
MICRODATA FILE

HOUSEHOLD INCOME, FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT

Survey of Consumer Finances 1987

1986 INCOME

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MICRODATA FILE DOCUMENTATION ON HOUSEHOLD INCOME, FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT

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TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS OF THIS MICRODATA FILE				CARACTÉRISTIQUES TECHNIQUES DE CE FICHIER DE MICRODONNÉES			
SURVEY YEAR ▶		1987		• ANNÉE D'ENQUÊTE			
INCOME YEAR ▶		1986		• ANNÉE DE REVENU			
INDIVIDUALS, AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER, WITH AND WITHOUT INCOME			PARTICULIERS, AGÉS DE 15 ANS ET PLUS, AVEC ET SANS REVENU				
ECONOMIC FAMILIES			FAMILLES ÉCONOMIQUES				
CENSUS FAMILIES			FAMILLES DE RECENSEMENT				
HOUSEHOLD INCOME, FACILITIES			ÉQUIPEMENT MÉNAGER SELON LE REVENU			✓	
KEY OR LINK FILE			FICHIER CLÉ OU FICHIER DE RACCORDEMENT				
TOTAL WEIGHTED NUMBER OF UNITS ▶		9,641,681		• NOMBRE TOTAL PONDÉRÉ D'UNITÉS			
NUMBER OF RECORDS ▶		30,841		• NOMBRE DES DOSSIERS			
SPECIFICATIONS				SPÉCIFICATIONS			
9 TRACK TAPE				BANDES A 9 PISTES			
DATA SET NAME				NOM DE FICHIER			
VOLUME SERIAL NUMBER				VOLUME/NUMÉRO DE SÉRIE			
DENSITY	1600 BPI		1600 BPP		DENSITÉ		
	6250 BPI		6250 BPP				
LABELS	NONE		AUCUNE		ÉTIQUETTES		
	IBM STANDARD (EBCDIC)		STANDARD IBM (EBCDIC)				
	AScii		AScii				
FORMAT	EBCDIC		EBCDIC		FORMAT		
	AScii		AScii				
	RECORD SIZE	490	TAILLE D'EN-REGISTREMENT				
	BLOCK FACTOR		FACTEUR DE BLOC				
CARTRIDGE 3480				CARTOUCHE 3480			
DATA SET NAME				NOM DE FICHIER			
VOLUME SERIAL NUMBER				VOLUME/NUMÉRO DE SÉRIE			
DENSITY	NOCOMPRESS		NOCOMPRESS		DENSITÉ		
	COMPRESS		COMPRESS				
LABELS	NONE		AUCUNE		ÉTIQUETTES		
	IBM STANDARD (EBCDIC)		STANDARD IBM (EBCDIC)				
	AScii		AScii				
PC DISKETTE		FORMAT ASCii		DISQUETTE POUR MICRO-ORDINATEUR			
HIGH DENSITY - 3 1/2" (1.4 MB)				HAUTE DENSITÉ - 3 1/2" (1.4 MB)			
HIGH DENSITY - 5 1/4" (1.2 MB)				HAUTE DENSITÉ - 5 1/4" (1.2 MB)			
DOUBLE DENSITY - 3 1/2" (720 K)				DOUBLE DENSITÉ - 3 1/2" (720 K)			

INTRODUCTION

This microdata file on household income, facilities and equipment is intended for use in the study of types of facilities in households with relationship to the household's income. For research on income statistics, other microdata tapes are available or special requests for data can be made to Household Surveys Division on a cost recoverable basis. No microdata tapes purely on household facilities are planned at this time.

This is the tenth selected year for which a microdata tape on household income, facilities and equipment is being released. Tapes are available biennially starting with 1972 and annually since 1982 except for 1984.

From 1986 to 1987 the following changes in tape content have occurred:

Added variables are:

Special heating equipment features	Travel trailer
Supplementary heating equipment	Tent trailer
Fuel for supplementary heating equipment	Tent
Adult-size bicycles	Other camping equipment
Motorcycles	Wall-to-wall carpeting
Snowmobiles	Age of carpeting in living/dining room
Lawnmowers	Age of carpeting in hallways
Snowblowers	Age of carpeting in bedrooms/den
Downhill skis	Age of carpeting in recreation/family room
Cross-country skis	Cable converter
Vacation home in Canada	Fuel-burning fireplace
Canoe	Different telephone numbers
Rowboat, skiff, etc.	Repairs needed
Sailboat	Market value of home
Outboard motor boat	Year move into dwelling
Other boat	Tenure of previous dwelling
Truck camper	Ever he/she owned and occupied a dwelling

Deleted Variables:

Age of principal cooking equipment
Age of principal refrigerator
Age of washing machine
Gas barbecue
Vacuum cleaner
Sewing machine
Portable humidifier
Piano
Pay television
Record player or turntable

Tape recorder
Home computer
Swimming pool
Installation or replacement of heating or electrical equipment
Installation or replacement of plumbing
Renovations
Structural repairs
Dwelling additions

Over the years, the basic content and concepts of the tapes have remained relatively stable. However, following each decennial census, the sample design of the Labour Force Survey is revised to incorporate recent developments in sampling methodology and to reflect population changes indicated by the most recent census data. The latest redesigned sample was implemented in January 1985 to replace the design in use since 1975.

For information on the redesign of the Labour Force Survey sample, see the feature article published in **The Labour Force, January 1985**, Catalogue No. 71-001. A general description only is given in the "Sample Design and Implications" section.

Users of this tape should be aware of the following points:

1. All distributions, estimated numbers and amounts, averages, etc. must be produced using weighted values and not sample counts. For a description of the weighting factor (in position 10-12 of each record) and its use see the item description "Final Universal Weight" and "Sample Design and Implications" in this documentation.
2. Any estimates or percentage distributions to be published or analysed from this data set should be based on a sample of at least 100 records. This is the policy followed in our publications and is based on the fact that data produced from smaller samples is unlikely to be reliable. The purchaser of this tape is invited to submit his final manuscript(s) to the manuscript review service offered by the Division. For further information on this procedure see "Procedures for Manuscript Review" of this documentation. In the text of such manuscripts the source should be described as follows: "The analysis done for this report is based on the Statistics Canada microdata tape "Household Income (1986), Facilities and Equipment, 1987" which contains data collected with the 1987 Survey of Household Facilities Equipment and the 1987 Survey of Consumer Finances. All computations on this data base were done by (name of user organization)". If this is the only source of data in the report, it is not necessary to source each table as well. However, if there are other sources, the tables should be individually sourced as follows:

Source: Statistics Canada, microdata tape "Household Income (1986), Facilities and Equipment, 1987".
Calculations by (name of user organization).

In accordance with the development of standard referencing for machine-readable data file¹, we recommend the following wording be used in bibliographies:

Statistics Canada. Household Income (1986), Facilities and Equipment, 1987 [machine-readable data file]. 1988 Edition. Ottawa, Ontario: Household Surveys Division [producer and distributor]. One data file (30,841 logical records) and accompanying documentation.

3. Determination of who is the household head is based on relationships only. The head is not necessarily the major earner or income recipient and may, in fact, have no income at all.
4. The term "reference year" refers to 1986 wherever it appears in this documentation.
5. The term "survey year" refers to 1987 wherever it appears in this documentation.
6. The term "reference week" refers to the week of April 13 to 18, 1987, the week immediately preceding the two-week period when the Survey of Consumer Finances was conducted.

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¹ Dodd, Sue A. "Bibliographic references for numeric social science data files: suggested guidelines". American Society for Information Science. Journal. 30(2): 77-82, March 1979.

NOTES FOR USERS OF HISTORICAL SERIES OF HIFE TAPES

The majority of SCF concepts have remained unchanged since the 1971 household income file (1972 facilities and equipment). However, in addition to the changes described on B-1 the following points summarize some changes in concepts which may help to explain certain statistical results.

1. On microdata files prior to the 1984 income file (1985 facilities and equipment), household units with exceptionally high incomes, large income losses from self-employment or unusual characteristics were excluded from the file. Beginning with the 1984 income file, records with these conditions have had selected characteristics zeroed-out rather than removing these records from the file. Variables which have been masked have been indicated on the record layout as "Special Household Units". Control counts given in "Estimates Obtained from Microdata File" include these records.
2. Beginning with the 1977 income file (1978 facilities and equipment), Total Net Income from Self-Employment and Total Earnings include Net Income from Roomers and Boarders. The Number of Earners variable has always included Room and Board Income recipients. The effect of this change is minimal.
3. The classification system for education level of the head and wife changed commencing with the 1975 income file (1976 facilities and equipment). Previously, the codes specifically separated "high school completed" from "high school not completed" and divided post-secondary into university and non-university. For the 1975 income file (1976 facilities and equipment), and later years it is not possible to obtain a category "completed high school" as 11-13 years includes some completed and some not. Also post-secondary only indicates university level if a degree was received.
4. The Labour Force Status coding definitions changed commencing with the 1975 income file (1976 facilities and equipment) when the Revised Labour Force Survey went into effect.
5. Class of Worker coding was modified starting with the 1979 income file (1980 facilities and equipment) so that certain types of LFS self-employed persons are classified as paid workers for SCF purposes.
6. The classification of Occupations based on the 1980 Standard Occupational Classification was used for the first time on the 1984 income file (1985 facilities and equipment).

NOTES FOR USERS OF HISTORICAL SERIES OF HIFE TAPES (CONTINUED)

7. Commencing with the 1986 income file (1987 facilities and equipment), all variables concerning number of household/family persons (ex. number of earners, number of children, etc.) contain actual number of persons. On the 1984 and 1985 income files (1985 and 1986 facilities and equipment) these variables were given upper limits.
 8. Beginning with the 1984 income file (1985 facilities and equipment), the size of area variable is based on 1981 Census population counts within 1981 boundaries. Microdata files prior to the 1984 income file were based on 1961 populations (1973 income file) and 1971 populations (1975-79 income files) and 1976 populations (1981 and 1982 income files). The procedure of recoding unique centres was somewhat revised beginning with the 1984 income file to provide less distortion in size of area groupings (see "Area" in this documentation).
 9. Beginning with the 1981 income file (1982 facilities and equipment), the income concept has been expanded to include the federal Child Tax Credit and refundable provincial tax credits claimed at income tax time. This change has affected several variables other than Total Income and Income After Tax. These are:
 - . Total Government Transfers (Taxable and Non-Taxable Transfers) for the family, head and wife.
 - . Major Source of Income
 - . Revised (1969) Low Income Code
 - . Revised (1978) Low Income Code
 10. Following revision of the low income cut-offs on the basis of 1978 Family Expenditure data, the 1978 based low income code for the economic family is provided on the tape, beginning with the 1981 income file (1982 facilities and equipment).
- A more detailed explanation of the above changes (i.e. size of area and revised (1978) Low Income Code) is given in an Appendix of the 1980 issue of Catalogue No. 13-207. More detailed definitions of the above variables are also given on the relevant pages of this documentation.
11. The cut-off for "full-time worker" has been changed to 49 weeks from 50, to conform with Census practices, beginning with the 1981 income file (1982 facilities and equipment).

NOTES FOR USERS OF HISTORICAL SERIES OF HIFE TAPES (CONCLUDED)

12. Beginning with the 1985 income file (1986 facilities and equipment), dollar fields were increased from 7 to 8 bytes.
13. From a methodological point of view, 3 important changes have occurred:
 - (i) The sample design changed with the 1984 income file (1985 facilities and equipment) from that described in Catalogue 71-526, Methodology of the Canadian Labour Force Survey to the revised design described in the feature article published in The Labour Force, January 1985, Catalogue No. 71-001.
 - (ii) Beginning with the 1977 income file (1978 facilities and equipment), imputation of income data to income non-respondents has been incorporated into the survey processing. For more information see "Data Collection and Procedures" of this documentation.
 - (iii) The estimated numbers of family units used to derive weights for the 1981 and 1982 income files (1982 and 1983 facilities and equipment) have been re-based to 1981 Census counts corresponding to the Labour Force Survey coverage. This affects to some degree the comparability of estimates produced from earlier tapes. For further details see page 12 of the 1981 issue of Catalogue No. 13-208.

Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes
5	1-5	N	SEQUENCE NUMBER
2	6-7	N	STANDARD GEOGRAPHIC CODE
			00 Special Unit
			10 Newfoundland
			11 Prince Edward Island
			12 Nova Scotia
			13 New Brunswick
			24 Quebec
			35 Ontario
			46 Manitoba
			47 Saskatchewan
			48 Alberta
			59 British Columbia
1	8	N	AREA
			1 Large urban centres with a population of 500,000 or more
			2 Large urban centres with a population of 100,000-499,999
			3 Minor urban centres with a population of 30,000-99,999
			4 Other urban centres with a population under 30,000
			5 Rural areas
1	9	N	SPARE FIELD - ZERO-FILLED
3	10-12	N	FINAL HOUSEHOLD WEIGHT ¹
			HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS AND INCOME
2	13-14	N	NUMBER OF PERSONS
2	15-16	N	NUMBER OF ADULTS

¹ See position 484-488. See page 5A for description of Revised Weight (1991 base)

Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes
HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS AND INCOME [CONTINUED]			
2	17-18	N	NUMBER OF PERSONS AGED 65 OR OVER
2	19-20	N	NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 7 YEARS OF AGE
2	21-22	N	NUMBER OF CHILDREN 7-15 YEARS OF AGE
2	23-24	N	NUMBER OF CHILDREN 16-17 YEARS OF AGE
2	25-26	N	NUMBER OF CHILDREN 18-24 YEARS OF AGE
1	27	N	HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION
			1 One unattached individual
			2 One economic family of two or more persons
			3 Multi-unit household containing only unattached individuals
			4 Multi-unit household containing at least one family of two or more persons
1	28	N	DEPENDENCE ON FARM INCOME
			1 No farm income
			2 Dependence under 40%
			3 Dependence 40-49%
			4 Dependence 50-59%
			5 Dependence 60% or more

NOTE Item names preceded by a "\$" are given in actual dollars. The first position of each dollar field contains a "+" or a "-" sign to indicate whether the value is positive (+) or negative (-) and the following seven positions give the actual numeric value.

Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes
HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS AND INCOME [CONTINUED]			
1	29	N	MAJOR SOURCE OF INCOME
			1 No income
			2 Wages and salaries
			3 Net income from self-employment
			4 Total government transfer payments
			5 Total income from investment
			6 Retirement pensions, superannuation and annuities
			7 Other money income
			8 Military pay and allowances
2	30-31	N	NUMBER OF EARNERS
2	32-33	N	NUMBER OF PERSONS WITH INCOME
8	34-41	N	\$ WAGES AND SALARIES
8	42-49	N	\$ MILITARY PAY AND ALLOWANCES
8	50-57	N	\$ NET INCOME FROM NON-FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT
8	58-65	N	\$ NET INCOME FROM FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT
8	66-73	N	\$ NET INCOME FROM ROOMERS AND BOARDERS

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Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes
HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS AND INCOME [CONTINUED]			
8	74-81	N	\$ TOTAL NET INCOME FROM SELF-EMPLOYMENT
8	82-89	N	\$ TOTAL EARNINGS
8	90-97	N	\$ TOTAL INCOME FROM INVESTMENT
8	98-105	N	\$ FAMILY AND YOUTH ALLOWANCES
8	106-113	N	\$ CHILD TAX CREDIT
8	114-121	N	\$ OLD AGE SECURITY, GUARANTEED INCOME SUPPLEMENT AND SPOUSE'S ALLOWANCE
8	122-129	N	\$ CANADA/QUEBEC PENSION PLAN BENEFITS
8	130-137	N	\$ UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BENEFITS
8	138-145	N	\$ SOCIAL ASSISTANCE AND PROVINCIAL INCOME SUPPLEMENTS
8	146-153	N	\$ OTHER INCOME FROM GOVERNMENT SOURCES (INCLUDING PROVINCIAL TAX CREDIT)
8	154-161	N	\$ TOTAL GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS
8	162-169	N	\$ TAXABLE GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS
8	170-177	N	\$ NON-TAXABLE GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS

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Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes
HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS AND INCOME [CONCLUDED]			
8	178-185	N	\$ RETIREMENT PENSIONS, SUPERANNUATION AND ANNUITIES
8	186-193	N	\$ OTHER MONEY INCOME
8	194-201	N	\$ TOTAL INCOME
8	202-209	N	\$ TOTAL INCOME TAX
8	210-217	N	\$ INCOME AFTER TAX
3	218-220	N	SPARE FIELD - ZERO FILLED
HOUSEHOLD FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT			
1	221	N	TYPE OF DWELLING
			1 Single detached
			2 Double
			3 Row or terrace
			4 Duplex
			5 Apartment or flat
			6 Other
1	222	N	CONDOMINIUM
			0 No
			1 Yes

Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes	
HOUSEHOLD FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT [CONTINUED]				
1	223	N	PERIOD BUILDING CONSTRUCTED	
			1	Before 1941
			2	1941-1950
			3	1951-1960
			4	1961-1970
			5	1971-1980
			6	1981-Survey year
1	224	N	TENURE	
			1	Owned with mortgage
			2	Owned without mortgage
			3	Rented for cash, other
2	225-226	N	NUMBER OF ROOMS IN DWELLING	
			01-12	Actual number
			13	Thirteen or more
1	227	N	NUMBER OF BEDROOMS	
			0-6	Actual number
			7	Seven or more
1	228	N	TYPE OF PRINCIPAL HEATING EQUIPMENT	
			1	Steam or hot water furnace
			2	Forced hot air furnace (includes furnaces with a heat pump)
			3	Other hot air furnace (includes gravity furnaces)
			4	Heating stove (includes wood stoves)
			5	Electric Heating
			6	Cookstove or other

NOTE Items preceded by a "#" sign indicate a new variable on this tape.

Size Position Type Variable Titles and Codes

HOUSEHOLD FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT [CONTINUED]

1	229	N	LENGTH OF TIME SINCE PRINCIPAL HEATING EQUIPMENT INSTALLED
			1 5 years or less
			2 6 to 10 years
			3 More than 10 years
1	230	N	FUEL FOR PRINCIPAL HEATING EQUIPMENT
			1 Oil or other liquid fuel
			2 Piped gas (includes natural gas)
			3 Bottled gas (includes liquid propane)
			4 Electricity
			5 Wood
			6 Other
1	231	N	# SPECIAL HEATING EQUIPMENT FEATURES
			0 None
			1 Heat pump
			2 Dual-fuel system
			3 Other (includes solar panels)
1	232	N	# SUPPLEMENTARY HEATING EQUIPMENT
			0 None
			1 Heating stove
			2 Cookstove or range
			3 Portable heater
			4 Other

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Size Position Type Variable Titles and Codes

HOUSEHOLD FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT [CONTINUED]

1	233	N	# FUEL FOR SUPPLEMENTARY HEATING EQUIPMENT
			0 Not applicable
			1 Oil or other liquid fuel
			2 Gas
			3 Electricity
			4 Wood
			5 Other
1	234	N	# FUEL-BURNING FIREPLACE
			0 No
			1 Yes
1	235	N	TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY
			0 No piped running water
			1 Hot and cold water piped inside
			2 Cold water only piped inside
1	236	N	FUEL FOR PIPED HOT WATER SUPPLY
			0 No piped hot water
			1 Oil or other liquid fuel
			2 Piped gas (includes natural gas)
			3 Bottled gas (includes liquid propane)
			4 Electricity
			5 Wood or other

Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes
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HOUSEHOLD FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT [CONTINUED]

1	237	N	BATHROOM WITH INSTALLED BATHTUB OR SHOWER 0 No installed bathtub or shower 1 One bathroom (exclusive use) 2 Two or more bathrooms (exclusive use) 3 Bath facilities shared with another household
1	238	N	TOILET FACILITIES 0 No flush or chemical toilet inside dwelling 1 One flush toilet 2 Two flush toilets 3 Three or more flush toilets 4 Chemical or other type toilet 5 Toilet facilities shared with another household
1	239	N	FUEL FOR PRINCIPAL COOKING EQUIPMENT 0 No cooking equipment 1 Oil or other liquid fuel 2 Piped gas (includes natural gas) 3 Bottled gas (includes liquid propane) 4 Electricity 5 Wood or other
1	240	N	MICROWAVE OVEN 0 No 1 Yes
1	241	N	NUMBER OF REFRIGERATORS 0 No electrical or mechanical refrigerator 1-2 Actual number of refrigerators 3 Three or more
1	242	N	HOME FREEZER (SEPARATE FROM REFRIGERATOR) 0 No 1 Yes

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Size Position Type Variable Titles and Codes

HOUSEHOLD FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT [CONTINUED]

1	243	N	WASHING MACHINE	
			0 No electric washing machine	
			1 Automatic washer	
			2 Electric wringer washer	
			3 Other electric washer	
1	244	N	CLOTHES DRYER	
			0 No clothes dryer	
			1 Electric dryer	
			2 Gas dryer	
1	245	N	AIR CONDITIONER	
			0 No air conditioner	
			1 Window type	
			2 Central unit	
1	246	N	AUTOMATIC DISHWASHER	
			0 None	
			1 Built-in	
			2 Portable	
1	247	N	NUMBER OF TELEPHONES	
			0-4 Actual number	5 Five or more
1	248	N	# NUMBER OF DIFFERENT TELEPHONE NUMBERS	
			0-2 Actual number	3 Three or more
1	249	N	NUMBER OF RADIOS	
			0-8 Actual number	9 Nine or more

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Size Position Type Variable Titles and Codes

HOUSEHOLD FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT [CONTINUED]

1	250	N	NUMBER OF F.M. RADIOS	
			0-8 Actual number	9 Nine or more
1	251	N	TOTAL NUMBER OF TELEVISION SETS	
			0-4 Actual number	5 Five or more
1	252	N	NUMBER OF COLOUR TELEVISION SETS	
			0-3 Actual number	4 Four or more
1	253	N	NUMBER OF BLACK AND WHITE TELEVISION SETS	
			0-2 Actual number	3 Three or more
1	254	N	CABLE TELEVISION	
			0 No	
			1 Yes	
1	255	N	# CABLE CONVERTER	
			0 No	
			1 Yes	
1	256	N	VIDEO RECORDER	
			0 No	
			1 Yes	
1	257	N	NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES	
			0-3 Actual number	4 Four or more

