

# South Africa - Quarterly Labour Force Survey 2009 - Third Quarter, with ILO standard variables

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## Overview

### Identification

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**ID NUMBER**

ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR

### Version

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**VERSION DESCRIPTION**

Version 01

### Overview

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**ABSTRACT**

The Quarterly Labour Force Survey (QLFS) is a household-based sample survey conducted by Statistics South Africa (Stats SA). It collects data on the labour market activities of individuals aged 15 years or older who live in South Africa. The QLFS sample covers the non-institutional population except for workers' hostels. However, persons living in private dwelling units within institutions are also enumerated. For example, within a school compound, one would enumerate the schoolmaster's house and teachers' accommodation because these are private dwellings. Students living in a dormitory on the school compound would, however, be excluded. The Labour Force Survey frame has been developed as a general-purpose household survey frame that can be used by all other household surveys irrespective of the sample size requirement of the survey. The sample size for the QLFS is roughly 30 000 dwellings.

NB: This version of the study includes ILO standardized variables. The ILO Department of STATISTICS has developed a comprehensive framework for processing labour force survey microdatasets. Up to 34 standardized derived variables are generated from existing labour force survey microdatasets to allow for the production of internationally comparable labour market indicators.

**KIND OF DATA**

Sample survey data [ssd]

**UNITS OF ANALYSIS**

- Individuals
- Households

### Scope

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**NOTES**

The scope of the study includes:

- labour market activity
- labour preferences
- labour market history
- demographic characteristics
- marital status
- employment status
- education
- grants

**TOPICS**

Topic	Vocabulary	URI
Education	ILO	
Wages	ILO	
Employment	ILO	
Unemployment	ILO	
Informal Work	ILO	
Trade	ILO	
Tax Policy & Administration	ILO	
Gender	ILO	

## Coverage

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**GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE**

National coverage

**GEOGRAPHIC UNIT**

Provincial and metropolitan level

**UNIVERSE**

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## Producers and Sponsors

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**PRIMARY INVESTIGATOR(S)**

Name	Affiliation
Statistics South Africa	Government of South Africa

## Metadata Production

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**METADATA PRODUCED BY**

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation	Role
Department of Statistics	ILO	International Labour Organization	Producer of DDI

**DATE OF METADATA PRODUCTION**

2017-05-02

**DDI DOCUMENT ID**

DDI\_ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR

## Sampling

### Sampling Procedure

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The Labour Force Survey frame has been developed as a general-purpose household survey frame that can be used by all other household surveys irrespective of the sample size requirement of the survey. The sample size for the QLFS is roughly 30 000 dwellings. The sample is based on information collected during the 2001 Population Census conducted by Stats SA. In preparation for Census 2001, the country was divided into 80 787 enumeration areas (EAs). Some of these EAs are small in terms of the number of households that were enumerated in them at the time of Census 2001. Stats SA's household-based surveys use a Master Sample of Primary Sampling units (PSUs) which comprises EAs that are drawn from across the country. For the purposes of the Master Sample, the EAs that contained fewer than 25 households were excluded from the sampling frame, and those that contained between 25 and 99 households were combined with other EAs of the same geographic type to form Primary Sampling Units (PSUs). The number of EAs per PSU ranges between one and four. On the other hand, very large EAs represent two or more PSUs. The current sample size is 3 080 PSUs. It is equally divided into four subgroups or panels called rotation groups. The rotation groups are designed in such a way that each of these groups has the same distribution pattern as that which is observed in the whole sample. They are numbered from one to four and these numbers also correspond to the quarters of the year in which the sample will be rotated for the particular group. The sampled PSUs have been assigned to 4 rotation groups, and dwellings selected from the PSUs assigned to rotation group '1' are rotated in the first quarter. Similarly, the dwellings selected from the PSUs assigned to rotation group '2' are rotated in the second quarter, and so on. Thus, each sampled dwelling will remain in the sample for four consecutive quarters. It should be noted that the sampling unit is the dwelling, and the unit of observation is the household. Therefore, if a household moves out of a dwelling after being in the sample for, say 2 quarters, and a new household moves in, then the new household will be enumerated for the next two quarters. If no household moves into the sampled dwelling, the dwelling will be classified as vacant (unoccupied).

### Response Rate

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Response rate by province

Province July-Sep 2009

Percentages (%)

Western Cape 78,9

Eastern Cape 96,5

Northern Cape 90,8

Free State 94,5

KwaZulu-Natal 93,7

North West 94,6

Gauteng 78,3

Mpumalanga 96,6

Limpopo 97,9

The response rate in South Africa for the Quarterly Labor Force survey from July to September 2009 is equal to 90.1%.

### Weighting

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Stats SA updated the QLFS results (2008-2013) to reflect the new population benchmarks from Census 2011. Although the weighting changes are not clearly documented by Stats SA, users are advised to remain aware of these slight calibration differences between the previous version and the current (revised) data version when employing weights.

# Questionnaires

## Overview

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Contents of the QLFS questionnaire:

Section Number of questions Details of each section

Section 1 7 Biographical information (marital status, language, migration, education, training, literacy, etc.

Section 2 8 Economic activities

Section 3 19 Unemployment and economic inactivity

Section 4 25 Main work activities in the last week

All sections 59 Comprehensive coverage of all aspects of the labour market

## Data Collection

### Data Collection Dates

Start	End	Cycle
2009	2009	N/A

### Time Periods

Start	End	Cycle
2009-07		Quarterly

### Data Collection Mode

Face-to-face [f2f]

### Data Collection Notes

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# Data Processing

## Other Processing

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Non-sampling errors include biases from inaccurate reporting, processing, and tabulation, etc., as well as errors from non-response and incomplete reporting. These types of errors cannot be measured readily. However, to the extent possible, non-sampling errors can be minimised through the procedures used for data collection, editing, quality control, and non-response adjustment.

\*\*\*\*Labour Force Survey Microdata Pre-processing:

The process of deriving ILO standardized variables has been applied to the National Labour Force Surveys downloaded from the Microdata Repository. If the microdata set provides all the information required, it can be created up to 34 key variables. To know that these variables have been processed and that they are now in a standardized format that is comparable across microdata, they are called "ilo\_XXX". Each key variable has a different name (XXX). All these variables are added at the end of the original microdataset (version 1: 3-dgt ISO\_Survey\_Year\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_ILO).

Recode note: International classifications based on ISCED, ISIC and ISCO are using, (at certain levels of disaggregation) letters instead of numbers. These letters have been replaced by numbers to keep numerical characters as values. Nevertheless, labels and categories' boundaries are following international standard classifications.

\*\*\*\*\*ZAF Microdata Pre-processing

Geographical coverage ('ilo\_geo')

Created from variable Geo\_type, which distinguishes 1 Urban (set to urban), and 2, 3, 4, Traditional Farms and Mining (set to rural).

Labour Force Status ('ilo\_lfs')

Temporary absent, only seasonal waiting and future job starters are set to unemployment.

Education ('ilo\_edu')

The criteria used corresponds to completed education, following the ISCED 97 criteria. Doctoral degree and Master's degree cannot be distinguished in the ZAF data, both categories are set to Master's or equivalent. Completing a higher or equal educational level is assumed to validate the lack of completion for an inferior or equal level. The following table describes the detailed definitions used.

Occupation ('ilo\_job1\_ocu\_isco88\_2digits')

(Previous occupation ('ilo\_prevocu\_isco88') follows from the same procedure)

The underlying data is broadly consistent with ISCO-88, nonetheless some discrepancies arise. The method to achieve the correspondence is the following:

1 When possible a direct mapping is established.

2 When the 4 digit categories coincide in the content but not in the code the latter is adjusted.

3 When the ZAF data presents 4 digit categories non-existent in the ISCO 88 the code is reduced to two digit.

Additionally there are several 4 digit ISCO88 categories not present in ZAF data. The resulting correspondence can be seen in the table below, with perfect correspondences not shown.

Economic activity ('ilo\_eco')

(Previous economic activity ('ilo\_preveco') follows the same procedure)

Since the ZAF data is only partly compatible with ISIC 3, the table below describes the used mapping of ZAF data to ISIC 3.1 division. The 2 digit level ISIC 3.1 is not obtained due to compatibility issues.

Formal / Informal Economy ('ilo\_job1\_ife\_prod' 'ilo\_job1\_ife\_nature')

The variables used to compute the formality of both sector and employment are: institutional sector of the unit of production, business registration for national tax purposes, contribution of the employer to a social security scheme or pension fund, availability of paid holiday leave and availability of paid sick leave. These are the variables available from ZAF data that are included in the framework to determine formality.

With respect to formal or informal sector. Employed respondents working for the public sector (including government

controlled business) are considered to be working in the formal sector. So do persons employed at businesses registered for tax purposes, finally, employees working in businesses that are not registered but that provide access to a social security scheme or pension fund are also considered to be employed in the formal sector. Respondents that report working for a private household are classified as working in the household sector. The informal sector is composed by: employees in unregistered businesses with no access to social security and the rest of workers in unregistered businesses.

