

# Philippines - Labour Force Survey 2007, January

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# Overview

## Identification

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## Overview

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**ABSTRACT**

Objectives:

The Labor Force Survey (LFS) aims to provide a quantitative framework for the preparation of plans and formulation of policies affecting the labor market.

Specifically, the survey is designed to provide statistics on levels and trends of employment, unemployment and underemployment for the country as a whole, and for each of the administrative regions.

Importance of the Labor Force Survey:

a. It provides a quantitative framework for the preparation of plans and formulation of policies affecting the labor market towards

1) creation and generation of gainful employment and livelihood opportunities

2) reduction of unemployment and promotion of employment

3) improvement of working conditions

4) enhancement of the welfare of a working person

b. It provides statistics on levels and trends of employment and unemployment and underemployment for the country and regions;

c. It is used for the projection of future manpower, which when compared with the future manpower requirements, will help identify employment and training needs;

d. It helps in the assessment of the potential human resource available for economic development; and

e. It identifies the differences in employment, unemployment, and underemployment according to the different economic, social and ethnic groups existing within the population.

**KIND OF DATA**

Sample survey data [ssd]

**UNITS OF ANALYSIS**

Individuals

## Scope

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**NOTES**

The survey involves the collection of data on the demographic and socio-economic characteristics of the population in general. It focuses on levels and trends of employment, unemployment and underemployment of the country with data breakdown for each of the regions.

## TOPICS

Topic	Vocabulary	URI
Labor force		
Employment		
Unemployment		
Underemployment		

## KEYWORDS

Labor force, Employment, Unemployment, Underemployment

## Coverage

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### GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

The geographic coverage consists of the country's 17 administrative regions. The 17 regions are:

Region I - Ilocos,

Region II - Cagayan Valley,

Region III - Central Luzon,

Region IV-A - Calabarzon,

Region IV-B - Mimaropa

Region V - Bicol,

Region VI - Western Visayas,

Region VII - Central Visayas,

Region VIII - Eastern Visayas,

Region IX - Zamboanga Peninsula,

Region X - Northern Mindanao,

Region XI - Davao,

Region XII - Soccksargen,

Region XIII - National Capital Region (NCR),

Region XIV - Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR),

Region XV - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (ARMM)

Region XVI - Caraga,

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- Using this new master sample design, the number of samples increased from 41,000 to around 51,000 sample households.

- The province of Basilan is grouped under Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao while Isabela City (Basilan) is now

grouped under Region IX. This is in consonance with the regional grouping under Executive Order No. 36.

- The 1992 four-digit code for Philippine Standard Occupational Classification (PSOC) and 1994 Philippine Standard Industry Classification (PSIC) were used in classifying the occupation and industry.

- Because of unavailability of data files for the province of Zamboanga Sibugay of Region IX and the provinces of Sulu and Lanao del Sur of ARMM on cut-off date, estimates at the national level and for the two regions exclude those of the said three provinces. Estimates for the three provinces will be included in the Final Results.

### UNIVERSE

The LFS has as its target population, all household members of the sample housing units nationwide. A household is defined as an aggregate of persons, generally but not necessarily bound by ties of kinship, who live together under the same roof and eat together or share in common the household food. Household membership comprises the head of the household, relatives living with him such as his or her spouse, children, parent, brother or sister, son-in-law or daughter-in-law, grandson or granddaughter, and other relatives. Household membership likewise includes boarders, domestic helpers and non-relatives. A person who lives alone is considered a separate household.

Persons who reside in the institutions are not within the scope of the survey.

## Producers and Sponsors

### PRIMARY INVESTIGATOR(S)

Name	Affiliation
National Statistics Office	

### FUNDING

Name	Abbreviation	Role
National Statistics Office	NSO	

### OTHER ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Name	Affiliation	Role
National Statistical Coordination Board		technical assistance
Bureau of Labor and Employment Statistics	Department of Labor and Employment Department of Labor and Employment Department of Labor and Employment	technical assistance

## Metadata Production

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### DDI DOCUMENT ID

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# Sampling

## Sampling Procedure

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The sampling design of the Labor Force Survey (LFS) uses the sampling design of the 2003 Master Sample (MS) for Household Surveys that started July 2003.