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Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes
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HOUSEHOLD FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT [CONTINUED]

1	258	N	NUMBER OF VANS OR TRUCKS 0-3 Actual number 4 Four or more
1	259	N	SMOKE DETECTOR 0 No 1 Yes
1	260	N	PORTABLE FIRE EXTINGUISHER 0 No 1 Yes
1	261	N	# NUMBER OF ADULT-SIZE BICYCLES 0-4 Actual number 5 Five or more
1	262	N	# NUMBER OF MOTORCYCLES 0-1 Actual number 2 Two or more
1	263	N	# NUMBER OF SNOWMOBILES 0-1 Actual number 2 Two or more
1	264	N	# SNOWBLOWER 0 No 1 Yes

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Size Position Type Variable Titles and Codes

HOUSEHOLD FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT [CONTINUED]

1	265	N	# LAWNMOWER
			0 None
			1 Gas
			2 Electric
			3 Handmower
1	266	N	# DOWNHILL SKIS
			0 No
			1 Yes
1	267	N	# CROSS COUNTRY SKIS
			0 No
			1 Yes
1	268	N	# VACATION HOME
			0 No
			1 Yes
1	269	N	# CANOE
			0 No
			1 Yes
1	270	N	# ROWBOAT, SKIFF, ETC.
			0 No
			1 Yes

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Size Position Type Variable Titles and Codes

HOUSEHOLD FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT [CONTINUED]

1	271	N	# SAILBOAT
			0 No
			1 Yes
1	272	N	# OUTBOARD MOTOR BOAT
			0 No
			1 Yes
1	273	N	# OTHER BOAT
			0 No
			1 Yes
1	274	N	# TRUCK CAMPER
			0 No
			1 Yes
1	275	N	# TRAVEL TRAILER
			0 No
			1 Yes
1	276	N	# TENT TRAILER
			0 No
			1 Yes

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Size Position Type Variable Titles and Codes

HOUSEHOLD FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT [CONTINUED]

1	277	N	# TENT
			0 No
			1 Yes
1	278	N	# OTHER CAMPING EQUIPMENT
			0 No
			1 Yes
1	279	N	# WALL-TO-WALL CARPETING
			0 No
			1 Yes
1	280	N	# AGE OF CARPETING IN LIVING/DINING ROOM
			1 5 years or less
			2 6-10 years
			3 Over 10 years
			4 Not ascertained
			5 Not applicable
1	281	N	# AGE OF CARPETING IN HALLWAYS
			1 5 years or less
			2 6-10 years
			3 Over 10 years
			4 Not ascertained
			5 Not applicable

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Size Position Type Variable Titles and Codes

HOUSEHOLD FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT [CONTINUED]

1	282	N	# AGE OF CARPETING IN BEDROOMS/DEN
			1 5 years or less
			2 6-10 years
			3 Over 10 years
			4 Not ascertained
			5 Not applicable
1	283	N	# AGE OF CARPETING IN RECREATION/FAMILY ROOM
			1 5 years or less
			2 6-10 years
			3 Over 10 years
			4 Not ascertained
			5 Not applicable
1	284	N	# REPAIRS NEEDED
			1 Major repairs
			2 Minor repairs
			3 Regular maintenance only
6	285-290	N	# MARKET VALUE OF HOME
			000000 Not applicable
			000001-999997 Actual dollar value
			999998 \$999,998 and over
			999999 Not ascertained

NOTE Items preceded by a "#" sign indicate a new variable on this tape.

Size Position Type Variable Titles and Codes

HOUSEHOLD FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT [CONCLUDED]

1	291	N	# YEAR HEAD MOVE INTO DWELLING (HOUSEHOLD HEAD)
			0 Not ascertained
			1 Before 1980
			2 1980
			3 1981
			4 1982
			5 1983
			6 1984
			7 1985
			8 1986
			9 1987
1	292	N	# TENURE OF PREVIOUS DWELLING (HOUSEHOLD HEAD)
			1 Owned
			2 Rented
			3 Did not maintain
			8 Not applicable (moved before 1980)
			9 Not ascertained
1	293	N	# EVER HE/SHE OWNED AND OCCUPIED A DWELLING (HOUSEHOLD HEAD)
			0 No
			1 Yes
			2 Did not know
			8 Not applicable (moved before 1980 or owned previous dwelling)
			9 Not ascertained

NOTE Item names preceded by a "\$" are given in actual dollars. The first position of each dollar field contains a "+" or a "-" sign to indicate whether the value is positive (+) or negative (-) and the following seven positions give the actual numeric value.

Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes
HOUSEHOLD HEAD'S CHARACTERISTICS			
8	294-301	N	\$ TOTAL EARNINGS
8	302-309	N	\$ TAXABLE GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS
8	310-317	N	\$ NON-TAXABLE GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS
8	318-325	N	\$ TOTAL GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS
8	326-333	N	\$ TOTAL INCOME
1	334	N	MAJOR SOURCE OF INCOME
			1 No income
			2 Wages and salaries
			3 Net income from self-employment
			4 Government transfer payments
			5 Total income from investments
			6 Retirement pensions, superannuation and annuities
			7 Other money income
			8 Military pay and allowances
1	335	N	MARITAL STATUS
			1 Single (never married)
			2 Married (or living common-law)
			3 Other

Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes	
HOUSEHOLD HEAD'S CHARACTERISTICS [CONTINUED]				
2	336-337	N	AGE	
			15-79 Actual age	80 Eighty or more
1	338	N	SEX	
			1 Male	
			2 Female	
1	339	N	EDUCATION	
			1 No schooling or elementary	
			2 9 or 10 years of elementary and secondary	
			3 11-13 years of elementary and secondary	
			4 Some post-secondary	
			5 Post-secondary certificate or diploma	
			6 University degree	
1	340	N	MOTHER TONGUE	
			0 Special unit	
			1 English	
			2 French	
			3 Other	
1	341	N	CLASS OF WORKER (CURRENT OR LAST JOB)	
			1 Paid	
			2 Self-employed	
			3 Unpaid family worker	
			4 Never worked before	
			5 Last worked more than five years ago	

Size	Position	Type	Variable Title and Codes
			HOUSEHOLD HEAD'S CHARACTERISTICS [Continued]
2	342-343	N	1980 OCCUPATIONAL CLASSIFICATION [CURRENT OR LAST JOB] - 13-GROUPS
			01 Managerial and Administrative
			02 Natural Sciences, Engineering, Mathematics, Social Sciences, Religion, Medicine and Health, Artistic, Literary, Recreation and Related Occupations
			03 Teaching
			04 Clerical
			05 Sales
			06 Services
			07 Farming, Horticultural and Animal Husbandry, Fishing, Trapping, Forestry and Logging
			08 Mining and Quarrying, Processing and Machining
			09 Product Fabricating, Assembling and Repairing
			10 Construction Trades
			11 Transport Equipment Operation, Materials Handling, Other Crafts and Equipment Operations
			12 Never worked before
			13 Last worked more than five years ago

Size	Position	Type	Variable Title and Codes
HOUSEHOLD HEAD'S CHARACTERISTICS [Continued]			
2	344-345	N	1980 OCCUPATIONAL CLASSIFICATION [CURRENT OR LAST JOB] - 49-GROUPS
			Managerial, administrative and related (Major group 11)
		01	Officials and administrators, govt (111)
		02	Other managers and administrators (113, 114)
		03	Management and administration related (117)
			Natural sciences, engineering and mathematics (Major group 21)
		04	Physical, life sciences, math, stats, systems analysis and related (211,213,218)
		05	Architects and engineers (214,215)
		06	Architecture and engineering related (216)
		07	Social sciences and related, Religion (Major groups 23, 25)
			Medicine and health (Major group 31)
		08	Health diagnosing and treating (311)
		09	Nursing, therapy and related (313)
		10	Other medicine and health related (315)
		11	Artistic, literary, recreational and related (Major group 33)
			Teaching and related (Major group 27)
		12	University and related (271)
		13	Elementary, secondary and related (273)
		14	Other teaching and related (279)

Size	Position	Type	Variable Title and Codes
HOUSEHOLD HEAD'S CHARACTERISTICS [Continued]			
2	344-345 (Cont.)	N	1980 OCCUPATIONAL CLASSIFICATION [CURRENT OR LAST JOB] - 49-GROUPS (Continued)
			Clerical and related (Major group 41)
		15	Stenographic and typing (411)
		16	Bookkeeping, account-recording and related (413)
		17	Office machine and E.D.P. operators (414)
		18	Material recording, scheduling and distribution (415)
		19	Reception, information, mail and message distribution (417)
		20	Library, file, correspondence, other clerical and related (416,419)
			Sales, (Major group 51)
		21	Sales, commodities (513, 514)
		22	Sales, services and other sales (517,519)
			Service (Major group 61)
		23	Protective service (611)
		24	Food and beverage preparation and related, lodging and accomodation (612,613)
		25	Personal, apparel and furnishing service (614,616)
		26	Other service occupations (619)
			Farming, horticultural and animal husbandry (Major group 71)
		27	Farmers (711)
		28	Other farming, horticultural and animal husbandry (718, 719)
		29	Fishing, trapping and related (Major group 73)
		30	Forestry and logging (Major group 75)
		31	Mining and quarrying including gas and oil field (Major group 77)
			Processing (Major groups 81, 82)
		32	Food, beverage and related (821, 822)
		33	Other processing occupations (811-817, 823-829)

Size	Position	Type	Variable Title and Codes
HOUSEHOLD HEAD'S CHARACTERISTICS [Continued]			
2	344-345 (Conc.)	N	1980 OCCUPATIONAL CLASSIFICATION [CURRENT OR LAST JOB] - 49-GROUPS (Concluded)
			Machining and related (Major group 83)
		34	Metal shaping and forming occupations (833)
		35	Other machining occupations (831, 835-839)
			Product fabricating, assembling and repairing (Major group 85)
		36	Metal products, N.E.C. (851, 852)
		37	Electrical, electronic and related equipment (853)
		38	Textiles, fur and leather goods (855, 856)
		39	Wood products, rubber, plastic and other (854, 857, 859)
		40	Mechanics and repairmen except electrical (858)
			Construction Trade (Major group 87)
		41	Excavation, grading, paving and related (871)
		42	Electrical power, lighting and wire communications equipment, erecting, installing and repairing (873)
		43	Other construction trades (878, 879)
			Transport equipment operators (Major group 91)
		44	Motor transport operators (917)
		45	Other transport equipment operators (911-915, 919)
		46	Material handling and related (Major group 93)
		47	Other crafts and equipment operators (Major group 95)
		48	Never worked before
		49	Last worked more than 5 years ago
		99	Not applicable - Restricted to 13-code classification only

NOTE These detailed occupation categories are provided to give tape users flexibility in creating their own groups for analysis. Users are advised that some of the codes above with small sample sizes may not yield reliable estimates on their own.

Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes
HOUSEHOLD HEAD'S CHARACTERISTICS [CONCLUDED]			
1	346	N	LABOUR FORCE STATUS (REFERENCE WEEK) 1 Employed 2 Unemployed 3 Not in labour force
2	347-348	N	WEEKS WORKED IN REFERENCE YEAR 00 None 01-52 Actual number of weeks
1	349	N	WORKED MOSTLY FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME IN REFERENCE YEAR 1 Full-time 2 Part-time 3 Did not work in reference year
1	350	N	IMMIGRATION STATUS 1 Canadian born 2 Arrived before 1946 3 Arrived 1946-1955 4 Arrived 1956-1965 5 Arrived 1966-1970 6 Arrived 1971-1975 7 Arrived 1976-1980 8 Arrived 1981-Survey year

NOTE If there is no wife in the household then all wife's personal data items will be zero.

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Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes
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WIFE'S CHARACTERISTICS AND INCOME

8	351-358	N	\$ TOTAL EARNINGS
8	359-366	N	\$ TAXABLE GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS
8	367-374	N	\$ NON-TAXABLE GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS
8	375-382	N	\$ TOTAL GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS
8	383-390	N	\$ TOTAL INCOME
1	391	N	MAJOR SOURCE OF INCOME
			1 No income
			2 Wages and salaries
			3 Net income from self-employment
			4 Total government transfer payments
			5 Total income from investment
			6 Retirement pensions, superannuation and annuities
			7 Other money income
			8 Military pay and allowances
2	392-393	N	AGE
			15-79 Actual age
			80 Eighty or more

NOTE If there is no wife in the household then all wife's personal data items will be zero.

Size Position Type Variable Titles and Codes

WIFE'S CHARACTERISTICS AND INCOME [CONTINUED]

1	394	N	EDUCATION 1 No schooling or elementary 2 9 or 10 years of elementary and secondary 3 11-13 years of elementary and secondary 4 Some post-secondary 5 Post-secondary certificate or diploma 6 University degree
1	395	N	MOTHER TONGUE 0 Special unit (see introduction) 1 English 2 French 3 Other
1	396	N	CLASS OF WORKER (CURRENT OR LAST JOB) 1 Paid 2 Self-employed 3 Unpaid family worker 4 Never worked before 5 Last worked more than five years ago

NOTE If there is no wife in the household then all wife's personal data items will be zero.

Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes
WIFE'S CHARACTERISTICS AND INCOME [CONCLUDED]			
2	397-398	N	1980 OCCUPATIONAL CLASSIFICATION [CURRENT OR LAST JOB] - 13-GROUPS Same as for head (see positions 342-343)
2	399-400	N	1980 OCCUPATIONAL CLASSIFICATION [CURRENT OR LAST JOB] - 49-GROUPS Same as for head (see positions 344-345)
1	401	N	LABOUR FORCE STATUS (REFERENCE WEEK) 1 Employed 2 Unemployed 3 Not in labour force
2	402-403	N	WEEKS WORKED IN REFERENCE YEAR 00 None 01-52 Actual number of weeks
1	404	N	WORKED MOSTLY FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME IN REFERENCE YEAR 1 Full-time 2 Part-time 3 Did not work in reference year
PRIMARY ECONOMIC FAMILY DATA			
2	405-406	N	NUMBER OF PERSONS
2	407-408	N	NUMBER OF ADULTS
2	409-410	N	NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 7 YEARS OF AGE

Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes
PRIMARY ECONOMIC FAMILY DATA [CONTINUED]			
2	411-412	N	NUMBER OF CHILDREN 7-15 YEARS OF AGE
2	413-414	N	NUMBER OF CHILDREN 16-17 YEARS OF AGE
2	415-416	N	NUMBER OF CHILDREN 18-24 YEARS OF AGE
2	417-418	N	CHARACTERISTICS
			01 Unattached individual
			02 Husband-wife family
			03 Husband-wife family with single child(ren)
			04 Husband-wife family with married children and their immediate families, if any
			05 Husband-wife family with single and married children and their immediate families, if any
			06 Husband-wife family, single and/or married children and their immediate families, and other relatives
			07 Husband-wife family with relatives other than own children
			08 Male parent with single child(ren)
			09 Female parent with single child(ren)
			10 All other families
1	419	N	LIFE CYCLE
			1 Unattached individual, under 45 years of age
			2 Unattached individual, age 45 or over
			3 Husband-wife family, head under 45, no children under 16 years of age
			4 Husband-wife family, head under 45, with children under age 16 years
			5 Husband-wife family, head 45 or over, no children under age 16 years
			6 Husband-wife family, head 45 or over, with children under age 16 years
			7 Irregular family with no children under age 16 years
			8 Irregular family with children under age 16 years

Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes
PRIMARY ECONOMIC FAMILY DATA [CONTINUED]			
1	420	N	MAJOR SOURCE OF INCOME 1 No income 2 Wages and salaries 3 Net income from self-employment 4 Government transfer payments 5 Net income from investment 6 Retirement pensions, superannuation and annuities 7 Other money income 8 Military pay and allowances
2	421-422	N	NUMBER OF EARNERS
2	423-424	N	NUMBER OF PERSONS WITH INCOME
1	425	N	REVISED (1969) LOW INCOME CODE 1 Below low income cut-off 2 Equal to or above low income cut-off
1	426	N	REVISED (1978) LOW INCOME CODE 1 Below low income cut-off 2 Equal to or above low income cut-off

NOTE Item names preceded by a "\$" are given in actual dollars. The first position of each dollar field contains a "+" or a "-" sign to indicate whether the value is positive (+) or negative (-) and the following seven positions give the actual numeric value.

Valid **rent data** is given only for non-farm rented dwellings with type of dwelling codes 1-5. Other dwellings (plus rented dwellings from special areas) are coded "not applicable".

Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes
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PRIMARY ECONOMIC FAMILY DATA [CONCLUDED]

8	427-434	N	\$ TOTAL EARNINGS
8	435-442	N	\$ TOTAL INVESTMENT INCOME
8	443-450	N	\$ TOTAL GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS
8	451-458	N	\$ MISCELLANEOUS INCOME
8	459-466	N	\$ TOTAL INCOME
8	467-474	N	\$ INCOME AFTER TAX

RENT DATA

1	475	N	HEATING INCLUDED IN RENT
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1 Yes
2 No
8 Not applicable

3	476-478	N	RENT PAID FOR APRIL of SURVEY YEAR
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000 No rent or rent not ascertained (subsidized dwellings only)
001-799 Actual amount
800 \$800 or more
888 Not applicable

NOTE Valid rent data is given only for non-farm rented dwellings with type of dwelling codes 1-5. Other dwellings (plus rented dwellings from special areas) are coded "not applicable".

Size	Position	Type	Variable Titles and Codes
RENT DATA [CONCLUDED]			
1	479	N	RENT SUBSIDIZED 1 Yes, subsidized by government, employer or relatives 2 No 8 Not applicable
1	480	N	RENT FOR COMBINED BUSINESS AND LIVING ACCOMMODATION 1 Yes 2 No 8 Not applicable 9 Not ascertained
1	481	N	UTILITIES INCLUDED IN RENT (HOT WATER, COLD WATER, ELECTRICITY) 1 None included 2 Some included 3 All included 8 Not applicable 9 Not ascertained
1	482	N	APPLIANCES INCLUDED IN RENT (REFRIGERATOR, STOVE, DISHWASHER, FREE LAUNDRY) 1 None 2 One appliance 3 Two appliances 4 Three or more items included 8 Not applicable 9 Not ascertained
1	483	N	OTHER ITEMS INCLUDED IN RENT (CABLE TV, POOL, SAUNA, FURNITURE, PARKING) 1 No extra items included 2 One item included 3 Two items included 4 Three or more items included 8 Not applicable 9 Not ascertained
5	484-488	N	Final Universal Weight (1991 base)
1	489	N	Low Income Cutoff (1969 base)
1	490	N	Low Income Cutoff (1978 base)

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HOUSEHOLD SEQUENCE NUMBER

Description

This variable is a unique five-digit number which identifies each household on the file. The numbers begin with 00001 and increment by one for each new household in the sample up to a maximum of 30741. Special Household Units have been numbered from 99001 to 99100.

STANDARD GEOGRAPHIC CODE

Description This two digit code identifies the province and region in which the surveyed unit is located. The first digit of the code gives the regional location and the second digit identifies the province. Note the "00" code for Special Household Units.

Code 1st digit	Classification	Code 2nd digit	Classification
0	Special Household Unit	0	Special Household Unit
1	Atlantic	0	Newfoundland
		1	Prince Edward Island
		2	Nova Scotia
		3	New Brunswick
2	Quebec	4	Quebec
3	Ontario	5	Ontario
4	Prairies	6	Manitoba
		7	Saskatchewan
		8	Alberta
5	British Columbia	9	British Columbia

AREA

Description

This variable indicates the population size of the area in which the surveyed unit is located. Population figures used to classify this variable were obtained from the 1981 Census and apply to the population covered by the Labour Force Survey within 1981 Census boundaries to conform with the sample design.

In five cases where urban centres are unique in a given area category for their province, they have been placed in another category. Two centres, Halifax and Saint John, have been moved down one category. St. John's, which was unique in the next lower category, was moved down two categories and Victoria was moved up one category. Brandon was moved up two categories.

Code	Classification
1	Large urban centres with a population of 500,000 or more
2	Large urban centres with a population of 100,000 to 499,999
3	Minor urban centres with a population of 30,000 to 99,999
4	Other urban centres with a population under 30,000
5	Rural areas

NOTE:

The following page gives the cities included under codes 1, 2 and 3.

AREA (CONCLUDED)

Code 1 - Population 500,000 or more

Québec-Lévis	Ottawa-Hull	Hamilton-Burlington	Calgary	Vancouver
Montréal	Toronto	Winnipeg-Brandon ¹	Edmonton	Victoria ²

Code 2 - Population 100,000 to 499,999

Chicoutimi-Jonquière	London	Sudbury
Trois-Rivières	Oshawa	Thunder Bay
Sherbrooke	Windsor	Regina
St. Catharines-Niagara	Kitchener-Waterloo	Saskatoon

Code 3 - Population 30,000 to 99,999

Halifax ²	Joliette	Brantford	Moose Jaw
Sydney-Glace Bay	Saleberry de Valleyfield	Sarnia	Prince Albert
Sydney Mines	St-Jean	Chatham	Medicine Hat
Moncton	St-Hyacinthe	Halton Hills	Lethbridge
Saint John ²	Sorel	Newcastle	Red Deer
Fredericton	Baie Comeau	St. Thomas	Fort McMurray
Rimouski	Sept-Îles	Woodstock	Chilliwack
Shawinigan	Kingston	Guelph	Kelowna
Victoriaville	Cornwall	Barrie	Kamloops
St-Jérôme	Peterborough	Sault Ste-Marie	Namaimo
Drummondville	Belleville-Trenton	Timmins	Prince George
Granby	North Bay	Matsqui-Mission City	

¹ The population of Brandon is actually 30,000 to 99,999.