With respect to formal or informal employment. Employees and workers without status with access to a social security scheme or a pension fund are considered to be in formal employment, those with no access or no knowledge about such scheme are considered in informal employment. Employers and own account workers are considered to be in formal or informal employment in the measure that they are considered to work in the formal or informal sector respectively. Finally contributing family workers are considered to be informally employed.

Incomplete or no data

Disability status ('ilo\_dsb')

Not available as a general population question (only given as a reason of unemployment/not starting a business).

Monthly labour related income ('ilo\_joball\_lri')

Present in the questionnaire yet not available in the micro data set.

Occupational injury ('ilo\_joball\_inj', 'ilo\_joball\_oi\_case', 'ilo\_joball\_oi\_day')

Not available.



## Data Appraisal

### Estimates of Sampling Error

The variances of the survey estimates are used to measure sampling errors. This measure is easier to interpret since it provides an indication of sampling error using the same scale as the estimate, whereas the variance is based on squared differences.

## File Description

# Variable List

**ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS**

Content	This adaptation of the South Africa Labour Force Survey 2009, Third Quarter dataset has been processed by the ILO Department of Statistics to create a set of up to 34 standardized derived variables. All these variables are called "ilo_XXX" and have been added at the end of the original microdataset.
Cases	88252
Variable(s)	188
Structure	Type: Keys: ()
Version	
Producer	ILO Department of Statistics
Missing Data	