### Sampling Frame

As in most household surveys, the 2003 MS used an area sample design. The Enumeration Area Reference File (EARF) of the 2000 Census of Population and Housing (CPH) was utilized as sampling frame. The EARF contains the number of households by enumeration area (EA) in each barangay. This frame was used to form the primary sampling units (PSUs). With consideration of the period for which the 2003 MS will be in use, the PSUs were formed/defined as a barangay or a combination of barangays with at least 500 households.

### Stratification Scheme

Stratification involves the division of the entire population into non-overlapping subgroups called strata. Prior to sample selection, the PSUs in each domain were stratified as follows:

- 1) All large PSUs were treated as separate strata and were referred to as certainty selections (self-representing PSUs). A PSU was considered large if it has a large probability of selection.
- 2) All other PSUs were then stratified by province, highly urbanized city (HUC) and independent component city (ICC).
- 3) Within each province/HUC/ICC, the PSUs were further stratified or grouped with respect to some socio-economic variables that were related to poverty incidence. These variables were: (a) the proportion of strongly built houses (PSTRONG); (b) an indication of the proportion of households engaged in agriculture (AGRI); and (c) the per-capita income (PERCAPITA).

### Sample Selection

To have some control over the subsample size, the PSUs were selected with probability proportional to some estimated measure of size. The size measure refers to the total number of households from the 2000 CPH. Because of the wide variation in PSU sizes, PSUs with selection probabilities greater than 1 were identified and were included in the sample as certainty selections.

At the second stage, enumeration areas (EAs) were selected within sampled PSUs, and at the third stage, housing units were selected within sampled EAs. Generally, all households in sampled housing units were enumerated, except for few cases when the number of households in a housing unit exceeds three. In which case, a sample of three households in a sampled housing unit was selected at random with equal probability.

An EA is defined as an area with discernable boundaries within barangays, consisting of about 150 contiguous households. These EAs were identified during the 2000 CPH. A housing unit is a structurally separate and independent place of abode which, by the way it has been constructed, converted, or arranged, is intended for habitation by a household

### Sample Size

The 2003 Master Sample consist of a sample of 2,835 PSUs of which 330 were certainty PSUs and 2,505 were non certainty PSUs. The number of households for the 2000 CPH was used as measure of size. The entire MS was divided into four sub-samples or independent replicates, such as a quarter sample contains one fourth of the PSUs found in one replicate; a half-sample contains one-half of the PSUs in two replicates. Thus, the survey covers a nationwide sample of about 51,000 households deemed sufficient to measure the levels of employment and unemployment at the national and regional levels.

### Strategy for non-response

Replacement of sample households within the sample housing units is allowed only if the listed sample households had moved out of the housing unit. Replacement should be the household currently residing in the sample housing unit previously occupied by the original sample.

## Deviations from Sample Design

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## Weighting

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Calculation of Basic Weights:

Following a standard approach, the weights to be used in analyzing surveys based on the 2003 MS are developed in three stages.

First, base weights are computed to compensate for the unequal selection probabilities in the sample design.

Second, the base weights are adjusted to compensate for unit non-response.

Third, the non-response adjusted weights are further adjusted to make some weighted sample distributions to conform to some known population totals.

Final Survey Weight

The final survey weight assigned to each responding unit is computed as the product of the base weight, the non-response adjustment, and the population weighting adjustment. The final weights should be used in all analyses to produce valid estimates of population parameters.

More detailed explanation on the estimation procedure is provided in the Technical Documents.

# Questionnaires

## Overview

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ISH FORM 2 (LFS questionnaire) is a four-page, forty four-column questionnaire that is being used in the quarterly rounds of the Labor Force Survey nationwide. This questionnaire gathers data on the demographic and economic characteristics of the population.