² The population of Victoria, Halifax and Saint John is actually 100,000 to 499,999.

FINAL HOUSEHOLD WEIGHT

Description This is a three-digit variable which is computed to provide weights to inflate the sample to pre-determined population totals. It is actually 10% of the true weight so any aggregate calculated should be multiplied by 10. The weight must be used to produce valid statistics from this tape.

However, all estimated numbers and aggregates obtained from this survey should be treated as only approximate. The reliability of the survey's estimates depends on the quality of independent population estimates used to determine the weights. The survey has to use estimates which are available at the time when the survey is processed. Frequently only preliminary figures are available then. Better estimates become available later but, due to the time lag and for other reasons, this data set is not re-weighted.

For information on the principle behind weighting and on the actual calculation of these weights see Catalogue No. 13-567 or Catalogue No. 64-202.

Following each decennial census, the sample design of the Labor Force Survey is revised to incorporate recent developments in sampling methodology and to reflect population changes indicated by the most recent census data. The latest redesigned sample was implemented in January 1985, to replace the design in use since 1975.

For information on the redesign of the Labour Force Survey sample, see the feature article published in **THE LABOUR FORCE, JANUARY 1985**, Catalogue No. 71-001.

For information on implications of the weights and sample design for data usage see "Sample Design and Implications" in this documentation.

HOUSEHOLD INCOME, FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT, 1986 INCOME

REVISED WEIGHTS

SPECIAL NOTE TO USERS: REVISED WEIGHTS (1986 INCOME)

This microdata file contains a revised weight ("Revised Universal Weight") in positions 484-488. The revised weight comes from a new weighting procedure based on updated population counts from the 1991 census. This weight replaces the original weight ("Final Universal Weight") in position 10-12.

The revised weight is a 100% value while the original weight was a 10% value. The variable description on page 5 for the weight, stating that "...any aggregate calculated (from the file) should be multiplied by 10..." does not apply to the new weight, ie., the new weight should be used directly, without multiplying by 10.

The "SCF Income Estimates" on page 121 to 124 are included in this documentation package to permit users to verify their analytical/tabulation programs used with this file. The "sample count" values are simple counts of the file sample records and are not affected by the revised weights. The "weighted counts"/"Total weighted values", however, are derived from the revised weights in positions 484-488. Therefore, any weighted counts calculated from the file should use the original weight for reconciliation purposes. All final analysis and tabulations, though, should use the revised weight.

HOUSEHOLD NUMBER OF PERSONS

Description This variable gives the actual number of persons in the household.

HOUSEHOLD NUMBER OF ADULTS

Description This variable gives the actual number of adults in the household. The head of the household is an adult, as well as heads of economic families within the household and any other member of the household who is married or has been married, and any single person 16 years of age or over.

HOUSEHOLD NUMBER OF PERSONS AGED 65 OR OVER

Description This variable gives the actual number of persons aged 65 years or more in the household.

Source Household Record Docket, Form 03.

HOUSEHOLD NUMBER OF CHILDREN

Description This series of variables gives the actual number of children in the household who belong in each of the categories listed below. In addition to the household head's own children, this includes grandchildren, brothers, sisters, guardianship children, and children of other families present in the household. Children age 16-24 are also counted as adults in the household (see Household Number of Adults). Any household members aged 15 who are heads of an economic family will not be included as children here but as adults in the household.

Categories

- (a) Under 7 years of Age
- (b) 7-15 Years of Age
- (c) 16-17 Years of Age
- (d) 18-24 Years of Age

Source Household Record Docket, Form 03.

NOTE: Counts of children 18 to 24 years of age includes married children, sons-in-law and daughters-in-law living with each economic family. Counts of children under 18 include never married children only.

HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION

Description This variable gives the number and type of economic family units in the household. An economic family is defined as a group of individuals sharing a common dwelling unit and related by blood, marriage or adoption. An unattached individual is a person living by himself or rooming in a household where he is not related to other household members.

Code	Classification
1	One unattached individual
2	One economic family of two or more persons
3	Multi-unit household containing only unattached individuals
4	Multi-unit household containing at least one family of two or more persons

HOUSEHOLD DEPENDENCE ON FARM INCOME

Description The code for this variable gives the level of dependency of the household on net income from farm self-employment as a percentage of the household's total income.

Code	Classification
1	No farm income
2	Dependence under 40%
3	Dependence 40-49%
4	Dependence 50-59%
5	Dependence 60% or more

HOUSEHOLD/HEAD/WIFE

MAJOR SOURCE OF INCOME

Description This variable gives the largest source of income for the household, the head and the wife. The absolute values in the categories shown below are compared to find out which is the largest. If the largest absolute value is common to more than one variable, then the lowest code is selected.

Code	Classification
1	No income
2	Wages and salaries
3	Net income from self-employment
4	Total government transfer payments
5	Total income from investment
6	Retirement pensions, superannuation and annuities
7	Other money income
8	Military Pay and Allowances*

Source Income questionnaire, Form CF06.

* Military pay and allowances were included with wages and salaries on the 1984 and 1985 household income files (1985 and 1986 facilities and equipment).

HOUSEHOLD NUMBER OF EARNERS

Description This variable gives the actual number of persons in the household who received income from wages, salaries, military pay and allowances, self-employment (farm and non-farm) and/or roomers and boarders.

HOUSEHOLD NUMBER OF PERSONS WITH INCOME

Description This variable gives the actual number of persons in the household who received income from any of the sources collected in the survey.

WAGES AND SALARIES

Description

This variable gives the sum of amounts reported by all individuals in the household on account of wages and salaries from all types of civilian employment.

Included are gross cash wages and salaries received during the reference year from all jobs, before deductions for pension funds, hospital insurance, income taxes, Canada Savings Bonds, etc. Tips of such employees as waiters and porters, earnings of farm labourers, cleaning women, newspaper boys and baby-sitters as well as net commissions (gross commissions less expenses) of a salesperson who worked for only one company at a time and did not pay for his/her own office and staff are included here.

The value of taxable allowances and benefits provided by the employers, such as free lodging, bursaries, travelling expenses, etc. are not included.

The wages and salaries reported should amount to the "total earnings before deductions" as shown in box C of the T-4 slips less the value of "taxable allowances and benefits" shown in box K to O plus tips and gratuities and casual earnings for which no T-4 slips were provided. This variable is always positive.

Source

Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

MILITARY PAY AND ALLOWANCES

<u>Description</u>	<p>This variable gives the sum of amounts reported by all individuals in the household on account of service as a regular member of the Armed Forces of Canada or as a member of a reserve unit, as well as payment to dependents of such servicemen. Special benefits paid upon discharge are also included.</p> <p>This variable is always positive.</p>
<u>Source</u>	<p>Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.</p>

NET INCOME FROM NON-FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT

Description

This variable gives the sum of amounts reported by all individuals in the household on account of various types of non-farm self-employment activities.

Self-employment income is defined as that income received as a result of being a partner in, or sole owner of, an unincorporated business or professional practice. Only the individual's share of net income is included in the case of partnerships. A salesperson who has his/her own office or staff, or who works for more than one firm at a time, reports income under self-employment. Net income is calculated by deducting operating expenses (wages, rent, interest payments, etc.) and depreciation costs from the gross revenue of the business. Items of a capital nature (e.g. investment in new buildings) are excluded from expenses.

Income received from businesses which have corporate status is reported as wages and salaries or as dividends (under investment income).

This variable may be positive, indicating a business profit, or negative, indicating a loss.

Source

Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

NET INCOME FROM FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT

Description

This variable gives the sum of amounts reported by all individuals in the household on account of net income from farm self-employment.

Net income from farming is calculated by deducting operating expenses (wages, rent, interest payments, etc.) and depreciation costs from the gross revenue of the farm. Items of a capital nature (e.g. investment in new buildings) are excluded from expenses. Government supplementary payments are included in gross revenue. The value of income in kind is not included. In the case of partnerships, only the individual's share of net income is included.

Income from farms which have a corporate status is recorded as wages and salaries or dividends, not self-employment income.

This variable may be positive, indicating profits, or negative, indicating losses.

Source

Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

NET INCOME FROM ROOMERS AND BOARDERS

Description This variable gives the sum of net income from roomers and boarders calculated for all individuals in the household reporting gross income from roomers and boarders. Net income is calculated during data processing as one third of the gross amount reported. Payments of room and board from relatives are not included.

This variable is always positive.

Source Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

TOTAL NET INCOME FROM SELF-EMPLOYMENT

Description This variable gives the sum of amounts reported by all individuals in the household on account of net income from self-employment (both farm and non-farm) and net income from roomers and boarders. It equals the sum of the three previous variables.

This variable may be positive or negative.

Source Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

NOTE: 1977 was the first year in which net income from roomers and boarders was included in total self-employment income.

TOTAL EARNINGS

Description

This variable gives the sum of amounts reported on account of wages and salaries, military pay and allowances, net income from both farm and non-farm self-employment and net income from roomers and boarders.

This variable is given separately on this tape for the household, primary economic family, head and spouse.

This variable may be positive or negative.

Source

Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

NOTE:

1977 was the first year in which net income from roomers and boarders was included in total earnings.

TOTAL INCOME FROM INVESTMENT

Description This variable gives the sum of amounts reported by all individual in the household on account of investment income.

This source of income includes interest received on bonds, deposits and savings certificates from Canadian or foreign sources, dividends received from Canadian and foreign corporate stocks, cash dividends received from insurance policies, net rental income from real estate and farms, interest received on loans and mortgages, regular income from an estate or trust fund and other investment income.

This variable is given separately on this tape for the household and the primary economic family.

This variable may be positive or negative.

Source Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

NOTE for the 1986 income file (1987 facilities and equipment):

Any cash bonuses relating to Canada Savings Bonds which were received in 1986 and were reported as interest income on the Individual Income Tax Return, Form T1, are included in Total Income from Investment.

Canada Savings Bonds, Series S32 and S34, matured on November 1986. The amount of accrued interest received in 1986 as shown on the Ownership Certificate (T600), should be included here but not the principal.

FAMILY AND YOUTH ALLOWANCES

Description

This variable gives the amount received by the household on account of Federal and Provincial family and youth allowances. The Provincial program included is for Quebec.

The amount of family and youth allowances received is reported by the person who claimed a personal tax exemption for the child(ren) for whom the allowance was paid. If neither parent (or guardian) claimed an exemption for the child(ren), the person to whom the cheque was made out was to report the payments. This reporting procedure has been used since the survey of 1975 incomes. Prior to that, the male parent or guardian reported the family allowance benefits.

Family allowances were assigned to some families because the amounts they reported did not fall within limits defined by the number and ages of children in the family at the time of the survey and the province of residence.

This variable is always positive.

Source

Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

CHILD TAX CREDIT

Description

This variable gives the amount of the Child Tax Credit as claimed on the T1 Schedule 10 (if a Child Tax Credit Prepayment was received) or on the T1-General or the T1-Special Individual Income Tax Return (if a Prepayment was not received). This amount was to be reported on the survey questionnaire by the person who received the Family Allowance payment as of December, of the reference year (usually the female parent). If tax credits were this person's only source of income, the amount was transferred to the spouse. (Family Allowance payments, however, are reported by the person who claimed the children for a tax deduction.)

It should be noted that the tax credit amount reported is for the reference year. This amount may have been received in cash (in the survey year as well as during the reference year for any Prepayment amounts) or may have only resulted in a reduction in total income tax payable.

This variable is always positive.

Source

Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

OLD AGE SECURITY, GUARANTEED INCOME SUPPLEMENT AND SPOUSE'S ALLOWANCE

Description

This variable gives the sum of amounts received by all individuals 65 years of age and over in the household on account of Old Age Security Pensions and the Guaranteed Income Supplement and the eligible spouses age 60-65 who received Spouses' Allowances. Supplements from provincial governments are included in Social Assistance and Provincial Income Supplements.

This variable is always positive.

Source

Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

CANADA/QUEBEC PENSION PLAN BENEFITS

Description

This variable gives the sum of amounts reported by all individuals in the household as benefits received under the Canada/Quebec Pension Plans.

This includes retirement pensions, survivor's benefits such as widow's pensions, disabled widower's pensions, orphan's benefits, and disability pensions with benefits for dependent children of disability pensioners. Lump sum death benefits received under these plans are not included.

This variable is always positive.

Source

Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE (UIC) BENEFITS

Description This variable gives the sum of the amounts reported by all individuals in the household on account of the Unemployment Insurance scheme. This should equal the amount from the "Total Benefits" box of the T-4U Income Tax slip and includes benefits for sickness, maternity, work-sharing, retraining and retirement. Benefits paid to self-employed fishermen are also included.

This variable is always positive.

Source Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

SOCIAL ASSISTANCE AND PROVINCIAL INCOME SUPPLEMENTS

Description

This variable gives the sum of amounts reported by all individuals in the household as received for social assistance from Provincial or Municipal governments. Also included are payments received from provincial income supplement programs.

Benefits include assistance to needy mothers with dependent children, to the blind and disabled as well as other cash payments to any persons in need.

This variable is always positive.

Source

Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

OTHER INCOME FROM GOVERNMENT SOURCES
(INCLUDING PROVINCIAL TAX CREDITS)

Description

This variable gives the sum of amounts reported by the individual on account of all other payments received from federal, provincial or municipal governments not reported in previous variable fields. As of 1981 it also includes provincial tax credits as claimed on Individual Income Tax Return Forms.

Examples of payments included are veteran's pensions, pensions to widows and dependents of veterans, civilian war allowances, worker's compensation, payments received from Employment and Immigration Canada for training programs administered under the National Training Program, Quebec Work Assistance programs, Quebec Maternity Allowance, regular payments received from provincial automobile insurance plans and provincial grants for home ownership promotion, mortgage interest rate reduction and property improvement.

Provincial tax credits included are the amounts claimed on the Individual Income Tax Returns under "Summary of Tax and Credits" for Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Ontario, Manitoba, Alberta (including Royalty Tax Credit also) and British Columbia. Quebec's Real Estate Tax Refund as claimed on forms TP1AV or TP1GV and Quebec Allowance for Children Under 6 years of age are also included. These amounts may have been received in cash (probably in the survey year) or may have resulted in a reduction in total income tax payable.

This variable is always positive.

Source

Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

TOTAL GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS

<u>Description</u>	<p>This variable gives the sum of amounts received on account of Family and Youth Allowances, Old Age Security pensions and Guaranteed Income Supplement, Canada/Quebec Pension Plan benefits, Unemployment Insurance, Child Tax Credit and Provincial Tax Credits, social assistance and other government transfer payments. It equals the sum of the seven variables preceding it on the record layout.</p> <p>This variable is given separately on this tape for the household, primary economic family, head and spouse.</p> <p>This variable will always be positive.</p>
<u>Source</u>	<p>Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.</p>
<u>NOTE:</u>	<p>1981 was the first year in which Federal Child Tax Credit, Provincial Tax Credits and Quebec Real Estate Tax Refund/Allowance for Children under 6 were included in Total Government Transfer Payments.</p>

TAXABLE GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS

Description

This variable gives the sum of amounts reported as receipts from government transfer programs which are taxable. This amount is calculated during the survey processing, not reported by individuals as the amounts reported on their Individual Tax Returns. This variable should be used with this in mind and any reports or publications derived from this tape using this variable should mention our reservations about its use. The following amounts were included:

1. Family and Youth Allowances - all amounts;
2. Basic Old Age Security (OAS) - Amounts reported as OAS-GIS could be separated into the two components only by assuming that all amounts up to and including a value equal to the basic OAS maximum for reference year were OAS for each recipient;
3. Canada/Quebec Pension Plan Benefits - all amounts;
4. Unemployment Insurance Benefits - all amounts;
5. Any other income from government sources - Respondents were requested to specify the source of these payments.

This variable is given separately on this tape for the household, head and spouse.

This variable is always positive.

Source

Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

NON-TAXABLE GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS

Description

Non-taxable transfers are also calculated during the survey processing and are subject to the same types of errors as taxable transfers. The following amounts are included:

1. Guaranteed Income Supplement (GIS) - Amounts reported as OAS/GIS by any individual which are in excess of the basic OAS maximum value are assumed to be GIS and therefore non-taxable. This is not a strictly accurate procedure as payments received only part of the year may total less than the basic OAS maximum value but may, in fact, include GIS amounts.
2. Social Assistance and Provincial Income Supplements - all amounts.
3. Other Income from Government Sources - Respondents were asked to specify the source of these payments. The following sources were non-taxable:
 - (a) Veteran's pensions,
 - (b) Pensions to widows and dependents of veterans,
 - (c) Workers' Compensation,
 - (d) Naval Pension,
 - (e) Automobile Insurance Board of Quebec.
4. Child Tax Credit* - all amounts.
5. Provincial Tax Credits* - all amounts.

This variable is given separately on this tape for the household, head and spouse.

This variable is always positive.

Source

Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

* Included as of 1981.

RETIREMENT PENSIONS, SUPERANNUATION AND ANNUITIES

Description

This variable gives the sum of amounts reported by all individuals in the household as the result of having been a member of a pension plan of one or more employers, except for pensions received from abroad which are included in Other Money Income (see next page).

Widows or other relatives of a deceased pensioner, who have pension rights under a pension plan or who become beneficiaries in cases guaranteed for a minimum period even if the pensioner dies, include this pension income here (unless it falls under the Canada or Quebec Pension Plan benefits). Also included are pensions of retired R.C.M.P. officers, army personnel and civil servants, and annuity payments received from Canadian Government Annuities Fund, an insurance company or other sources whether or not it was this person who purchased the annuity originally. Pensions received from registered retirement savings plans in the form of a life annuity, a fixed term annuity, a registered retirement investment fund or an income-averaging annuity contract are also included.

Refunds of pension fund contributions because an employee has resigned, are not considered income, and therefore, are not included. Withdrawals from a pension plan or RRSP, or refunds of overcontributions as well as all lump sum benefits are not included. Severance pay is reported in "Other Money Income".

This variable is always positive.

Source

Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

OTHER MONEY INCOME

Description

This variable gives the sum of amounts reported by all individuals in the household on account of other money income not included in the previous variables.

Included in this amount are:

- (a) Money received for the care of children being cared for on behalf of the Children's Aid Society.
- (b) Income received from abroad in Canadian dollar equivalent, including pensions, severance pay and retirement allowances, but not including interest and dividends
- (c) Non-refundable scholarships and bursaries.
- (d) Alimony.
- (e) Royalties on books, oil wells, etc.
- (f) Strike and sick pay from trade unions.
- (g) Payments from an income maintenance insurance plan or a guaranteed annual wage plan.

Excluded are:

- (a) Gambling gains and losses.
- (b) Money inherited during the year in a lump sum.
- (c) Capital gains or losses.
- (d) Receipts from the sale of property or personal belongings.
- (e) Income tax refunds.
- (f) Loans repaid to the respondent as lender.
- (g) Loans received.
- (h) Lump sum settlements of insurance policies.
- (i) Rebates received on property taxes or other taxes.
- (j) Refunds of pension contributions.
- (k) Income in kind.
- (l) Lump sum withdrawals from a Registered Retirement Savings Plan (RRSP).

This variable is always positive.

Source

Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

MISCELLANEOUS INCOME

Description

This variable gives the sum of amounts reported by all individuals in the primary economic family coming from "retirement pensions, superannuation and annuities" and/or "other money income", as described in the previous two variables.

This variable is given on this tape for household primary economic family only.

This variable is always positive.

Source

Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

TOTAL INCOME

Description This variable is given separately on this tape for the household, primary economic family, head and spouse. In each case it is the sum of receipts from the sources described on the preceding pages. The Total Income variable is equal to the sum of the following income items: Total Earnings, Total Income from Investment, Total Government Transfer Payments, Retirement Pensions, Superannuation and Annuities and Other Money Income.

This variable may be positive, negative or zero.

Source Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

NOTE: 1981 was the first year in which Federal Child Tax Credit, Provincial Tax Credits and Quebec Real Estate Tax/Allowance for children under 6 were included in Total Income.

TOTAL INCOME TAX

Description This variable gives the total Federal and Provincial income tax payable by all individuals in the household for the reference year. This is the sum of the amounts stated on each individual Income Tax Return for the household, i.e. income tax actually paid less refund due, or tax paid plus portion still owing.

This variable is always positive.

Source Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

INCOME AFTER TAX

Description

This variable is the sum of the calculated amounts of income after tax for all individuals in the household. Income after tax is calculated by the computer as 'Total Income' minus 'Total Income Tax' for each individual.

This variable is given separately on this tape for the household and the primary economic family.

This variable may be positive or negative.

Source

Income Questionnaire, Form CF06.

TYPE OF DWELLING

Description This variable describes the type of dwelling in which the household members reside. A dwelling is a structurally separate set of living premises with a private entrance from outside the building or from a common hall or stairway. Institutions, hotels, large lodging houses and camps are not included.

A single detached dwelling contains only one dwelling unit and is completely separated by open space on all sides from any other structure.

A double consists of two self-contained dwelling units attached side by side which are separated by a common wall extending from ground to roof.

A row or terrace unit is in a row of three or more dwellings sharing common walls extending from ground to roof and in which there are no other dwellings either above or below. This includes garden homes and town houses. In addition, a single house attached to a non-residential structure (such as a store, church, etc.) but separated from it by a wall extending from ground to roof is coded as row or terrace.

A duplex is a structure originally designed or later converted to provide two self-contained dwelling units, one above the other, and adjoining no other structure. This includes basement apartments with only one dwelling above.

The classification "apartment or flat" includes each self-contained unit in an apartment block, triplex, double-duplex, or other combination of three or more dwellings under one roof (excluding rows) and each self-contained unit over or within a non-residential structure.

"Other" dwelling consists of mobile homes, trailers, tents and other units which are used as permanent residences and are capable of being moved on short notice.

TYPE OF DWELLING - Concluded

If the interviewer failed to complete this question the household was assigned the same type of dwelling as the nearest household in the same cluster.

Code	Classification
1	Single detached
2	Double
3	Row or terrace
4	Duplex
5	Apartment or flat
6	Other

Source Household Record Docket, Form 03.