**Variables**

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V282	UQNO	Unique number	discrete	character	
V283	PERSONNO	Person (respondent) number	contin	numeric	
V284	Q12NIGHTS	Stayed at least four nights	discrete	numeric	
V285	Q13GENDER	Gender	discrete	numeric	
V286	Q15POPULATION	Population group	discrete	numeric	
V287	Q16MARITALSTATUS	Marital status	discrete	numeric	
V288	Q17EDUCATION	Highest education level	discrete	numeric	
V289	Q20SELFRESPOND	Person him/herself responding	discrete	numeric	
V290	Q24APDWRK	Have paid work	discrete	numeric	
V291	Q24BOWNBUSNS	Have own business	discrete	numeric	
V292	Q24CUNPDWRK	Have unpaid work	discrete	numeric	
V293	Q25APDWRK	Return to paid work	discrete	numeric	
V294	Q25BOWNBUSNS	Return to own business	discrete	numeric	
V295	Q25CUNPDWRK	Return to unpaid work	discrete	numeric	
V296	Q26AFARMWRK	Do farm work	discrete	numeric	
V297	Q26ATIME	Do farm work : Time	discrete	numeric	
V298	Q26BFETCHWATER	Fetch water	discrete	numeric	
V299	Q26BTIME	Fetch water : Time	discrete	numeric	
V300	Q26CPRODHHGOODS	Produce goods	discrete	numeric	
V301	Q26CTIME	Produce goods : Time	discrete	numeric	
V302	Q26DCONSTRUC	Do construction	discrete	numeric	
V303	Q26DTIME	Do construction : Time	discrete	numeric	
V304	Q26ECATCHFOOD	Catch food	discrete	numeric	
V305	Q26ETIME	Catch food : Time	discrete	numeric	
V306	Q27RSNABSENT	Main reason absent from work	discrete	numeric	
V307	Q31ALOOKWRK	Look for work	discrete	numeric	
V308	Q31BSTARTBUSNS	Start business	discrete	numeric	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V309	Q3201REGISTER	Registered	discrete	numeric	
V310	Q3202ENQUIRE	Enquired	discrete	numeric	
V311	Q3203JOBADS	Placed adverts	discrete	numeric	
V312	Q3204JOBSEARCH	Search job	discrete	numeric	
V313	Q3205ASSISTANCE	Sought assistance	discrete	numeric	
V314	Q3206STARTBUSNS	Start own business	discrete	numeric	
V315	Q3207CASUAL	Casual work	discrete	numeric	
V316	Q3208FINASSIST	Financial assistance	discrete	numeric	
V317	Q3210NOTHING	Nothing	discrete	numeric	
V318	Q33HAVEJOB	Have a job or start a business	discrete	numeric	
V319	Q34WANTTOWRK	Liked to work	discrete	numeric	
V320	Q35YNOTWRK	Reason for not working	discrete	numeric	
V321	Q36TIMESEEK	How long been trying to find work	discrete	numeric	
V322	Q37ACTPRIORJOBSEEK	Activity before looking for work	discrete	numeric	
V323	Q38RSNNOTSEEK	Reason why not look for work or start business	discrete	numeric	
V324	Q39JOBOFFER	Accept job if offered	discrete	numeric	
V325	Q310STARTBUSNS	Started business	discrete	numeric	
V326	Q311RSNNOTAVAILABLE	Reason for not working	discrete	numeric	
V327	Q312EVERWRK	Ever worked	discrete	numeric	
V328	Q313TIMEUNEMPLOY	Time since last worked	discrete	numeric	
V329	Q314RSNSTOPWRK	Main reason you stopped working	discrete	numeric	
V330	Q315PREVOCCUPATION	Previous occupation	discrete	numeric	
V331	Q316PREVINDUSTRY	Previous industry	discrete	numeric	
V332	Q317WRK4WHOM	Whom did you work for	discrete	numeric	
V333	Q319aODDJOB	Odd jobs	discrete	numeric	
V334	Q319bINHHPERS	Persons in the household	discrete	numeric	
V335	Q319cNOTHHPERS	Persons not in the household	discrete	numeric	
V336	Q319dCHARITY	Charity	discrete	numeric	
V337	Q319eUIF	UIF	discrete	numeric	
V338	Q319fSAVINGS	Savings	discrete	numeric	
V339	Q319gPENSION	Pension	discrete	numeric	
V340	Q319hGRANTS	Child support grant	discrete	numeric	
V341	Q319iWELFARE	Welfare grants	discrete	numeric	
V342	Q319jOTHR	Other source of support	discrete	numeric	
V343	Q41MULTIPLEJOBS	More than one job	discrete	numeric	
V344	Q42OCCUPATION	Occupation	discrete	numeric	
V345	Q43INDUSTRY	Industry	discrete	numeric	
V346	Q44YEARSTART	Year	discrete	numeric	
V347	Q44MONTHSTART	Month	discrete	numeric	
V348	Q45WRK4WHOM	Main work	discrete	numeric	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V349	Q46PENSION	Contribution to pension or retirement fund	discrete	numeric	
V350	Q47PDLEAVE	Paid leave	discrete	numeric	
V351	Q48UIF	UIF Deductions	discrete	numeric	
V352	Q49MEDICAL	Medical aid or health insurance contribution	discrete	numeric	
V353	Q410INCOMETAX	Registered for income tax	discrete	numeric	
V354	Q411CONTRACTTYPE	Employment contract	discrete	numeric	
V355	Q412CONTRDURATION	Work status	discrete	numeric	
V356	Q413VAT	Registered for VAT	discrete	numeric	
V357	Q414TAX	Registered for income tax	discrete	numeric	
V358	Q415TYPEBUSNS	Type of business or enterprise	discrete	numeric	
V359	Q416NRWORKERS	Number of employees	discrete	numeric	
V360	Q418HRSWRK	Hours usually work	discrete	numeric	
V361	Q419MONHRSWRK	Hours worked past week - on Monday	discrete	numeric	
V362	Q419TUEHRSWRK	Hours worked past week - on Tuesday	discrete	numeric	
V363	Q419WEDHRSWRK	Hours worked past week - on Wednesday	discrete	numeric	
V364	Q419THUHRSWRK	Hours worked past week - on Thursday	discrete	numeric	
V365	Q419FRIHRSWRK	Hours worked past week - on Friday	discrete	numeric	
V366	Q419SATHRSWRK	Hours worked past week - on Saturday	discrete	numeric	
V367	Q419SUNHRSWRK	Hours worked past week - on Sunday	discrete	numeric	
V368	Q419TOTALHRS	Hours worked - in total	discrete	numeric	
V369	Q420FIRSTHRSWRK	Hours usually worked - In your first job/business	discrete	numeric	
V370	Q420SECONDHRSWRK	Hours usually worked - In your second job/business	discrete	numeric	
V371	Q420OTHERHRSWRK	Hours usually worked - In all other jobs/businesses	discrete	numeric	
V372	Q420TOTALHRSWRK	Hours worked - in total	discrete	numeric	
V373	Q4211MONHRSWRK	Hours worked on first job - on Monday	discrete	numeric	
V374	Q4211TUEHRSWRK	Hours worked on first job - on Tuesday	discrete	numeric	
V375	Q4211WEDHRSWRK	Hours worked on first job - on Wednesday	discrete	numeric	
V376	Q4211THUHRSWRK	Hours worked on first job - on Thursday	discrete	numeric	
V377	Q4211FRIHRSWRK	Hours worked on second job - on Friday	discrete	numeric	
V378	Q4211SATHRSWRK	Hours worked on first job - on Saturday	discrete	numeric	
V379	Q4211SUNHRSWRK	Hours worked on first job - on Sunday	discrete	numeric	
V380	Q4211TOTALHRS	Hours worked on first job - in total	discrete	numeric	
V381	Q4212MONHRSWRK	Hours worked on second job - on Monday	discrete	numeric	
V382	Q4212TUEHRSWRK	Hours worked on second job - on Tuesday	discrete	numeric	
V383	Q4212WEDHRSWRK	Hours worked on second job - on Wednesday	discrete	numeric	
V384	Q4212THUHRSWRK	Hours worked on second job - on Thursday	discrete	numeric	
V385	Q4212FRIHRSWRK	Hours worked on second job - on Friday	discrete	numeric	
V386	Q4212SATHRSWRK	Hours worked on second job - on Saturday	discrete	numeric	
V387	Q4212SUNHRSWRK	Hours worked on second job - on Sunday	discrete	numeric	
V388	Q4212TOTALHRS	Hours worked on second job - in total	discrete	numeric	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V389	Q4213MONHRSWRK	Hours worked on all other jobs - on Monday	discrete	numeric	
V390	Q4213TUEHRSWRK	Hours worked on all other jobs - on Tuesday	discrete	numeric	
V391	Q4213WEDHRSWRK	Hours worked on all other jobs - on Wednesday	discrete	numeric	
V392	Q4213THUHRSWRK	Hours worked on all other jobs - on Thursday	discrete	numeric	
V393	Q4213FRIHRSWRK	Hours worked on all other jobs - on Friday	discrete	numeric	
V394	Q4213SATHRSWRK	Hours worked on all other jobs - on Saturday	discrete	numeric	
V395	Q4213SUNHRSWRK	Hours worked on all other jobs - on Sunday	discrete	numeric	
V396	Q4213TOTALHRS	Hours worked on all other jobs - in total	discrete	numeric	
V397	Q422MOREHRS	Liked to work more hours	discrete	numeric	
V398	Q423ADDDHRS	Additional hours	discrete	numeric	
V399	Q424WRKXHRS	Willing to work longer hours	discrete	numeric	
V400	Q425STARTXWRK	Willing to do extra work	discrete	numeric	
V401	Q14AGE	Age	contin	numeric	
V402	Indus	Main industry	discrete	numeric	
V403	Occup	Main occupation	discrete	numeric	
V404	Sector1	Sector (excludes agriculture from formal and informal sectors)	discrete	numeric	
V405	Sector2	Sector (includes agriculture in the formal and informal sectors)	discrete	numeric	
V406	Unempl_status	Unemployment status	discrete	numeric	
V407	Infempl	Informal employment	discrete	numeric	
V408	Status	Status	discrete	numeric	
V409	long_term_unempl	Long-term unemployment	discrete	numeric	
V410	underempl	Underemployment	discrete	numeric	
V411	Education_Status	Education Status	discrete	numeric	
V412	Previndus	Previous industry (grouped)	discrete	numeric	
V413	PrevOccup	Previous occupation (grouped)	discrete	numeric	
V414	InactReason	Inactivity reason	discrete	numeric	
V415	Province	Province	discrete	numeric	
V416	age_grp1	Age group	discrete	numeric	
V417	Hrswrk	Hours worked	discrete	numeric	
V418	At_least_1	Involvement in at least one non-market activity	discrete	numeric	
V419	Stratum	Stratum	contin	numeric	
V420	Geo_type	Geography Type	discrete	numeric	
V421	Metro_code	Metro/non-metro	discrete	numeric	
V422	Status_Exp	Employment Status Expanded	discrete	numeric	
V423	Weight	Weight	contin	numeric	
V424	ilo_key	Key unique identifier per individual	contin	numeric	
V425	ilo_wgt	Sample weight	contin	numeric	
V426	ilo_time	Time (Gregorian Calendar)	discrete	numeric	
V427	ilo_geo	Geographical coverage	discrete	numeric	
V428	ilo_sex	Sex	discrete	numeric	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V429	ilo_age_5yrbands	Age (5-year age bands)	discrete	numeric	
V430	ilo_age_10yrbands	Age (10-year age bands)	discrete	numeric	
V431	ilo_age_aggregate	Age (Aggregate)	discrete	numeric	
V432	ilo_edu_isced11	Education (ISCED 11)	discrete	numeric	
V433	ilo_edu_aggregate	Education (Aggregate levels)	discrete	numeric	
V434	ilo_wap	Working age population	discrete	numeric	
V435	ilo_lfs	Labour Force Status	discrete	numeric	
V436	ilo_mjh	Multiple job holders	discrete	numeric	
V437	ilo_job1_ste_icse93	Status in employment (ICSE 93)	discrete	numeric	
V438	ilo_job1_ste_aggregate	Status in employment (Aggregate)	discrete	numeric	
V439	ilo_job1_eco_isic3	Economic activity (ISIC Rev. 3.1)	discrete	numeric	
V440	ilo_job1_eco_aggregate	Economic activity (Aggregate)	discrete	numeric	
V441	ilo_job1_ocu_isco88_2digits	Occupation (ISCO-88), 2 digit level	discrete	numeric	
V442	ilo_job1_ocu_isco88	Occupation (ISCO-88)	discrete	numeric	
V443	ilo_job1_ocu_aggregate	Occupation (Aggregate)	discrete	numeric	
V444	ilo_job1_ocu_skill	Occupation (Skill level)	discrete	numeric	
V445	ilo_job1_ins_sector	Institutional sector (private/public) of economic activities	discrete	numeric	
V446	ilo_job1_job_contract	Job (Type of contract)	discrete	numeric	
V447	ilo_job1_ife_prod	Informal / Formal Economy (Unit of production)	discrete	numeric	
V448	ilo_job1_ife_nature	Informal / Formal Economy (Nature of job) - Main job	discrete	numeric	
V449	ilo_job1_how_actual	Weekly hours actually worked in main job	contin	numeric	
V450	ilo_job1_how_actual_bands	Weekly hours actually worked bands in main job	discrete	numeric	
V451	ilo_job1_how_usual	Weekly hours usually worked in main job	contin	numeric	
V452	ilo_job2_how_actual	Weekly hours actually worked in second job	contin	numeric	
V453	ilo_job2_how_actual_bands	Weekly hours actually worked bands in second job	discrete	numeric	
V454	ilo_job2_how_usual	Weekly hours usually worked in second job	contin	numeric	
V455	ilo_joball_how_actual	Weekly hours actually worked in all jobs	contin	numeric	
V456	ilo_joball_how_actual_bands	Weekly hours actually worked bands in all jobs	discrete	numeric	
V457	ilo_joball_how_usual	Weekly hours usually worked in all jobs	contin	numeric	
V458	ilo_job1_job_time	Job (Working time arrangement) - Main job	discrete	numeric	
V459	ilo_joball_tru	Time-related underemployment	discrete	numeric	
V460	ilo_cat_une	Category of unemployment	discrete	numeric	
V461	ilo_dur_aggregate	Duration of unemployment (Aggregate)	discrete	numeric	
V462	ilo_preveco_isic3	Previous economic activity (ISIC Rev. 3.1)	discrete	numeric	
V463	ilo_preveco_aggregate	Previous economic activity (Aggregate)	discrete	numeric	
V464	ilo_prevocu_isco88	Previous occupation (ISCO-88)	discrete	numeric	
V465	ilo_prevocu_aggregate	Previous occupation (Aggregate)	discrete	numeric	
V466	ilo_prevocu_skill	Previous occupation (Skill level)	discrete	numeric	
V467	ilo_olf_dlma	Labour market attachment (Degree of)	discrete	numeric	
V468	ilo_olf_reason	Labour market attachment (Reasons for not seeking a job)	discrete	numeric	



<b>ID</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Label</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Question</b>
V469	ilo_dis	Discouraged job-seekers	discrete	numeric	



**Unique number (UQNO)**

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**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 18	

**Person (respondent) number (PERSONNO)**

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**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 24
Range: 1-24	Mean: 3
	Standard deviation: 2.2

**Stayed at least four nights (Q12NIGHTS)**

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**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
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Width: 3	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1
Range: 1-1	

**Gender (Q13GENDER)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 6	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 1-2	

**Population group (Q15POPULATION)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 13	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 4
Range: 1-4	

**Marital status (Q16MARITALSTATUS)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

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File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 37	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 5
Range: 1-5	

