

RETIREMENT SURVEY: RETIREMENT DATA, 1975

USER CODEBOOK

ABWRK

WHY ABSENT FROM WORK - REFERENCE WEEK

Field: 1 Position: 1 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
SHORT TIME	1	3	2405
ILLNESS	2	8	11581
VACATION	3	1	1880
OTHER REASONS	4	4	6319
NOT APPLICABLE	5 M	1574	2363683

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

ADQ1

HOW ADEQUATE IS YOUR INCOME?

Field: 2 Position: 2 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
completely adequate	1	361	534805
adequate	2	88	140946
somewhat adequate	3	639	952412
somewhat inadequate	4	81	130556
inadequate	5	299	450213
missing	6 M	122	176936

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 51A.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you think about your life now, you may feel that some conditions are quite sufficient for you, while others are quite inadequate. How adequate is each of the following to be: your income?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

ADQ2 HOW ADEQUATE IS YOUR DIET?

Field: 3 Position: 3 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
completely adequate	1	868	1291267
adequate	2	128	181754
somewhat adequate	3	423	637437
somewhat inadequate	4	19	39616
inadequate	5	39	71203
missing	6 M	113	164591

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 51B.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you think about your life now, you may feel that some conditions are quite sufficient for you, while others are quite inadequate. How adequate is each of the following to be:
your diet?

ADQ3 HOW ADEQUATE IS YOUR CLOTHING?

Field: 4 Position: 4 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
completely adequate	1	836	1229701
adequate	2	137	204825
somewhat adequate	3	415	630463
somewhat inadequate	4	37	69431
inadequate	5	55	93932
missing	6 M	110	157516

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 51C.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you think about your life now, you may feel that some conditions are quite sufficient for you, while others are quite inadequate. How adequate is each of the following to be: your clothing?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

ADQ4 HOW ADEQUATE IS YOUR HOUSING?

Field: 5 Position: 5 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
completely adequate	1	951	1436797
adequate	2	120	172917
somewhat adequate	3	331	499587
somewhat inadequate	4	24	36656
inadequate	5	53	82827
missing	6 M	111	157084

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 51D.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you think about your life now, you may feel that some conditions are quite sufficient for you, while others are quite inadequate. How adequate is each of the following to be: your housing?

ADQ5 HOW ADEQUATE IS YOUR PHYSICAL HEALTH?

Field: 6 Position: 6 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
completely adequate	1	396	601132
adequate	2	142	218220
somewhat adequate	3	575	869755
somewhat inadequate	4	96	143986
inadequate	5	284	412998
missing	6 M	97	139777

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 51E.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you think about your life now, you may feel that some conditions are quite sufficient for you, while others are quite inadequate. How adequate is each of the following to be: your physical health?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

ADQ6 HOW ADEQUATE IS YOUR EMOTIONAL HEALTH?

Field: 7 Position: 7 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
completely adequate	1	665	979225
adequate	2	156	234454
somewhat adequate	3	453	693008
somewhat inadequate	4	61	101579
inadequate	5	85	139773
missing	6 M	170	237829

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 51F.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you think about your life now, you may feel that some conditions are quite sufficient for you, while others are quite inadequate. How adequate is each of the following to be: your emotional health?

ADQ7 HOW ADEQUATE IS YOUR KNOWLEDGE RE. SERVICES

Field: 8 Position: 8 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
completely adequate	1	756	1115061
adequate	2	110	165921
somewhat adequate	3	342	508741
somewhat inadequate	4	65	109584
inadequate	5	150	248463
missing	6 M	167	238098

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 51G.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you think about your life now, you may feel that some conditions are quite sufficient for you, while others are quite inadequate. How adequate is each of the following to be: your knowledge re. services?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

ADQ8 HOW ADEQUATE ARE OTHER THINGS?

Field: 9 Position: 9 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
completely adequate	1	7	9070
adequate	2	0	0
somewhat adequate	3	9	13271
somewhat inadequate	4	5	11926
inadequate	5	29	31390
missing	6 M	1540	2320211

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 51H.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you think about your life now, you may feel that some conditions are quite sufficient for you, while others are quite inadequate. How adequate is each of the following to be: other things?

AREA AREA

Field: 10 Position: 10 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
100,000+	1	503	1051790
30,000 - 99,999	2	147	280813
15,000 - 29,999	3	143	201613
1,000 - 14,999	4	408	482636
RURAL AREA	5	389	369016

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

BMOVE WHERE DID YOU LIVE BEFORE MOVE?

Field: 11 Position: 11 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
In your own home	1	306	435701
In an apartment	2	71	123954
In the home of children or other relatives	3	17	28765
In a rooming house or boarding house (Where the land lord was not a relative).	4	16	28337
In a senior citizens' high-rise apartment	5	2	3045
In other senior citizens' housing	6	0	0
In a senior citizens' lodge or home for the aged	7	0	0
Other (please specify)	8	39	55142
MISSING	9 M	1139	1710924

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 20.

QUESTION TEXT:

Where did you live before you moved?

BQ1 DO YOU BENEFIT FROM CPP OR QPP?

Field: 12 Position: 12 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	819	1191385
yes	2	366	570449
missing	3 M	405	624034

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 49A.

QUESTION TEXT:

Do you participate in or benefit from any of these program?
Canada/Quebec Pension Plan?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

BQ2 DO YOU BENEFIT FROM GIS?

Field: 13 Position: 13 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	796	1209904
yes	2	389	537718
missing	3 M	405	638246

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 49B.

QUESTION TEXT:

Do you participate in or benefit from any of these program?
Guaranteed Income Supplement?**BQ3** DO YOU BENEFIT FROM LIP?

Field: 14 Position: 14 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	1013	1497995
yes	2	8	8311
missing	3 M	569	879562

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 49C.

QUESTION TEXT:

Do you participate in or benefit from any of these program?
Local Initiatives Project (L.I.P.)?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

BQ4 DO YOU BENEFIT FROM NEW HORIZONS?

Field: 15 Position: 15 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	997	1465438
yes	2	28	37758
missing	3 M	565	882672

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 49D.

QUESTION TEXT:

Do you participate in or benefit from any of these program?
New Horizons?

BQ5 DO YOU BENEFIT FROM OAS?

Field: 16 Position: 16 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	443	659750
yes	2	936	1384584
missing	3 M	211	341534

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 49E.

QUESTION TEXT:

Do you participate in or benefit from any of these program?
Old Age Security Pensions?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

BQ6 DO YOU BENEFIT FROM OFY?

Field: 17 Position: 17 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	1012	1488135
yes	2	2	4502
missing	3 M	576	893231

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 49F.

QUESTION TEXT:

Do you participate in or benefit from any of these program?
Opportunities for Youth?

BQ7 DO YOU BENEFIT FROM U.I.?

Field: 18 Position: 18 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	1027	1521123
yes	2	30	45195
missing	3 M	533	819550

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 49G.

QUESTION TEXT:

Do you participate in or benefit from any of these program?
Unemployment Insurance?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

BSTRA WHAT IS BEST RETIREMENT AGE?

Field: 19 Position: 19 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
55 years	1	111	174388
60 years	2	340	524827
65 years	3	281	385316
70 years	4	107	156412
other	5	63	92556
MISSING	6 M	688	1052369

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 25A.

QUESTION TEXT:

What do you think is the best age of COMPULSORY retirement from jobs such as the one you retired from whether or not you agree with the idea of compulsory retirement?

BWRTR WHAT IS BEST WAY TO RETIRE?

Field: 20 Position: 20 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
work full-time until the day you retire	1	562	798355
work part-time the last while	2	340	525542
missing	3 M	688	1061971

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 26.

QUESTION TEXT:

What do you think is the best way for people to retire from jobs such as the one you had when you retired? (both choices would result in the same pension).

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

CITIZ CITIZENSHIP

Field: 21 Position: 21 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
CNDN CITZ BY BIRTH	1	1207	1732675
CNDN CITZ NATURLIZED	2	314	530417
LANDED IMMIGRANT	3	57	102187
OTHER	4	12	20589

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

CLASS CLASS OF WORKER - REFERENCE WEEK

Field: 22 Position: 22 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
PAID-WORKER	1	118	184226
SELF-EMPLOYED	2	24	35692
EMPLOYER	3	8	10587
UNPAID FAM WORKER	4	3	2947
UNEMPLOYED	5	0	0
NOT IN LABOUR FORCE	6	1437	2152416

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

CMPRA IS COMPULSORY RETIREMENT AGE A GOOD IDEA

Field: 23 Position: 23 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Yes, I agree strongly with compulsory retirement	1	346	494628
Yes, I agree moderately I am indifferent	2	175	275195
No, I disagree moderately with compulsory retirement	3	144	201494
No, I disagree strongly	4	170	262594
MISSING	5	130	179681
	6 M	625	972276

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 24.

