
9	Not stated	1	3,363
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* Paid employees at last or current job as reported or known at the beginning of the interview

*Note:* Based on EICS question JB\_Q21. The class of worker of some respondents who answered 'No' to this question was changed based on the reason provided for not contributing to Employment Insurance.

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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	436	254,157
2	Self-employed or working for a business owned by a family member	204	159,386
3	Other reasons	201	132,720
6	Valid skip	10,342	6,831,300
9	Not stated	184	114,756
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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.

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**Section:                      Stopped Working**

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

Job leaver, job loser or unpaid absence

		FREQ	WTD
1	Left job	2,353	1,480,562
2	Lost job, laid off or job ended (incl involuntary retirement)	1,775	965,942
3	Was on unpaid absence from the job	829	370,469
6	Valid Skip	6,402	4,668,983
9	Not Stated	8	6,363
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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	364	241,953
02	Pregnancy (maternity)	739	249,623
03	Other personal reasons or family responsibilities	321	188,620
04	Going to school	864	593,272
05	End of seasonal job	490	219,722
06	End of temporary, term or contract (non-seasonal)	383	216,504
07	Casual job	123	63,742
08	Business conditions (includes company went out of business)	660	383,088
09	Lost job for other reasons (including dismissal)	134	87,099
10	Dissatisfied with job	349	226,478
11	Retired	369	254,168
12	Other reasons	162	93,580
96	Valid skip	6,402	4,668,983
99	Not stated	7	5,488
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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.

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

Received advanced notice or knew in advance

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	1,289	671,034
2	No	991	610,844
6	Valid skip	9,053	6,192,803
7	Don't know	33	17,453
8	Refused	1	185
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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	171	95,981
2	1-2 weeks	345	197,545
3	3-4 weeks	53	30,898
4	5 weeks +	22	19,849
5	Knew it from the beginning	661	308,877
6	Valid skip	10,044	6,803,648
7	Don't know	5	3,152
9	Not stated	66	32,368
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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.

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

Received a record of employment when stopped working

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	3,279	1,722,598
2	No	1,423	933,140
6	Valid skip	6,402	4,668,983
7	Don't know	260	166,239
8	Refused	3	1,359
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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	398	279,278
2	No	1,520	766,431
6	Valid skip	9,402	6,419,281
9	Not stated	47	27,329
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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.

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

Expected to return to employer

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	871	422,241
2	No	844	511,068
6	Valid skip	9,577	6,522,196
7	Don't know	73	36,180
8	Refused	2	634
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

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

*Note:* Based on EICS question SW\_Q08.

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**Section:**                      **Work After Birth/Adoption**

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

Duration of the leave (Time ended or planned)

		FREQ	WTD
00 : 54	Time ended or planned (in months)	852	259,170
95	Do not plan to return to work	116	31,306
96	Valid skip	10,311	7,172,474
97	Don't know	79	26,346
99	Not stated	9	3,023
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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	97	27,291
2	5 to 8 months	106	31,517
3	9 to 12 months	494	149,241
4	More than one year	155	51,121
5	Do not plan to return to work	116	31,306
6	Valid skip	10,311	7,172,474
7	Don't know	79	26,346
9	Not stated	9	3,023
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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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**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	2,853	1,470,446
2	No	8,514	6,021,873
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* All respondents

*Note:* Based on EICS questions 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	1,539	674,228
2	Yes, during the reference month (but not during the reference week)	119	61,006
3	Yes, since last worked (but not during the reference month)	570	306,618
4	No	9,132	6,439,581
9	Not stated	7	10,885
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* All respondents

*Note:* Based on EICS questions EI\_Q04, EI\_Q05, EI\_Q06 and PM\_Q03.

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

Type of benefits received in reference week or reference month

		FREQ	WTD
1	Regular	984	501,319
2	Maternity or parental	570	178,553
3	Other	87	48,969
6	Valid skip	9,709	6,757,085
9	Not stated	17	6,394
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* Respondents who received benefits in the reference month

*Note:* Based on EICS questions EI\_Q07 and PM\_Q03.

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

Weeks of benefits since last applied

		FREQ	WTD
001 : 050	Weeks of benefits since last applied	1,779	767,923
996	Valid skip	9,436	6,657,450
999	Not stated	152	66,946
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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	1,472	625,766
996	Valid skip	9,540	6,712,700
999	Not stated	355	153,853
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* Respondents who received benefits in the reference month, or for mothers since they last worked  
*Note:* Based on EICS question EI\_Q11.