**Highest education level (Q17EDUCATION)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 26
Range: 0-26	

**Person him/herself responding (Q20SELFRESPOND)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 9
Range: 0-9	

**Have paid work (Q24APDWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Have own business (Q24BOWNBUSNS)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Have unpaid work (Q24CUNPDWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

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File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Return to paid work (Q25APDWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Return to own business (Q25BOWNBUSNS)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Return to unpaid work (Q25CUNPDWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Do farm work (Q26AFARMWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Do farm work : Time (Q26ATIME)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

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File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 888
Range: 0-888	

**Fetch water (Q26BFETCHWATER)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Fetch water : Time (Q26BTIME)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Produce goods (Q26CPRODHHGOODS)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Produce goods : Time (Q26CTIME)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Do construction (Q26DCONSTRUC)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

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File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Do construction : Time (Q26DTIME)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Catch food (Q26ECATCHFOOD)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Catch food : Time (Q26ETIME)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Main reason absent from work (Q27RSNABSENT)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 14
Range: 0-14	

**Look for work (Q31ALOOKWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

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File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Start business (Q31BSTARTBUSNS)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Registered (Q3201REGISTER)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1
Range: 0-1	

**Enquired (Q3202ENQUIRE)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1
Range: 0-1	

**Placed adverts (Q3203JOBADS)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1
Range: 0-1	

**Search job (Q3204JOBSEARCH)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS



## Search job (Q3204JOBSEARCH)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1
Range: 0-1	

## Sought assistance (Q3205ASSISTANCE)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1
Range: 0-1	

## Start own business (Q3206STARTBUSNS)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1
Range: 0-1	

## Casual work (Q3207CASUAL)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1
Range: 0-1	

## Financial assistance (Q3208FINASSIST)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1
Range: 0-1	

## Nothing (Q3210NOTHING)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

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File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 0
Range: 0-0	

**Have a job or start a business (Q33HAVEJOB)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Liked to work (Q34WANTTOWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Reason for not working (Q35YNOTWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 7
Range: 0-7	

**How long been trying to find work (Q36TIMESEEK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 29	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 8
Range: 0-8	

**Activity before looking for work (Q37ACTPRIORJOBSEEK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

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File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 15	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 4
Range: 0-4	

## Reason why not look for work or start business (Q38RSNNOTSEEK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 16
Range: 0-16	

## Accept job if offered (Q39JOBOFFER)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 3
Range: 0-3	

## Started business (Q310STARTBUSNS)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 3
Range: 0-3	

## Reason for not working (Q311RSNNOTAVAILABLE)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 7
Range: 0-7	

**Ever worked (Q312EVERWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Time since last worked (Q313TIMEUNEMPLOY)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 29	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 8
Range: 0-8	

**Main reason you stopped working (Q314RSNSTOPWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 10
Range: 0-10	

**Previous occupation (Q315PREVOCCUPATION)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 9999
Range: 0-9999	

**Previous industry (Q316PREVINDUSTRY)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 999
Range: 0-999	

**Whom did you work for (Q317WRK4WHOM)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

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File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 4
Range: 0-4	

## Odd jobs (Q319aODDJOBS)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

## Persons in the household (Q319bINHHPERS)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

## Persons not in the household (Q319cNOTHHPERS)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

## Charity (Q319dCHARITY)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

## UIF (Q319eUIF)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**UIF (Q319eUIF)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Savings (Q319fSAVINGS)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Pension (Q319gPENSION)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Child support grant (Q319hGRANTS)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Welfare grants (Q319iWELFARE)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Other source of support (Q319jOTHR)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

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File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**More than one job (Q41MULTIPLEJOBS)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Occupation (Q42OCCUPATION)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 9333
Range: 0-9333	

**Industry (Q43INDUSTRY)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 990
Range: 0-990	

**Year (Q44YEARSTART)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 1950
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 8888
Range: 1950-8888	

**Month (Q44MONTHSTART)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Month (Q44MONTHSTART)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 12
Range: 0-12	

**Main work (Q45WRK4WHOM)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 4
Range: 0-4	

**Contribution to pension or retirement fund (Q46PENSION)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 3
Range: 0-3	

**Paid leave (Q47PDLEAVE)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 3
Range: 0-3	

**UIF Deductions (Q48UIF)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 3
Range: 0-3	

**Medical aid or health insurance contribution (Q49MEDICAL)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS



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File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 3
Range: 0-3	

**Registered for income tax (Q410INCOMETAX)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 3
Range: 0-3	

**Employment contract (Q411CONTRACTTYPE)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 18	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Work status (Q412CONTRDURATION)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 20	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 3
Range: 0-3	

**Registered for VAT (Q413VAT)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 3
Range: 0-3	

**Registered for income tax (Q414TAX)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

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File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 3
Range: 0-3	

**Type of business or enterprise (Q415TYPEBUSNS)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 6
Range: 0-6	

**Number of employees (Q416NRWORKERS)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 27	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 8
Range: 0-8	

**Hours usually work (Q418HRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 112
Range: 0-112	

**Hours worked past week - on Monday (Q419MONHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Hours worked past week - on Tuesday (Q419TUEHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

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File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Hours worked past week - on Wednesday (Q419WEDHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Hours worked past week - on Thursday (Q419THUHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Hours worked past week - on Friday (Q419FRIHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Hours worked past week - on Saturday (Q419SATHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Hours worked past week - on Sunday (Q419SUNHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

## Hours worked past week - on Sunday (Q419SUNHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

## Hours worked - in total (Q419TOTALHRS)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 888
Range: 0-888	

## Hours usually worked - In your first job/business (Q420FIRSTHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 2
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 2-88	

## Hours usually worked - In your second job/business (Q420SECONDHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 2
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 2-88	

## Hours usually worked - In all other jobs/businesses (Q420OTHERHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 4
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 4-88	

**Hours worked - in total (Q420TOTALHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 5
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 888
Range: 5-888	

**Hours worked on first job - on Monday (Q4211MONHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Hours worked on first job - on Tuesday (Q4211TUEHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Hours worked on first job - on Wednesday (Q4211WEDHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Hours worked on first job - on Thursday (Q4211THUHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Hours worked on second job - on Friday (Q4211FRIHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Hours worked on second job - on Friday (Q4211FRIHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Hours worked on first job - on Saturday (Q4211SATHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Hours worked on first job - on Sunday (Q4211SUNHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Hours worked on first job - in total (Q4211TOTALHRS)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Hours worked on second job - on Monday (Q4212MONHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Hours worked on second job - on Tuesday (Q4212TUEHRSWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

## Hours worked on second job - on Tuesday (Q4212TUEHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

## Hours worked on second job - on Wednesday (Q4212WEDHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

## Hours worked on second job - on Thursday (Q4212THUHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

## Hours worked on second job - on Friday (Q4212FRIHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

## Hours worked on second job - on Saturday (Q4212SATHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

## Hours worked on second job - on Sunday (Q4212SUNHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

## Hours worked on second job - in total (Q4212TOTALHRS)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

## Hours worked on all other jobs - on Monday (Q4213MONHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 8
Range: 0-8	

## Hours worked on all other jobs - on Tuesday (Q4213TUEHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

## Hours worked on all other jobs - on Wednesday (Q4213WEDHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	



## Hours worked on all other jobs - on Thursday (Q4213THUHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

## Hours worked on all other jobs - on Friday (Q4213FRIHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

## Hours worked on all other jobs - on Saturday (Q4213SATHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

## Hours worked on all other jobs - on Sunday (Q4213SUNHRSWRK)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 8
Range: 0-8	

## Hours worked on all other jobs - in total (Q4213TOTALHRS)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88
Range: 0-88	

**Liked to work more hours (Q422MOREHRS)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 35	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 5
Range: 0-5	

**Additional hours (Q423ADDHRS)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 95
Range: 0-95	

**Willing to work longer hours (Q424WRKXHRS)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 3
Range: 0-3	

**Willing to do extra work (Q425STARTXWRK)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 3
Range: 0-3	

**Age (Q14AGE)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 108
Range: 0-108	Mean: 27.9
	Standard deviation: 20.4

**Main industry (Indus)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 11
Range: 0-11	

**Main occupation (Occup)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 10
Range: 0-10	

**Sector (excludes agriculture from formal and informal sectors) (Sector1)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 34	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 4
Range: 0-4	

**Sector (includes agriculture in the formal and informal sectors) (Sector2)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 39	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 4
Range: 0-4	

**Unemployment status (Unempl\_status)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 32	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 5
Range: 0-5	

## Informal employment (Infempl)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 19	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 8
Range: 0-8	

## Status (Status)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 29	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 4
Range: 0-4	

## Long-term unemployment (long\_term\_unempl)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

## Underemployment (underempl)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 17	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

## Education Status (Education\_Status)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 27	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 7
Range: 1-7	

## Previous industry (grouped) (Previndus)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

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File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 39	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 11
Range: 0-11	