QUESTION TEXT:

For people such as you, do you feel a compulsory retirement age is a good idea?

CMRTR WAS THERE COMPULSORY RETIREMENT AGE IN OLD JOB?

Field: 24 Position: 24 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Yes	1	564	804477
No	2	316	501218
MISSING	3 M	710	1080173

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 16A.

QUESTION TEXT:

Was there a compulsory retirement age for your in the job you retired from?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

CPPAD IS CPP/QPP ADJUSTED TO COST OF LIVING?

Field: 25 Position: 25 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	190	268943
yes	2	283	445097
not sure	3	77	131150
missing	4 M	1040	1540678

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 47B.

QUESTION TEXT:

Is that pension adjusted automatically according to the cost of living?

CQPP DO YOU RECEIVE CPP OR QPP?

Field: 26 Position: 26 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	856	1245166
yes	2	368	579232
missing	3 M	366	561470

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 46B.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about some of your pensions. Do you receive Canada/Quebec pension?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

CRTCN HOW DO YOU COMPARE TO OTHER RETIRED CANADIANS

Field: 27 Position: 27 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Better off than they are	1	182	284521
About the same as they are	2	1110	1636968
Worse off than they are	3	135	210708
Missing	4 M	163	253671

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 55.

QUESTION TEXT:

Overall, how do you compare yourself to other retired Canadians whom you know ?

CRTIR WHAT WAS WORK STATUS AT RETIREMENT?

Field: 28 Position: 28 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Worked full-time until the last day?	1	718	1087257
Worked part-time for the last while?	2	227	297712
Missing	3 M	645	1000899

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 2

QUESTION TEXT:

When you stopped working and retired, how did you make the change?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

DLADD DURATION LIVED AT PRESENT ADDRESS

Field: 29 Position: 29 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Less than 1 year	1	115	175898
1 to 2 years	2	144	228842
3 to 5 years	3	203	308239
6 to 9 years	4	173	275989
10 to 14 years	5	203	324598
15 years or more	6	752	1072302

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 31.

QUESTION TEXT:

How long have you lived at this address?

DLARR DIFFERENT LIVING ARRANGEMENT PREFERRED?

Field: 30 Position: 30 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
No	1	1358	2017348
Yes	2	167	269679
Missing	3 M	65	98841

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 33A.

QUESTION TEXT:

Would you prefer a different living arrangement than you now have?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

DRAGE PREFER TO RETIRE AT DIFFERENT AGE?

Field: 31 Position: 31 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
No	1	551	808100
Yes	2	291	431739
Would have preferred not to have retired at all	3	102	137279
Missing	4 M	646	1008750

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 21A.

QUESTION TEXT:

Would you have preferred to retire at a different age (earlier or later) than when you did?

DURA DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT - REFERENCE WEEK

Field: 32 Position: 32 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
LT 1 MONTH	1	3	3616
1 - 3 MONTHS	2	5	4477
4 - 6 MONTHS	3	1	583
7+ MONTHS	4	1	2490
NOT APPLICABLE	5 M	1580	2374702

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

ERTIR IF COULD HAVE RETIRED 5 YEARS AGO-SAME LIVING STANDARD

Field: 33 Position: 33 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Retire earlier and looked for a part time job	1	92	141499
Retire earlier on a part time basis	2	151	243691
Keep on working	3	406	563772
Not sure	4	258	365820
missing	5 M	683	1071086

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 22.

QUESTION TEXT:

If you had could have retired five years earlier than you did, with the same standard of living that you now have, would you have done?

FTPT FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME WORKER

Field: 34 Position: 34 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
WORKED FULL TIME	1	95	139368
WORKED PART TIME	2	50	83723
NOT APPLICABLE	3 M	1445	2162777

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

HCMP1 WHO ELSE LIVES IN THIS HOUSEHOLD?

Field: 35 Position: 35 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
some one else	0	1263	1865801
No one else	1	327	520067

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 28A.

QUESTION TEXT:

Who else lives in this household with you?

HCMP2 DOES YOUR SPOUSE/PARTNER LIVE WITH YOU?

Field: 36 Position: 36 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
No or no response	0	607	932375
Yes	1	983	1453493

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 28B.

QUESTION TEXT:

Who else lives in this household with you : Your spouse or partner?

HCMP3 YOUR CHILDREN/FAMILIES LIVE WITH YOU?

Field: 37 Position: 37 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
No or no response	0	1153	1733522
Yes	1	437	652346

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 28D.

QUESTION TEXT:

Who else lives in this household with you : Your children (and their families)?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

HCMP4 DO OTHER RELATIVES LIVE WITH YOU?

Field: 38 Position: 38 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
No or no response	0	1385	2094505
Yes	1	205	291363

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 28F.

QUESTION TEXT:

Who else lives in this household with you : Other relatives?

HCMP5 DO OTHER NON-RELATIVES LIVE WITH YOU?

Field: 39 Position: 39 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
No or no response	0	1472	2218621
Yes	1	118	167247

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 28H.

QUESTION TEXT:

Who else lives in this household with you : Other non-relatives?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

IMPQ1 IMPORTANCE: YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD

Field: 40 Position: 40 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
extremely important	1	809	1151260
important	2	98	158860
moderately important	3	455	711416
moderately unimportant	4	19	30367
unimportant	5	106	183633
missing	6 M	103	150332

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 50A.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks you to rate the importance of a number of factors in your life. Please tell us how IMPORTANT each is to you a SATISFYING LIFE NOW: The neighbourhood in which you live?

IMPQ2 IMPORTANCE: KEEPING IN TOUCH WITH FAMILY

Field: 41 Position: 41 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
extremely important	1	1241	1854616
important	2	71	114521
moderately important	3	151	228036
moderately unimportant	4	10	12545
unimportant	5	32	53038
missing	6 M	85	123112

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 50B.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks you to rate the importance of a number of factors in your life. Please tell us how IMPORTANT each is to you a SATISFYING LIFE NOW: Keeping in touch with family?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

IMPQ3 IMPORTANCE: KEEPING IN TOUCH WITH FRIENDS

Field: 42 Position: 42 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
extremely important	1	855	1277248
important	2	141	215487
moderately important	3	415	611532
moderately unimportant	4	34	59729
unimportant	5	45	73568
missing	6 M	100	148304

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 50C.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks you to rate the importance of a number of factors in your life. Please tell us how IMPORTANT each is to you a SATISFYING LIFE NOW: Keeping in touch with friends?

IMPQ4 IMPORTANCE: KEEPING IN TOUCH WITH FORMER WORKMATES

Field: 43 Position: 43 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
extremely important	1	170	252425
important	2	44	60925
moderately important	3	325	461272
moderately unimportant	4	91	120013
unimportant	5	590	934775
missing	6 M	370	556458

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 50D.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks you to rate the importance of a number of factors in your life. Please tell us how IMPORTANT each is to you a SATISFYING LIFE NOW: Keeping in touch with former workmates?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

IMPQ5 IMPORTANCE: HAVING A SPECIAL INTEREST OR HOBBY

Field: 44 Position: 44 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
extremely important	1	463	711135
important	2	98	164729
moderately important	3	383	579859
moderately unimportant	4	70	95949
unimportant	5	356	513804
missing	6 M	220	320392

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 50E.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks you to rate the importance of a number of factors in your life. Please tell us how IMPORTANT each is to you a SATISFYING LIFE NOW: Having a special interest or hobby?