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*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	2,607	2,203,428
02	Was not paying EI premiums/work was not insurable	1,083	752,841
03	Did not work enough hours or weeks to qualify	1,694	1,057,107
04	Was a student	876	527,212
05	Received a severance package or retirement pension	413	266,397
06	Quit voluntarily	158	110,651
07	Did not want or need EI (and did not claim)	561	426,089
08	Did not know enough about EI program	567	419,893
09	Still expecting benefits (waiting period, benefit withheld)	224	113,005
10	Claim ran out	289	202,433
11	Has not worked recently (2 years) or never worked	452	245,522
12	Other	262	191,670
96	Valid skip	1,827	779,619
99	Not stated	354	196,451
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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	1,212	862,129
01	01 to 10 weeks	1,242	763,776
02	11 to 25 weeks	1,803	1,023,659
03	26 to 38 weeks	1,343	814,500
04	39 to 51 weeks	1,966	1,295,187
05	52 weeks	2,870	2,130,192
96	Valid skip	169	88,174
97	Don't know	759	510,704
98	Refused	3	3,998
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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.

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*Variable Name:*        **FTPT\_RY**                      *Position:*    63                      *Length:*        1

Full-time/part-time status in reference year

		FREQ	WTD
1	All weeks full-time	3,004	2,258,961
2	Some weeks full-time and some weeks part-time	1,507	891,334
3	All weeks part-time	4,225	2,538,230
6	Valid skip	2,570	1,769,606
9	Not stated	61	34,188
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

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

*Note:* Based on EICS questions WY\_Q01 or 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	31	21,310
0002 : 6366	# of insurable hours in reference year	4,058	2,156,564
9996	Valid skip	7,265	5,305,316
9999	Not stated	13	9,129
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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 EI when no other information was available to assess it.

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

Insurable employment in past two years

		FREQ	WTD
0	Has no insurable employment in past two years	276	86,082
1	Has insurable employment in past two years	957	290,732
6	Valid skip	10,134	7,115,506
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months

*Note:* Based on EICS questions WY\_Q01, EI\_Q04, EI\_Q17 and PM\_Q03.

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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	795	395,464
02	Received special benefits during reference week	595	189,091
03	Benefits temporarily interrupted or will receive benefits	208	101,860
04	Exhausted benefits (last 12 months)	279	129,824
05	Eligible and claimed but did not receive benefits or eligible but did not claim benefits	205	153,375
07	Did not meet entrance requirements	489	283,458
08	Quit job without a cause acceptable to EI program	674	361,813
09	Quit job to go to school and cannot qualify	842	570,057
10	No recent insurable employment	454	255,819
11	Has not worked in the last 12 months and could not qualify	1,083	814,258
12	Has never worked	133	74,254
96	Valid skip	5,610	4,163,047
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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.

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

Employment Insurance eligibility status

		FREQ	WTD
1	Potentially eligible - Eligible	2,082	969,614
2	Potentially eligible - Not eligible	489	283,458
3	Not potentially eligible	3,186	2,076,200
6	Valid skip	5,610	4,163,047
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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 for Mothers**

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

Received maternity and/or parental benefits

		FREQ	WTD
1	Received maternity or parental benefits	820	249,653
2	Insurable employment but no maternity or parental benefits	137	41,079
3	Worked within last 2 years but no insurable employment	106	30,932
4	Not worked in two years	170	55,150
6	Valid skip	10,134	7,115,506
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months

*Note:* Based on EICS questions EI\_Q09B, EI\_Q09C and PM\_Q03.

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**Section: Parental Benefits for Fathers**

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

Parental benefits claimed by spouse

		FREQ	WTD
1	Spouse/partner claimed or intends to claim	249	88,703
2	Spouse/partner did not claim or intend to claim	818	242,396
6	Valid skip	10,266	7,149,991
9	Not stated	34	11,229
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

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

*Note:* Based on EICS questions PF\_Q01A or PF\_Q01B.

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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	307	85,352
2	Mother can take time off easier	159	44,916
3	More financially advantageous	99	29,874
4	Spouse not eligible for EI	145	43,925
5	Other	80	27,352
6	Valid skip	10,549	7,249,923
9	Not stated	28	10,977
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

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

*Note:* Based on EICS question PF\_Q02. Due to the new design and application this variable is not comparable to the years 2000-2003.