**Previous occupation (grouped) (PrevOccup)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 11
Range: 0-11	

**Inactivity reason (InactReason)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 24	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 6
Range: 0-6	

**Province (Province)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 13	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 9
Range: 1-9	

**Age group (age\_grp1)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 5	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 14
Range: 1-14	

**Hours worked (Hrswrk)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

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File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 112
Range: 0-112	

**Involvement in at least one non-market activity (At\_least\_1)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 33	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 0-2	

**Stratum (Stratum)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 101101
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 947405
Range: 101101-947405	Mean: 557012.6
	Standard deviation: 260164.5

**Geography Type (Geo\_type)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 14	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 5
Range: 1-5	

**Metro/non-metro (Metro\_code)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 20	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 76
Range: 0-76	

**Employment Status Expanded (Status\_Exp)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 23	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 4
Range: 1-4	

**Weight (Weight)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 13	Minimum: 50
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 9757.7
Range: 50-9757.7208282	Mean: 570
	Standard deviation: 394.1

**Key unique identifier per individual (ilo\_key)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 88252
Range: 1-88252	Mean: 44126.5
	Standard deviation: 25476.3

**Sample weight (ilo\_wgt)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 50
Decimals: 2	Maximum: 9757.7
Range: 50-9757.720703125	Mean: 570
	Standard deviation: 394.1

**Description**

The variable "ilo\_wgt" is used to give a certain weight to each observation in the sample in order for the sample to represent the overall population covered. It should stay at the unit level.

**Time (Gregorian Calendar) (ilo\_time)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

**Time (Gregorian Calendar) (ilo\_time)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1
Range: 1-1	

**Description**

The variable "ilo\_time" corresponds to the Gregorian calendar. It can take 3 forms: annual (2016); quarterly (2016Q1) or monthly (2016M1).

**Geographical coverage (ilo\_geo)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 1-2	

**Description**

We follow the national definition of geographical areas and therefore the national boundary between urban and rural areas.

**Sex (ilo\_sex)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 10	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 1-2	

**Description**

We follow directly what is in the microdata. However, to make sure that it is following the same standard across countries, we might have to recode 1 for male and 2 for female (some countries are using the opposite classification). This is why a specific ILO variable is created for sex.

**Age (5-year age bands) (ilo\_age\_5yrbands)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 14
Range: 1-14	

**Description**

This variable is divided in 3 sub-categories depending on the level of aggregates we are looking for. "ilo\_age\_5yrbands" divides the population into 5 years age-band until 64 and then a category includes everyone above 65. "ilo\_age\_10yrbands" divides the population into 10 years age-band until 64 and then a category includes everyone above 65. "ilo\_age\_aggregate" only takes 5 categories: children (<15); youth (15-24); adults (25-54) and 2 categories for the older population: 55-64 and 65+.



**Age (10-year age bands) (ilo\_age\_10yrbands)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 7
Range: 1-7	

**Description**

This variable is divided in 3 sub-categories depending on the level of aggregates we are looking for. "ilo\_age\_5yrbands" divides the population into 5 years age-band until 64 and then a category includes everyone above 65. "ilo\_age\_10yrbands" divides the population into 10 years age-band until 64 and then a category includes everyone above 65. "ilo\_age\_aggregate" only takes 5 categories: children (<15); youth (15-24); adults (25-54) and 2 categories for the older population: 55-64 and 65+.

**Age (Aggregate) (ilo\_age\_aggregate)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 5
Range: 1-5	

**Description**

This variable is divided in 3 sub-categories depending on the level of aggregates we are looking for. "ilo\_age\_5yrbands" divides the population into 5 years age-band until 64 and then a category includes everyone above 65. "ilo\_age\_10yrbands" divides the population into 10 years age-band until 64 and then a category includes everyone above 65. "ilo\_age\_aggregate" only takes 5 categories: children (<15); youth (15-24); adults (25-54) and 2 categories for the older population: 55-64 and 65+.

**Education (ISCED 11) (ilo\_edu\_isced11)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 11
Range: 1-11	

**Description**

We map the highest level of education of the respondent with ISCED 11. However some microdatasets are still using a link to ISCED 97 (second best option). If a mapping with ISCED is not possible but we can create aggregated groups, we will then create "ilo\_edu\_aggregate" (third best option). Finally a separate variable is created regarding attendance to education of the respondent.

**Education (Aggregate levels) (ilo\_edu\_aggregate)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 20	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 5
Range: 1-5	

## Education (Aggregate levels) (ilo\_edu\_aggregate)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Description

We map the highest level of education of the respondent with ISCED 11. However some microdatasets are still using a link to ISCED 97 (second best option). If a mapping with ISCED is not possible but we can create aggregated groups, we will then create "ilo\_edu\_aggregate" (third best option). Finally a separate variable is created regarding attendance to education of the respondent.

## Working age population (ilo\_wap)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 60059
Format: numeric	Invalid: 28193
Width: 22	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1
Range: 1-1	

### Description

The first 8 standardized ILO variables are covering the entire population in the sample. As from ilo\_wap, we are only covering the International Working-Age Population, i.e. persons aged 15 and above.

## Labour Force Status (ilo\_lfs)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 60059
Format: numeric	Invalid: 28193
Width: 24	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 3
Range: 1-3	

### Description

We follow the "Resolution concerning "Resolution concerning statistics of work, employment and labour underutilization" adopted by the 19th International Conference of Labour Statisticians (October 2013).

Persons may be classified in a short reference period (seven days/one week), according to their labour force status as being:

(a) In employment: Persons in employment are defined as all those of working age who, during a short reference period, were engaged in any activity to produce goods or provide services for pay or profit. They comprise: (a) employed persons "at work", i.e. who worked in a job for at least one hour; (b) employed persons "not at work" due to temporary absence from a job, or to working-time arrangements (such as shift work, flexitime and compensatory leave for overtime).

(b) In unemployment: Persons in unemployment are defined as all those of working age who were not in employment, carried out activities to seek employment during a specified recent period and were currently available to take up employment given a job opportunity, where: (a) "not in employment" is assessed with respect to the short reference period for the measurement of employment; (b) to "seek employment" refers to any activity when carried out, during a specified recent period comprising the last four weeks or one month, for the purpose of finding a job or setting up a business or agricultural undertaking. This includes also part-time, informal, temporary, seasonal or casual employment, within the national territory or abroad; (c) the point when the enterprise starts to exist should be used to distinguish between search activities aimed at setting up a business and the work activity itself, as evidenced by the enterprise's registration to operate or by when financial resources become available, the necessary infrastructure or materials are in place or the first client or order is received, depending on the context; (d) "currently available" serves as a test of readiness to start a job in the present, assessed with respect to a short reference period comprising that used to measure employment. Depending on national circumstances, the reference period may be extended to include a short subsequent period not exceeding two weeks in total, so as to ensure adequate coverage of unemployment situations among different population groups.

(c) Outside the labour force. Priority is given to employment over the other two categories, and to unemployment over outside the labour force. The three categories of labour force status are, thus, mutually exclusive and exhaustive. The sum of persons in employment and in unemployment equals the labour force. Persons outside the labour force are those of working age who were neither in employment nor in unemployment in the short reference period.

**Multiple job holders (ilo\_mjh)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 21529
Format: numeric	Invalid: 66723
Width: 21	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 1-2	

**Description**

We refer directly to the answer of the respondent and whether he/she assessed to have only one job or more than one. If the person has only one job, variables concerning all jobs will be equal to variable concerning main jobs.

**Status in employment (ICSE 93) (ilo\_job1\_ste\_icse93)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 21529
Format: numeric	Invalid: 66723
Width: 38	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 6
Range: 1-6	

**Description**

## Status in employment (ICSE 93) (ilo\_job1\_ste\_icse93)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

We map the status in employment with the International Classification of Status in Employment (ICSE) 93. If this is not possible we are using only the aggregated categories (second best option).