IMPQ6 IMPORTANCE: MAKING NEW FRIENDS

Field: 45 Position: 45 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
extremely important	1	278	411738
important	2	96	142961
moderately important	3	581	855715
moderately unimportant	4	123	183993
unimportant	5	287	455623
missing	6 M	225	335838

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 50F.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks you to rate the importance of a number of factors in your life. Please tell us how IMPORTANT each is to you a SATISFYING LIFE NOW: Making new friends?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

IMPQ7 IMPORTANCE: OTHER THINGS

Field: 46 Position: 46 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
extremely important	1	46	70207
important	2	2	2892
moderately important	3	3	5977
moderately unimportant	4	0	0
unimportant	5	63	85292
missing	6 M	1476	2221500

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 50G.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks you to rate the importance of a number of factors in your life. Please tell us how IMPORTANT each is to you a SATISFYING LIFE NOW: Other (please specify)?

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Field: 47 Position: 47-48 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
AGRICULTURE	1	8	11734
FORESTRY MINES,ETC	2	4	3858
MANUFAC DURABLE	3	7	11526
MANUFAC NON-DURABLE	4	13	23228
CONSTRUCTION	5	4	3012
TRANSPORT COMMUN.	6	10	12553
WHOLESALE TRADE	7	9	12854
RETAIL TRADE	8	16	23143
FIN.INS REAL ESTATE	9	6	8924
COMMUNIT & RECRTION	10	28	47464
PERSONAL SERVICES	11	23	38418
OTHER SERVICES	12	10	13051
PUBLIC ADMIN.	13	15	23687
UNEMPLOYED	14	0	0
NOT IN LABOUR FORCE	15	1437	2152416

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE 11.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

INQ1 INCOME FROM PENSIONS/ANNUITIES (1974)

Field: 48 Position: 49 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
No income	1	374	550780
less than \$1,000	2	50	81075
\$1,000 - 1,999	3	360	549104
\$2,000 - 2,999	4	393	550342
\$3,000 - 4,999	5	127	201275
\$5,000 - 7,499	6	54	86325
\$7,500 - 9,999	7	14	21399
\$10,000 or over	8	7	12358
missing	9 M	211	333210

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 39.

QUESTION TEXT:

Income expected from pensions and annuities (employment pensions, Old Age Security, Guaranteed Income Supplement, Canada/Quebec Pension Plan, Veteran's Allowance)

INQ2 INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS (1974)

Field: 49 Position: 50 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
No income	1	625	880197
less than \$1,000	2	327	499559
\$1,000 - 1,999	3	91	161673
\$2,000 - 2,999	4	41	68995
\$3,000 - 4,999	5	28	46527
\$5,000 - 7,499	6	16	24018
\$7,500 - 9,999	7	4	7626
\$10,000 or over	8	8	16913
missing	9 M	450	680360

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 40.

QUESTION TEXT:

Income expected from investments (interest, dividends, net rents)

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

INQ3 INCOME FROM EMPLOYMENT (1974)

Field: 50 Position: 51 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
No income	1	908	1334248
less than \$1,000	2	40	57842
\$1,000 - 1,999	3	16	24742
\$2,000 - 2,999	4	20	37483
\$3,000 - 4,999	5	11	17652
\$5,000 - 7,499	6	6	7025
\$7,500 - 9,999	7	6	11925
\$10,000 or over	8	7	13101
missing	9 M	576	881850

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 41.

QUESTION TEXT:

Income expected from work (self-employment, salaries, wages, commissions, tips)

INQ4 OTHER INCOME - GOVERNMENT SOURCES (1974)

Field: 51 Position: 52 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
No income	1	885	1317197
less than \$1,000	2	64	89748
\$1,000 - 1,999	3	30	40686
\$2,000 - 2,999	4	21	27663
\$3,000 - 4,999	5	9	14606
\$5,000 - 7,499	6	0	0
\$7,500 - 9,999	7	1	1083
\$10,000 or over	8	0	0
missing	9 M	580	894885

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 42.

QUESTION TEXT:

Income expected from other government payments (unemployment insurance, family allowances, social assistance)

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

INQ5 INCOME FROM ALL OTHER SOURCES (1974)

Field: 52 Position: 53 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
No income	1	902	1313938
less than \$1,000	2	30	52525
\$1,000 - 1,999	3	14	26446
\$2,000 - 2,999	4	8	12326
\$3,000 - 4,999	5	4	5046
\$5,000 - 7,499	6	4	4767
\$7,500 - 9,999	7	1	1173
\$10,000 or over	8	4	6348
missing	9 M	623	963299

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 43.

QUESTION TEXT:

Total regular income expected from all other sources (including persons living separately from you and the value of free rent)

INQ6 TOTAL INCOME - ALL ABOVE SOURCES (1974)

Field: 53 Position: 54 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
No income	1	203	288594
less than \$1,000	2	95	145522
\$1,000 - 1,999	3	179	260110
\$2,000 - 2,999	4	379	534359
\$3,000 - 4,999	5	173	272715
\$5,000 - 7,499	6	91	146532
\$7,500 - 9,999	7	31	57416
\$10,000 or over	8	44	77647
missing	9 M	395	602973

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 44.

QUESTION TEXT:

Your own expected total income from all the above sources?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

INQ7 SPOUSES TOTAL INCOME (1974)

Field: 54 Position: 55-56 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
No spouse or partner	1	373	564449
no income	2	164	240193
less than \$1,000	3	80	114252
\$1,000 - 1,999	4	187	245076
\$2,000 - 2,999	5	244	341381
\$3,000 - 4,999	6	125	190731
\$5,000 - 7,499	7	102	161499
\$7,500 - 9,999	8	60	101102
\$10,000 or over	9	99	170120
missing	10 M	156	257065

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 45.

QUESTION TEXT:

What do you expect the total income of your spouse or partner to be in the first year you are retired?

JLNG NUMBER OF JOBS SINCE LEFT LONGEST EMPLOYER

Field: 55 Position: 57 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
None	1	712	1041522
One	2	91	136111
Two	3	39	65844
Three	4	27	41850
Four or more	5	40	58663
Missing	6 M	681	1041878

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 14.

QUESTION TEXT:

Since leaving this employer, how many full-time jobs with different Employers did you have before retiring?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

KNQ1 DO YOU KNOW ABOUT CPP OR QPP?

Field: 56 Position: 58 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	587	842433
yes	2	734	1146464
missing	3 M	269	396971

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 48A.

QUESTION TEXT:

How well acquainted are you with some of the programs which the Government supports? Do you know about Canada/Quebec Pension Plan?

KNQ2 DO YOU KNOW ABOUT GIS?

Field: 57 Position: 59 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	578	861851
yes	2	774	1168107
missing	3 M	238	355910

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 48B.

QUESTION TEXT:

How well acquainted are you with some of the programs which the Government supports? Do you know about Guaranteed Income Supplement?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

KNQ3 DO YOU KNOW ABOUT L.I.P.?

Field: 58 Position: 60 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	999	1499986
yes	2	204	297358
missing	3 M	387	588524

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 48C.

QUESTION TEXT:

How well acquainted are you with some of the programs which the Government supports? Do you know about Local Initiatives Project (L.I.P.)

KNQ4 DO YOU KNOW ABOUT NEW HORIZONS?

Field: 59 Position: 61 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	1058	1579253
yes	2	154	219005
missing	3 M	378	587610

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 48D.

QUESTION TEXT:

How well acquainted are you with some of the programs which the government supports? Do you know about New Horizons Project?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

KNQ5 DO YOU KNOW ABOUT OAS?

Field: 60 Position: 62 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	243	361645
yes	2	1218	1812614
missing	3 M	129	211609

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 48E.

QUESTION TEXT:

How well acquainted are you with some of the programs which the government supports? Do you know about Old Age Security Pension?

KNQ6 DO YOU KNOW ABOUT OFY?

Field: 61 Position: 63 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	1006	1499239
yes	2	189	288985
missing	3 M	395	597644

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 48F.

QUESTION TEXT:

How well acquainted are you with some of the programs which the Government supports? Do you know about Opportunities for Youth (O.F.Y.)?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

KNQ7 DO YOU KNOW ABOUT U.I. BENEFITS?

Field: 62 Position: 64 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	614	874821
yes	2	632	990770
missing	3 M	344	520277

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 48G.

QUESTION TEXT:

How well acquainted are you with some of the programs which the government supports? Do you know about Unemployment Insurance?