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**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	218	71,067
2	Received additional payments from other sources (including insurance)	29	8,466
3	Did not receive additional payments	805	239,434
6	Valid skip	10,311	7,172,474
9	Not stated	4	878
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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	62	23,185
2	9-17 weeks	84	21,849
3	18 weeks +	88	29,095
6	Valid skip	11,120	7,412,787
9	Not stated	13	5,403
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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.

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**Section:**                      **Income and Hardship**

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

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

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	2,993	1,838,179
2	No	271	185,515
6	Valid skip	8,095	5,461,199
7	Don't know	2	947
8	Refused	3	2,458
9	Not stated	3	4,021
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

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

*Note:* Based on EICS question IS\_Q01.

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

Received wages or salaries from employment

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	3,741	2,963,977
2	No	4,534	2,616,088
6	Valid skip	2,993	1,838,179
9	Not stated	99	74,075
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

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

*Note:* Based on EICS questions COW, WRK, LWP, IS\_Q01, IS\_Q02A and AF\_Q07. Paid employees at work during the reference month were not asked the question but assigned "Yes".

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

Received child tax benefit or child benefit

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	1,056	312,551
2	No	151	51,263
6	Valid skip	10,134	7,115,506
9	Not stated	26	12,999
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* Mothers of a child ages 0 to 12 months

*Note:* Based on EICS question IS\_Q02B.

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*Variable Name:*           **SPEMP**                      *Position:*    80                      *Length:*        1

Spouse or partner received employment earnings

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	4,376	2,722,807
2	No	1,341	871,158
6	Valid skip	5,624	3,882,393
9	Not stated	26	15,961
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* Respondents with spouse, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents

*Note:* Based on EICS questions IS\_Q04 or AF\_Q07.

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*Variable Name:*           **MAINFUND**                      *Position:*    81                      *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	3,969	2,487,791
02	Own wages or self-employment income	1,221	1,204,313
03	Employment Insurance benefits	697	321,838
04	Social assistance	285	154,494
05	Pensions, disability insurance, Workers' Compensation	1,103	692,312
06	Alimony, student loans, scholarships	155	101,695
07	Financial assistance from friends or relatives	110	101,495
08	Income from investments, interest, dividends, rentals or savings	492	332,543
09	Other	178	123,357
96	Valid skip	2,993	1,838,179
97	Don't know	93	82,055
98	Refused	58	40,799
99	Not stated	13	11,448
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

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

*Note:* Based on EICS questions IS\_Q01 and AF\_Q07.

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*Variable Name:*           **SAPAYM**                      *Position:*    83                      *Length:*        1

Household received social assistance payments

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	407	234,648
2	No	7,871	5,343,692
6	Valid skip	2,993	1,838,179
9	Not stated	96	75,800
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

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

*Note:* Based on EICS questions IS\_Q01, IS\_Q05 and IS\_Q07. 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.



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*Variable Name:*           **SAMTHS**                           *Position:*   84                   *Length:*     3

Months in receipt of social assistance

*Allowed values:*           000 : 720

		FREQ	WTD
001 : 720	Months in receipt of social assistance	341	194,526
996	Valid skip	10,882	7,195,064
997	Don't know	46	26,614
998	Refused	2	315
999	Not stated	96	75,800
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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 IS\_Q07.

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*Variable Name:*           **ADEQUACY**                           *Position:*   87                   *Length:*     1

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

		FREQ	WTD
1	Met all your regular expenses and financial commitment	5,223	3,727,256
2	Met most but not all	2,032	1,224,826
3	Met some	643	382,562
4	Met very little or none	347	232,242
6	Valid skip	2,993	1,838,179
7	Don't know	89	58,947
8	Refused	29	18,602
9	Not stated	11	9,706
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

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

*Note:*       Based on EICS questions IS\_Q01 and AF\_Q01.

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*Variable Name:*           **FAMFRND**                      *Position:*    88                      *Length:*        1

Received some financial assistance from friends or relatives

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	989	681,794
2	No	7,032	4,733,245
6	Valid skip	3,221	1,998,808
9	Not stated	125	78,473
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30

*Note:* Based on EICS questions AF\_Q04, AF\_Q05 and AF\_Q07. 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:*    89                      *Length:*        1

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

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	612	355,491
2	No	7,396	5,041,236
6	Valid skip	3,221	1,998,808
9	Not stated	138	96,785
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30

*Note:* Based on EICS questions AF\_Q05 or AF\_Q06C.