The ICSE-93 consists of the following groups:

1. Employees; among whom countries may need and be able to distinguish "employees with stable contracts" (including "regular employees"). Employees are all those workers who hold the type of job defined as "paid employment jobs". Employees with stable contracts are those "employees" who have had, and continue to have, an explicit (written or oral) or implicit contract of employment, or a succession of such contracts, with the same employer on a continuous basis. "On a continuous basis" implies a period of employment which is longer than a specified minimum determined according to national circumstances. (If interruptions are allowed in this minimum period, their maximum duration should also be determined according to national circumstances.) Regular employees are those "employees with stable contracts" for whom the employing organization is responsible for payment of relevant taxes and social security contributions and/or where the contractual relationship is subject to national labour legislation.
2. Employers are those workers who, working on their own account or with one or a few partners, hold the type of job defined as a "self-employment job", and, in this capacity, on a continuous basis (including the reference period) have engaged one or more persons to work for them in their business as "employee(s)". The meaning of "engage on a continuous basis" is to be determined by national circumstances, in a way which is consistent with the definition of "employees with stable contracts". (The partners may or may not be members of the same family or household.)
3. Own-account workers are those workers who, working on their own account or with one or more partners, hold the type of job defined as "a self-employment job", and have not engaged on a continuous basis any "employees" to work for them during the reference period. It should be noted that during the reference period the members of this group may have engaged "employees", provided that this is on a non-continuous basis. (The partners may or may not be members of the same family or household.)
4. Members of producers' cooperatives are workers who hold a "self-employment" job in a cooperative producing goods and services, in which each member takes part on an equal footing with other members in determining the organization of production, sales and/or other work of the establishment, the investments and the distribution of the proceeds of the establishment amongst their members. (It should be noted that "employees" of producers' cooperatives are not to be classified to this group.)
5. Contributing family workers are those workers who hold a "self-employment" job in a market-oriented establishment operated by a related person living in the same household, who cannot be regarded as a partner, because their degree of commitment to the operation of the establishment, in terms of working time or other factors to be determined by national circumstances, is not at a level comparable to that of the head of the establishment. (Where it is customary for young persons, in particular, to work without pay in an economic enterprise operated by a related person who does not live in the same household, the requirement of "living in the same household" may be eliminated.)
6. Workers not classifiable by status include those for whom insufficient relevant information is available, and/or who cannot be included in any of the preceding categories.

## Status in employment (Aggregate) (ilo\_job1\_ste\_aggregate)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 28  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-3

Valid cases: 21529  
Invalid: 66723  
Minimum: 1  
Maximum: 3

### Description

## Status in employment (Aggregate) (ilo\_job1\_ste\_aggregate)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

We map the status in employment with the International Classification of Status in Employment (ICSE) 93. If this is not possible we are using only the aggregated categories (second best option).

The ICSE-93 consists of the following groups:

1. Employees; among whom countries may need and be able to distinguish "employees with stable contracts" (including "regular employees"). Employees are all those workers who hold the type of job defined as "paid employment jobs". Employees with stable contracts are those "employees" who have had, and continue to have, an explicit (written or oral) or implicit contract of employment, or a succession of such contracts, with the same employer on a continuous basis. "On a continuous basis" implies a period of employment which is longer than a specified minimum determined according to national circumstances. (If interruptions are allowed in this minimum period, their maximum duration should also be determined according to national circumstances.) Regular employees are those "employees with stable contracts" for whom the employing organization is responsible for payment of relevant taxes and social security contributions and/or where the contractual relationship is subject to national labour legislation.
2. Employers are those workers who, working on their own account or with one or a few partners, hold the type of job defined as a "self-employment job", and, in this capacity, on a continuous basis (including the reference period) have engaged one or more persons to work for them in their business as "employee(s)". The meaning of "engage on a continuous basis" is to be determined by national circumstances, in a way which is consistent with the definition of "employees with stable contracts". (The partners may or may not be members of the same family or household.)
3. Own-account workers are those workers who, working on their own account or with one or more partners, hold the type of job defined as "a self-employment job", and have not engaged on a continuous basis any "employees" to work for them during the reference period. It should be noted that during the reference period the members of this group may have engaged "employees", provided that this is on a non-continuous basis. (The partners may or may not be members of the same family or household.)
4. Members of producers' cooperatives are workers who hold a "self-employment" job in a cooperative producing goods and services, in which each member takes part on an equal footing with other members in determining the organization of production, sales and/or other work of the establishment, the investments and the distribution of the proceeds of the establishment amongst their members. (It should be noted that "employees" of producers' cooperatives are not to be classified to this group.)
5. Contributing family workers are those workers who hold a "self-employment" job in a market-oriented establishment operated by a related person living in the same household, who cannot be regarded as a partner, because their degree of commitment to the operation of the establishment, in terms of working time or other factors to be determined by national circumstances, is not at a level comparable to that of the head of the establishment. (Where it is customary for young persons, in particular, to work without pay in an economic enterprise operated by a related person who does not live in the same household, the requirement of "living in the same household" may be eliminated.)
6. Workers not classifiable by status include those for whom insufficient relevant information is available, and/or who cannot be included in any of the preceding categories.

## Economic activity (ISIC Rev. 3.1) (ilo\_job1\_eco\_isic3)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 18
Range: 1-18	

### Description

Ideally, we want to map the economic activity of the respondent with ISIC Revision 4 at second digit level. However, some microdatasets don't provide this level of details and then it should be mapped only at the first digit (second best option). If a country is still classifying based on ISIC Revision 3.1, it should be mapped at second digit or first digit if it's not possible (third and fourth best options). Finally, if it can't be mapped neither with ISIC Rev 4 nor Rev 3.1, then the variable should be created with just the aggregated level of classification (fifth best option).

**Economic activity (Aggregate) (ilo\_job1\_eco\_aggregate)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 7
Range: 1-7	

**Description**

Ideally, we want to map the economic activity of the respondent with ISIC Revision 4 at second digit level. However, some microdatasets don't provide this level of details and then it should be mapped only at the first digit (second best option). If a country is still classifying based on ISIC Revision 3.1, it should be mapped at second digit or first digit if it's not possible (third and fourth best options). Finally, if it can't be mapped neither with ISIC Rev 4 nor Rev 3.1, then the variable should be created with just the aggregated level of classification (fifth best option).

**Occupation (ISCO-88), 2 digit level (ilo\_job1\_ocu\_isco88\_2digits)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 21529
Format: numeric	Invalid: 66723
Width: 40	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 93
Range: 1-93	

**Description**

Ideally, we want to map the occupation of the respondent with ISCO-08 at second digit level. However, some microdatasets don't provide this level of details and then it should be mapped only at the first digit (second best option). If a country is still classifying based on ISCO-88, it should be mapped at second digit or first digit if it's not possible (third and fourth best options). Finally, if it can't be mapped neither with ISCO-08 nor ISCO-88, then the variable should be created with just the aggregated level of classification (fifth best option).

**Occupation (ISCO-88) (ilo\_job1\_ocu\_isco88)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 21529
Format: numeric	Invalid: 66723
Width: 40	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 10
Range: 1-11	

**Description**

Ideally, we want to map the occupation of the respondent with ISCO-08 at second digit level. However, some microdatasets don't provide this level of details and then it should be mapped only at the first digit (second best option). If a country is still classifying based on ISCO-88, it should be mapped at second digit or first digit if it's not possible (third and fourth best options). Finally, if it can't be mapped neither with ISCO-08 nor ISCO-88, then the variable should be created with just the aggregated level of classification (fifth best option).

**Occupation (Aggregate) (ilo\_job1\_ocu\_aggregate)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

**Occupation (Aggregate) (ilo\_job1\_ocu\_aggregate)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 40  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-7

Valid cases: 21529  
 Invalid: 66723  
 Minimum: 1  
 Maximum: 6

**Description**

Ideally, we want to map the occupation of the respondent with ISCO-08 at second digit level. However, some microdatasets don't provide this level of details and then it should be mapped only at the first digit (second best option). If a country is still classifying based on ISCO-88, it should be mapped at second digit or first digit if it's not possible (third and fourth best options). Finally, if it can't be mapped neither with ISCO-08 nor ISCO-88, then the variable should be created with just the aggregated level of classification (fifth best option).

**Occupation (Skill level) (ilo\_job1\_ocu\_skill)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 31  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 21529  
 Invalid: 66723  
 Minimum: 1  
 Maximum: 4

**Description**

Ideally, we want to map the occupation of the respondent with ISCO-08 at second digit level. However, some microdatasets don't provide this level of details and then it should be mapped only at the first digit (second best option). If a country is still classifying based on ISCO-88, it should be mapped at second digit or first digit if it's not possible (third and fourth best options). Finally, if it can't be mapped neither with ISCO-08 nor ISCO-88, then the variable should be created with just the aggregated level of classification (fifth best option).

**Institutional sector (private/public) of economic activities (ilo\_job1\_ins\_sector)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 11  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 21529  
 Invalid: 66723  
 Minimum: 1  
 Maximum: 2

**Description**

We refer directly to the answer of the respondent and whether he/she assessed to have a job in the public or private sector. If the question lead to more answers (public and private sectors are divided into sub-categories), we map them based on the national definitions to the broad categories of public and private sectors.

**Job (Type of contract) (ilo\_job1\_job\_contract)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 13  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-3

Valid cases: 18316  
 Invalid: 69936  
 Minimum: 1  
 Maximum: 3

**Description**

**Job (Type of contract) (ilo\_job1\_job\_contract)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

We classify as permanent persons having a contract without limit of time. Any contract with a specific duration will be classified as temporary.