LFS LABOUR FORCE STATUS

Field: 63 Position: 65 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
EMPLOYED	1	143	222286
UNEMPLOYED	2	10	11166
NOT IN LABOUR FORCE	3	1437	2152416

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

LIFEB IS ANY ASPECT OF LIFE BETTER THAN EXPECTED

Field: 64 Position: 66 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	645	952960
yes	2	76	110032
economic	3	78	127811
health	4	24	38126
marital	5	10	15338
housing	6	18	22030
freedom	7	76	118068
satisfied	8	103	164351
missing	9 M	560	837152

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 53.

QUESTION TEXT:

Are there any aspects of your life now which are much better than you expected before you retired? please specify.

LIFEW IS ANY ASPECT OF LIFE WORSE THAN EXPECTED

Field: 65 Position: 67 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	707	1035808
yes	2	55	86321
economic	3	150	243967
own health	4	82	123949
spouse health	5	20	31386
marital	6	8	13881
lack of facilities	7	9	13754
loss of status	8	22	38756
missing	9 M	537	798046

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 54.

QUESTION TEXT:

Is there anything much worse than expected before you retired?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

LNGWK WORK FOR LONGEST EMPLOYER WAS FOR ...

Field: 66 Position: 68 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
own business or professional practice	1	105	164089
own farm	2	176	209502
private business or industry	3	488	745153
in the public sector (include governments, armed forces, crown corporations, teachers, etc.)	4	185	285692
missing	5 M	636	981432

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:
SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 7.

QUESTION TEXT:
For you longest employer, was the work you did mostly ...

LOOK LOOKING FOR FT WORK REFERENCE WEEK

Field: 67 Position: 69 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
YES	1	7	9778
OTHER LABOUR FORCE	2	146	223674
NOT IN LABOUR FORCE	3	1437	2152416

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:
SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

LVNGN IN WHAT TYPE OF HOME ARE YOU LIVING NOW

Field: 68 Position: 70 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
In your own home	1	1082	1543690
In an apartment	2	224	431976
In the home of children or other relatives	3	130	187905
In a rooming house or boarding house (where the landlord is not a relative)	4	15	22324
In a senior citizens' high-rise apartment	5	36	64003
In other senior citizens' housing	6	24	38442
In a senior citizens lodge	7	13	15701
Other	8	66	81827

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 30.

QUESTION TEXT:

Where are you living now?

LWRK ARE YOU LOOKING FOR WORK?

Field: 69 Position: 71 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
No	1	1477	2194262
Yes, for full-time work	2	15	29415
Yes, for part-time work	3	40	61983
Missing	4 M	58	100208

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 35.

QUESTION TEXT:

Are you looking for work?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

MARST WHAT IS YOUR MARITAL STATUS?

Field: 70 Position: 73 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Single (never married)	1	127	174240
Married	2	1063	1577588
Widowed	3	364	578103
Separated	4	17	29794
Divorced	5	9	12103
Other	6	10	14040

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 27.

QUESTION TEXT:

What is your marital status?

MFS1 DO YOU PROVIDE MAIN FINANCIAL SUPPORT?

Field: 71 Position: 74 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	659	1002861
yes	1	931	1383007

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 29A.

QUESTION TEXT:

Who provides the MAIN financial support in the household now?
Yourself?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

MFS2 SPOUSE/PARTNER PROVIDES MAIN FINANCIAL SUPPORT?

Field: 72 Position: 75 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	989	1473786
yes	1	601	912082

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 29B.

QUESTION TEXT:

Who provides the MAIN financial support in the household now?
Your spouse or partner?

MFS3 KIDS/SPOUSES PROVIDE MAIN FINANCIAL SUPPORT?

Field: 73 Position: 76 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	1460	2184360
yes	1	130	201508

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 29C.

QUESTION TEXT:

Who provides the MAIN financial support in the household now?
Your children or their spouses?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

MFS4 OTHER RELATIVES PROVIDE MAIN FINANCIAL SUPPORT?

Field: 74 Position: 77 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	1535	2309914
yes	1	55	75954

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 29D.

QUESTION TEXT:

Who provides the MAIN financial support in the household now?
Other relatives?**MFS5** OTHERS NOT-RELATED PROVIDE MAIN FINANCIAL SUPPORT?

Field: 75 Position: 78 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	1521	2287219
yes	1	69	98649

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 29E.

QUESTION TEXT:

Who provides the MAIN financial support in the household now?
Others who are not relatives?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

MOVER HAVE YOU MOVED BECAUSE OF RETIREMENT?

Field: 76 Position: 79 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
No	1	753	1115803
Yes	2	241	353551
Missing	3 M	596	916514

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 19A.

QUESTION TEXT:

Have you moved because of retirement?

NI01 NEED MORE OPPORTUNITIES TO: SEE NEIGHBOURS

Field: 77 Position: 80 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Much need	1	59	93512
Some need	2	341	549274
No need	3	957	1395106
Not applicable	4 M	233	347976

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, DERIVED VARIABLE.

QUESTION TEXT:

Need more opportunities to: see neighbors?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

NIO2 NEED MORE OPPORTUNITIES TO: SEE FAMILY

Field: 78 Position: 81 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Much need	1	67	97283
Some need	2	513	764852
No need	3	886	1342860
Not applicable	4 M	124	180873

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, DERIVED VARIABLE.

QUESTION TEXT:

Need more opportunities to: see family?

NIO3 NEED MORE OPPORTUNITIES TO: SEE FRIENDS

Field: 79 Position: 82 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Much need	1	35	50942
Some need	2	510	782441
No need	3	900	1336738
Not applicable	4 M	145	215747

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, DERIVED VARIABLE.

QUESTION TEXT:

Need more opportunities to: see friends?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

NIO4 NEED MORE OPPORTUNITIES TO: SEE FORMER CO-WORKERS?

Field: 80 Position: 83 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Much need	1	26	32064
Some need	2	336	472200
No need	3	711	1099988
Not applicable	4 M	517	781616

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, DERIVED VARIABLE.

QUESTION TEXT:

Need more opportunities to: see former co-workers?

NIO5 NEED MORE OPPORTUNITIES TO: HAVE SPEC INTERESTS?

Field: 81 Position: 84 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Much need	1	84	122278
Some need	2	496	780933
No need	3	665	966288
Not applicable	4 M	345	516369

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, DERIVED VARIABLE.

QUESTION TEXT:

Need more opportunities to: have special interest?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

NIO6 NEED MORE OPPORTUNITIES TO: MAKE NEW FRIENDS?

Field: 82 Position: 85 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Much need	1	23	35164
Some need	2	497	724682
No need	3	764	1163175
Not applicable	4 M	306	462847

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, DERIVED VARIABLE.

QUESTION TEXT:

Need more opportunities to: make new friends?

NIO7 NEED MORE OPPORTUNITIES TO: DO OTHER THINGS?

Field: 83 Position: 86 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Much need	1	7	9594
Some need	2	5	11479
No need	3	33	40006
Not applicable	4 M	1545	2324789

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, DERIVED VARIABLE.

QUESTION TEXT:

Need more opportunities to: do other things?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

NWRK ARE YOU NOW WORKING FOR PAY OR PROFIT?

Field: 84 Position: 87 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
No	1	1532	2285660
Yes, more than 15 hours per week	2	23	41468
Yes, 15 or less hours per week	3	35	58740

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 34.

QUESTION TEXT:

Are you now working for pay or profit?

OAS DO YOU RECEIVE OAS?

Field: 85 Position: 88 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	475	719886
yes	2	987	1464022
not sure	3	128	201960

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 46C.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question is about some of your pensions. Do you receive Old Age Security?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

OASAD IS OAS ADJUSTED TO COST OF LIVING?

Field: 86 Position: 89 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	113	182586
yes	2	800	1187993
not sure	3	120	173250
missing	4 M	557	842039

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:
 SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 47C.

QUESTION TEXT:
 Is that pension adjusted according to the cost of living? Old Age Security?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

OCC71 OCCUPATIONAL CLASS - 1971

Field: 87 Position: 90-91 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
MANAGERIAL ADMIN. ETC	1	11	20604
PROFF TECHNICAL	2	19	29954
CLERICAL	3	23	37067
SALES	4	16	21185
SERVICES	5	35	58098
FARMERS ETC.	6	11	15350
MINING PROC. ETC.	7	7	9450
FABRICAT ASEMBLY ETC	8	11	19140
CONSTRUCTION TRADES	9	7	5709
TRANSPORT COMM.ETC.	10	13	16895
UNEMPLOYED	11	0	0
NOT IN LABOUR FORCE	12	1437	2152416

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

OLDPS AFTER RET. WHAT HAPPENED TO OLD POSITION

Field: 88 Position: 92 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Don't know	1	143	227391
It was filled by someone else	2	598	867139
It was left unfilled	3	28	36368
It was eliminated	4	88	136610
Other (please specify)	5	59	83028
MISSING	6 M	674	1035332

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 15.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you retired, what happened to your old position, business or practice?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

OPPQ1 EXPECTED OPPORTUNITIES TO: SEE FRIENDS

Field: 89 Position: 93 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
very good	1	797	1169831
good	2	118	178299
fair	3	471	723400
poor	4	28	39334
very poor	5	69	115781
missing	6 M	107	159223

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 52A.