CONDOMINIUM

Description This item indicates dwelling units in a registered condominium complex, such as an apartment or townhouse complex, in which each residential unit is owned outright by the individual owner with certain common elements, including land, owned in common with other owners. Single detached condominiums, a relatively new occurrence, are also included. Since 1980, only owner-occupied condominiums are included.

Code	Classification
0	Not a condominium
1	Condominium

Source HFE Schedule.

PERIOD BUILDING CONSTRUCTED

Description This variable gives the year or period in which the original building was constructed. It is not the year the building was converted to add new dwelling units, if such work was done.

Code	Classification
1	Before 1941
2	1941-1950
3	1951-1960
4	1961-1970
5	1971-1980
6	1981-Survey year

Source HFE Schedule.

TENURE

Description This variable gives the housing status of the household at the time of the Labour Force Survey in April.

Code	Classification
1	Owned with mortgage
2	Owned without mortgage
3	Rented for cash, other

The coding of this variable is derived from the Household Record Docket which asks simply if the dwelling is owned by a member of the household. It is assumed that this is the tenure of the first economic family listed on the questionnaire.

The "other" category includes cases where rent is paid in kind (by services or partly in cash and partly in kind or services), on a share-cropping basis, where it covers both living and business premises, or where the premises are rent free.

A dwelling is considered "owned" whether or not it has been fully paid for. Dwellings in multiple dwelling structures (e.g. apartment buildings) which are owned under a co-ownership arrangement are also "owned". People living in condominiums which are not yet registered are not coded as owners.

Source Household Record Docket, Form 03.

NUMBER OF ROOMS IN DWELLING

Description This variable indicates the total number of rooms in the dwelling which are used or suitable for living quarters, including kitchens, rooms occupied by servants, lodgers and members of lodging families, but excluding rooms used solely for business purposes, clothes closets, bathrooms and storage rooms. Summer kitchens, sunrooms, rooms in basements and attics are not included unless they are finished and suitable for living quarters throughout the year. Kitchenettes are included if they contain both cooking facilities and an installed sink or tub. Rooms divided by any means such as a wall unit, bookcase, screen, arch, etc., are counted as separate rooms if considered as such by the respondent.

Code	Classification
01-12	Actual number of rooms
13	Thirteen or more

Source HFE Schedule.

NUMBER OF BEDROOMS

Description This variable indicates the number of rooms in the dwelling which are designed and furnished as bedrooms and used as such, even though the use may be occasional. It does not include rooms which were designed originally as bedrooms but are furnished and used primarily for other purposes such as dining rooms, study rooms and bedsitting rooms. The dwelling may contain no bedrooms, as in the case of a bachelor apartment.

Code	Classification
0-6	Actual number of bedrooms
7	Seven or more

Source HFE Schedule.

TYPE OF PRINCIPAL HEATING EQUIPMENT

Description The code in this variable gives the type of heating equipment which is chiefly used to heat the dwelling in winter.

Code	Classification
1	Steam or hot water furnace
2	Forced hot air furnace (includes furnaces with a heat pump)
3	Other hot air furnace (includes gravity furnaces)
4	Heating stove (includes wood stoves)
5	Electric heating
6	Cookstove or other

Source HFE Schedule.

LENGTH OF TIME SINCE PRINCIPAL HEATING EQUIPMENT INSTALLED

Description This variable indicates how long ago the heating equipment described in the previous field was installed. If the original furnace has been converted to use a different fuel, the date of the conversion is coded.

Code	Classification
1	5 or less years
2	6 to 10 years
3	More than 10 years

Source HFE Schedule.

FUEL FOR PRINCIPAL HEATING EQUIPMENT

Description The principal winter fuel used in the heating equipment described on previous page is given here.

Code	Classification
1	Oil or other liquid fuel
2	Piped gas (includes natural gas)
3	Bottled gas (includes liquid propane)
4	Electricity
5	Wood
6	Other

Source HFE Schedule.

SPECIAL HEATING EQUIPMENT FEATURES

Description "Special features" refer to attachments that works in combination with the principal heating so that the dwelling is heated more economically. The special features must be a part of the central heating system, controlled automatically by a central control unit. Heating equipment which operates independently of the principal heating equipment is not included.

Code	Classification
0	None
1	Heat pump
2	Dual-Fuel system
3	Other (includes solar panels)

Source HFE Schedule.

SUPPLEMENTARY HEATING EQUIPMENT

Description This variable identifies the types of heating equipment used to supplement heat produced by the principal heating equipment. This equipment can be used to heat one or more rooms. The supplementary heating equipment is a separate piece of equipment and operates independently of the principal heating equipment. Dual-fuel furnaces and fireplaces are not included.

Code	Classification
0	None
1	Heating stove
2	Cookstove or range
3	Portable heater
4	Other

Source HFE Schedule.

FUEL FOR SUPPLEMENTARY HEATING EQUIPMENT

Description This variable indicates the fuel used in the supplementary heating equipment.

Code	Classification
0	Not applicable
1	Oil or other liquid fuel
2	Gas
3	Electricity
4	Wood
5	Other

Source HFE Schedule.

FUEL-BURNING FIREPLACE

Description This variable identifies the presence of a fuel-burning fireplace in the household. It's a fuel-burning fireplace if it can be used to burn wood, wood chips, coal, paper logs, gas, etc. If the fireplace contains electric logs (that simulate burning wood logs) or an electric heater, "No" is coded.

Code	Classification
0	No
1	Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY

Description This variable indicates the type of water supply the dwelling receives. Piped water means water which can be turned on and off by means of a tap. Hot and cold water refers to dwellings with separate pipes for hot and cold water. Water from a hand pump located inside the dwelling is not piped running water, but water which is piped into a tank governed by a water pressure gauge (with no hand pump) is. If the interviewer did not complete this question, the household was assigned the same code as the nearest household in the same cluster.

Code	Classification
0	No piped running water
1	Hot and cold water piped inside
2	Cold water only piped inside

Source HFE Schedule.

FUEL FOR PIPED HOT WATER SUPPLY

Description This variable gives the type of fuel used for the piped hot water supply (i.e., code for type of Water Supply is 1).

Code	Classification
0	No piped hot water
1	Oil or other liquid fuel
2	Piped gas (includes natural gas)
3	Bottled gas (includes liquid propane)
4	Electricity
5	Wood or other

Source HFE Schedule.

BATHROOMS WITH INSTALLED BATHTUB OR SHOWER

Description This variable counts the number of rooms in the dwelling with an installed bathtub and/or shower. It is not necessary for the rooms to include a sink or toilet. Installed bath or shower facilities are operated from a piped water source and are controlled by a tap and drain.

Code	Classification
0	No installed bathtub or shower
1	One bathroom (exclusive use)
2	Two or more bathrooms (exclusive use)
3	Bath facilities shared with another household

Source HFE Schedule.

TOILET FACILITIES

Description This variable gives a count of the toilet facilities located within the dwelling and used exclusively by the members of this household.

Code	Classification
0	No flush toilet or chemical toilet inside dwelling
1	One flush toilet
2	Two flush toilets
3	Three or more flush toilets
4	Chemical or other type (humus, electric, etc.)
5	Toilet facilities shared with another household

Source HFE Schedule.

FUEL FOR PRINCIPAL COOKING EQUIPMENT

Description This variable gives the main fuel used in the range or stove on which the household does most of the cooking. "Other" includes combination electric/wood or electric/coal stoves.

Code	Classification
0	No cooking equipment
1	Oil or other liquid fuel
2	Piped gas (includes natural gas)
3	Bottled gas (includes liquid propane)
4	Electricity
5	Wood or other

Source HFE Schedule.

MICROWAVE OVEN

Description This variable indicates whether or not the household owns a microwave oven. Microwave ovens cook food using radiation, and must have time setting controls.

Code Classification

0 No
1 Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

NUMBER OF REFRIGERATORS

Description This item gives the number of refrigerators used by the household, and includes only those units operated by an electric motor, piped or bottled gas, kerosene, etc. If the household uses only an ice box, ice-house, spring house, well cooler, root cellar, open spring or other means of storing perishable food, "No electrical or mechanical refrigerator" is coded. This item does not refer to home freezers which are a separate item.

Code Classification

0 No electrical or mechanical refrigerator
1-2 Actual number of refrigerators
3 Three or more

Source HFE Schedule.

HOME FREEZER

Description This variable indicates whether or not the household has a freezer within the dwelling premises or elsewhere within the boundaries of the property (owned or leased) on which the dwelling is situated. A home freezer is an individual piece of equipment and not part of a refrigeration unit such as the freezer compartment in a refrigerator.

Code Classification

0 No
1 Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

WASHING MACHINE

Description This variable describes the type of machine which this household uses to wash clothes and which is located either inside this dwelling or is for the exclusive use of members of this household. Machines, coin-operated or not, located outside the dwelling and shared with other households are not included. If there is more than one washing machine in the household, the one that is used most is coded.

An automatic washer is fully automatic with wash and rinse cycles. Fully automatic apartment size washers are included here.

An electric wringer washer consists of a tub with an agitator to wash the clothes and an attached wringer.

All electric washers excluded from the above categories, (such as spin-dry non automatic washers and twin-tub spinner washers) are coded "other electric washer".

Code	Classification
0	No electric washing machine
1	Automatic washer
2	Electric wringer washer
3	Other electric washer

Source HFE Schedule.

CLOTHES DRYER

Description This variable describes the type of clothes dryer in this dwelling or which is for the exclusive use of the members of this household. Machines located outside this dwelling and which are jointly used with other households are not included.

Code	Classification
0	No clothes dryer
1	Electric dryer
2	Gas dryer

Source HFE Schedule.

AIR CONDITIONER

Description This variable indicates the type of air conditioner which the household uses. A central unit is designed to cool the air in the entire building and may be located either inside or outside this dwelling unit, e.g. in the basement of an apartment block. A window-type unit is installed in a window or through a wall in order to cool the air in a room.

Code	Classification
0	No air conditioner
1	Window type
2	Central unit

Source HFE Schedule.

AUTOMATIC DISHWASHER

Description This variable tells whether or not the household owns and uses an automatic dishwasher operated with a motor and controlled by cycles.

Code	Classification
0	None
1	Built-in model
2	Portable model

Source HFE Schedule.

NUMBER OF TELEPHONES

Description This variable gives the number of telephones, including extensions (not jacks) in the dwelling.

Code	Classification
0-4	Actual number of telephones
5	Five or more

Source HFE Schedule.

NUMBER OF DIFFERENT TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Description This variable gives the number of different telephone numbers (lines), including business lines (not extension telephones) in the dwelling.

Code	Classification
0-2	Actual Number
3	Three or more

Source HFE Schedule.

NUMBER OF RADIOS

Description This variable gives the number of radios owned and presently in use by members of the household except those permanently installed in cars. Radios in combination units with record players, televisions or tape recorders are included.

Code	Classification
0-8	Actual number of radios
9	Nine or more

Source HFE Schedule.

NUMBER OF F.M. RADIOS

Description This variable indicates the number of radios included in the previous variable which have an F.M. band.

Code	Classification
0-8	Actual number
9	Nine or more

Source HFE Schedule.

TOTAL NUMBER OF T.V. SETS/COLOUR T.V. SETS/BLACK AND WHITE T.V. SETS

Description These three variables give the number of colour and black and white televisions owned or leased for the use of this household. These may be separate or combined with a radio, record player or tape recorder.

TOTAL T.V. SETS		COLOUR T.V. SETS		BLACK AND WHITE T.V. SETS	
Code	Classification	Code	Classification	Code	Classification
0-4	Actual number	0-3	Actual number	0-2	Actual number
5	Five or more	4	Four or more	3	Three or more

Source HFE Schedule.

CABLE TELEVISION

Description This variable indicates whether the dwelling is hooked-up for cable television service whether or not it is used. Cable television provides subscribers with additional television channels which are normally outside the local reception area of domestic television sets. This service is paid for on a yearly/monthly basis by subscribing householders or landlords who include this service as part of the rental agreement.

Code	Classification
0	No
1	Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

CABLE CONVERTER

Description A cable converter is used with cable television to permit a wider selection of channels than those available in the standard TV tuner. The converter may be built-in (on late model TV sets) or take the form of an add-on with a remote control channel selector. The selector will either be connected to the converter unit directly or will communicate with it through electronic wireless signals.

Code	Classification
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0	No
1	Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

VIDEO RECORDER

Description This variable indicates whether the household owns a video recorder. These are units which play video cassettes when attached to a television or monitor. They must be able to record and play back television broadcasts. Includes both BETA and VHS equipment. Excluded are video disk units which can play only pre-recorded disks.

Code	Classification
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0	No
1	Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES

Description This variable gives the number of automobiles owned by members of the household excluding those used solely for business purposes. Cars owned or leased by a company, vans, recreational 4 x 4 trucks, dune buggies, panel and other trucks are excluded. Station wagons are included. These vehicles must have a current licence and be in working order.

Code	Classification
0-3	Actual number of automobiles
4	Four or more

Source HFE Schedule.

NUMBER OF VANS, TRUCKS

Description This variable is similar to the previous but refers to vans, jeeps, panel and other trucks, which are used primarily as passenger vehicles and not for business purposes. These vehicles must have a current licence and be in working order.

Code	Classification
0-3	Actual number of vans or trucks
4	Four or more

Source HFE Schedule.

SMOKE DETECTOR

Description Smoke detectors are designed to sound an alarm because smoke reveals the presence of fire. Include only smoke detectors located inside the dwelling. Do not include those detectors installed in hallways of apartment buildings or row houses.

Code	Classification
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0	No
1	Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

PORTABLE FIRE EXTINGUISHER

Description Portable fire extinguishers are devices containing chemicals such as carbon dioxide that can be sprayed on a fire to put it out. Include only fire extinguishers located inside the dwelling.

Do not include extinguishers located in hallways of apartment buildings or row houses. Do not include fire extinguishers stored in the garage or in a car.

Code	Classification
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0	No
1	Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

NUMBER OF ADULT-SIZE BICYCLES

Description This variable gives the number of two-wheel pedal bicycles with one or two seats which are owned and used by persons 15 years of age and over in the household. Tricycles and other children's bicycles are excluded, as are powered bicycles and motorcycles.

Code Classification

0-4 Actual number

5 Five or more

Source HFE Schedule.

NUMBER OF MOTORCYCLES

Description This variable gives the number of motorcycles owned and used by members of the household. Included are any motorized two-wheel vehicles licensed for use as transportation on public roadways (including mopeds and power-driven bicycles) provided that they are in working condition.

Code Classification

0-2 Actual number

3 Three or more

Source HFE Schedule.

NUMBER OF SNOWMOBILES

Description This variable gives the number of snowmobiles owned and used by members of the household. A snowmobile is a power driven tracked vehicle for use in snow. It is designed to carry no more than one or two persons. Included are those snowmobiles used primarily for recreation and not for business purposes.

Code	Classification
0	None
1	One
2	Two or more

Source HFE Schedule.

LAWNMOWERS

Description This variable refers to either hand-pushed or riding mowers. They can be manual or power-driven.

If a household owns both a power-driven and a handmower, mark only the power mower by indicating whether it is operated by gas or electricity.

Code	Classification
0	None
1	Gas
2	Electric
3	Hand-mower

Source HFE Schedule.

SNOWBLOWER

Description This variable refers to count any machine designed to throw snow from sidewalks and driveways, whether it be operated by gas or electricity and either pushed (self-propelled) or ridden. It excludes power-driven snow shovels.

Code	Classification
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0	No
1	Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

DOWNHILL SKIS

Description This variable includes skis used for pleasure skiing, slalom, downhill racing and free style skiing.

Code	Classification
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0	No
1	Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

CROSS-COUNTRY SKIS

Description This variable includes cross-country skis used for trail skiing, touring, racing and marathon skiing, mountaineering and telemark skis. It excludes snowshoes.

Modern cross-country skis are normally lighter and narrower than downhill skis and are attached with a looser binding to a lighter weight boot than downhill skis. Both types of skis are made in a variety of materials.

Code	Classification
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0	No
1	Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

VACATION HOME IN CANADA

Description This variable indicates a vacation home in Canada refers to a cottage, cabin, chalet or mobile home permanently located on a site and maintained mainly for personal use by members of the household. It excludes trailers or semi-permanent mobile homes. The vacation home must be located in Canada to be counted for the survey.

Code	Classification
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0	No
1	Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

CANOE

Description This variable includes canoes with motors used to "assist" paddles. It excludes kayaks.

Code Classification

0 No
1 Yes

ROW BOAT, SKIFF, ETC.

Description This variable includes boats, other than canoes or sailboats, designed to operate without an engine. It includes kayaks but not dinghies or pedal boats.

Code Classification

0 No
1 Yes

SAILBOAT

Description This variable includes all boats carrying and designed to be powered with sails. The sails may be supplemented by a motor. It excludes windsurfers.

Code Classification

0 No
1 Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

OUTBOARD MOTOR BOAT

Description This variable includes boats designed to be driven with an outboard motor.

Code Classification

0 No
1 Yes

OTHER BOAT

Description This variable includes all other boats designed to operate primarily with an engine or motor which are not included in any of the previous categories.

It includes boats such as: seafleas, inboard motorboat, inboard-outboard motor boat, cabin cruiser with a cabin or other superstructure designed to house occupants.

Code Classification

0 No
1 Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

TRUCK CAMPER

Description This variable includes any shelter attached or mounted on the box or chassis of a light truck, used for travel and overnight sleeping accommodation.

Code Classification

0 No
1 Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

TRAVEL TRAILER

Description This variable includes a hard-sided trailer unit with wheels which is drawn along a highway by a separate motor vehicle. The unit normally includes housekeeping facilities in addition to those required for sleeping. Mobile homes that provide semi-permanent accommodation are included in this category.

Code Classification

0 No
1 Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

TENT TRAILER

Description Tent trailers are units which are expansible into a wheeled tent-covered frame and drawn on a highway by a motor vehicle.

Code Classification

0 No
1 Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

TENT

Description This variable includes any shelter for sleeping made of nylon, canvas or similar material. It excludes tents that are part of a tent trailer or truck camper and children's tents that are not suitable for overnight camping away from home.

Code Classification

0 No
1 Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

OTHER CAMPING EQUIPMENT

Description This variable includes all other self-propelled highway vehicles specifically designed to provide both travel and overnight sleeping accommodation. In these vehicles, such as motor homes and camper vans, the sleeping area is a non-detachable part of the unit. It excludes sleeping bags, coleman stoves, and other camping accessories.

Code Classification

0 No
1 Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

WALL-TO-WALL CARPETING

Description This variable applies only to permanently installed carpeting in the dwelling. It excludes room-size or area rugs.

Code Classification

0 No
1 Yes

Source HFE Schedule.

AGE OF THE WALL-TO-WALL CARPETING IN LIVING/DINING ROOM; HALLWAYS; BEDROOMS/DEN; RECREATION/FAMILY ROOM.

Description Wall-to-wall carpeting applies only to permanently installed carpeting in the dwelling. It excludes room-size or area rugs.

For these variables, some rooms have been grouped together (i.e. living/dining room). If the carpeting in these rooms is not the same age, enter the age of the oldest one.

If there is carpeting in only one area of a category (i.e., some in living room but none in dining room), the age of the living room carpeting should be indicated.

Age of Carpeting in
Living/Dining Room

Code	Classification
1	5 years or less
2	6-10 years
3	Over 10 years
4	Not ascertained
5	Not applicable

Age of Carpeting in Hallways
(Including Foyer, Stairway)

Code	Classification
1	5 years or less
2	6-10 years
3	Over 10 years
4	Not ascertained
5	Not applicable

Age of Carpeting in Bedrooms/Den

Code	Classification
1	5 years or less
2	6-10 years
3	Over 10 years
4	Not ascertained
5	Not applicable

Age of Carpeting in Recreation/Family Room

Code	Classification
1	5 years or less
2	6-10 years
3	Over 10 years
4	Not ascertained
5	Not applicable

Source

HFE Schedule.

REPAIRS NEEDED

Description This variable indicates the respondent's evaluation of the repairs the dwelling needs to restore it to its original condition. Desirable remodelling, additions, conversions, or energy improvements which would upgrade the dwelling over and above its original condition are not included.

Major repairs include serious deficiencies in the structural condition of the dwelling, as well as in the plumbing, electrical and heating systems. Examples include corroded pipes, damaged electrical wiring, sagging floors, bulging walls, damp walls and ceilings, crumbling foundation, etc.

Minor repairs include deficiencies in the surface or covering material of the dwelling and less serious deficiencies in the plumbing, electrical and heating systems. Examples include small cracks in interior walls and ceilings, broken light fixtures and switches, cracked or broken window panes, leaking sink, missing shingles or siding, peeling paint, etc.

Regular maintenance includes painting, fixing leaking faucets, clogged gutters or eaves troughs, etc.

Code	Classification
1	Major repairs
2	Minor repairs
3	Regular maintenance only

Source HFE Schedule.

MARKET VALUE OF HOME

Description Non-farm homeowners were asked to estimate the price for which they thought their dwelling would sell at the time of the survey. The selling price refers to the value of the entire dwelling including the value of the land it is on and of any other structure such as a garage which is on the property.

Code	Classification
000,000	Not applicable
000,001 - 999,997	Actual dollar value
999,998	\$999,998 and over
999,999	Not ascertained

Source HFE Schedule.

YEAR HEAD MOVE INTO DWELLING

Description This item refers to the year the head of the household moved into the dwelling. The date of the actual move and not the date on which the accommodation was acquired either through purchase or a lease arrangement was to be considered. Thus, if the head of the household bought a house in July 1979 but did not move until March 1980, the 1980 circle would be marked.

If the head of the household moved from the upper floor to the first floor unit of a duplex any time since January 1980, this was considered a move. If the head of the household moved into his/her relative's house (e.g. at the time of marriage, etc.) since January 1980 and is now the head, this was also considered a move.

In cases where the dwelling was converted from single to multiple units this was not considered a "move", as the head of the household was still occupying a part of it.