On the first page of the questionnaire, the particulars about the geographic location, design codes and household auxiliary information of the sample household that is being interviewed are to be recorded. Certifications by the enumerator and his supervisor regarding the manner by which the data are collected are likewise to be made on this page.

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Most of the questions have pre-coded responses. The possible answers with their corresponding codes are printed at the bottom of the page for easy reference. Only the appropriate codes need to be entered in the cells.

Other items, however, require write-in entries such as column 14 (primary occupation) and column 16 (kind of business/industry), etc. For such items, it is required that the enumerator describes the primary occupation or kind of business/industry.



## Data Collection

### Data Collection Dates

Start	End	Cycle
2007-01-08	2007-01-31	January round
2007-04-08	2007-04-30	April round
2007-07-08	2007-07-31	July round
2007-10-08	2007-10-31	October round

### Data Collection Mode

Face-to-face [f2f]

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### Data Collectors

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation
National Statistics Office	NSO	

### Supervision

The Regional Directors/Officer-In-Charge (RDs/OICs), Provincial Statistics Officers (PSOs), Regional and Provincial Staff were allotted a number of days to supervise the enumeration.

- 1) The RD/OIC coordinates with the PSOs and provides the general supervision to the staff of the provincial offices under the jurisdiction on all administrative matters and field operations relative to the survey.
- 2) The PSO supervises the activities of the personnel to ensure that the data collection is finished according to the timetable set.
- 3) The Regional and Provincial Statistician supervise in the field and ensure that all items in the questionnaire were asked, and review and edit questionnaires while still in their area of assignment and ensure that all sample households have corresponding questionnaire.

Central Office Statisticians were assigned to provinces to supervise and monitor the conduct of the survey.

## Data Processing

### Data Editing

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Data processing involves two stages: manual processing and machine processing.

Manual processing is done at the provincial offices. This is the general review of the questionnaires. This process includes the folioing of the questionnaires, completeness and consistency checking of the responses, editing and coding of responses. This is done prior to machine processing.

The average output per day is 50 questionnaires.

### Other Processing

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Data entry, the transformation of information from the questionnaire to machine readable form, is done in the field offices.

Machine processing involved all operations that were done with the use of a computer and/or its accessories, that is, from data encoding to tabulation. Coded data were usually in diskettes or CDs.

Machine editing was preferred to ensure correctness of encoded information. Data entry errors as well as that of the manual processing were identified using a consistency check computer program and were given necessary corrections as per verification of the field offices.

Verification and validation of geographic identification, completeness checking and consistency checking and certification pass are also done at the central office.

CSPro was used in the data entry and tabulations.

Preliminary and final tabulations are done at the Central Office.

## Data Appraisal

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## File Description

# Variable List

## LFS January 2007

Content  
 Cases 198627  
 Variable(s) 55  
 Structure Type:  
 Keys: ()  
 Version  
 Producer  
 Missing Data

## Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V180	reg	Region	discrete	numeric	
V181	stratum	Stratum	contin	numeric	
V182	psu	Primary Sampling Unit - PSU	contin	numeric	
V183	hhnum	Household Unique Sequential Number	contin	numeric	
V184	urb2k70	C2K Urban Rural Classification (Based on 1970 Definition)	discrete	numeric	
V185	fwgt	Final Weight	contin	numeric	
V186	svymo	Survey Month	discrete	numeric	
V187	svyyr	Survey Year	discrete	numeric	
V188	c101_lno	C101-Line Number	contin	numeric	
V189	c05_rel	C05-Relationship to Household Head	discrete	numeric	
V190	c06_sex	C06-Sex	discrete	numeric	
V191	c07_age	C07-Age as of Last Birthday	contin	numeric	
V192	c08_ms	C08-Marital Status	discrete	numeric	
V193	c09_grd	C09-Highest Grade Completed	discrete	numeric	
V194	a02_csch	Currently Attending School (April 2005)	discrete	numeric	
V195	c10_cnwr	C10-Contract/Overseas Worker Indicator	discrete	numeric	
V196	j01_usoc	C12-Usual Occupation (July 2003 - Jan 2005)	discrete	numeric	
V197	c13_work	C13-Did do any Work for at Least one Hour during the Past Week?	discrete	numeric	
V198	c14_job	C14-Did Have a Job/Business during the Past Week?	discrete	numeric	
V199	c16_proc	C16-Primary Occupation	discrete	numeric	
V200	c18_pkb	C18-Kind of Business (Primary Occupation)	discrete	numeric	
V201	c19pclas	C19-Class of Worker (Primary Occupation)	discrete	numeric	
V202	c20_ntem	C20-Nature of Employment (Primary Occupation)	discrete	numeric	
V203	c21_pwhr	C21-Normal Working Hours for the Day for the Past Week	discrete	numeric	
V204	c22_phrs	C22-Total Number of Hours Worked During the Past Week	discrete	numeric	
V205	c23_pwmr	C23-Did Want more Hours of Work During the Past Week	discrete	numeric	
V206	c24_plaw	C24-Did Look for Additional Work During the Past Week	discrete	numeric	
V207	c25_pfwk	C25-Was this his first time to do any Work?	discrete	numeric	

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V208	c26_pbis	C26-Basis of Payment (Primary Occupation)	discrete	numeric	
V209	c27_pbsc	C27-Basic Pay per Day (Primary Occupation)	discrete	numeric	
V210	c28_ojob	C28-Other Job Indicator	discrete	numeric	
V211	j02_otoc	C30-Other Occupation (July 2003 - Jan 2005)	discrete	numeric	
V212	j03_okb	C32-Kind of Business (Other Occupation) (July 2003 - Jan 2005)	discrete	numeric	
V213	j04_ocls	C33-Class of Worker (Other Occupation) (July 2003 - Jan 2005)	discrete	numeric	
V214	j05_ohrs	C34-Number of Hours Worked (Other Occupation) (July 2003 - Jan 2005)	discrete	numeric	
V215	j06_obis	C35-Basis of Payment (Other Occupation) (July 2003 - Jan 2005)	discrete	numeric	
V216	c36_obic	C36-Basic Pay per Day (Other Occupation) (July 2003 - Jan 2005)	discrete	numeric	
V217	a03_jobs	Number of Jobs during the past week (April 2005)	discrete	numeric	
V218	a04_thrs	Total Hours Worked for all Jobs (April 2005)	contin	numeric	
V219	a05_r48h	Reasons for Working More than 48 Hours during the past week (April 2005)	discrete	numeric	
V220	c37_avil	C37-Was Available for Work During the Past Week?	discrete	numeric	
V221	c38_lokw	C38-Did Look For Work Anytime During the Past Week?	discrete	numeric	
V222	c39_jbsm	C39-What Was He Has Been Doing to Find Work During the Past Week?	discrete	numeric	
V223	c40_wks	C40-Number of Weeks Spent in Looking for Work	contin	numeric	
V224	c41_flwk	C41-Was This His First Time to Look For Work?	discrete	numeric	
V225	c42_wynt	C42-Why Did He not Look for Work?	discrete	numeric	
V226	a06_llkw	When Last Looked for Work (April 2005)	discrete	numeric	
V227	a07_wlng	Willingness to take up work during the past week (April 2005)	discrete	numeric	
V228	c43_lbef	C43-Did He Ever Work At Anytime Before?	discrete	numeric	
V229	c45_pocc	C45-Previous Occupation	discrete	numeric	
V230	a08_pqtr	Did work or had a job during the past quarter (April 2005)	discrete	numeric	
V231	a09_pqkb	Kind of Business (past quarter) (April 2005)	discrete	numeric	
V232	cempst1	Employment Status (without Availability criterion)	discrete	numeric	
V233	newempst	Employment Status (Based on New Criteria on Unemployment) (April 2005)	discrete	numeric	
V234	div_weight		contin	numeric	