QUESTION TEXT:

There may be some opportunities in your life now which you may feel are quite good while others are rather poor, from a personal point of view, how good is each of the following for you? Opportunities to see friends?

OPPQ2 EXPECTED OPPORTUNITIES TO: SEE RELATIVES

Field: 90 Position: 94 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
very good	1	825	1246949
good	2	156	226005
fair	3	398	593362
poor	4	27	36163
very poor	5	89	142754
missing	6 M	95	140635

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 52B.

QUESTION TEXT:

There may be some opportunities in your life now which you may feel are quite good while others are rather poor, from a personal point of view, how good is each of the following for you? Opportunities to see relatives?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

OPPQ3 EXPECTED OPPORTUNITIES TO: SEE FORMER CO-WORKERS

Field: 91 Position: 95 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
very good	1	231	339616
good	2	51	84203
fair	3	352	482719
poor	4	76	116667
very poor	5	416	657919
missing	6 M	464	704744

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 52C.

QUESTION TEXT:

There may be some opportunities in your life now which you may feel are quite good while others are rather poor, from a personal point of view, how good is each of the following for you? Opportunities to see former workmates?

OPPQ4 EXPECTED OPPORTUNITIES TO: DEVELOP SPECIAL INT.

Field: 92 Position: 96 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
very good	1	319	473548
good	2	85	135454
fair	3	459	702794
poor	4	113	176518
very poor	5	324	458262
missing	6 M	290	439292

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 52D.

QUESTION TEXT:

There may be some opportunities in your life now, which you may feel are quite good while others are rather poor, from a personal point of view, how good is each of the following for you? Opportunities to develop special interest?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

OPPQ5 EXPECTED OPPORTUNITIES TO: LIVE NEIGHBORHOOD OF CHOICE

Field: 93 Position: 97 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
very good	1	832	1191196
good	2	122	198251
fair	3	290	472556
poor	4	39	61329
very poor	5	101	156957
missing	6 M	206	305579

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 52E.

QUESTION TEXT:

There may be some opportunities in your life now which you may feel are quite good while others are rather poor, from a personal point of view, how good is each of the following for you? Opportunities to live in the neighbourhood you choose?

OPPQ6 EXPECTED OPPORTUNITIES TO: DEVELOP NEW FRIENDS

Field: 94 Position: 98 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
very good	1	438	650333
good	2	121	185395
fair	3	534	796202
poor	4	105	160939
very poor	5	160	232415
missing	6 M	232	360584

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 52F.

QUESTION TEXT:

There may be some opportunities in your life now, which you may feel are quite good while others are rather poor, from a personal point of view, how good is each of the following for you? Opportunities to develop new friendships?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

OPPQ7 HOW GOOD WILL BE OTHER OPPORTUNITIES?

Field: 95 Position: 99 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
very good	1	14	20638
good	2	3	6431
fair	3	14	30264
poor	4	3	6541
very poor	5	43	52651
missing	6 M	1513	2269343

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 52G.

QUESTION TEXT:

There may be some opportunities in your life now, which you may feel are quite good while others are rather poor, from a personal point of view, how good is each of the following for you? Opportunities to do other things (please specify)?

PLARR PREFERRED LIVING ARRANGEMENTS

Field: 96 Position: 100 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
To live in your own house	1	357	493125
To live in an apartment	2	51	93001
To live in the home of Children or other relatives	3	27	45224
To live in a rooming house or boarding house (where the landlord is not a relative)	4	4	7163
To live in a senior citizens' high-rise apartment	5	22	42655
To live in other senior citizens' housing	6	29	39296
To live in a senior citizens' lodge or home for the aged	7	11	11649
other (please specify)	8	21	38787
missing	9 M	1068	1614968

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 33B.

QUESTION TEXT:

Where would you prefer to live?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

PLCBT PLACE OF BIRTH

Field: 97 Position: 101 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
CANADA	1	1205	1734092
OUTSIDE CANADA	2	385	651776

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

PNSAD IS JOBS PENSION ADJUSTED TO COST OF LIVING?

Field: 98 Position: 102 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	359	543655
yes	2	120	170800
not sure	3	39	64973
missing	4 M	1072	1606440

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 47A.

QUESTION TEXT:

Is that pension adjusted automatically according to the cost of living? Your pension from your job?

PNSN DO YOU RECEIVE A PENSION FROM YOUR JOB?

Field: 99 Position: 103 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	1011	1485959
yes	2	259	407639
not sure	3 M	320	492270

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 46A.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question is about some of your pensions. Do you receive a pension from your job?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

PPNAD IS PRIVATE PENSION ADJUSTED TO COST OF LIVING?

Field: 100 Position: 104 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	279	410214
yes	2	25	41646
not sure	3	25	41802
missing	4 M	1261	1892206

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 47D.

QUESTION TEXT:

Is that pension adjusted automatically according to the cost of living? Your private pension?

PPNSN DO YOU RECEIVE A PRIVATE PENSION?

Field: 101 Position: 105 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	1043	1529119
yes	2	64	105823
not sure	3 M	483	750926

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 46D.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question is about some of your pensions. Do you receive a private pension (e.g. Registered Retirement Savings Plan)?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

PQ1 HOW OFTEN DO YOU CHAT ON PHONE?

Field: 102 Position: 106 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	549	864160
3-4 times per week	2	217	331249
once or twice per week	3	125	192151
occasionally	4	437	637924
not at all	5	153	199301
missing	6 M	109	161083

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 37A.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you have a chat with others on the phone?

PQ2 HOW OFTEN DO YOU SEE FRIENDS OR RELATIVE

Field: 103 Position: 107-108 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	308	417216
3-4 times per week	2	286	446601
once or twice per week	3	312	478477
occasionally	4	537	824613
not at all	5	29	41899
missing	6 M	118	177062

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 37B.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you see friends or relatives?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

PQ3 HOW OFTEN DO YOU GO SHOPPING?

Field: 104 Position: 109 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	141	231443
3-4 times per week	2	177	289564
once or twice per week	3	603	935286
occasionally	4	402	541548
not at all	5	151	221888
missing	6 M	116	166139

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 37C.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you go shopping?

PQ4 HOW OFTEN DO YOU WATCH TV/LISTEN TO RADIO?

Field: 105 Position: 110 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	1195	1791976
3-4 times per week	2	89	138138
once or twice per week	3	30	54488
occasionally	4	199	289471
not at all	5	13	13924
missing	6 M	64	97871

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 37D.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you watch TV or listen to radio?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

PQ5 HOW OFTEN DO YOU READ PAPERS, BOOKS ETC.?

Field: 106 Position: 111 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	974	1525668
3-4 times per week	2	105	143893
once or twice per week	3	72	107696
occasionally	4	199	290621
not at all	5	151	192604
missing	6 M	89	125386

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 37E.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you read papers, magazines or books?

PQ6 HOW OFTEN DO YOU SPEND TIME ON HOBBY ETC?

Field: 107 Position: 112 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	373	548180
3-4 times per week	2	118	181928
once or twice per week	3	137	226727
occasionally	4	307	468846
not at all	5	433	624195
missing	6 M	222	335992

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 37F.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you spend time on a special interest or hobby?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

PQ7 HOW OFTEN DO YOU VISIT A COMMUMNITY CENTRE?

Field: 108 Position: 113 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	28	45740
3-4 times per week	2	14	22511
once or twice per week	3	93	148393
occasionally	4	213	313760
not at all	5	954	1426992
missing	6 M	288	428472

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 37G.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you visit a community or drop in center?

PQ8 HOW OFTEN DO YOU GO OUT FOR A DRIVE?