Exception: In families where spouses moved in on different dates, the earliest move determined the applicable category for this item. For example: Mary K. moved into this apartment in July 1979. Her husband, Major Jack K., moved in during September 1980 after completing his latest tour of duty in Cyprus. In this case, the "before 1980" category would be coded.

Code	Classification
0	Not ascertained
1	Before 1980
2	1980
3	1981
4	1982
5	1983
6	1984
7	1985
8	1986
9	1987

Source HFE Schedule.

TENURE OF PREVIOUS DWELLING

Description This variable was to be coded owned or rented only if the household head or spouse (or former spouse) owned or rented the previous dwelling. If another household member was the owner or renter, "did not maintain own dwelling" was to be coded. This latter category, therefore was intended to indentify new, recently formed households. Examples which fall into this category include situations such as: head (and spouse) lived before with parents and/or with more distant relatives who owned or rented the dwelling; head lived as a roomer in a boarding house, or in a collective or a communal residence (army barracks, lumber camp, university residence) or as a resident of any type of institution.

A dwelling may have been rented even though no cash was paid. For example, the janitor of an apartment building whose apartment is supplied as part of his salary is considered to be renting the dwelling.

Code	Classification
1	Owned
2	Rented
3	Did not maintain own dwelling
8	Not aplicable (moved before 1980)
9	Not ascertained

Source HFE Schedule.

EVER HE/SHE OWNED AND OCCUPIED A DWELLING

Description This variable indicates if the head of the household and/or spouse have ever owned and occupied a dwelling previously. If he/she owned a dwelling but never lived in it, this variable is coded "No". Vacation property owned but occupied seasonally as well as residences owned outside Canada were to be excluded. Households coded "owned" for the previous variable (Owned or Rented Previous dwelling) are coded "Not applicable" here, as well as those whose head moved in before 1980.

Code	Classification
0	No
1	Yes
2	Did not know
8	Not aplicable (moved before 1980 or owned previous dwelling)
9	Not ascertained

Source HFE Schedule.

HOUSEHOLD HEAD

Description A household is a person or group of persons occupying a dwelling unit. The head of the household is always the head of the primary economic family. In single unit households consisting of a married couple with or without children the husband is the head; for single-parent families with unmarried children the parent is the head; for single-parent families with married children, the member who is mainly responsible for the maintenance of the family becomes the head and in families where relationships are other than husband-wife or parent-child the eldest in the family is usually considered the head. An unattached individual living alone in a dwelling is the head of his/her own household. In multi-unit households, the head of the primary economic family unit becomes the head of the household (as opposed to the heads of units who are rooming, sharing the dwelling or residing there as employees-domestics).

Source Household Record Docket 03.

HEAD AND WIFE'S PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS

The following characteristics are determined at the time the individual enters the Labour Force Survey.

The interviewers are instructed not to update "Age" if the respondent's birthday falls within the six month period he/she is in the Labour Force Survey. Other characteristics may be updated if the interviewer detects a change of status.

HEAD: MARITAL STATUS

Code	Classification
1	Single (never married)
2	Married or living common-law
3	Other

HEAD (WIFE): AGE

Code	Classification
00	No wife in the family
15-79	Actual age
80	Age 80 and over

HEAD: SEX

Code	Classification
1	Male
2	Female

Source

Household Record Docket, Form 03.

HEAD (WIFE): EDUCATION LEVEL

Description This variable gives the highest level of education completed by this individual at the time of his/her entry into the Labour Force Survey.

The coding of this variable is not consistent over all years for which income tapes are available. Since the 1975 tape the codes do not show definite breaks between completed and uncompleted secondary school education, and between some university and other post-secondary education.

Post-secondary education normally requires high school graduation (or qualification as a mature student). Mature students are included only if they are taking credit courses which can be used towards a degree, certificate or diploma even though it may be taken for "personal interest".

A degree granting educational institution requiring a secondary school diploma or a pre-university qualifying year for entrance and which grants a diploma, certificate or degree to the student for successful completion of a course is classified as a "University".

Persons whose highest level of training was received from attending private trade schools, private business colleges or adult training programmes will be marked at the highest elementary or secondary school level which they achieved.

If there is no wife in the family, the entry under "wife" will be 0.

Code	Classification
1	No schooling or elementary
2	9 or 10 years of elementary and secondary
3	11-13 years of elementary and secondary
4	Some post-secondary
5	Post-secondary certificate or diploma
6	University degree

Source Household Record Docket, Form 03.

HEAD (WIFE) MOTHER TONGUE

Description This variable gives the language which the individual first learned and still understands. If the person no longer understands the language first learned, then the next language he/she learned which is still understood is coded.

Code Classification

0	Special Unit
1	English
2	French
3	Other

Source Household Record Docket, Form 03.

HEAD (WIFE): CLASS OF WORKER (CURRENT OR LAST JOB)

Description

This variable gives the class of worker of this individual as of reference week. For persons who had a job in the reference week, this is the class of their current main job. For persons who were unemployed or not in the labour force in the reference week but had worked within five years prior to reference week, this is the class of their most recent position. Persons who have never worked or have not worked within five years prior to reference week are coded 4 and 5 respectively.

"Paid" includes any person who worked as an employee for an employer. This also includes persons who work for themselves in an incorporated business. Starting with the 1979 tape, an additional group have been included as paid workers. This group contains only the following types of workers:

- (i) Non live-in babysitters and persons who provide services in the parental home of the children for whom they provide care.
- (ii) Persons who do housecleaning for a number of clients.
- (iii) Handymen, gardeners, and persons who do "odd jobs" who are directed to their various clients by an agency (or other third party) such as the Canada Employment Centres.

NOTE: For Labour Force Survey purposes the above three types of workers are considered as self-employed. This should be taken into account when comparing SCF and LFS estimates. Both LFS and SCF consider persons as "paid workers" when they are employees of an agency providing baby-sitting, house-cleaning, or minor repair and maintenance services as well as all persons who live on the premises of the client for whom they work.

"Self-employed" applies to individuals who work for themselves. These people may or may not have a business, farm or professional practice. Those who do, could have complete ownership or a partnership in the business. However, the business must be unincorporated. If the person is in the process of buying the business while operating it, this is considered ownership.

HEAD (WIFE): CLASS OF WORKER (CURRENT OR LAST JOB) (CONCLUDED)

Description
(conc'd)

"Unpaid family worker" includes any person who worked on a farm or in a business owned or operated by a related member of the same household. The work done must contribute to the operation of a family farm or family business.

Code	Classification
1	Paid
2	Self-employed
3	Unpaid family worker
4	Never worked before
5	Last worked more than five years ago

Source

Labour Force Schedule, Form 05.

HEAD (WIFE): 1980 OCCUPATIONAL CLASSIFICATION [CURRENT OR LAST JOB] - 13-GROUPS AND 49-GROUPS

Description These variables give the occupational classification of the individual according to the Occupational Classification Manual, Census of Canada, 1980, Catalogue No. 12-565E. For persons who had a job in the reference week, this is their current main occupation. For persons who were unemployed or not in the labour force in the reference week but had worked in the last 5 years this is the occupation they had at their most recent job.

The classification of occupations based on the 1980 Standard Occupational Classification was used for the first time on the 1984 file. This set of standards replaces those previously used which were developed for the 1971 Census. The changes between the 1971 and 1980 occupation classification systems are mainly related to managerial occupations. Persons performing managerial functions in the agriculture, retail trade, accommodation, food and beverages, and insurance industries, who are paid workers, are classified as managers in the 1980 occupation classification. Previously, they were coded to occupations such as farmers, sales, service, etc. Changes in other occupations were very minor.

The complete list of codes on the tape is given on the record layout. The 3-digit 1980 Standard Occupational Classification codes are given in brackets as well as the breakdown of the major occupation (2-digit level) groups.

Code 99 "Not applicable" is given to some records on the 49-Groups variable for confidentiality reasons. These records are coded to the applicable occupation groups only on the 13-Groups variable.

Source Labour Force Schedule, Form 05.

NOTE: These detailed occupation categories are provided to give tape users flexibility in creating their own groups for analysis. Users are advised that some of the codes above with small sample sizes may not yield reliable estimates on their own.

HEAD (WIFE): LABOUR FORCE STATUS (REFERENCE WEEK)

Description

This variable gives the labour force status of the individual during the reference week. The definitions used for these categories are the same as for the Labour Force Survey. The labour force comprises the civilian non-institutional population age 15 and over who were employed or unemployed in the reference week.

The employed includes all persons who, during the reference week:

- (a) did any work for pay or profit
- (b) did any unpaid work which contributed directly to the operation of a farm, business or professional practice owned or operated by a related member of the same household
- (c) had a job but were not at work due to:
 - own illness or disability
 - personal or family responsibilities
 - bad weather
 - labour dispute
 - vacation
 - other reason not specified above (excludes persons on lay-off and persons whose job attachment was to a job due to start at a definite date in the future)

The unemployed includes those persons who during the reference week:

- (a) were without work, had actively looked for work in the past four weeks (ending with reference week), and were available for work.
- (b) had not actively looked for work in the past four weeks but had been on layoff for twenty six weeks or less and were available for work. Persons are classified as being on layoff only when they expect to return to the job from which they were laid off.
- (c) had not actively looked for work in the past four weeks but had a new job to start in four weeks or less from reference week, and were available for work.

HEAD (WIFE): LABOUR FORCE STATUS (REFERENCE WEEK) (CONCL.)

Description
(concl.)

Persons meeting the following criteria are regarded as available:

- (i) full-time students seeking part-time work who also met condition (ii) following. Full-time students looking for full-time work are classified as not available for work during the reference week.
- (ii) they reported that there was no reason why they could not take a job in reference week, or, if they could not take a job it was because of "own illness or disability" or "personal or family responsibilities" or "already had a job".

Those not in the labour force include all individuals 15 years of age and over (exclusive of institutional population) who are not classified as employed or unemployed. Members of the Armed Forces are coded not in the labour force.

Code	Classification
1	Employed
2	Unemployed
3	Not in the labour force

Source

Labour force Schedule, Form 05.

HEAD (WIFE): WEEKS WORKED IN REFERENCE YEAR

Description This variable gives the actual number of weeks in which the individual did any work during the reference year.

Included as weeks worked are:

- (a) the number of weeks in which the person did any work, either part-time or full-time;
- (b) the number of weeks the person had a job but was not at work due to holidays, vacation, illness, maternity leave, strike or lock-out;
- (c) the number of weeks a person was self-employed;
- (d) the number of weeks a person had a job but was absent with pay (e.g. for job-related training).

These are not necessarily complete weeks for which the individual was paid. School teachers under contract to teach the full school year during the reference year are coded 52 weeks even if they did not teach or did other work during the summer. Student nurses do not code weeks worked as they are considered to be attending school.

If there is no wife, her entry will be 00.

Code	Classification
00	No weeks worked
01-52	Actual number of weeks worked

Source Household Record Docket, Form 03.

HEAD (WIFE): WORKED MOSTLY FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME IN REFERENCE YEAR

Description

This variable tells whether or not the individual worked during reference year and if he/she did work, was this work mostly full-time or part-time in terms of weekly hours. For pre-1977 years it was up to the respondents to decide if their work was full-time or part-time as no fixed number of hours were attached to the definition. Since 1977 full-time work is defined as 30 or more hours per week.

If there is no wife, her entry will be 0.

Code	Classification
1	Full-time
2	Part-time
3	Did no work in reference year

Source

Household Record Docket, Form 03.

HEAD: IMMIGRATION STATUS

Description This variable indicates if the individual was born in Canada (or born outside of Canada of Canadian parents who registered the child as Canadian), and, if not, it gives the period of years since which he/she has been residing in Canada. Persons born in Newfoundland prior to March 31, 1949 are coded Canadian born. For persons who immigrated to Canada more than once, the most recent year of immigration applies.

Because the survey only collects income received while in Canada a complete picture is not given of the income situation of persons who immigrated to Canada during the reference year or during the survey year. For reference year arrivals part-year income is collected but for survey year arrivals only small amounts of family allowances may be present if they have been transferred from another family member during the survey processing.

Code	Classification
1	Canadian born
2	Arrived before 1946
3	Arrived 1946-1955
4	Arrived 1956-1965
5	Arrived 1966-1970
6	Arrived 1971-1975
7	Arrived 1976-1980
8	Arrived 1981-Survey year

Source Household Record Docket, Form 03.

PRIMARY ECONOMIC FAMILY

Description The primary economic family is the one whose head is also the head of the household. An economic family is a group of persons who are related by blood, marriage or adoption and share a common dwelling unit. A one-person economic family, referred to as an unattached individual, is a person living by him/herself or rooming in a household where he/she is not related to any other household member.

PRIMARY ECONOMIC FAMILY NUMBER OF PERSONS

Description This variable gives the actual number of persons in the economic family to which the head of the household belongs. The head of the household is also the head of this economic family.

Source Household Record Docket, Form 03.

PRIMARY ECONOMIC FAMILY NUMBER OF ADULTS

Description This variable gives the actual number of adults in the economic family to which the household head belongs. The head of the family (who is also the household head) is an adult, as well as any other member of the family who is married or has been married, and any single person 16 years of age or over.

Source Household Record Docket, Form 03.

PRIMARY ECONOMIC FAMILY NUMBER OF CHILDREN

Description This series of variables gives the actual number of children in each of the categories listed below who are in the economic family to which the household head belongs. In addition to the economic family head's own children, this includes grandchildren, brothers, sisters and other guardianship children in the economic family.

Categories

- (a) Under 7 years of age
- (b) 7-15 years of age
- (c) 16-17 years of age
- (d) 18-24 years of age

Source Household Record Docket, Form 03.

NOTE: Counts of children age 18-24 also includes married children, sons-in-law and daughters-in-law living with each economic family. Counts of children under 18 include only never married children.

PRIMARY ECONOMIC FAMILY CHARACTERISTICS

Description This variable gives the composition of the economic family to which the household head belongs. The head of the household is also the head of this economic family.

Any economic family consisting of only one individual is called an "unattached individual".

Code	Classification
01	Unattached individual
02	Husband-wife family
03	Husband-wife family with single children
04	Husband-wife family with married children and their immediate families if any
05	Husband-wife family with single and married children and their immediate families, if any
06	Husband-wife family, single and/or married children and their immediate families, and other relatives
07	Husband-wife family, with relatives other than own children
08	Male parent with single child(ren)
09	Female parent with single child(ren)
10	All other families

PRIMARY ECONOMIC FAMILY LIFE CYCLE

Description This variable gives the composition of the economic family to which the household head belongs by age of the economic family head and of the children. The household head is also the head of this economic family.

Code	Classification
1	Unattached individual, under 45.
2	Unattached individual, 45 years or over
3	Husband-wife family, head under 45, no children under 16
4	Husband-wife family, head under 45, with children under 16
5	Husband-wife family, head 45 years or over, no children under 16
6	Husband-wife family, head 45 years or over, with children under 16
7	Irregular family with no children under 16
8	Irregular family with children under 16

NUMBER OF EARNERS

Description This variable gives the actual number of persons in the economic family to which the household head belongs who received income from wages and salaries and/or self-employment.

NUMBER OF PERSONS WITH INCOME

Description This variable gives the actual number of persons in the economic family to which the household head belongs who received income from any of the sources collected in the survey.

PRIMARY ECONOMIC FAMILY: REVISED (1969) LOW INCOME CODE

DESCRIPTION This code indicates whether or not the family unit falls below the 1969 base low income cut-off. These cut-offs were determined by adjusting the low income lines developed after analysis of 1969 Family Expenditure Survey data for increasing prices, as reflected in the Consumer Price Index. These income limits were selected on the basis that families with incomes below these limits usually spent 62% or more of their income on food, shelter and clothing. These cut-offs are differentiated by size of area of residence and by family size.

The cut-offs for 1986 are as follows:

Family Size	Size of Area of Residence				
	500,000 or more	100,000- 499,999	30,000- 99,999	Urban less than 30,000	Rural Areas
1	\$ 8,672	\$ 8,118	\$ 7,884	\$ 7,250	\$ 6,301
2	12,569	11,770	11,429	10,511	9,144
3	16,038	15,021	14,580	13,418	11,666
4	19,075	17,862	17,337	15,954	13,869
5	21,322	19,962	19,383	17,838	15,509
6	23,407	21,916	21,281	19,579	17,022
7 or more	25,667	24,024	23,330	21,460	18,663

For a more detailed discussion of the analysis underlying these revised cut-offs, an unpublished paper "Revision of Low Income Cut-offs" is available.

Code	Classification
1	Below low income cut-off
2	Equal to or above low income cut-off

Note: These cut-offs are provided to give historical comparability with earlier data tapes which contain this version of the low income cut-offs.

PRIMARY ECONOMIC FAMILY: REVISED (1978) LOW INCOME CODE

Description

This code indicates whether or not the family unit falls below the 1978 base low income cut-off. These cut-offs were determined by adjusting the low income lines developed after analysis of 1978 Family Expenditure data for increasing prices, as reflected in the Consumer Price Index. These 1978 base low income limits reflect more recent consumption patterns of Canadian families. As the overall ratio spent on food, shelter and clothing had declined since 1969, families who on average spent 58.5% or more of their income on this type of goods and services were considered to be in straitened circumstances.

The economic family incomes cut-offs for 1986 are as follows:

Family Size	Size of Area of Residence				
	500,000 or more	100,000- 499,999	30,000- 99,999	Urban less than 30,000	Rural Areas
1	\$10,651	\$10,116	\$ 9,490	\$ 8,774	\$ 7,877
2	14,053	13,339	12,445	11,546	10,295
3	18,799	17,815	16,650	15,488	13,785
4	21,663	20,588	19,246	17,903	15,936
5	25,243	23,902	22,290	20,768	18,531
6	27,571	26,049	24,349	22,647	20,231
7 or more	30,347	28,735	26,856	24,975	22,290

For a more detailed discussion of the analysis underlying these revised cut-offs, a technical paper "Rebasing Low Income Cut-Offs to 1978" is available. For a general discussion of the history and interpretation of low income cut-offs see the Appendix in the 1980 issue of catalogue 13-207.

Code	Classification
1	Below low income cut-off
2	Equal to or above low income cut-off

RENT DATA

The following rent information applies only to non-farm rented dwellings with type of dwelling code = 1-5. This means that the following types of rented dwellings have "not applicable" codes for this section of data:

1. farms
2. "other" dwellings (mainly mobile homes)
3. rented dwellings in locations defined as special areas according to the LFS sample design. These are principally remote areas.

Users of these data interested in doing rent to income studies should be aware of the following problem. The rent collected applies to April of the survey year. Multiplying by 12 to get an annual value requires certain assumptions which do not hold for all households. The household membership also refers to April of the survey year. The income data refers to the calendar year (reference year). As a result, any income for members present in the reference year who were not present in April of the survey year is not included in the household total. Similarly, unattached individuals renting in April may have been household members during the reference year with little or no income.

HEATING INCLUDED IN RENT

Description This variable indicates whether or not the rent paid for the dwelling in April of the survey year includes the supplying of heat for the household.

Code	Classification
1	Yes
2	No
8	Not applicable

Source Rent Schedule, Form 04.

RENT PAID FOR APRIL OF SURVEY YEAR

Description This variable gives the amount of rent paid in dollars for this dwelling for April. Code 000 is for subsidized dwellings with no rent or whose rent was not ascertained. Subsidized dwellings may also have rent values of \$1-800.

Code	Classification
000	No rent or rent not ascertained (subsidized dwellings only)
001-799	Actual amount
800	\$800 or more
888	Not applicable

Source Rent Schedule, Form 04.

RENT SUBSIDIZED

Description A rent is considered to be subsidized when the tenant pays less than the amount normally charged for the dwelling. Subsidization here is financial aid paid directly to the landlord of the dwelling. Financial aid which is paid to the tenant (even if it is meant to help with the rent) is not considered here as a subsidy.

Examples of subsidized rents are:

- Accommodation for which financial assistance is paid by federal, provincial or municipal government (for example, senior citizen's housing, low-income housing projects, co-operative housing projects, and so on).
- Rental accommodation provided by a company for its employees. Also included are PMQ's (Permanent Married Quarters) operated by the Canadian Armed Forces.
- Living quarters provided by the apartment owner for the superintendent, at less than the normal rent charged for the apartment, the balance being absorbed by the owner.
- Accommodation for which a relative of the tenant (someone related by blood, marriage or adoption), pays directly to the landlord.
- Accommodation for which a relative of the tenant owns the dwelling in which the tenant is renting and less than the normal rent or no rent is paid by the tenant.

Code	Classification
1	Yes, subsidized by government, employer or relatives
2	No
8	Not applicable

Source Rent Schedule, Form 04.

Note: Users of a series of HIFE microdata tapes should be aware of changes in the definition of subsidization. Since 1980 the above definition applies. For 1976, subsidies paid by relatives were not included. For 1972 and 1974 relatives were only included if they were the landlord.

RENT FOR COMBINED BUSINESS AND LIVING ACCOMMODATION

Description This variable indicates if a household uses part of the rental unit for a business operation (store, restaurant, beauty salon, doctor's office, speech therapist, etc.) and uses the remainder for living accommodation. The rent paid covers both the business and living quarters.

Code	Classification
1	Yes
2	No
8	Not applicable
9	Not ascertained

Source Rent Schedule, Form 04.

UTILITIES INCLUDED IN RENT
(Hot Water, Cold Water, Electricity)

Description This variable indicates whether the rent paid for April included payment for any of the above utilities.

Code	Classification
1	None included
2	Some included
3	All included
8	Not applicable
9	Not ascertained

Source Rent Schedule, Form 04.

APPLIANCES INCLUDED IN RENT
(Refrigerator, Stove, Dishwasher, Free Laundry)

Description This variable indicates how many, if any, of the above appliances are supplied by the landlord without additional charge.

Code	Classification
1	None
2	One appliance
3	Two appliances
4	Three or four appliances
8	Not applicable
9	Not ascertained

Source Rent Schedule, Form 04.