**Region (reg)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 198627
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-42	

**Stratum (stratum)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 198627
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 4	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 1574
Range: 1-1574	Mean: 755.1
	Standard deviation: 468.7

**Primary Sampling Unit - PSU (psu)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 198627
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 5	Minimum: 1001
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 98008
Range: 1001-98008	Mean: 42263.3
	Standard deviation: 22990.1

**Household Unique Sequential Number (hhnum)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 198627
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 5	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 40689
Range: 1-40689	Mean: 20397.7
	Standard deviation: 11707.8

**C2K Urban Rural Classification (Based on 1970 Definition) (urb2k70)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 198627
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

**Final Weight (fwgt)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 198627
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 808582
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 22597385
Range: 808582-22597385	Mean: 4422364.9
	Standard deviation: 1234797.8

**Survey Month (svymo)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 198627
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-10	

**Survey Year (svyvr)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 198627
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 4	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 2003-2008	

**C101-Line Number (c101\_1no)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 198627
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 29
Range: 1-29	Mean: 3.5
	Standard deviation: 2.2

**C05-Relationship to Household Head (c05\_rel)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 198627
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-11	

**C06-Sex (c06\_sex)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 198627
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

**C07-Age as of Last Birthday (c07\_age)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 198627
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 99
Range: 0-99	Mean: 26.8
	Standard deviation: 19.8

**C08-Marital Status (c08\_ms)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 178626
Format: numeric	Invalid: 20001
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-5	

**C09-Highest Grade Completed (c09\_grd)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 178626
Format: numeric	Invalid: 20001
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-99	

**Currently Attending School (April 2005) (a02\_csch)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 86447
Format: numeric	Invalid: 112180
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

**C10-Contract/Overseas Worker Indicator (c10\_cnwr)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 129566
Format: numeric	Invalid: 69061
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-5	

**C12-Usual Occupation (July 2003 - Jan 2005) (j01\_usoc)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 198627
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-93	

**C13-Did do any Work for at Least one Hour during the Past Week? (c13\_work)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 175676
Format: numeric	Invalid: 22951
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

**C14-Did Have a Job/Business during the Past Week? (c14\_job)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 97752
Format: numeric	Invalid: 100875
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

**C16-Primary Occupation (c16\_proc)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 78798
Format: numeric	Invalid: 119829
Width: 2	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 93
Range: 1-93	

**C18-Kind of Business (Primary Occupation) (c18\_pkb)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 78798
Format: numeric	Invalid: 119829
Width: 2	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 99
Range: 1-99	

**C19-Class of Worker (Primary Occupation) (c19pclas)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 76594
Format: numeric	Invalid: 122033
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-9	

**C20-Nature of Employment (Primary Occupation) (c20\_nem)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 76594
Format: numeric	Invalid: 122033
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-3	

**C21-Normal Working Hours for the Day for the Past Week (c21\_pwhr)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 76594
Format: numeric	Invalid: 122033
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-16	

**C22-Total Number of Hours Worked During the Past Week (c22\_phrs)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 76594
Format: numeric	Invalid: 122033
Width: 3	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 112
Range: 0-999	

## C23-Did Want more Hours of Work During the Past Week (c23\_pwmr)

File: LFS January 2007

### Overview

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

Valid cases: 76594  
Invalid: 122033

## C24-Did Look for Additional Work During the Past Week (c24\_plaw)

File: LFS January 2007

### Overview

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

Valid cases: 76594  
Invalid: 122033

## C25-Was this his first time to do any Work? (c25\_pfwk)

File: LFS January 2007

### Overview

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

Valid cases: 76594  
Invalid: 122033

## C26-Basis of Payment (Primary Occupation) (c26\_pbis)

File: LFS January 2007

### Overview

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

Valid cases: 38387  
Invalid: 160240

## C27-Basic Pay per Day (Primary Occupation) (c27\_pbsc)

File: LFS January 2007

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 4  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-99999