Field: 109 Position: 114 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	103	148081
3-4 times per week	2	105	151734
once or twice per week	3	205	290644
occasionally	4	786	1140631
not at all	5	243	421458
missing	6 M	148	233320

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 37H.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do go out for a drive?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

PQ9 HOW OFTEN DO YOU GO OUT FOR ENTERTAINMENT?

Field: 110 Position: 115-116 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	21	36543
3-4 times per week	2	8	9040
once or twice per week	3	65	107687
occasionally	4	564	881823
not at all	5	695	1001740
missing	6 M	237	349035

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 37I.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you go out for entertainment (a show, sports event, museum)?

PQ10 HOW OFTEN DO YOU PLAY BINGO OR CARDS?

Field: 111 Position: 117-118 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	75	107918
3-4 times per week	2	49	74267
once or twice per week	3	149	215826
occasionally	4	456	702589
not at all	5	658	982175
missing	6 M	203	303093

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 37J.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you play bingo or cards?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

PQ11 HOW OFTEN DO YOU SEEK MEDICAL CARE?

Field: 112 Position: 119-120 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	40	55294
3-4 times per week	2	7	10122
once or twice per week	3	48	84983
occasionally	4	1200	1799276
not at all	5	133	192179
missing	6 M	162	244014

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 37K.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you see someone for medical care?

PQ12 HOW OFTEN DO YOU ATTEND A RELIGIOUS SERVICE?

Field: 113 Position: 121-122 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	94	133967
3-4 times per week	2	38	59393
once or twice per week	3	474	710825
occasionally	4	502	744579
not at all	5	319	496153
missing	6 M	163	240951

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 37L.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you attend a religious service?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

PQ13 HOW OFTEN DO YOU WORK FOR PAY OR PROFIT?

Field: 114 Position: 123-124 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	13	21964
3-4 times per week	2	10	21730
once or twice per week	3	11	18585
occasionally	4	44	61685
not at all	5	1254	1870108
missing	6 M	258	391796

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 37M.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you work for pay or profit?

PQ14 HOW OFTEN DO YOU DO VOLUNTEER WORK?

Field: 115 Position: 125-126 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	22	38523
3-4 times per week	2	8	12868
once or twice per week	3	53	83961
occasionally	4	339	480622
not at all	5	923	1399473
missing	6 M	245	370421

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 47N.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you do volunteer work?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

PQ15 HOW OFTEN DO YOU GO FOR WALK OR DANCING?

Field: 116 Position: 127-128 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	227	362474
3-4 times per week	2	97	155083
once or twice per week	3	103	175278
occasionally	4	498	741749
not at all	5	476	669504
missing	6 M	189	281780

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 370.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you go for a walk, go dancing?

PQ16 HOW OFTEN DO YOU BOWL, JOG, SWIM, ETC.?

Field: 117 Position: 129-130 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	12	23123
3-4 times per week	2	17	26184
once or twice per week	3	49	82397
occasionally	4	95	143920
not at all	5	1143	1693744
missing	6 M	274	416500

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 37P.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you bowl, jog, swim, etc...?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

PQ17 HOW OFTEN DO YOU TRAVEL OVERNIGHT?

Field: 118 Position: 131-132 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	12	22630
3-4 times per week	2	1	453
once or twice per week	3	6	9042
occasionally	4	568	881315
not at all	5	766	1116428
missing	6 M	237	356000

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 37Q.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you travel over night?

PQ18 HOW OFTEN DO YOU DO OTHER THINGS?

Field: 119 Position: 133-134 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
at least once a day	1	14	20785
3-4 times per week	2	12	13838
once or twice per week	3	13	24073
occasionally	4	35	54725
not at all	5	281	404305
missing	6 M	1235	1868142

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 37R.

QUESTION TEXT:

This question asks about how you spend your time in retirement? How often do you do other things?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

PQ19 ARE YOU SATISFIED WITH PRESENT LIFE?

Field: 120 Position: 135-136 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
very satisfied	1	735	1079605
moderately satisfied	2	579	890987
somewhat dissatisfied	3	128	182651
somewhat dissatisfied	4	115	179162
don't know	5	33	53463

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 38.

QUESTION TEXT:

Overall, how satisfied are you with your life now?

PRDIM YEAR OBTAINED LANDED IMMIGRANT STATUS

Field: 121 Position: 137 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
BEFORE 1946	1	255	423738
1946 - 1955	2	45	79628
1956 - 1960	3	20	38835
1961 - 1965	4	17	32437
1966 - 1970	5	16	29951
1971 - 1973	6	10	12052
1974+	7	8	15963
BORN IN CANADA	8	1219	1753264

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

PRDRS YEAR TOOK RESIDENCE IN CANADA

Field: 122 Position: 138 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
BEFORE 1946	1	273	445471
1946 - 1955	2	53	99976
1956 - 1960	3	20	37644
1961 - 1965	4	16	32082
1966 - 1970	5	7	14031
1971 - 1973	6	8	9467
1974+	7	7	12591
BORN IN CANADA	8	1205	1734092
MISSING	0 M	1	514

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

PROV PROVINCE

Field: 123 Position: 139-140 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NEWFOUNDLAND	10	77	49992
PEI	11	20	12381
NOVA SCOTIA	12	169	93644
NEW BRUNSWICK	13	109	70708
QUEBEC	24	312	618631
ONTARIO	35	398	856492
MANITOBA	46	103	121852
SASKATCHEWAN	47	107	123871
ALBERTA	48	103	149765
BRITISH COLUMBIA	59	192	288532

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

PRTIR TAKE PART IN RETIREMENT PREPARATION PROGRAMS?

Field: 124 Position: 141 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	953	1407191
yes	2	55	80927
missing	3	582	897750

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 5A.

QUESTION TEXT:

Did you take part in a program designed to help you prepare for retirement?

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Field: 125 Position: 142 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
MARITIMES	1	375	226725
QUEBEC	2	312	618631
ONTARIO	3	398	856492
PRAIRIES	4	313	395488
BRITISH COLUMBIA	5	192	288532

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

RETIR AGE PERMANENTLY STOPPED FULL-TIME WORK

Field: 126 Position: 143 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
45 or later	1	788	1153109
Before age 45	2	303	459387
Never worked	3	499	773372

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 1A.

QUESTION TEXT:

At what age did you permanently stop full-time work for pay or profit (that is working 35 or more hours per week for yourself or an employer)?

RETR RECODED REASONS FOR RETIREMENT

Field: 127 Position: 144 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Compulsory Retirement	1	206	311762
Laid-off	2	54	88055
Poor health	3	351	474359
Other reasons	4	360	554121
No response	5	619	957571

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, DERIVED VARIABLE.

QUESTION TEXT:

Recoded reasons for retirement

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

ROCC RECODED OCCUPATION

Field: 128 Position: 145 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Managerial Administration	1	42	63107
Proff and Technical	2	80	115501
White Collar	3	284	458407
Blue Collar	4	326	503388
Primary Blue Collar	5	218	256745
Not applicable	0		

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, DERIVED VARIABLE.

QUESTION TEXT:

Recoded Occupation

RPC1 CONTENTS OF PROGRAM: EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS?

Field: 129 Position: 146 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	1554	2329521
yes	1	36	56347

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 5B.

QUESTION TEXT:

What were the contents of the program? Discussion of employment pension benefits?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

RPC2 CONTENTS OF PROGRAM: GOVERNMENT BENEFITS?

Field: 130 Position: 147 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NO OR NO RESPONSE	0	1561	2343742
no or no response	1	29	42126

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 5C.

QUESTION TEXT:

What were the contents of the program? Discussion of government retirement benefits?

RPC3 CONTENTS OF PROGRAM: HEALTH ASPECTS?

Field: 131 Position: 148 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NO OR NO RESPONSE	0	1566	2347561
no or no response	1	24	38307

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 5D.

QUESTION TEXT:

What were the contents of the program? Discussion of health or medical aspects of retirement?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

RPC4 CONTENTS OF PROGRAM: LIVING ARRANGEMENTS?

Field: 132 Position: 149 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NO OR NO RESPONSE	0	1580	2369395
no or no response	1	10	16473

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 5E.

QUESTION TEXT:

What were the contents of the program? Discussion of various types of living arrangements?

RPC5 CONTENTS OF PROGRAM: LEISURE TIME USE?