**Informal / Formal Economy (Unit of production) (ilo\_job1\_ife\_prod)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 13  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-3

Valid cases: 21529  
Invalid: 66723  
Minimum: 1  
Maximum: 3

**Description**

We map persons in informal or formal sector based on the 15th ICLS, the 17th ICLS and the Manual on measuring informality published in 2013. We define whether the person works in Formal Sector (all workers in incorporated enterprises), Informal Sector (all workers in unincorporated enterprises that produce at least partly for the market and are not registered; It excludes households that produce exclusively for own final use; subsistence agriculture, construction of own dwellings, manufacture of own wearing apparel, own furniture, water and fuel collection for own use, etc.) or in an Household (all workers in unincorporated enterprises that produce goods and services exclusively for own-final use. It includes paid domestic employees, subsistence agriculture, construction of own dwellings, manufacture of own wearing apparel, own furniture, water and fuel collection for own use, etc. Persons classified in ISIC 97 (Revision 4) and ISCO 63 (ISCO-08) are included here). The key questions from a labour force survey used here are: institutional sector; destination of production; bookkeeping; registration of the unit; location of workplace; size and social security coverage.

**Informal / Formal Economy (Nature of job) - Main job (ilo\_job1\_ife\_nature)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 34  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 21401  
Invalid: 66851  
Minimum: 1  
Maximum: 2

**Description**

We map persons in informal or formal sector based on the 15th ICLS, the 17th ICLS and the Manual on measuring informality published in 2013. We define whether the person's main job is formal or informal. If the person is an employee, this is defined based on the attachment to a national labour legislation or the entitlement to certain employment benefits (paid vacation, paid sick leave and contribution to pension funds). If the person is self-employed, it depends on the unit of production as defined in "ilo\_job1\_ife\_prod". Finally, all the contributing family workers are holding informal jobs.

**Weekly hours actually worked in main job (ilo\_job1\_how\_actual)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 9  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-888

Valid cases: 21529  
Invalid: 66723  
Minimum: 0  
Maximum: 888  
Mean: 47.3  
Standard deviation: 66.6

**Description**



## Weekly hours actually worked in main job (ilo\_job1\_how\_actual)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

We follow the "Resolution concerning the measurement of working time Adopted by the Eighteenth International Conference of Labour Statisticians (November-December 2008)".

Weekly hours actually worked in main job include direct hours or the time spent carrying out the tasks and duties of a job; related hours, or the time spent maintaining, facilitating or enhancing productive activities; down time, or time when a person in a job cannot work due to machinery or process breakdown, accident, lack of supplies or power or Internet access; resting time, or time spent in short periods of rest, relief or refreshment, including tea, coffee or prayer breaks, generally practised by custom or contract according to established norms and/or national circumstances. It excludes, for paid employment (even when paid by the employer), time not worked during activities such as annual leave, public holidays, sick leave, parental leave or maternity/ paternity leave, other leave for personal or family reasons or civic duty; commuting time between work and home when no productive activity for the job is performed; for paid employment, even when paid by the employer; time spent in certain educational activities; for paid employment, even when authorized, paid or provided by the employer; longer breaks distinguished from short resting time when no productive activity is performed (such as meal breaks or natural repose during long trips).

Weekly hours usually worked in main job is the typical value of hours actually worked in a job for a short reference period such as one week, over a long observation period of a month, quarter, season or year that comprises the short reference measurement period used. Hours usually worked applies to all jobs. The short reference period for measuring hours usually worked should be the same as the reference period used to measure employment or household service and volunteer work.

## Weekly hours actually worked bands in main job (ilo\_job1\_how\_actual\_bands)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 21529
Format: numeric	Invalid: 66723
Width: 24	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 7
Range: 1-7	

### Description

We follow the "Resolution concerning the measurement of working time Adopted by the Eighteenth International Conference of Labour Statisticians (November-December 2008)".

Weekly hours actually worked in main job include direct hours or the time spent carrying out the tasks and duties of a job; related hours, or the time spent maintaining, facilitating or enhancing productive activities; down time, or time when a person in a job cannot work due to machinery or process breakdown, accident, lack of supplies or power or Internet access; resting time, or time spent in short periods of rest, relief or refreshment, including tea, coffee or prayer breaks, generally practised by custom or contract according to established norms and/or national circumstances. It excludes, for paid employment (even when paid by the employer), time not worked during activities such as annual leave, public holidays, sick leave, parental leave or maternity/ paternity leave, other leave for personal or family reasons or civic duty; commuting time between work and home when no productive activity for the job is performed; for paid employment, even when paid by the employer; time spent in certain educational activities; for paid employment, even when authorized, paid or provided by the employer; longer breaks distinguished from short resting time when no productive activity is performed (such as meal breaks or natural repose during long trips).

Weekly hours usually worked in main job is the typical value of hours actually worked in a job for a short reference period such as one week, over a long observation period of a month, quarter, season or year that comprises the short reference measurement period used. Hours usually worked applies to all jobs. The short reference period for measuring hours usually worked should be the same as the reference period used to measure employment or household service and volunteer work.

## Weekly hours usually worked in main job (ilo\_job1\_how\_usual)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

**Weekly hours usually worked in main job (ilo\_job1\_how\_usual)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 9  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-112

Valid cases: 21529  
 Invalid: 66723  
 Minimum: 0  
 Maximum: 112  
 Mean: 43.9  
 Standard deviation: 14.1

**Description**

We follow the "Resolution concerning the measurement of working time Adopted by the Eighteenth International Conference of Labour Statisticians (November-December 2008)".

Weekly hours actually worked in main job include direct hours or the time spent carrying out the tasks and duties of a job; related hours, or the time spent maintaining, facilitating or enhancing productive activities; down time, or time when a person in a job cannot work due to machinery or process breakdown, accident, lack of supplies or power or Internet access; resting time, or time spent in short periods of rest, relief or refreshment, including tea, coffee or prayer breaks, generally practised by custom or contract according to established norms and/or national circumstances. It excludes, for paid employment (even when paid by the employer), time not worked during activities such as annual leave, public holidays, sick leave, parental leave or maternity/ paternity leave, other leave for personal or family reasons or civic duty; commuting time between work and home when no productive activity for the job is performed; for paid employment, even when paid by the employer; time spent in certain educational activities; for paid employment, even when authorized, paid or provided by the employer; longer breaks distinguished from short resting time when no productive activity is performed (such as meal breaks or natural repose during long trips).

Weekly hours usually worked in main job is the typical value of hours actually worked in a job for a short reference period such as one week, over a long observation period of a month, quarter, season or year that comprises the short reference measurement period used. Hours usually worked applies to all jobs. The short reference period for measuring hours usually worked should be the same as the reference period used to measure employment or household service and volunteer work.

**Weekly hours actually worked in second job (ilo\_job2\_how\_actual)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 9  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-56

Valid cases: 127  
 Invalid: 88125  
 Minimum: 0  
 Maximum: 56  
 Mean: 12.8  
 Standard deviation: 9.9

**Weekly hours actually worked bands in second job (ilo\_job2\_how\_actual\_bands)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 24  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-7

Valid cases: 127  
 Invalid: 88125  
 Minimum: 1  
 Maximum: 7

**Weekly hours usually worked in second job (ilo\_job2\_how\_usual)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

**Weekly hours usually worked in second job (ilo\_job2\_how\_usual)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 127
Format: numeric	Invalid: 88125
Width: 9	Minimum: 2
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 53
Range: 2-53	Mean: 15.1
	Standard deviation: 10

**Weekly hours actually worked in all jobs (ilo\_joball\_how\_actual)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 21529
Format: numeric	Invalid: 66723
Width: 9	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 944
Range: 0-944	Mean: 47.4
	Standard deviation: 67.6

**Description**

We follow the "Resolution concerning the measurement of working time adopted by the Eighteenth International Conference of Labour Statisticians (November-December 2008)". Data on Weekly hours of work are presented, whenever possible, on the basis of the mean number of hours of work per week, and with reference to hours worked in all jobs of employed persons and in all types of working time arrangements (e.g. full-time and part-time). It includes: direct hours or the time spent carrying out the tasks and duties of a job; related hours, or the time spent maintaining, facilitating or enhancing productive activities; down time, or time when a person in a job cannot work due to machinery or process breakdown, accident, lack of supplies or power or Internet access; resting time, or time spent in short periods of rest, relief or refreshment, including tea, coffee or prayer breaks, generally practised by custom or contract according to established norms and/or national circumstances. It excludes, for paid employment (even when paid by the employer), time not worked during activities such as: annual leave, public holidays, sick leave, parental leave or maternity/ paternity leave, other leave for personal or family reasons or civic duty; commuting time between work and home when no productive activity for the job is performed; for paid employment, even when paid by the employer; time spent in certain educational activities; for paid employment, even when authorized, paid or provided by the employer; longer breaks distinguished from short resting time when no productive activity is performed (such as meal breaks or natural repose during long trips).