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

Used up some savings or cashed in some investments

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	1,858	1,129,558
2	No	5,520	3,063,499
6	Valid skip	3,799	3,182,137
9	Not stated	190	117,126
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

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

*Note:* Based on EICS questions AP\_Q03, AF\_Q02 or AF\_Q07. 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:*           **SELL**                           *Position:*    91                   *Length:*       1

Had to sell property or belongings

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	52	30,752
2	No	7,516	4,279,431
6	Valid skip	3,799	3,182,137
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

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

*Note:* Based on EICS questions AP\_Q03 and AF\_Q06F. 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:*    92                   *Length:*       1

Increased reliance on credit

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	1,653	922,860
2	No	5,751	3,279,082
6	Valid skip	3,799	3,182,137
9	Not stated	164	108,240
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

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

*Note:* Based on EICS questions AF\_Q03, AF\_Q06B 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.

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

Cut expenses to make up for shortfall in income

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	789	505,044
2	No	203	117,776
6	Valid skip	10,248	6,790,261
9	Not stated	127	79,239
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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 AF\_Q06A or AF\_Q06E. "Not stated" codes for this variable are almost exclusively linked to non-response at questions IS\_Q01 and AF\_Q01 (ADEQUACY).

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**Section:**                      **Job Search**

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

Did anything to find work during the reference week

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	1,564	826,077
2	No	793	421,670
6	Valid skip	8,985	6,225,723
7	Don't know	12	9,729
8	Refused	7	6,396
9	Not stated	6	2,725
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

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

*Note:* Based on EICS question JS\_Q01.

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*Variable Name:*            **JOBSRCH**                      *Position:*    95                      *Length:*        2

Most important job search method during reference week

		FREQ	WTD
01	Employment agency (public or private)	120	65,461
02	Contacted employers directly (resume, visit, call, placed or answered job ads)	811	404,137
03	Looked at job ads	190	100,738
04	Internet access or kiosk	255	143,361
05	Organization/networking community	25	15,285
06	Checked with friends or relatives	44	28,197
07	Other	105	62,355
96	Valid skip	9,803	6,666,242
97	Don't know	14	6,542
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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:*    97                      *Length:*        2

Hours spent looking for work during the reference week

*Allowed values:*            00 : 60

		FREQ	WTD
00 : 60	Hours spent looking	1,401	738,653
96	Valid skip	9,797	6,663,518
97	Don't know	161	86,349
98	Refused	2	1,074
99	Not stated	6	2,725
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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.

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*Variable Name:*            **LOOKCOST**                      *Position:*    99                      *Length:*        4

Cost of job search activities

		FREQ	WTD
0000	Nothing significant	638	326,207
0001 : 0804	Cost of job search activities	747	396,248
9996	Valid skip	9,797	6,663,518
9997	Don't know	178	103,093
9998	Refused	1	529
9999	Not stated	6	2,725
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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:*    103                      *Length:*        1

Looking within community or province

		FREQ	WTD
1	Looked outside province	191	86,632
2	Looked outside community (within province)	384	231,603
3	Looked within community	979	502,061
6	Valid skip	9,803	6,666,242
9	Not stated	10	5,781
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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.

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*Variable Name:*           **LIKELYJB**                      *Position:*    104            *Length:*        1

Chances of finding an acceptable job in the next three months

		FREQ	WTD
1	Not very good	419	205,639
2	Good	482	259,831
3	Very good	240	143,723
4	Have a job (to start in the future)	324	128,573
5	Would not take a job in the next 3 months	119	67,495
6	Valid skip	9,672	6,615,544
7	Don't know	76	48,742
9	Not stated	35	22,772
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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:*    105            *Length:*        2

Would help most to find a job

		FREQ	WTD
01	Skills training	103	63,573
02	More education (academic)	121	65,695
03	Work experience	67	32,992
04	Help in job search	152	74,552
05	Moving to another city/region	70	20,044
06	Help in starting a business/entrepreneurship training	6	2,638
07	More jobs/work available	78	49,801
08	Other	262	132,014
96	Valid skip	10,371	6,965,911
99	Not stated	137	85,097
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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 of mothers and others who were working at the time of the interview

*Note:* Based on EICS questions JS\_Q09 and JS\_Q10.

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**Section: Work After Birth/Adoption**

*Variable Name:*        **EMPAGREE**                      *Position:*    107                      *Length:*        1

Agreement with employer to return to work there

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	690	215,191
2	No	161	44,475
6	Valid skip	10,499	7,229,284
9	Not stated	17	3,369
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

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

*Note:* Based on EICS questions 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:*    108                      *Length:*        1

Returned or plan to return to the same employer

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	721	227,534
2	No	99	24,795
6	Valid skip	10,474	7,215,592
9	Not stated	73	24,398
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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 PR\_Q06, WA\_Q01 or WA\_Q10. Use WRKAFTER to distinguish between mothers who have already returned to work and those who have not.