Field: 133 Position: 150 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NO OR NO RESPONSE	0	1575	2362539
no or no response	1	15	23329

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 5F.

QUESTION TEXT:

What were the contents of the program? Discussion of the use of leisure time?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

RPC6 CONTENTS OF PROGRAM: OTHER?

Field: 134 Position: 151 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NO OR NO RESPONSE	0	1586	2379865
no or no response	1	4	6003

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 5G.

QUESTION TEXT:

What were the contents of the program? Other?

RTB1 RETIRED BECAUSE: COMPULSORY RETIREMENT AGE?

Field: 135 Position: 152 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	1359	2040468
yes	1	231	345400

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 4A.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you retired, was it because: you had reached the compulsory retirement age ?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

RTB2 RETIRED BECAUSE: LAID OFF?

Field: 136 Position: 153 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	1534	2295278
yes	1	56	90590

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 4B.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you retired, was it because: you were laid off and could not find another appropriate job?

RTB3 RETIRED BECAUSE: POOR HEALTH?

Field: 137 Position: 154 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	1211	1871386
yes	1	379	514482

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 4C.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you retired, was it because: you were in too poor health to continue working?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

RTB4 RETIRED BECAUSE: SPOUSE HAD RETIRED?

Field: 138 Position: 155 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	1522	2286989
yes	1	68	98879

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 4D.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you retired, was it because: your spouse had already retired?

RTB5 RETIRED BECAUSE: MORE TIME FOR HOBBIES?

Field: 139 Position: 156 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	1527	2285701
yes	1	63	100167

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 4E.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you retired, was it because: you wanted more time to pursue your hobbies and interest?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

RTB6 RETIRED BECAUSE: MORE TIME WITH FAMILY?

Field: 140 Position: 157 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	1517	2278836
yes	1	73	107032

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:
SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 4F.

QUESTION TEXT:
When you retired, was it because: you wanted spend more time with your family?

RTB7 RETIRED BECAUSE: WANTED TO RELAX?

Field: 141 Position: 158 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	1468	2206970
yes	1	122	178898

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:
SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 4G.

QUESTION TEXT:
When you retired, was it because: you just wanted relax and take it easy?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

RTB8 RETIRED BECAUSE: BETTER FOR HEALTH?

Field: 142 Position: 159 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	1383	2091564
yes	1	207	294304

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 4H.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you retired, was it because: you felt it would be better for your health ?

RTB9 RETIRED BECAUSE: HAD ENOUGH OF WORK?

Field: 143 Position: 160 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	1445	2181180
yes	1	145	204688

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 4I.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you retired, was it because: you had enough of work?

RTB10 RETIRED BECAUSE: ENOUGH MONEY TO RETIRE?

Field: 144 Position: 161 Format: I1

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	1534	2306512
yes	1	56	79356

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 4J.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you retired, was it because: you had enough of money to retire?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

RTB11 RETIRED BECAUSE: SOLD BUSINESS?

Field: 145 Position: 162 Format: I1

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	1511	2270266
yes	1	79	115602

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 4K.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you retired, was it because: you sold your business or professional practice?

RTB12 RETIRED BECAUSE: OTHER REASONS?

Field: 146 Position: 163 Format: I1

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no or no response	0	1484	2219215
yes	1	106	166653

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 4L.

QUESTION TEXT:

When you retired, was it because: Other reason?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

RTBG AT RETIREMENT MEMBER OF COLLECTIVE BARGAINING GROUP?

Field: 147 Position: 164 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	664	954591
yes	2	258	397881
missing	3 M	668	1033396

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 17.

QUESTION TEXT:

At the time you retired, were you a member of a group that bargained collectively for your pay and working conditions? (for example; a trade union or professional association).

RTIRS IN WHAT SEASON DID YOU RETIRE?

Field: 148 Position: 165 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Winter (January, February, March)	1	179	281936
Spring (April, May, June)	2	268	378192
Summer (July, August, September)	3	211	302755
Autumn (October, November, December)	4	288	412015
Missing	5 M	644	1010970

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 3.

QUESTION TEXT:

In what season did you retire?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

RTIRV TAKE 1+ MONTH VACATION AFTER RETIREMENT?

Field: 149 Position: 166 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
never	1	696	978873
within one month	2	66	102121
within three months	3	23	38764
within six months	4	28	45596
within one year	5	49	82408
after one year	6	127	187375
missing	7 M	601	950731

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 6.

QUESTION TEXT:

How soon after you retired did you go on a vacation of one month or more?

RWRK REASON FOR WORKING/LOOKING FOR WORK

Field: 150 Position: 167 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
to earn money	1	52	85510
to keep in touch with people	2	15	29569
to avoid losing my skills	3	5	9525
to keep physically health	4	20	34773
to have good mental health	5	8	10650
other (please specify)	6	13	21579
missing	7 M	1477	2194262

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 36.

QUESTION TEXT:

If you are working or looking for work, What is the main reason?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

SEX SEX

Field: 151 Position: 168 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Male	0	599	844882
Female	1	991	1540986

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

QUESTION TEXT:

Sex:

SWRKS IS SPOUSE WORKING FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME

Field: 152 Position: 169 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
no	1	704	1020901
yes	2	223	349063
missing	3 M	663	1015904

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 28C.

QUESTION TEXT:

Is he/she be working full-time or part-time?

TENUR DWELLING OWNED OR RENTED

Field: 153 Position: 170 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Rent	1	396	689414
own with a mortgage	2	118	205116
own without a mortgage	3	917	1261861
missing	4 M	159	229477

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 32.

QUESTION TEXT:

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

Do you rent your accommodation or own your own home

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

THRWK HOURS WORKED DURING REFERENCE WEEK

Field: 154 Position: 171-172 Format: I2

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
ZERO HOURS	1	10	14662
1 - 4 HOURS	2	3	6294
5 - 9 HOURS	3	12	17956
10 - 14 HOURS	4	6	9734
15 - 19 HOURS	5	6	12453
20 - 24 HOURS	6	12	17462
25 - 29 HOURS	7	5	8868
30 - 34 HOURS	8	8	14459
35 HOURS	9	8	8815
36 - 37 HOURS	10	5	11886
38 HOURS	11	10	15833
39 HOURS	12	0	0
40 HOURS	13	27	40466
41 - 44 HOURS	14	5	7082
45 - 49 HOURS	15	10	13187
50 - 54 HOURS	16	5	7626
55 - 59 HOURS	17	2	2805
60 - 64 HOURS	18	3	4599
65+ HOURS	19	6	8099
NOT APPLICABLE	20 M	1447	2163582

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

TINCR TOTAL INCOME AT RETIRMENT FROM FULL-TIME JOB

Field: 155 Position: 173 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Less than \$1000	0	155	196992
\$1000 - 1999	1	135	185267
\$2000 - 2999	2	138	198423
\$3000 - 4999	3	183	278905
\$5000 - 7499	4	125	193126
\$7500 - 9999	5	79	118293
\$10000 - 14999	6	47	79094
\$15000 - 19999	7	13	19624
\$20000 and over	8	12	20991
Not stated	9 M	703	1095153

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 18.

QUESTION TEXT:

What was your total income from all sources THE LAST YEAR BEFORE YOU RETIRED from FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT? Please include income from the following sources:

- work and self employment (before deductions):
- government payments such as social assistance, family allowances, unemployment insurance:
- interest, dividends, rents, other investment income:
- income from other family members:
- regular income from all other sources.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

TLNG TIME SPENT WITH LONGEST EMPLOYER

Field: 156 Position: 174 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Less than 5 years	1	105	151055
5 to 9 years	2	133	201768
10 to 14 years	3	113	166883
15 to 19 years	4	111	169392
20 to 24 years	5	89	139446
25 or more years	6	363	522908
MISSING	7 M	676	1034416

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 12.

QUESTION TEXT:

What was the period of time you spent with your longest employer (including self-employment)?

WKPAT HOW WOULD YOU CHANGE WORKING PATTERNS?

Field: 157 Position: 175 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
Retire early with the same pension	1	178	271755
Work fewer weeks per year for same pay	2	43	70430
Work fewer days per week for same pay	3	80	142916
Work fewer hours per day for same pay	4	90	135619
No change in work patterns	5	480	650407
Missing	6 M	719	1114741

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 23.