OTHER ITEMS INCLUDED IN RENT
(Cable TV, Pool, Sauna, Furniture, Parking)

Description This variable indicates how many, if any, of the above items are supplied by the landlord as part of the rent payment.

Code	Classification
1	No extra items included
2	One item included
3	Two items included
4	Three or more items included
8	Not applicable
9	Not ascertained

Source Rent Schedule, Form 04.

SAMPLE DESIGN AND IMPLICATIONS

This HIFE data set has been created by linking data collected from the same households for four different surveys. These surveys are:

Household Facilities and Equipment Survey, May 1987 (HFE)
Labour Force Survey, April 1987 (LFS)
Survey of Consumer Finances, April 1987 (SCF)
Rent Survey, April 1987

The HFE Survey was a supplement to the May 1987 LFS and the other three surveys were conducted simultaneously in April 1987. The sample employed for these surveys is the Labour Force Survey sample, which is a multi-stage stratified clustered probability sample.

Following each decennial census, the sample design of the Labour Force Survey is revised to incorporate recent developments in sampling methodology and to reflect population changes indicated by the most recent census data. The latest redesigned sample was implemented in January 1985, to replace the design in use since 1975.

For information on the redesign of the Labour Force Survey sample, see the feature article published in **The Labour Force, January 1985**, Catalogue No. 71-001.

Briefly, this sample is designed to represent approximately 98% of the population. Excluded population groups are:

1. Residents of the Yukon and Northwest Territories
2. Residents of Indian Reserves
3. Residents of military barracks
4. Inmates of institutions such as prisons, penitentiaries, jails, reformatories, mental hospitals, TB hospitals, sanatoria, orphanages and homes for the aged.

SAMPLE DESIGN AND IMPLICATIONS (CONCL.)

In addition, households living in collective-type dwellings such as hotels, large lodging houses, clubs, logging and construction camps are excluded from this file.

Because of varying sampling and response rates each record on the file has a weight attached to it. This weighting factor reflects the sample design and incorporates the inverse of the sampling ratio (which varies significantly by geographic area) and differential response rates for households, among other things. For further information on the weighting procedure see Catalogue No. 13-207, and "HIFE Final Household Weight" of this documentation as well as Catalogue 71-001 mentioned on the previous page.

The sample design and weighting procedure have important implications for data use. Each variable on the file must be multiplied by the weight in order to produce valid statistical estimates of population parameters such as means, medians, modes, estimated numbers and aggregates. However, the appropriateness of using these sample survey weights in regression analysis is a complex issue. A useful summary of the issue is presented in DuMouchel and Duncan (1983) "Using Sample Survey Weights in Multiple Regression Analysis of Stratified Samples". Journal of American Statistical Association Volume 78, December 1983, pp 535-543.

The information necessary to estimate the standard errors is not given on this file. Most regression programs are not capable of considering design effects, even if the relevant information were available. However, generalized programs such as SAS, BMDP and SPSS produce coefficients using weighted least squares. The standard errors calculated by SPSS are much too low because the sum of the weights is used for the degrees of freedom. This can be corrected by dividing the weight on each record by the sum of the weights and multiplying by the sample size. This transformation will produce standard errors equivalent to those produced by SAS and BMDP. Specific requests to produce standard errors of estimates can also be handled on a cost-recoverable basis.

Secondly, standard errors calculated for these data using the formula for data from simple random samples may be very misleading. Sampling errors calculated from this sample design are generally higher than those using the sample random formula. As an illustration of their magnitude, see the standard error symbols published in Catalogue No. 62-202, as well as the standard error of average incomes (which estimate the sampling error) published in Catalogue No. 13-567. For information on standard errors of more complex analytic statistics (i.e. regression estimates) see the uncatalogued paper "An Investigation of Variance Estimation in Family Expenditure Surveys" and associated bibliography.

For further information on sampling and non-sampling errors associated with the survey, see Catalogue Nos. 13-218, 64-202 and 13-207.

DATA COLLECTION AND PROCESSING PROCEDURES

SURVEY OF HOUSEHOLD FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT, MAY OF THE SURVEY YEAR.

The Survey of Household Facilities and Equipment collected information on facilities and equipment present at the time of the survey in the same sampled households as the April of the survey year, SCF. The survey was conducted entirely by interview (either by telephone or personal interview at the respondent's home). This information has been published in the annual report entitled "Household Facilities and Equipment, Catalogue No. 64-202.

Codes on each household's HFE record were checked for accuracy and corrected when necessary. Following this, details on facilities of non-respondent households were imputed from data provided by respondent households. The set of respondents (donors) and non-respondents were partitioned according to a pre-determined set of variables (type of dwelling, tenure, size of household, size of area and province). A "donor" was selected from the set of potential "donors" on a geographically-nearest basis with the reported data then transferred to the non-respondent.

RENT SURVEY, APRIL OF THE SURVEY YEAR

This survey collected information on the rent paid and the services included in the rent at the time of the survey. This information was initially edited by the Prices Division of Statistics Canada and the resulting data then transferred to the Income and Housing Surveys Unit of Household Surveys Division. There, the data was linked to the Household Facilities and Equipment Survey file and further consistency checks performed. Except for subsidized cases, any households reported as renting but with no value given for rent paid were imputed a monthly rent value. This imputation was done by dividing the respondent and non-respondent records into 20 categories according to their type of dwelling, period dwelling constructed and total household income. A non-respondent household was then given the rent value of the geographically-nearest record from the same classification category.

DATA COLLECTION AND PROCESSING PROCEDURES (CONT'D)

SURVEY OF CONSUMER FINANCES, APRIL OF THE SURVEY YEAR.

Data Collection and Processing

The sample for the Survey of Consumer Finances used two thirds (or approximately 36,000 dwellings) of the April Labour Force Survey sample.

With the Survey of Consumer Finances being a supplement to the April Labour Force Survey, standard survey operations were carried out by updating the demographic information on all persons in the selected households and asking persons 15 years of age and over questions concerning their labour force activity during the previous week and work experience during the previous year. The interviewers then dropped off questionnaires for these persons requesting the completion of detailed income information for the reference year. During the survey period, the self-enumerated forms were picked up by the enumerator who made at least one more visit to the household. The questionnaires used in this survey are reproduced at the end of this documentation.

The labour force data were processed and edited according to established Labour Force Survey procedures. The income data were manually pre-edited, loaded onto the computer data base and linked with the Labour Force Survey data. The data were then processed through the computer edit system which checks individual records for consistency and completeness.

DATA COLLECTION AND PROCESSING PROCEDURES (CONCLUDED)

Imputation for Non-response

Income details for income non-respondents were imputed from income respondents. For imputation, the set of donor income respondents and income non-respondents were partitioned according to a pre-determined set of variables. A donor was selected from the set of potential donors on a geographically-nearest basis with reported income components transferred to an income non-respondent.

Income Tax Payable is the amount of income tax payable by income respondents and the sum of Federal Tax Payable and Provincial Tax Payable calculated for income non-respondents. Taxes for non-respondents were calculated in accordance with the computations outlined in the T1 General Individual Tax Return form (and the Quebec TP1 General Return of Income form for non-respondents in Quebec).

Income After Tax is Total Income **minus** Income Tax Payable.

LINKAGE OF SURVEYS

Following separate processing, the SCF-LFS data base and the HFE-Rent data base were loaded onto the same base and linked using their common household identification numbers. From this common data base, this microdata file was created.

RESPONSE RATES

The sample consisted of two thirds of the Labour Force Survey sample. Of the occupied dwellings which participated in the Labour Force Survey, (excluding collectives and other non-standard dwellings which are not part of the coverage, 76.1% provided complete income details and complete facilities and equipment data; 19.5% supplied only partial data on income or facilities and equipment and 4.4% failed to provide any information to either survey.

PROCEDURES FOR MANUSCRIPT REVIEW

Because of the complexities inherent in data from household surveys, users of these data are advised to consult with the Household Surveys Division prior to publication of the data. A manuscript review service is provided by that Division to assist users. Users of microdata tapes are also advised prior to publishing their research to consult the relevant pages of the tape documentation provided regarding data reliability and the use of small samples.

The subscriber should file with Statistics Canada a copy of published research or other results based on the use of these microdata. The subscriber shall use the following form of accreditation in reference to the microdata:

"This analysis is based on the Statistics Canada microdata tape (Household Income (1986), Facilities and Equipment, 1987) which contains data collected in the (Survey of Consumer Finances, 1987 and Survey of Household Facilities and Equipment, 1987). All computations on these microdata were done by (name of user organization) and the responsibility for the use and interpretation of these data is entirely that of the author(s)".

Manuscripts can be forwarded to: Director
Household Surveys Division
Statistics Canada
Jean Talon Building, 5th floor
Tunney's Pasture
Ottawa, Ontario
K1A 0T6

The user should distinguish clearly in the manuscript between data derived directly from the tape on the one hand and all added assumptions, adjustments and modifications introduced by him/her on the other. For example, true wage rates cannot be calculated from the data on the tape and the researcher must specify his assumptions (for which the survey does not provide direct evidence) that would make the averages calculated from the tape appropriate proxies for such a variable.

ESTIMATES OBTAINED FROM MICRODATA FILE

The following pages contain counts and aggregate income amounts obtained from this tape by various characteristics and are given for your use in checking computer output from the tape. On microdata files prior to the 1984 household income file (1985 facilities and equipment), households with exceptionally high incomes, large income losses from self-employment or unusual characteristics were excluded from the file. As of 1984, records with these conditions have had selected characteristics zeroed out rather than removing them from the file. Counts on the following pages include these records.

We suggest that users not release or analyse data based on a sample of less than 100 records. In fact, due to our procedure of income imputation we feel that a slightly larger minimal sample would be more appropriate. Users employing small samples may wish to consult the **Income and Housing Surveys Section**.

HOUSEHOLD INCOME (1986), FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT
WEIGHTED AND SAMPLE COUNTS FOR THE VARIOUS VALUES FROM THE REVISED ESTIMATES

	NOT RECEIVING VALUE		RECEIVING VALUE		TOTAL WEIGHTED VALUE
	SAMPLE COUNT	WEIGHTED COUNT	SAMPLE COUNT	WEIGHTED COUNT	
WAGES AND SALARIES	7,765	2,078,445	23,076	7,003,176	240,591,226,858
MILITARY PAY AND ALLOWANCES	30,504	9,013,513	337	68,108	1,322,429,469
NET INCOME FROM NON-FARM SELF EMPLOYMENT	27,448	8,137,368	3,393	944,253	14,523,449,030
NET INCOME FROM FARM SELF EMPLOYMENT	28,865	8,748,727	1,976	332,894	3,666,227,214
NET INCOME FROM ROOMERS AND BOARDERS	30,443	8,970,576	398	111,045	138,214,515
TOTAL NET INCOME FROM SELF EMPLOYMENT	25,470	7,770,432	5,371	1,311,189	18,327,890,759
TOTAL EARNINGS	6,376	1,771,649	24,465	7,309,972	260,241,547,086
NET INCOME FROM INVESTMENT	15,752	4,499,180	15,089	4,582,441	19,925,359,619
FAMILY AND YOUTH ALLOWANCES	17,783	5,506,922	13,058	3,574,699	2,585,677,566
CHILD TAX CREDIT	22,872	7,210,158	7,969	1,871,463	1,307,005,152
OLD AGE SECURITY AND GUARANTEED INCOME SUPPLEMENT	24,099	7,201,422	6,742	1,880,199	11,735,437,872
CANADA / QUEBEC PENSION PLAN	24,634	7,316,393	6,207	1,765,228	6,285,786,165
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BENEFITS	23,101	7,106,320	7,740	1,975,301	7,854,357,736
SOCIAL ASSISTANCE AND PROVINCIAL INCOME SUPPLEMENT	25,355	7,407,532	5,486	1,674,089	4,638,820,854
OTHER INCOME FROM GOVERNMENT SOURCE (INCLUDING PROVINCIAL TAX CREDIT)	23,402	6,690,853	7,439	2,390,768	2,704,169,678
TOTAL GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS	5,140	1,787,170	25,701	7,294,451	37,111,255,023
TAXABLE GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS	7,595	2,607,667	23,246	6,473,954	25,682,268,650
NON-TAXABLE GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS	13,157	4,147,776	17,684	4,933,845	11,428,986,373
RETIREMENT PENSIONS, SUPPERANNUATION	26,910	7,880,895	3,931	1,200,726	9,381,919,504
OTHER MONEY INCOME	28,449	8,319,192	2,392	762,429	3,789,135,269
TOTAL INCOME	44	18,248	30,797	9,063,373	330,449,216,501
TOTAL INCOME TAX	6,450	1,640,495	24,391	7,441,126	57,051,549,625
INCOME AFTER TAX	44	18,248	30,797	9,063,373	273,397,666,876

	NOT RECEIVING VALUE		RECEIVING VALUE		TOTAL WEIGHTED VALUE
	SAMPLE COUNT	WEIGHTED COUNT	SAMPLE COUNT	WEIGHTED COUNT	
HEAD: TOTAL EARNINGS	8,178	2,312,536	22,663	6,769,085	177,458,105,225
HEAD: TAXABLE GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS	11,041	3,698,345	19,800	5,383,276	17,153,278,007
HEAD: NON-TAXABLE GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS	17,759	5,301,699	13,082	3,779,922	8,024,435,935
HEAD: TOTAL GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS	8,348	2,809,798	22,493	6,271,823	25,177,713,942
HEAD: TOTAL INCOME	144	57,215	30,697	9,024,406	227,449,880,134
WIFE: TOTAL EARNINGS	18,593	5,528,604	12,248	3,553,017	50,626,868,071
WIFE: TAXABLE GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS	23,209	7,024,956	7,632	2,056,665	5,658,402,074
WIFE: NON-TAXABLE GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS	24,288	7,407,340	6,553	1,674,281	1,824,973,353
WIFE: TOTAL GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS	20,535	6,322,037	10,306	2,759,584	7,483,375,427
WIFE: TOTAL INCOME	14,562	4,384,913	16,279	4,696,708	64,007,792,306

VARIABLE	SAMPLE COUNT	WEIGHTED NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS	AGGREGATE TOTAL INCOME \$	AVERAGE INCOME \$
PROVINCE				
SPECIAL UNIT	100	33,940	6,708,557,240	197,659
NEWFOUNDLAND	1,673	167,920	4,702,311,720	28,003
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	918	43,210	1,211,631,430	28,041
NOVA SCOTIA	2,279	312,590	9,748,986,780	31,188
NEW BRUNSWICK	2,303	245,150	7,300,368,970	29,779
QUEBEC	4,535	2,525,210	82,403,657,500	32,632
ONTARIO	5,884	3,433,490	132,083,485,050	38,469
MANITOBA	2,367	403,900	12,916,911,840	31,980
SASKATCHEWAN	3,160	376,720	11,907,540,410	31,608
ALBERTA	4,401	869,180	32,160,672,260	37,001
BRITISH COLUMBIA	3,221	1,144,650	39,745,546,120	34,723
CANADA	30,841	9,555,960	340,889,669,320	35,673
AREA				
POPULATION 500,000 OR MORE	6,827	4,533,770	175,981,431,560	38,816
POPULATION 100,000-499,999	3,066	958,460	34,412,432,770	35,904
POPULATION 30,000-99,999	4,914	1,114,520	38,406,403,870	34,460
POPULATION 1,000-29,999	7,201	1,361,370	42,534,427,680	31,244
RURAL AREAS	8,833	1,587,840	49,554,973,440	31,209

VARIABLE	SAMPLE COUNT	WEIGHTED NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS	AGGREGATE TOTAL INCOME \$	AVERAGE INCOME \$
NUMBER OF PERSONS IN THE HOUSEHOLD				
1	6,332	2,101,080	38,684,762,740	18,412
2	9,433	3,014,010	100,874,342,940	33,468
3	5,440	1,679,230	70,133,881,330	41,766
4	5,842	1,739,930	80,319,958,680	46,163
5	2,634	728,080	35,524,877,090	48,793
6	765	192,790	10,058,529,100	52,174
7	237	67,110	3,448,945,690	51,392
8	84	19,390	943,528,800	48,661
9	33	6,120	336,750,280	55,025
10 OR MORE	41	8,220	564,092,670	68,624
NUMBER OF ADULTS IN THE HOUSEHOLD				
1	7,391	2,430,870	44,284,606,210	18,218
2	16,845	5,121,600	192,021,186,680	37,492
3	4,256	1,275,590	60,977,457,190	47,803
4	1,704	521,970	29,420,330,320	56,364
5	488	153,440	10,171,814,270	66,292
6	102	35,570	2,629,173,970	73,915
7 OR MORE	55	16,920	1,385,100,680	81,862
NUMBER OF PERSONS AGE 65+ IN THE HOUSEHOLD				
0	24,121	7,617,020	292,402,404,100	38,388
1	4,506	1,292,590	29,622,454,940	22,917
2	2,176	637,230	18,402,151,390	28,878
3 OR MORE	38	9,120	462,658,890	50,730
NUMBER OF CHILDREN AGE 0-7 IN THE HOUSEHOLD				
0	24,510	7,729,000	269,762,980,550	34,903
1	3,774	1,114,940	43,052,439,310	38,614
2	2,051	586,660	23,392,841,770	39,875
3 OR MORE	506	125,360	4,681,407,690	37,344

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NUMBER OF CHILDREN AGE 7-15 IN THE HOUSEHOLD				
0	23,101	7,392,210	249,581,574,810	33,763
1	4,324	1,244,320	51,821,654,760	41,647
2	2,644	724,200	31,607,648,480	43,645
3 OR MORE	772	195,230	7,878,791,270	40,356
NUMBER OF CHILDREN AGE 16-17 IN THE HOUSEHOLD				
0	28,236	8,826,050	306,765,332,620	34,757
1	2,413	681,370	31,835,135,890	46,722
2 OR MORE	192	48,540	2,289,200,810	47,161
NUMBER OF CHILDREN AGE 18-24 IN THE HOUSEHOLD				
0	26,673	8,252,480	273,921,103,210	33,193
1	3,162	986,630	47,696,426,770	48,343
2 OR MORE	1,006	316,850	19,272,139,340	60,824
HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION				
SINGLE UNIT UNATTACHED	6,332	2,101,080	38,684,762,740	18,412
SINGLE UNIT FAMILY	23,277	7,036,440	285,175,188,560	40,528
MULTI-UNIT UNATTACHED ONLY	821	299,330	10,965,843,900	36,635
MULTI-UNIT WITH A LEAST ONE FAMILY	411	119,110	6,063,874,120	50,910
MAJOR SOURCE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME				
NO INCOME	44	19,230	0	0
WAGES AND SALARIES	19,265	6,360,690	269,288,007,540	42,336
SELF-EMPLOYMENT	1,888	476,070	20,383,743,810	42,817
GOVERNMENT TRANSFER PAYMENTS	7,302	1,966,110	26,921,594,410	13,693
INVESTMENTS	1,051	339,970	12,601,522,990	37,067
RETIREMENT PENSIONS, ETC.	836	263,030	8,008,252,500	30,446
OTHER MONEY INCOME	260	92,840	2,086,495,710	22,474
MILITARY PAY AND ALLOWANCES	195	38,020	1,600,052,360	42,084

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NUMBER OF EARNERS IN HOUSEHOLD				
0	6,376	1,902,000	29,456,781,260	15,487
1	9,482	3,002,490	86,247,211,970	28,725
2	11,138	3,439,180	152,388,431,030	44,310
3	2,678	839,560	46,731,469,320	55,662
4	919	283,930	18,814,859,080	66,266
5	215	74,950	5,896,353,490	78,670
6 OR MORE	33	13,850	1,354,563,170	97,802
NUMBER OF PERSONS WITH INCOME IN HOUSEHOLD				
0	44	19,230	0	0
1	10,565	3,329,310	71,154,077,270	21,372
2	14,946	4,569,210	178,094,333,540	38,977
3	3,603	1,109,490	57,195,312,470	51,551
4	1,274	391,650	24,035,417,130	61,370
5	326	105,240	7,589,834,160	72,119
6	64	24,860	2,084,557,180	83,852
7 OR MORE	19	6,970	736,137,570	105,615
TYPE OF DWELLING				
SINGLE DETACHED	20,317	5,371,170	224,097,250,850	41,722
DOUBLE	995	396,250	15,748,158,720	39,743
ROW OR TERRACE	1,022	352,460	12,220,710,270	34,673
DUPLEX	1,039	340,300	9,916,594,960	29,141
APARTMENT OR FLAT	6,196	2,871,240	72,699,447,670	25,320
OTHER	1,272	224,540	6,207,506,850	27,645
CONDOMINIUM				
NO	30,393	9,324,800	331,671,890,620	35,569
YES	448	231,160	9,217,778,700	39,876

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PERIOD BUILDING CONSTRUCTION				
BEFORE 1941	6,359	1,861,900	58,832,615,040	31,598
1941-1950	2,549	730,590	23,067,373,860	31,574
1951-1960	4,055	1,406,970	49,527,644,290	35,202
1961-1970	5,630	1,919,780	69,970,842,110	36,447
1971-1980	8,918	2,644,210	98,939,141,250	37,417
1981-1987	3,330	992,510	40,552,052,770	40,858
TENURE				
OWNED WITH MORTGAGE	9,492	2,977,090	138,711,216,290	46,593
OWNED WITHOUT MORTGAGE	11,782	2,975,050	111,505,729,030	37,480
RENTED FOR CASH, OTHER	9,567	3,603,820	90,672,724,000	25,160
NUMBER OF ROOMS				
1	224	101,930	1,383,309,530	13,571
2	606	205,390	3,036,642,700	14,785
3	2,405	911,000	18,368,334,350	20,163
4	4,548	1,524,880	38,065,227,850	24,963
5	6,628	1,956,890	61,262,708,120	31,306
6	5,927	1,722,970	64,752,188,510	37,582
7	4,378	1,293,310	56,423,009,840	43,627
8	3,002	925,450	45,639,589,610	49,316
9	1,590	473,240	24,426,098,390	51,615
10	860	255,220	15,282,906,320	59,881
11	332	87,560	5,186,271,470	59,231
12	193	55,880	3,284,922,680	58,785
13 OR MORE	148	42,240	3,778,459,950	89,452
NUMBER OF BEDROOMS				
0	420	183,480	2,482,328,310	13,529
1	3,657	1,486,200	32,313,044,940	21,742
2	7,686	2,427,080	70,416,093,280	29,013
3	13,150	3,844,830	153,985,155,740	40,050
4	4,699	1,286,420	63,797,482,270	49,593
5	983	262,020	14,025,484,170	53,528
6	192	47,550	2,918,831,900	61,384
7 OR MORE	54	18,380	951,248,710	51,755