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

Has worked since the birth or adoption

		FREQ	WTD
1	Yes	264	76,612
2	No	966	299,627
6	Valid skip	10,134	7,115,506
9	Not stated	3	575
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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.



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

Planned or current child care arrangement

		FREQ	WTD
1	Mother herself or shared with husband	121	36,207
2	Friend or relative will take care of child	230	74,963
3	Private babysitter	99	24,239
4	Private nursery or daycare (private or public)	250	82,977
5	Other	51	15,871
6	Valid skip	10,427	7,202,525
9	Not stated	189	55,537
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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 questions 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:*    111                      *Length:*        1

Working conditions after birth or adoption

		FREQ	WTD
1	Same working conditions	626	198,448
2	Different working conditions, fewer hours	103	31,382
3	Different working conditions, other	116	30,627
6	Valid Skip	10,443	7,207,764
9	Not stated	79	24,097
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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.

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

*Variable Name:*        **M\_HHINC**                      *Position:*    112                      *Length:*        1

Household income in the month before the birth/adoption

		FREQ	WTD
1	Less than \$1,600 (less than \$20,000 per annum)	183	47,312
2	\$1,600 to less than \$3,300 (\$20,000 - \$40,000 per annum)	385	109,115
3	\$3,300 to less than \$5,000 (\$40,000 - \$60,000 per annum)	261	76,691
4	More than \$5,000 (more than \$60,000 per annum)	317	111,094
6	Valid skip	10,134	7,115,506
9	Not stated	87	32,602
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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:*    113                      *Length:*        1

Increased or decreased in income after the birth/adoption

		FREQ	WTD
1	Decrease	627	192,243
2	Increase	104	32,716
3	Stayed the same	474	142,198
6	Valid skip	10,134	7,115,506
7	Don't know	20	7,095
8	Refused	7	2,191
9	Not stated	1	370
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months

*Note:* Based on EICS question CI\_Q02.

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*Variable Name:*            **M\_CHGINC**                      *Position:*    114                      *Length:*        2

Change in income (per month)

		FREQ	WTD
01	\$0-\$200	63	17,142
02	\$201-\$400	100	31,556
03	\$401-\$600	95	27,464
04	\$601-\$800	64	16,675
05	\$801-\$1000	115	31,911
06	\$1001-\$2000	141	44,490
07	\$2001 and over	69	21,169
08	Stayed the same	474	142,198
96	Valid skip	10,134	7,115,506
97	Don't know	75	30,635
98	Refused	9	3,918
99	Not stated	28	9,657
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*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:*    116                      *Length:*        1

Student status

		FREQ	WTD
1	Full-time student	3,084	1,922,813
2	Part-time student	315	222,425
3	Non-student	7,515	5,013,583
6	Valid skip	431	312,925
9	Not stated	22	20,574
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* Respondents aged 15 to 64 years only

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*Variable Name:*        **EFAMILY**                      *Position:*    117                      *Length:*        1

Type of economic family

		FREQ	WTD
1	Unattached individual	1,101	986,415
2	Husband-wife, dual earner couple	4,935	3,262,823
3	Husband-wife, single earner couple	2,690	1,622,919
4	Husband-wife, non-earner couple	928	526,408
5	Single-parent	1,175	691,462
6	Other families	531	396,374
9	Not stated	7	5,918
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* All respondents

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*Variable Name:*        **EFAMSZ\_R**                      *Position:*    118                      *Length:*        1

Number of persons in the economic family

		FREQ	WTD
1	One person	1,101	986,415
2	Two persons	2,793	1,794,477
3	Three persons	2,721	1,682,965
4	Four persons	2,928	1,857,343
5	Five persons or more	1,821	1,170,859
9	Not stated	3	260
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* All respondents

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*Variable Name:*        **EFAMEM\_R**                      *Position:*    119                      *Length:*        1

Number of employed persons in the economic family

		FREQ	WTD
0	None	1,727	996,665
1	One person	3,358	2,273,818
2	Two persons	3,985	2,641,571
3	Three persons or more	2,297	1,580,265
		=====	=====
		11,367	7,492,319

*Coverage:* All respondents

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**Section:                      Weights**

*Variable Name:*            **WTPM**                      *Position:*    120            *Length:*        12.4

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

Response:                      Weight - Format 12.4 (9999999.9999)

*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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