QUESTION TEXT:

There are many possible ways to change working patterns. If you had the following options when you were working, which one would have been your first choice?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

WMV1 WHY MOVED: UPKEEP TOO EXPENSIVE?

Field: 158 Position: 176 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NO OR NO RESPONSE	0	1553	2329455
No or no response	1	37	56413

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 19B.

QUESTION TEXT:

Why did you move? Upkeep was becoming too expensive.

WMV2 WHY MOVED: TAXES TOO EXPENSIVE?

Field: 159 Position: 177 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NO OR NO RESPONSE	0	1578	2372509
No or no response	1	12	13359

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 19C.

QUESTION TEXT:

Why did you move? Taxes and/or mortgage was becoming too expensive.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

WMV3 WHY MOVED: RENT TOO HIGH?

Field: 160 Position: 178 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NO OR NO RESPONSE	0	1566	2339965
No or no response	1	24	45903

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:
SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 19D.QUESTION TEXT:
Why did you move? Rent was becoming to high.**WMV4** WHY MOVED: UPKEEP DIFFICULT?

Field: 161 Position: 179 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NO OR NO RESPONSE	0	1550	2329039
No or no response	1	40	56829

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:
SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 19E.QUESTION TEXT:
Why did you move? Upkeep was becoming too difficult.**WMV5** WHY MOVED: HEALTH REASONS?

Field: 162 Position: 180 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NO OR NO RESPONSE	0	1477	2228475
No or no response	1	113	157393

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:
SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 19F.QUESTION TEXT:
Why did you move? Health reasons.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

WMV6 WHY MOVED: EXPROPRIATION?

Field: 163 Position: 181 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NO OR NO RESPONSE	0	1586	2377139
No or no response	1	4	8729

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:
SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 19G.

QUESTION TEXT:
Why did you move? Expropriation or eviction.

WMV7 WHY MOVED: WANTED A CHANGE?

Field: 164 Position: 182 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NO OR NO RESPONSE	0	1540	2316801
No or no response	1	50	69067

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:
SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 19H.

QUESTION TEXT:
Why did you move? Wanted a change.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

WMV8 WHY MOVED: LIVE NEAR FRIENDS/RELATIVES?

Field: 165 Position: 183 Format: I1 Zero-filled

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NO OR NO RESPONSE	0	1515	2283841
No or no response	1	75	102027

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 19I.

QUESTION TEXT:

Why did you move? Wanted to live nearer to friends or relatives.

WMV9 WHY MOVED: LIVE WITH FRIENDS/RELATIVES?

Field: 166 Position: 184 Format: I1

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NO OR NO RESPONSE	0	1567	2349899
No or no response	1	23	35969

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 19J.

QUESTION TEXT:

Why did you move? Preferred to live with friends or relatives.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

WMV10 WHY MOVED: PREFERRED DIFFERENT CLIMATE?

Field: 167 Position: 185 Format: I1

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NO OR NO RESPONSE	0	1565	2345354
No or no response	1	25	40514

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:
SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 19K.

QUESTION TEXT:
Why did you move? Preferred to live in a different climate.

WMV11 WHY MOVED: OTHER REASONS?

Field: 168 Position: 186 Format: I1

CONTENT	CODE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
NO OR NO RESPONSE	0	1533	2307468
No or no response	1	57	78400

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:
SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 19L.

QUESTION TEXT:
Why did you move? Other (please specify).

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

AGE AGE (55-99)

Field: 169 Position: 187-189 Format: I3 Zero-filled

CONTENT	VALUE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
MEAN			68.78
MINIMUM	55		
MAXIMUM	97		
RANGE	42	1536	2299475
MISSING	100 M	54	86393

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, LABOUR FORCE SURVEY VARIABLE

ALNG AGE WHEN LEFT LONGEST EMPLOYER (02-99)

Field: 170 Position: 190-192 Format: I3 Zero-filled

CONTENT	VALUE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
MEAN			57.57
MINIMUM	10		
MAXIMUM	85		
RANGE	75	803	1187376
MISSING	100 M	787	1198492

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 13.

QUESTION TEXT:

At what age did you leave full-time work with this employer?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

CRAGE IF CMRTR=YES, WHAT WAS THE AGE (01-99)?

Field: 171 Position: 193-194 Format: I2 Zero-filled

CONTENT	VALUE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
MEAN			14.41
MINIMUM	1		
MAXIMUM	75		
RANGE	74	1590	2385868

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 16B.

QUESTION TEXT:

Was there a compulsory retirement age for you in the job you retired from?

INDS INDUSTRY (2 DIGIT SIC CODE)

Field: 172 Position: 195-197 Format: I3 Zero-filled

CONTENT	VALUE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
MEAN			6.57
MINIMUM	1		
MAXIMUM	63		
RANGE	62	935	1372269
Missing	100 M	655	1013599

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 9.

QUESTION TEXT:

What were your most important activities or duties? (Uses two words or more to describe your duties, for example: fitting shoes, auto body work, taking dictation and typing, budgeting and forecasting, teaching English.)

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

KIDS NUMBER OF CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

Field: 173 Position: 198-199 Format: I2 Zero-filled

CONTENT	VALUE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
MEAN			2.16
MINIMUM	0		
MAXIMUM	11		
RANGE	11	423	631461
not applicable	98 M	1167	1754407

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 28E.

QUESTION TEXT:

Who else lives in this household with you? Your children (and their families) How many people?

NRLTV NUMBER OF NON-RELATIVES

Field: 174 Position: 200-201 Format: I2 Zero-filled

CONTENT	VALUE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
MEAN			5.49
MINIMUM	0		
MAXIMUM	80		
RANGE	80	108	150005
not applicable	98 M	1482	2235863

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 28I.

QUESTION TEXT:

Who else lives in this household with you? Others who are not relatives; How many people?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

OCC OCCUPATION (4 DIGIT CODE)

Field: 175 Position: 202-206 Format: I5 Zero-filled

CONTENT	VALUE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
MEAN			6264.94
MINIMUM	1113		
MAXIMUM	9539		
RANGE	8426	950	1397148
MISSING	10000 M	640	988720

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 8.

QUESTION TEXT:

For your longest employer, what kind of work were you doing? (Use two or more words to describe your work, for example: selling shoes, motor vehicle repairing, secretarial work, managing a factory, teaching high school)

OTHRA IF BSTRA=5, WHAT AGE (01-99)?

Field: 176 Position: 207-208 Format: I2 Zero-filled

CONTENT	VALUE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
MEAN			2.51
MINIMUM	1		
MAXIMUM	99		
RANGE	98	1590	2385868

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 25B.

QUESTION TEXT:

What do you think is the best age of COMPULSORY retirement (whether or not you agree with the idea); Other?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

RLTV NUMBER OF OTHER RELATIVES

Field: 177 Position: 209-210 Format: I2 Zero-filled

CONTENT	VALUE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
MEAN			1.08
MINIMUM	0		
MAXIMUM	8		
RANGE	8	202	286273
not applicable	98 M	1388	2099595

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 28G.

QUESTION TEXT:

Who else lives in this household with you? Other relatives; How many people?

RTIRA IF 45 OR LATER, WHAT AGE (45-99)?

Field: 178 Position: 211-213 Format: I3 Zero-filled

CONTENT	VALUE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
MEAN			62.24
MINIMUM	45		
MAXIMUM	85		
RANGE	40	821	1187993
Missing	100 M	821	1187993

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:

SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 1B.

QUESTION TEXT:

If 45 or later, what age (45 - 99)?

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

WHAGE IF DRAGE=YES, WHAT AGE PREFERRED (01-99)

Field: 179 Position: 214-215 Format: I2 Zero-filled

CONTENT	VALUE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
MEAN			11.94
MINIMUM	1		
MAXIMUM	75		
RANGE	74	1590	2385868

WEIGHT VARIABLE: WEIGHT

SOURCE:
SURVEY OF RETIREMENT, 1975, RETIRED FORM, QUESTION 21B.

QUESTION TEXT:
If DRAGE = yes, what age preferred (0 - 99)?

WEIGHT FINAL UNIVERSAL WEIGHT

Field: 180 Position: 216-225 Format: I10 Zero-filled

CONTENT	VALUE	SAMPLE	WEIGHTED
MEAN			1857.30
MINIMUM	263		
MAXIMUM	3977		
RANGE	3714	1590	2385868

QUESTION TEXT:
Final universal weight.

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