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HEATING FUEL				
OIL OR OTHER LIQUID FUEL	6,953	1,839,800	64,986,821,910	35,323
PIPED GAS	12,529	4,231,340	162,721,270,070	38,456
BOTTLED GAS	345	64,600	2,014,123,110	31,178
ELECTRICITY	8,354	2,966,850	97,576,293,040	32,889
WOOD	2,489	414,020	12,449,370,680	30,069
OTHER	171	39,350	1,141,790,510	29,016
FUEL FOR PIPED HOT WATER				
NO PIPED HOT WATER	427	65,730	1,569,413,830	23,877
OIL OR OTHER LIQUID FUEL	2,653	520,250	17,768,538,200	34,154
PIPED GAS	11,268	3,831,830	149,123,597,180	38,917
BOTTLED GAS	325	50,220	1,527,621,650	30,419
ELECTRICITY	15,965	5,065,070	170,220,212,600	33,607
WOOD OR OTHER	203	22,860	680,285,860	29,759
INSTALLED BATHTUB OR SHOWER				
NONE	325	44,620	668,236,650	14,976
IN ONE BATHROOM	24,049	7,423,950	232,020,953,900	31,253
IN 2 OR MORE BATHROOMS	6,317	2,048,970	106,999,133,130	52,221
TOILET FACILITIES SHARED WITH ANOTHER HOUSEHOLD	150	38,420	1,201,345,640	31,269
MICROWAVE OVEN				
NO	16,852	5,424,400	159,847,775,540	29,468
YES	13,989	4,131,560	181,041,893,780	43,819

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NUMBER OF REFRIGERATORS				
NO REFRIGERATOR	295	87,530	1,833,639,170	20,949
1	25,779	7,933,780	266,079,633,810	33,538
2	4,577	1,472,740	69,873,155,880	47,444
THREE OR MORE	190	61,910	3,103,240,460	50,125
HOME FREEZER (SEPARATE FROM REFRIGERATOR)				
NO	10,499	4,076,180	122,613,419,860	30,080
YES	20,342	5,479,780	218,276,249,460	39,833
TYPE OF WASHING MACHINE				
NO ELECTRIC WASHING MACHINE	5,778	2,243,740	52,980,876,830	23,613
AUTOMATIC WASHER	22,219	6,782,390	276,434,407,040	40,758
ELECTRIC WRINGER WASHER	1,085	237,070	5,294,863,690	22,335
OTHER ELECTRIC WASHER	1,759	292,760	6,179,521,760	21,108
TYPE OF CLOTHES DRYER				
NO CLOTHES DRYER	8,263	2,918,140	71,493,756,780	24,500
ELECTRIC DRYER	21,686	6,355,750	257,719,740,850	40,549
GAS DRYER	892	282,070	11,676,171,690	41,395
TYPE OF AIR CONDITIONER				
NO AIR CONDITIONER	26,097	7,678,460	258,501,580,570	33,666
WINDOW TYPE	2,480	944,670	34,440,191,590	36,457
CENTRAL UNIT	2,264	932,830	47,947,897,160	51,400

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AUTOMATIC DISHWASHER				
NONE	19,310	5,786,580	163,339,696,350	28,227
BUILT-IN	7,831	2,679,000	134,305,802,410	50,133
PORTABLE	3,700	1,090,380	43,244,170,560	39,660
NUMBER OF TELEPHONES				
0	669	146,520	2,365,725,520	16,146
1	13,486	3,973,050	103,964,795,910	26,168
2	10,742	3,348,640	124,582,244,210	37,204
3	3,947	1,328,060	64,790,785,470	48,786
4	1,334	486,710	27,340,652,370	56,174
5 OR MORE	663	272,980	17,845,465,840	65,373
NUMBER OF RADIOS				
0	443	111,990	2,762,055,990	24,663
1	7,296	2,263,360	55,914,556,420	24,704
2	9,199	2,867,300	90,462,248,130	31,550
3	6,474	1,967,920	76,440,350,110	38,843
4	3,646	1,116,890	49,799,703,730	44,588
5	1,914	611,040	30,786,879,510	50,384
6	1,055	335,060	18,249,868,850	54,467
7	378	132,040	7,723,089,980	58,491
8	212	71,340	4,105,202,170	57,544
9 OR MORE	224	79,020	4,645,714,430	58,792
NUMBER OF F.M. RADIOS				
0	1,961	421,830	9,748,905,060	23,111
1	8,605	2,583,280	67,931,965,020	26,297
2	8,961	2,820,680	93,119,285,180	33,013
3	5,543	1,779,780	71,145,202,140	39,974
4	3,020	975,320	45,238,226,800	46,383
5	1,450	513,150	26,605,757,460	51,848
6	769	260,330	14,562,105,900	55,937
7	258	93,440	5,835,638,890	62,453
8	149	60,540	3,575,049,250	59,053
9 OR MORE	125	47,610	3,127,533,620	65,691

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OCCUPATION				
CODE 01	3,114	1,117,150	58,454,908,450	52,325
CODE 02	2,485	924,190	42,615,456,430	46,111
CODE 03	925	299,630	14,840,910,030	49,531
CODE 04	1,846	696,280	21,534,834,660	30,928
CODE 05	1,826	621,220	25,948,483,670	41,770
CODE 06	2,794	870,080	25,169,198,960	28,927
CODE 07	2,501	428,860	13,138,346,990	30,636
CODE 08	1,985	621,440	23,726,397,090	38,180
CODE 09	2,179	747,000	28,441,138,240	38,074
CODE 10	2,570	687,450	25,157,781,940	36,596
CODE 11	2,456	755,140	28,656,522,310	37,949
CODE 12	718	183,480	2,867,244,630	15,627
CODE 13	5,442	1,604,040	30,338,445,920	18,914

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OCCUPATION				
CODE 01	162	48,480	2,437,604,120	50,281
CODE 02	2,207	784,900	41,833,529,000	53,298
CODE 03	745	283,770	14,183,775,330	49,983
CODE 04	390	156,380	7,731,272,000	49,439
CODE 05	304	115,150	6,368,076,350	55,302
CODE 06	214	79,660	3,481,052,490	43,699
CODE 07	479	167,840	7,949,448,270	47,363
CODE 08	187	60,470	5,153,860,090	85,230
CODE 09	409	145,580	4,524,285,300	31,078
CODE 10	135	42,680	1,684,385,740	39,465
CODE 11	367	156,430	5,723,076,190	36,586
CODE 12	158	63,590	3,528,719,590	55,492
CODE 13	581	178,380	8,660,097,940	48,549
CODE 14	186	57,660	2,652,092,500	45,995
CODE 15	297	111,530	2,571,522,050	23,057
CODE 16	360	122,660	3,588,045,580	29,252
CODE 17	112	46,820	1,504,739,320	32,139
CODE 18	355	136,450	4,741,851,430	34,752
CODE 19	262	106,370	3,697,633,370	34,762
CODE 20	460	172,450	5,431,042,910	31,493
CODE 21	1,417	471,000	17,903,783,840	38,012
CODE 22	409	150,220	8,044,699,830	53,553
CODE 23	752	215,080	8,539,352,260	39,703
CODE 24	836	284,820	6,919,355,550	24,294
CODE 25	425	130,860	2,739,968,510	20,938

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OCCUPATION CONTINUED				
CODE 26	781	239,320	6,970,522,640	29,126
CODE 27	1,510	246,620	8,075,159,610	32,743
CODE 28	385	89,340	2,186,740,220	24,477
CODE 29	279	29,770	1,008,604,680	33,880
CODE 30	327	63,130	1,867,842,480	29,587
CODE 31	344	65,700	2,587,886,670	39,389
CODE 32	360	97,900	3,178,966,790	32,472
CODE 33	571	192,720	7,575,675,640	39,309
CODE 34	438	148,820	5,862,634,600	39,394
CODE 35	272	116,300	4,521,233,390	38,876
CODE 36	195	99,820	3,952,173,470	39,593
CODE 37	300	117,540	4,693,469,820	39,931
CODE 38	120	53,880	1,406,365,630	26,102
CODE 39	305	113,160	4,034,984,470	35,657
CODE 40	1,259	362,600	14,354,144,850	39,587
CODE 41	505	110,520	4,027,296,790	36,440
CODE 42	424	117,400	4,949,180,050	42,157
CODE 43	1,641	459,530	16,181,305,100	35,213
CODE 44	1,270	386,510	14,198,039,340	36,734
CODE 45	270	62,900	3,054,660,100	48,564
CODE 46	556	184,580	6,201,393,810	33,597
CODE 47	360	121,150	5,202,429,060	42,942
CODE 48	718	183,480	2,867,244,630	15,627
CODE 49	5,442	1,604,040	30,338,445,920	18,914

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LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF HEAD				
EMPLOYED	19,370	6,281,210	268,122,602,540	42,686
UNEMPLOYED	2,033	567,280	14,509,268,130	25,577
NOT IN LABOUR FORCE	9,438	2,707,470	58,257,798,650	21,517
CHARACTERISTICS OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD				
IMMIGRATION STATUS OF HEAD				
CANADIAN BORN	26,801	7,719,560	270,819,144,820	35,082
ARRIVED BEFORE 1946	925	284,680	7,004,256,360	24,604
ARRIVED 1946-1955	840	376,990	15,555,155,000	41,261
ARRIVED 1956-1965	741	391,780	17,121,945,220	43,703
ARRIVED 1966-1970	503	250,380	10,991,936,760	43,901
ARRIVED 1971-1975	407	220,800	9,314,499,730	42,185
ARRIVED 1976-1980	321	159,680	5,694,952,120	35,665
ARRIVED 1981-1987	303	152,090	4,387,779,310	28,850
CHARACTERISTICS OF WIFE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD				
LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF WIFE				
NO WIFE	10,329	3,397,990	76,938,030,910	22,642
EMPLOYED	10,173	3,192,290	158,242,109,860	49,570
UNEMPLOYED	1,177	324,780	11,868,443,200	36,543
NOT IN LABOUR FORCE	9,162	2,640,900	93,841,085,350	35,534
CHARACTERISTICS OF PRIMARY ECONOMIC FAMILY				
CODE 01	7,205	2,414,020	50,271,779,600	20,825
CODE 02	7,188	2,251,310	80,509,191,930	35,761
CODE 03	12,494	3,639,540	169,014,399,690	46,438
CODE 04	147	47,560	2,369,108,160	49,813
CODE 05	118	30,630	1,839,595,880	60,059
CODE 06	399	136,270	7,810,034,730	57,313
CODE 07	166	52,660	2,409,308,020	45,752
CODE 08	359	115,890	3,974,387,710	34,294
CODE 09	1,953	617,300	13,584,547,020	22,006
CODE 10	812	250,780	9,107,316,580	36,316
LOW INCOME CODE(1969) OF PRIMARY ECONOMIC FAMILY				
BELOW LOW INCOME CUT-OFF	3,698	1,123,150	10,219,651,160	9,099
ABOVE OR EQUAL LOW INCOME CUT-OFF	27,143	8,432,810	330,670,018,160	39,212
LOW INCOME CODE(1978) OF PRIMARY ECONOMIC FAMILY				
BELOW LOW INCOME CUT-OFF	5,351	1,632,320	16,687,992,210	10,223
ABOVE OR EQUAL LOW INCOME CUT-OFF	25,490	7,923,640	324,201,677,110	40,916

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RENT DATA				
HEATING INCLUDED IN RENT				
YES	4,756	2,050,200	47,478,152,380	23,158
NO	4,222	1,464,510	40,879,369,860	27,913
NOT APPLICABLE	21,863	6,041,250	252,532,147,080	41,801
RENT PAID				
000 NO RENT OR NOT ASCERTAINED	230	69,030	1,683,761,430	24,392
001 - 799 ACTUAL AMOUNT	8,657	3,379,160	83,516,208,570	24,715
800 \$800 OR MORE	91	66,520	3,157,552,240	47,468
888 NOT APPLICABLE	21,863	6,041,250	252,532,147,080	41,801
RENT SUBSIDIZED				
YES	1,444	520,030	8,796,346,570	16,915
NO	7,534	2,994,680	79,561,175,670	26,568
NOT APPLICABLE	21,863	6,041,250	252,532,147,080	41,801
RENT FOR BUSINESS & LIVING ACCOMMODATION				
YES	90	33,990	1,027,530,710	30,230
NO	8,807	3,464,770	86,744,511,990	25,036
NOT APPLICABLE	21,863	6,041,250	252,532,147,080	41,801
NOT ASCERTAINED	81	15,950	585,479,540	36,707
UTILITIES INCLUDED				
NONE	2,269	797,460	22,442,663,830	28,143
SOME	4,084	1,508,810	38,161,665,810	25,293
ALL	2,288	1,094,430	24,576,822,750	22,456
NOT APPLICABLE	21,863	6,041,250	252,532,147,080	41,801
NOT ASCERTAINED	337	114,010	3,176,369,850	27,860
APPLIANCES INCLUDED				
NONE	2,545	1,109,230	28,570,145,040	25,757
ONE	387	137,500	3,251,454,940	23,647
TWO	4,319	1,697,330	40,172,378,520	23,668
THREE OR FOUR	1,389	456,610	13,185,266,490	28,876
NOT APPLICABLE	21,863	6,041,250	252,532,147,080	41,801
NOT ASCERTAINED	338	114,040	3,178,277,250	27,870
OTHER ITEM INCLUDED				
NONE	2,143	1,046,850	22,137,929,140	21,147
ONE	4,258	1,525,050	38,687,301,670	25,368
TWO	1,008	416,000	11,305,402,080	27,176
THREE OR FOUR	368	193,120	6,060,462,270	31,382
NOT APPLICABLE	21,863	6,041,250	252,532,147,080	41,801
NOT ASCERTAINED	1,201	333,690	10,166,427,080	30,467

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NUMBER OF TVS				
0	547	145,690	3,523,872,800	24,187
1	15,620	4,878,240	143,282,004,010	29,372
2	10,575	3,293,590	132,260,385,380	40,157
3	3,162	949,630	46,653,842,960	49,128
4	701	212,860	11,082,237,400	52,064
5 OR MORE	236	75,950	4,087,326,770	53,816
CABLE TV				
NO	12,176	3,132,280	94,777,812,710	30,258
YES	18,665	6,423,680	246,111,856,610	38,313
VIDEO RECORDER				
NO	17,403	5,259,840	148,740,552,880	28,279
YES	13,438	4,296,120	192,149,116,440	44,726
NUMBER OF CARS				
0	6,703	2,069,300	42,865,285,000	20,715
1	17,172	5,134,900	171,147,784,790	33,330
2	5,753	1,938,020	100,294,851,530	51,751
3	949	324,880	20,496,243,930	63,089
4 OR MORE	264	88,860	6,085,504,070	68,484
NUMBER OF VANS OR TRUCKS				
0	20,889	7,330,030	250,516,528,210	34,177
1	8,422	1,950,100	78,369,462,980	40,187
2	1,204	227,050	9,552,588,880	42,073
3	229	36,750	1,897,439,110	51,631
4 OR MORE	97	12,030	553,650,140	46,022



1987 HOUSEHOLD FACILITIES & EQUIPMENT SURVEY

"Authority - Statistics Act, Chapter 15, Statutes of Canada 1970-71-72."

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10. DATE STRUCTURE ORIGINALLY BUILT
11. IS THIS DWELLING IN NEED OF ANY REPAIRS?
12. TOTAL NUMBER OF ROOMS
13. NUMBER OF BEDROOMS
14. PRINCIPAL HEATING EQUIPMENT
15. AGE OF PRINCIPAL HEATING EQUIPMENT
16. PRINCIPAL FUEL FOR THIS HEATING EQUIPMENT
17. DOES THIS HEATING EQUIPMENT HAVE ANY SPECIAL FEATURES?
18. FUEL-BURNING FIREPLACE
19. SUPPLEMENTARY HEATING EQUIPMENT
20. FUEL FOR SUPPLEMENTARY HEATING EQUIPMENT
21. HOME AIR CONDITIONING
22. TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY
23. PRINCIPAL FUEL FOR PIPED HOT WATER SUPPLY
24. INSTALLED BATHTUB OR SHOWER
25. TOILET FACILITIES
26. FUEL FOR PRINCIPAL COOKING EQUIPMENT
27. MICROWAVE OVEN
28. NUMBER OF REFRIGERATORS
29. HOME FREEZER SEPARATE FROM REFRIGERATOR
30. AUTOMATIC DISHWASHER
31. WASHING MACHINE
32. CLOTHES DRYER
33. HOW MANY TELEPHONES ARE THERE IN THIS DWELLING?
34. HOW MANY DIFFERENT TELEPHONE NUMBERS ARE THERE?
35. RADIOS IN DWELLING
36. RADIOS WITH FM BAND
37. COLOUR TV SETS
38. BLACK AND WHITE TV SETS
39. CABLE TELEVISION
40. CABLE CONVERTER
41. VIDEO RECORDER
42. SMOKE DETECTOR
43. PORTABLE FIRE EXTINGUISHER
44. AUTOMOBILES
45. VANS, TRUCKS
46. ADULT-SIZE BICYCLES
47. MOTORCYCLES
48. SNOWMOBILES

NOTES - See over for additional NOTES
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1987 HOUSEHOLD FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT SURVEY

'Q' CARD

MUST BE USED WHEN ASKING ITEM 11

The purpose of Item 11 is to gauge the current condition of a dwelling. By asking this question, it will be possible to assess whether or not the condition of Canada's dwelling stock has improved, deteriorated or stayed the same.

IS THIS DWELLING IN NEED OF ANY REPAIRS? (Do not include desirable remodelling, additions, conversions or energy improvements)

11

- Yes, **MAJOR REPAIRS** are needed (to correct, for example, corroded pipes, damaged electrical wiring, sagging floors, bulging walls, damp walls and ceilings, crumbling foundation, rotting porches and steps)
- Yes, **MINOR REPAIRS** are needed (to correct, for example, small cracks in interior walls and ceilings, broken light fixtures and switches, leaking sink, cracked or broken window panes, **some** missing shingles or siding, **some** peeling paint)
- No, only **REGULAR MAINTENANCE** is needed (for example, painting, leaking faucets, clogged gutters or eavestroughs)

DEFINITIONS

IMPROVEMENT: Work that upgrades the dwelling over and above its original condition.

REPAIR: Work that restores the dwelling to its original condition.

MAJOR REPAIRS: Repairs to the more serious deficiencies in the structural condition of the dwelling, as well as in the plumbing, electrical and heating systems.

MINOR REPAIRS: Repairs to deficiencies in the surface or covering material of the dwelling and to less serious deficiencies in the plumbing, electrical and heating systems.

REGULAR MAINTENANCE: Where neither major nor minor repairs are needed (e.g., fixing leaky faucets, cleaning clogged eavestroughs).

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RENT SCHEDULE COMPLETION STATUS: Completed, Partially Completed, Refused

10 INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM: If first rent interview at this dwelling, go to 11. If subsequent interview, same household or new tenant, subsequent interview, go to 40.

20 WERE YOU RENTING THIS DWELLING 12 MONTHS AGO? Yes No go to 30

30 WERE YOU RENTING THIS DWELLING LAST MONTH? Yes No go to 40

40 INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM: If new tenant, complete all items in this column except 42B and 44A. If first rent interview at this dwelling, complete all items in the column except 42B and 44B. If subsequent interview, same household, complete all items in this column except 44B.

11 INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM: If code 5 in item 8 on Form 03, go to 12. Otherwise, go to 13.

21 TWELVE MONTHS AGO, WAS THE RENT FOR THIS DWELLING: PAID BY TWO OR MORE PEOPLE? Yes No Specify in NOTES

31 LAST MONTH, WAS THE RENT FOR THIS DWELLING: PAID BY TWO OR MORE PEOPLE? Yes No Specify in NOTES

41 THIS MONTH IS THE RENT FOR THIS DWELLING: PAID BY TWO OR MORE PEOPLE? Yes No Specify in NOTES

12 COMPLETE BY OBSERVATION: Number of floors in structure which contain dwellings. Number of the floor on which this dwelling is situated (count ground level as floor number one. Enter 00 for dwelling located in the basement.)

22 WHAT WAS THE RENT FOR THIS DWELLING 12 MONTHS AGO? \$ 00 If 0000, go to 30

32 WHAT WAS THE RENT FOR THIS DWELLING LAST MONTH? \$ 00 If 0000, go to 40

41 THIS MONTH IS THE RENT FOR THIS DWELLING: SUBSIDIZED BY GOVERNMENT OR AN EMPLOYER OR A RELATIVE? Yes No Specify in NOTES

13 WHEN WAS THIS STRUCTURE ORIGINALLY CONSTRUCTED? Before 1940, 1940 to 1949, 1950 to 1959, 1960 to 1969, After 1969

23 WHAT TYPES OF PARKING FACILITIES WERE INCLUDED IN THE RENT 12 MONTHS AGO? None, 2, 3, 4

33 WHAT TYPES OF PARKING FACILITIES WERE INCLUDED IN THE RENT LAST MONTH? None, 2, 3, 4

42 FOR ALL INTERVIEWS: A HOW MUCH IS THE RENT THIS MONTH? B IF SUBSEQUENT INTERVIEW, SAME HOUSEHOLD ONLY: SINCE LAST MONTH, HAVE THERE BEEN ANY CHANGES IN THE AMOUNT OF RENT PAID? Yes No Describe discrepancies in NOTES

14 HOW MANY BEDROOMS ARE THERE IN THIS DWELLING? Enter 00 for a bachelor apartment go to 20

PARKING FACILITIES: (1) For codes 3, 4 or 5 in item 8 on Form 03, determine types of parking facilities and number of spaces. (2) Otherwise, determine types of parking facilities only. Closed garage or indoor parking, Outside parking with plug-in, Outside parking without plug-in

24 IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS HAVE THERE BEEN ANY CHANGES IN THE FOLLOWING SERVICES INCLUDED IN THE RENT? None go to 31

34 LAST MONTH, WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING WERE SUPPLIED BY THE LANDLORD AS PART OF THE RENT THAT YOU PAID?