Valid cases: 33957  
Invalid: 164670  
Minimum: 3  
Maximum: 6250

**C28-Other Job Indicator (c28\_ojob)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 76594
Format: numeric	Invalid: 122033
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

**C30-Other Occupation (July 2003 - Jan 2005) (j02\_otoc)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 198627
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-93	

**C32-Kind of Business (Other Occupation) (July 2003 - Jan 2005) (j03\_okb)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 198627
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**C33-Class of Worker (Other Occupation) (July 2003 - Jan 2005) (j04\_ocls)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 198627
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-9	

**C34-Number of Hours Worked (Other Occupation) (July 2003 - Jan 2005) (j05\_ohrs)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 198627
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	

## C35-Basis of Payment (Other Occupation) (July 2003 - Jan 2005) (j06\_obis)

File: LFS January 2007

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 198627
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-7	

## C36-Basic Pay per Day (Other Occupation) (July 2003 - Jan 2005) (c36\_obic)

File: LFS January 2007

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 198627
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	

## Number of Jobs during the past week (April 2005) (a03\_jobs)

File: LFS January 2007

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 8978
Format: numeric	Invalid: 189649
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-5	

## Total Hours Worked for all Jobs (April 2005) (a04\_thrs)

File: LFS January 2007

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 76594
Format: numeric	Invalid: 122033
Width: 3	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 112
Range: 0-112	Mean: 42
	Standard deviation: 19.3

## Reasons for Working More than 48 Hours during the past week (April 2005) (a05\_r48h)

File: LFS January 2007

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 19747
Format: numeric	Invalid: 178880
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-5	



**C37-Was Available for Work During the Past Week? (c37\_abil)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 7839
Format: numeric	Invalid: 190788
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

**C38-Did Look For Work Anytime During the Past Week? (c38\_lokw)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 50022
Format: numeric	Invalid: 148605
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

**C39-What Was He Has Been Doing to Find Work During the Past Week? (c39\_jbsm)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2803
Format: numeric	Invalid: 195824
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

**C40-Number of Weeks Spent in Looking for Work (c40\_wks)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 2803
Format: numeric	Invalid: 195824
Width: 3	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 118
Range: 1-118	Mean: 5.5
	Standard deviation: 8.1

**C41-Was This His First Time to Look For Work? (c41\_flwk)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2803
Format: numeric	Invalid: 195824
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

**C42-Why Did He not Look for Work? (c42\_wynt)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 47219
Format: numeric	Invalid: 151408
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

**When Last Looked for Work (April 2005) (a06\_llkw)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2301
Format: numeric	Invalid: 196326
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-3	

**Willingness to take up work during the past week (April 2005) (a07\_wlng)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 7839
Format: numeric	Invalid: 190788
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

**C43-Did He Ever Work At Anytime Before? (c43\_lbef)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 50022
Format: numeric	Invalid: 148605
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

**C45-Previous Occupation (c45\_pocc)**

File: LFS January 2007

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 27548
Format: numeric	Invalid: 171079
Width: 2	Minimum: 1
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 93
Range: 1-93	

## Did work or had a job during the past quarter (April 2005) (a08\_pqtr)

File: LFS January 2007

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 104142
Format: numeric	Invalid: 94485
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

## Kind of Business (past quarter) (April 2005) (a09\_pqkb)

File: LFS January 2007

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 79820
Format: numeric	Invalid: 118807
Width: 2	Minimum: 0
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 99
Range: 0-99	

## Employment Status (without Availability criterion) (cempst1)

File: LFS January 2007

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 126616
Format: numeric	Invalid: 72011
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-3	

## Employment Status (Based on New Criteria on Unemployment) (April 2005) (newempst)

File: LFS January 2007

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 126616
Format: numeric	Invalid: 72011
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-3	

## (div\_weight)

File: LFS January 2007

### Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 198627
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	Minimum: 80.9
Decimals: 0	Maximum: 2259.7
Range: 80.8582-2259.7385	Mean: 442.2
	Standard deviation: 123.5



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