**Weekly hours actually worked bands in all jobs (ilo\_joball\_how\_actual\_bands)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 21529
Format: numeric	Invalid: 66723
Width: 24	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 7
Range: 1-7	

**Description**

## Weekly hours actually worked bands in all jobs (ilo\_joball\_how\_actual\_bands)

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We follow the "Resolution concerning the measurement of working time adopted by the Eighteenth International Conference of Labour Statisticians (November-December 2008)". Data on Weekly hours of work are presented, whenever possible, on the basis of the mean number of hours of work per week, and with reference to hours worked in all jobs of employed persons and in all types of working time arrangements (e.g. full-time and part-time). It includes: direct hours or the time spent carrying out the tasks and duties of a job; related hours, or the time spent maintaining, facilitating or enhancing productive activities; down time, or time when a person in a job cannot work due to machinery or process breakdown, accident, lack of supplies or power or Internet access; resting time, or time spent in short periods of rest, relief or refreshment, including tea, coffee or prayer breaks, generally practised by custom or contract according to established norms and/or national circumstances. It excludes, for paid employment (even when paid by the employer), time not worked during activities such as: annual leave, public holidays, sick leave, parental leave or maternity/ paternity leave, other leave for personal or family reasons or civic duty; commuting time between work and home when no productive activity for the job is performed; for paid employment, even when paid by the employer; time spent in certain educational activities; for paid employment, even when authorized, paid or provided by the employer; longer breaks distinguished from short resting time when no productive activity is performed (such as meal breaks or natural repose during long trips).

## Weekly hours usually worked in all jobs (ilo\_joball\_how\_usual)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 21529
Format: numeric	Invalid: 66723
Width: 9	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 112
Range: 1-112	Mean: 44
	Standard deviation: 13.8

## Job (Working time arrangement) - Main job (ilo\_job1\_job\_time)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 21529
Format: numeric	Invalid: 66723
Width: 13	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2
Range: 1-3	

### Description

We are either following the answer of the respondent based on a self-assessment question or based on a defined national hours threshold.

## Time-related underemployment (ilo\_joball\_tru)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 1370
Format: numeric	Invalid: 86882
Width: 28	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1
Range: 1-1	

### Description

## Time-related underemployment (ilo\_joball\_tru)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

We follow the "Resolution concerning statistics of work, employment and labour underutilization adopted by the Nineteenth International Conference of Labour Statisticians (October 2013)". Persons in time-related underemployment comprise all persons in employment, who satisfy the following three criteria during the reference period: want to work additional hours and currently available to work additional hours i.e., are ready, within a specified subsequent period, to work additional hours, given opportunities for additional work and worked less than a threshold relating to working time i.e., persons whose hours usually worked in all jobs during the reference period were below a threshold. The hour threshold has to be chosen according to national circumstances. In the absence of nationally defined threshold, the most widely used practice of 35 hours per week is applied.

## Category of unemployment (ilo\_cat\_une)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 7152
Format: numeric	Invalid: 81100
Width: 30	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 3
Range: 1-3	

### Description

If there is a direct question in the national questionnaire, we follow the answer given by the respondent. Otherwise, we check if a previous situation is defined somewhere else in the questionnaire.

## Duration of unemployment (Aggregate) (ilo\_dur\_aggregate)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 7152
Format: numeric	Invalid: 81100
Width: 31	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 4
Range: 1-4	

### Description

We collect information on the duration of the search for employment. It starts when the unemployed person began carrying out activities to "seek employment" or at the end of the last job. In case both are defined, we consider the shortest of the two time periods.

## Previous economic activity (ISIC Rev. 3.1) (ilo\_preveco\_isic3)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 18
Range: 1-18	

### Description

Ideally, we want to map the previous economic activity of the respondent with ISIC Revision 4 at one digit level. If a country is still classifying based on ISIC Revision 3.1, it should be mapped at first digit. Finally, if it can't be mapped neither with ISIC Rev 4 nor Rev 3.1, then the variable should be created with just the aggregated level of classification.

**Previous economic activity (Aggregate) (ilo\_preveco\_aggregate)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 88252
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 40	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 7
Range: 1-7	

**Description**

Ideally, we want to map the previous economic activity of the respondent with ISIC Revision 4 at one digit level. If a country is still classifying based on ISIC Revision 3.1, it should be mapped at first digit. Finally, if it can't be mapped neither with ISIC Rev 4 nor Rev 3.1, then the variable should be created with just the aggregated level of classification.

**Previous occupation (ISCO-88) (ilo\_prevocu\_isco88)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 3868
Format: numeric	Invalid: 84384
Width: 40	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 11
Range: 1-11	

**Description**

Ideally, we want to map the occupation of the respondent with ISCO-08 at second digit level. However, some microdatasets don't provide this level of details and then it should be mapped only at the first digit (second best option). If a country is still classifying based on ISCO-88, it should be mapped at second digit or first digit if it's not possible (third and fourth best options). Finally, if it can't be mapped neither with ISCO-08 nor ISCO-88, then the variable should be created with just the aggregated level of classification (fifth best option).

**Previous occupation (Aggregate) (ilo\_prevocu\_aggregate)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 3868
Format: numeric	Invalid: 84384
Width: 40	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 7
Range: 1-7	

**Description**

Ideally, we want to map the occupation of the respondent with ISCO-08 at second digit level. However, some microdatasets don't provide this level of details and then it should be mapped only at the first digit (second best option). If a country is still classifying based on ISCO-88, it should be mapped at second digit or first digit if it's not possible (third and fourth best options). Finally, if it can't be mapped neither with ISCO-08 nor ISCO-88, then the variable should be created with just the aggregated level of classification (fifth best option).

**Previous occupation (Skill level) (ilo\_prevocu\_skill)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 3868
Format: numeric	Invalid: 84384
Width: 31	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 4
Range: 1-4	

**Description**

## Previous occupation (Skill level) (ilo\_prevocu\_skill)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

Ideally, we want to map the occupation of the respondent with ISCO-08 at second digit level. However, some microdatasets don't provide this level of details and then it should be mapped only at the first digit (second best option). If a country is still classifying based on ISCO-88, it should be mapped at second digit or first digit if it's not possible (third and fourth best options). Finally, if it can't be mapped neither with ISCO-08 nor ISCO-88, then the variable should be created with just the aggregated level of classification (fifth best option).

## Labour market attachment (Degree of) (ilo\_olf\_dlma)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 31378
Format: numeric	Invalid: 56874
Width: 40	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 5
Range: 1-5	

### Description

We follow the "Resolution concerning statistics of work, employment and labour underutilization adopted by the Nineteenth International Conference of Labour Statisticians (October 2013)". The degrees of labour market attachment are classified as follow: seeking, not available (Unavailable jobseekers); not seeking, available (Available potential jobseekers); not seeking, not available, willing (Willing non-jobseekers); not seeking, not available, not willing and not elsewhere classified. Potential labour force is defined as all persons of working age who, during the short reference period, were neither in employment nor in unemployment and: carried out activities to "seek employment", were not "currently available" but would become available within a short subsequent period established in light of national circumstances (i.e. unavailable jobseekers); or did not carry out activities to "seek employment", but wanted employment and were "currently available" (i.e. available potential job seekers).

## Labour market attachment (Reasons for not seeking a job) (ilo\_olf\_reason)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 31378
Format: numeric	Invalid: 56874
Width: 30	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 4
Range: 1-4	

### Description

We follow the "Resolution concerning statistics of work, employment and labour underutilization Adopted by the Nineteenth International Conference of Labour Statisticians (October 2013)". The following categories are defined: labour market (past failure to find a suitable job, lack of experience, qualifications or jobs matching the person's skills, lack of jobs in the area, considered too young or too old by prospective employers, does not know how/where to find a job, waiting for an answer after an application, seasonal break, bad weather); personal / family-related (own illness, disability, studies, social exclusion, pregnancy, presence of small children, refusal by family); does not need/want to work (retired, other sources of income: pensions, rents); and not elsewhere classified (other, lack of infrastructure).

## Discouraged job-seekers (ilo\_dis)

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2864
Format: numeric	Invalid: 85388
Width: 23	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1
Range: 1-1	

## **Discouraged job-seekers (ilo\_dis)**

File: ZAF\_2009\_LFS\_Q3\_v01\_M\_v01\_A\_ILOVAR\_SPSS

### **Description**

We follow the “Resolution concerning statistics of work, employment and labour underutilization Adopted by the Nineteenth International Conference of Labour Statisticians (October 2013)”. Discouraged job-seekers refer to all persons of working age who, during the short reference period, were: neither in employment nor in unemployment; and currently available; and did not seek employment in the recent past period for labour market related reasons (as listed under labour market reasons defined in “ilo\_olf\_reason”).



## Related Materials

### Questionnaires

#### Questionnaire

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### Reports

#### Report

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