43 WHAT TYPES OF PARKING FACILITIES ARE INCLUDED IN THE RENT THIS MONTH? None, 2, 3, 4

SERVICES, EQUIPMENT AND FURNISHINGS, OTHER FACILITIES: HEAT, WATER: HOT, COLD, ELECTRICITY, CABLEVISION, REFRIGERATOR, COOKSTOVE, DISHWASHER, WASHER & DRYER: COIN-OPERATED INCLUDED IN RENT, DRAPERIES, RUGS OR CARPETING, FURNITURE: ALL, PART, Other Facilities: SWIMMING POOL, SAUNA

24 IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS HAVE THERE BEEN ANY CHANGES IN THE FOLLOWING SERVICES INCLUDED IN THE RENT? Added Deleted go to 31

34 LAST MONTH, WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING WERE SUPPLIED BY THE LANDLORD AS PART OF THE RENT THAT YOU PAID? Yes No go to 40

44 IF NOT A NEW TENANT: A SINCE LAST MONTH, HAVE THERE BEEN ANY CHANGES IN THE SERVICES, EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS OR OTHER FACILITIES INCLUDED IN THE RENT? B IF NEW TENANT ONLY: WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE SUPPLIED BY THE LANDLORD AS PART OF THE RENT THAT YOU PAID THIS MONTH? Complete item 8

NOTES, FRANÇAIS AU VERSO, See over for additional NOTES

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Name of respondent



Statistics Canada Statistique Canada

Household Surveys Division
Division des enquêtes-ménages

1986 Income questionnaire

To be completed by persons 15 years of age and over

Pick-up date:

Authority - Statistics Act, Chapter 15, Statutes of Canada 1970-71-72.

This act prohibits the disclosure by Statistics Canada of any particulars which could reveal the identity of an individual

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DURING THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1986, DID YOU RECEIVE ANY INCOME FROM THE FOLLOWING SOURCES? IF "YES", PLEASE MARK "X" IN THE "YES" CIRCLE AND ENTER AMOUNT RECEIVED. IF "NO", PLEASE MARK "X" IN THE "NO" CIRCLE AND PROCEED TO NEXT QUESTION. (TO INDICATE A LOSS ENTER THE AMOUNT AND WRITE "LOSS" ABOVE.)

2 0 1

I.C.
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PLEASE CONSULT THE ACCOMPANYING GUIDE WITH ITS DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS, TO SIMPLIFY COMPLETION OF THIS FORM.

		DOLLARS	CENTS
1. WAGES and SALARIES before deductions	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	01	
2. MILITARY PAY and ALLOWANCES	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	02	
3. Net income from NON-FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	03	
4. Net income from FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	04	
5. Gross income from ROOMERS and BOARDERS	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	05	
6. INTEREST on bonds, deposits and savings certificates, Canada Savings Bonds, cash bonuses for CSB's - see note in Guide, item 6	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	06	
7. DIVIDENDS, actual amount received (not taxable amount)	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	07	
8. OTHER INVESTMENT INCOME (net rents from real estate, etc.)	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	08	
9. FAMILY ALLOWANCES	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	09	
10. OLD AGE SECURITY PENSION, GUARANTEED INCOME SUPPLEMENT and SPOUSE'S ALLOWANCE from federal government only. Report provincial supplements in question 13	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	10	
11. CANADA or QUEBEC PENSION PLAN BENEFITS	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	11	
12. UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BENEFITS, total benefits before tax deductions	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	12	
13. SOCIAL ASSISTANCE and PROVINCIAL INCOME SUPPLEMENTS	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	13	
14. OTHER INCOME from GOVERNMENT SOURCES: PLEASE SPECIFY Report provincial tax credits and allowances in question 20	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	14	
15. RETIREMENT PENSIONS, SUPERANNUATION and ANNUITIES - see note in Guide, item 15. PLEASE SPECIFY	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	15	
16. OTHER MONEY INCOME, PLEASE SPECIFY	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	16	
17. TOTAL INCOME, sum of entries in questions 1 to 16	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	17	
18. CAPITAL GAINS - Taxable portion of capital gains or allowable capital losses realized in 1986. To indicate a loss, write "loss" above amount	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	18	
	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	19	
19. INCOME TAX (federal plus provincial) - total payable on 1986 income and capital gains	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	20	
	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	21	
20. PROVINCIAL TAX CREDITS and ALLOWANCES - see Guide, item 20	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	22	
21. CHILD TAX CREDIT received from federal program only - see Guide, item 21	Yes <input type="radio"/> → No <input type="radio"/>	23	
22. Remarks:		24	

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10 LAST WEEK, DID ... WORK AT A JOB OR BUSINESS? (Regardless of the number of hours.)

30 LAST WEEK, DID ... HAVE A JOB OR BUSINESS AT WHICH HE/SHE DID NOT WORK?

50 HAS ... EVER WORKED AT A JOB OR BUSINESS?

11 DID ... HAVE MORE THAN ONE JOB OR BUSINESS LAST WEEK?

31 LAST WEEK, DID ... HAVE A JOB TO START AT A DEFINITE DATE IN THE FUTURE?

51 WHEN DID ... LAST WORK AT A JOB OR BUSINESS?

12 WAS THIS A RESULT OF CHANGING EMPLOYERS LAST WEEK?

32 COUNTING FROM THE END OF LAST WEEK, IN HOW MANY WEEKS WILL ... START TO WORK AT HIS/ HER NEW JOB?

52 INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM (1) If 51 is before ... (2) If 51 is equal to or later than ...

13 HOW MANY HOURS PER WEEK DOES ... USUALLY WORK AT HIS/HER: (Main) JOB? Other jobs?

33 WHY WAS ... ABSENT FROM WORK LAST WEEK? Enter code and if code 6 go to 32

53 DID ... USUALLY WORK 30 OR MORE HOURS PER WEEK? Full-time Part-time

14 WHAT IS THE REASON ... USUALLY WORKS LESS THAN 30 HOURS PER WEEK? Enter Code

34 DID ... HAVE MORE THAN ONE JOB OR BUSINESS LAST WEEK? Yes No

54 WHAT WAS THE MAIN REASON WHY ... LEFT THAT JOB? Enter code

15 LAST WEEK, HOW MANY HOURS OF OVERTIME OR EXTRA HOURS DID ... WORK? (Include paid and unpaid time at all jobs)

35 HOW MANY HOURS PER WEEK DOES ... USUALLY WORK AT HIS/HER: (Main) JOB? Other jobs?

55 INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM * If "perm. unable to work" in 10 ... * Otherwise ...

16 LAST WEEK, HOW MANY HOURS WAS ... AWAY FROM WORK FOR ANY REASON? (Holiday, vacation, illness, labour dispute, etc.)

36 WHAT IS THE REASON ... USUALLY WORKS LESS THAN 30 HOURS PER WEEK? Enter code

56 IN THE PAST 6 MONTHS, HAS ... LOOKED FOR WORK? Yes No

17 WHAT WAS THE MAIN REASON FOR BEING AWAY FROM WORK? Enter code

37 UP TO THE END OF LAST WEEK, HOW MANY WEEKS HAS ... BEEN CONTINUOUSLY ABSENT FROM WORK? Enter code

57 * IN THE PAST 4 WEEKS, WHAT HAS ... DONE TO FIND WORK? Mark all methods reported

18 HOW MANY HOURS DID ... ACTUALLY WORK LAST WEEK AT HIS/HER: (Main) JOB? Other jobs?

38 IS ... GETTING ANY WAGES OR SALARY FROM HIS/HER EMPLOYER FOR ANY TIME OFF LAST WEEK? Yes No

Table with 2 columns: Method used, No. of weeks ago (excl. 5th week). Rows include PUBLIC employment AGENCY, PRIVATE employment AGENCY, UNION, EMPLOYERS directly, FRIENDS or relatives, Placed or answered ADS, LOOKED at job ADS, OTHER.

19 IN THE PAST 4 WEEKS, HAS ... LOOKED FOR ANOTHER JOB? Yes No

39 INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM * If code 5 (layoff) in 33 ... * Otherwise ...

40 IN THE PAST 4 WEEKS, HAS ... LOOKED FOR ANOTHER JOB? Yes No

DESCRIPTION OF MAIN JOB OR BUSINESS

72 FOR WHOM DID ... WORK? (Name of business, government dept. or agency, or person)

73 WHEN DID ... START WORKING FOR THIS EMPLOYER? Mo. Yr.

74 WHAT KIND OF BUSINESS, INDUSTRY OR SERVICE WAS THIS? (Give full description: e.g., federal government, canning industry, forestry services.)

75A WHAT KIND OF WORK WAS ... DOING? (Give full description: e.g., office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician.)

75B IN THIS WORK, WHAT WERE ... MOST IMPORTANT ACTIVITIES OR DUTIES? (Give full description: e.g., filling documents, drying vegetables, forest examiner.)

76 Class of worker: Main job Other job

77 NOTES

58 UP TO THE END OF LAST WEEK, HOW MANY WEEKS HAS ... BEEN LOOKING FOR WORK? (Not counting weeks worked.)

59 WHAT WAS ...'S MAIN ACTIVITY BEFORE HE/SHE STARTED TO LOOK FOR WORK? Enter code

60 IS ... LOOKING FOR A JOB TO LAST MORE THAN 6 MONTHS? Yes No

61 IS ... LOOKING FOR A FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME JOB? Full-time Part-time

62 WHAT WAS THE MAIN REASON WHY ... DID NOT LOOK FOR WORK LAST WEEK? Enter code

63 WAS THERE ANY REASON WHY ... COULD NOT TAKE A JOB LAST WEEK? Enter code

64 INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM * If "No" (never worked) in 50 ... * If upper circle in 52 is marked ... * Otherwise ...

80 LAST WEEK, WAS ... ATTENDING A SCHOOL, COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY? Yes No

81 WAS ... ENROLLED AS A FULL-TIME OR A PART-TIME STUDENT? Full time Part time

82 WHAT KIND OF SCHOOL WAS THIS? Enter code

EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES (if age 65 or over, go to 90)

90 Last interview This interview



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No change ¹ or

P.S.U. **6** Group Cluster Rot. no. Listing **7** Mult.

Type of dwelling **8** Enter code

Record time of every call on this household

Mon.	:	:	:	:	:	:
Tues.	:	:	:	:	:	:
Wed.	:	:	:	:	:	:
Thur.	:	:	:	:	:	:
Fri.	:	:	:	:	:	:
Sat.	:	:	:	:	:	:

Listing address **10**

FIRST INTERVIEW WITH THIS HOUSEHOLD

13 WOULD YOU PREFER TO BE INTERVIEWED IN ENGLISH OR IN FRENCH?
 English French Either Neither

14 INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM:
 Language of interview:
 English French Other

15 WHAT ARE THE NAMES OF ALL PERSONS NOW LIVING OR STAYING HERE WHO HAVE NO USUAL PLACE OF RESIDENCE ELSEWHERE?
 Enter names in 32.

16 ARE THERE ANY PERSONS AWAY FROM THIS HOUSEHOLD ATTENDING SCHOOL, VISITING, TRAVELLING OR IN HOSPITAL WHO USUALLY LIVE HERE?
 Yes Enter names in 32 No

17 DOES ANYONE ELSE LIVE HERE SUCH AS OTHER RELATIVES, ROOMERS, BOARDERS OR EMPLOYEES?
 Yes Enter names in 32. No

SUBSEQUENT INTERVIEW

20 • If personal interview Go to 21
 • Otherwise ask:
ARE YOU STILL LIVING IN THE SAME DWELLING AS LAST MONTH?
 • where possible, state listing address
 Yes Go to 21 No Personal visit required

21 DO THE FOLLOWING PERSONS STILL LIVE OR STAY AT THIS DWELLING?
 • Read all names in 32.
 • Enter appropriate code in 40.

22 DOES ANYONE ELSE NOW LIVE OR STAY AT THIS DWELLING SUCH AS OTHER RELATIVES, ROOMERS, BOARDERS, ETC.?
 Yes Enter names in 32. No Go to 42
 Complete 33 through 40 and go to 42.

31 HRD Pg	32 Ln	33 Age	34 Sex	35 M	36 Fam id.	37 R to H	38 Educ. <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	40 Membership	50 Answers to supplementary questions													
									L	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
1	Given name Surname																					
2	Given name Surname																					
3	Given name Surname																					
4	Given name Surname																					
5	Given name Surname																					
6	Given name Surname																					
7	Given name Surname																					
8	Given name Surname																					

42 IS THIS DWELLING OWNED BY A MEMBER OF THIS HOUSEHOLD?
 Yes Go directly to FORMS 05 & 06 No Complete FORM 04

COMPLETE AT END OF INTERVIEW

43 FOR ALL HOUSEHOLDS

Telephone no. — → Permission to interview by phone:
 Granted 3 Go to 44
 Denied 4

No telephone 1 or telephone no. 2 refused Go to 44

44 Determine and record the best time to call on this household.

60. DOES THIS HOUSEHOLD LIVE ON A FARM?
 CE MÉNAGE DEMEURE-T-IL SUR UNE FERME?
 YES-OUI 1 _____ NO-NON 2 _____

45 RESPONSE CODE

Month

Code

IF CODE "B"
EXPLAIN IN NOTES

46 Was this interview conducted by telephone?
 Yes No

47 Forms Control

Form	04	05	06
Printed			
Completed			

48 NOTES

Ln	Retain	Item no.
1	<input type="radio"/>	
2	<input type="radio"/>	
3	<input type="radio"/>	
4	<input type="radio"/>	

See over for additional NOTES.



QUESTION CARD

1986 SURVEY OF CONSUMER FINANCES

ITEM 50 ON F03 - SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTIONS AND CODES

Ask every applicable supplementary question for each person 15 years of age or over and enter a code in every column from

I	I	to	O
S	S		A
A	B		J

NOTE - BE SURE TO ASK EVERY QUESTION EXACTLY AS WORDED

I	I	<p>IMMIGRATION STATUS</p> <p>Is ... Canadian born?</p> <p>If 'YES', code:</p> <p>00 - Persons born in Canada (including Nfid.) or Canadian by birth.</p> <p>if 'NO', ask:</p> <p>Since when has ... been residing in Canada?</p> <p>45 - Persons who immigrated to Canada before 1946.</p> <p>46 to 86 - Persons who immigrated to Canada between 1946 and 1986. (Enter the last two digits of the actual year of arrival.)</p>
S	S	
A	B	

S	<p>STRETCHES OF UNEMPLOYMENT</p> <p>Enter '0' if 'WU' is '00'; Otherwise, ask:</p> <p>Were those weeks all in one stretch?</p> <p>1 - Yes - 1 stretch</p> <p>2 - No - 2 stretches</p> <p>3 - No - 3 or more stretches</p> <p>0 - Not applicable</p>
U	
I	

M	<p>MOTHER TONGUE</p> <p>What is the language ... first learned in childhood and still understands?</p> <p>1 - English</p> <p>2 - French</p> <p>0 - Other</p>
T	
C	

O	<p>OTHER ACTIVITY</p> <p>Enter '0' if 'WW' + 'WU' = '52'; Otherwise, ask:</p> <p>What was ...'s main activity during the weeks when he/she was neither working nor looking for work?</p> <p>1 - Permanently unable to work</p> <p>2 - Kept house</p> <p>3 - Went to school</p> <p>4 - Retired or voluntarily idle</p> <p>5 - Other (Specify in 'Notes' of the F03)</p> <p>0 - Not applicable</p>
A	
J	

W	<p>WEEKS WORKED</p> <p>During 1985, in how many weeks did ... do any work at a job or business?</p> <p>(Include vacation, maternity leave, illness, strikes and lock-outs.)</p> <p>00 to 52 - e.g. 9 weeks = '09'</p>
W	
E	

INCOME CODE - ITEM 25 ON CF06
- COLUMN 20 ON F07

F	<p>FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME WORK</p> <p>Enter '0' if 'WW' is '00'; Otherwise, ask:</p> <p>During those weeks, was the work mostly full-time or part-time?</p> <p>1 - Full-time</p> <p>2 - Part-time</p> <p>0 - Not applicable</p>
P	
F	

Determine the income code by:

- performing interviewer check procedure on completed CF06, or
- asking, "Did ... receive any income during 1985?"

Enter code:

- on CF06, in Item 25 (for CF06's on hand, completed or refused)
- on F07, in Column 20 (for CF06's not returned)

INCOME CODES

- Definitely determined that no income was received
- Income received and some or all details supplied
- Definitely determined that income was received but no details were supplied
- Impossible to determine whether or not income was received

W	<p>WEEKS UNEMPLOYED</p> <p>Enter '00' if 'WW' is '52'; Otherwise, ask:</p> <p>During 1985, in how many weeks was ... without work and looking for work?</p> <p>(Include temporary lay-offs)</p> <p>00 to 52 - e.g. 7 weeks = '07'</p>
U	
H	



CODE SHEET

Household Record Docket (Form 03)

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- 8
- 1 Single Detached
 - 2 Double
 - 3 Row or Terrace
 - 4 Duplex
 - 5 Apartment, Flat
 - 6 Institution
 - 7 Hotel, Rooming or Lodging House
 - 8 Camp - Logging, Construction, etc.
 - 9 Mobile Home
 - 0 Other - Specify in NOTES

- 34
- M Male
 - F Female

- 35
- WHAT IS MARITAL STATUS?
(Read categories to respondent)
- 1 Now married or living common-law
 - 2 Single (never married)
 - 3 Widow or widower
 - 4 Separated or divorced

- 36
- A Assign one letter to all household members related to the head of a family by one of the relationships listed in Item 37.
Z ('A' for each member of the first family, 'B' for each member of the second family, etc.)

- 37
- Each different letter used in Item 36 requires a different 'Head of Family' in Item 37.
- 1 Head of family
 - 2 Spouse
 - 3 Son or daughter (natural, adopted or step)
 - 4 Grandchild
 - 5 Son-in-law or daughter-in-law
 - 6 Foster child (less than age 18)
 - 7 Parent
 - 8 Parent-in-law
 - 9 Brother or sister
 - 0 Other relative - Specify in NOTES
- Unrelated roomers, boarders and friends require a separate family identifier in Item 36.

- 38
- (Read questions to respondent)
- Column 1: HOW MANY YEARS OF PRIMARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION HAS COMPLETED?
- 0 No schooling
 - 1 1 to 8 years of primary and secondary education
 - 2 9 or 10 years of primary and secondary education
 - 3 11 years of primary and secondary education
 - 4 12 years of primary and secondary education
 - 5 13 years of primary and secondary education
- Column 2: A. HAS TAKEN ANY POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION?
- 0 No (No post-secondary education)

- Yes → B. DID THIS EDUCATION NORMALLY REQUIRE HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION?
- 0 No (No post-secondary education)
- Yes → C. DID RECEIVE A DEGREE, CERTIFICATE, OR DIPLOMA?
- 1 No (Took some post-secondary education)
 - 2 Yes (Received a post-secondary certificate or diploma)
 - 3 Yes (Received a university degree)

- 40
- 0 Not a household member this month
 - 1 Civilian household member this month
 - 2 Full-time member of Canadian Armed Forces this month

- FIRST CODE: Entered by interviewer
- NOTE: for any code other than X, explain situation on appropriate form(s)
- | | | |
|---|--|-------|
| X | LFS questionnaire completed for all eligible household members | 22 |
| E | LFS questionnaire completed for some (not all) eligible household members | 15/22 |
| N | No one at home (after several calls) | 15/22 |
| R | Household refusal | 15/22 |
| K | Interview prevented by death, sickness, language problem or other unusual circumstances related to the household | 15/22 |
| L | Interview prevented by weather conditions | 15/22 |
| T | Household temporarily absent | 15/22 |
| V | Vacant dwelling (or trailer stall and vacant seasonal dwelling) | 22 |
| C | Dwelling under construction | 22 |
| B | Dwelling occupied by persons not to be interviewed | 15/22 |
| D | Dwelling demolished, converted to business premises, moved, abandoned (unfit for habitation), listed in error | 12/22 |
| A | Interview cancelled for lack of an interviewer (Regional Office use only) | |
- 45
- SECOND CODE: Regional Office use only
- Blank Interview or attempt to interview again
 - 3 Do not interview unless there is a complete change in household membership
 - 4 Attempt to interview again, a letter was sent
 - 5 Attempt to interview again, personal contact made by Regional Office staff

- ACTION CODES FOR CLUSTER LIST (FORM 02)
- 1 ADDITION, i.e., new listing line
 - 2 CORRECTION, i.e., to the original listing line
 - 3 CHANGE IN STATUS, i.e., should be deleted from the list

USING TEMPORARY DOCKET NUMBERS

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Always start with 'T' for Temporary

Use the last 4 digits of your assignment number

'A' for the first additional dwelling, 'B' for the second, 'C' for the third, etc.

SURVEY MONTH	ROTATION	SURVEY MONTH	ROTATION
01 (Jan.)	1	07 (July)	1
02 (Feb.)	2	08 (Aug.)	2
03 (Mar.)	3	09 (Sept.)	3
04 (Apr.)	4	10 (Oct.)	4
05 (May)	5	11 (Nov.)	5
06 (June)	6	12 (Dec.)	6