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## FILE ON MAGNETIC MEDIA

### **1. INTRODUCTION**

This document provides general information about the magnetic tapes containing person, family and household record data from the 1992 Survey of Families in Australia. More detailed documentation is contained on the sample file itself.

The release of these data is possible under the *Census and Statistics Act 1905*, which allows for the release of data in the form of unit records where the information is not likely to enable the identification of a particular person or organisation. There are no names or addresses on the sample file. Some items of information collected in the survey have been deleted from the sample file, and the level of detail for some others has been suppressed or reduced to ensure the confidentiality of individuals is protected.

The file is released under certain conditions which are specified in Section 5 of this paper.

There are 33,981 person records on the sample file which, when weighted by expansion factors on each record, gives a population estimate of 17,283,318. Some minor discrepancies should be accepted in weighted estimates due to rounding and substantial differences in weighting of person and family records.

Subject to limitations of sample size and the data classifications used, it is possible for users to manipulate the data, produce tabulations and undertake statistical analyses to their own specifications.

Any statistics produced from the sample file will be subject to sampling error. Detailed information about the survey and sampling error is contained in the ABS publication *Families in Australia - A Guide to Content and Procedures* (4415.0).

### **2. FILE FORMATS AND STRUCTURE**

Details of magnetic tape and disk formats, labelling options, recording densities, code sets available, etc are given in Appendix A.

The sample file containing four data files is distributed as a single reel of magnetic tape or on floppy disk. Details of the structure and labels are given in Appendix B.

### **3. FILE STRUCTURE**

The sample file comprises four data files as follows :

File 1 is a series of person, household and family records.

The record on the files are randomly distributed. All fields in the record are numeric. Each record is 507 characters long.

All person records are linked through the use of an 8 digit number which identifies each household. Within each household the families are numbered according to the relationship determined at the time of interview and all records relating to the same family contain the same family number.

Appendix C details the record structure and the characteristics of the data items. Details of the classifications for data items are contained in *Families in Australia - Data Reference Package* (4419.0).

File 2 is a *print file* in that it contains standard ANSI control characters. Each record is 133 bytes in length (the first being the print control character). The user may print this file to contain extensive documentation about the data in File 1.

File 3 is a compressed and formatted version of File 2 which the users may load into their systems for ADP purposes. Each record in this file is 148 bytes in length. The main difference between Files 2 and 3 is that in File 3 superfluous blank characters have been suppressed, and fields have been placed in specific positions within the records together with identifiers to enable correct interpretation.

File 4 is a copyright warning file containing twenty-two 80 byte character records in a single 1760 block.

#### **4. SCOPE AND CONTENTS OF THE SURVEY**

##### **4.1 Scope and coverage**

The survey covered a sample of 21,300 private dwellings and special dwelling units.

The Family Survey covered rural and urban areas across all States and Territories of Australia, and included residents of both private and selected special dwellings.

Details of the scope and coverage are contained in Section 3.2 of *Families in Australia - A Guide to Content and Procedures* (4415.0).

##### **4.2 Data items**

The sample file contains a record for each person enumerated in the survey. However, to protect the confidentiality of individual respondents some items of information which were collected in the survey have been deleted from the sample file, and the level of detail for some others has been reduced. In general these adjustments have been confined to demographic, socio-economic and geographic items: the range of family support items on the sample file is essentially complete.

Data items for the following topics are contained on the sample file:

- (a) Family/household structure
  - Family/household composition and structure
  - Basic demographics
  - Extra-household relationships
- (b) Family history
  - Marital history
  - Mobility
  - Fertility
- (c) Ethnicity
- (d) Employment
- (e) Employment support
  - Receipt
  - Provision
  - Barriers to labour force participation
- (f) Transport to work
- (g) Income
- (h) Income support
  - Receipt
  - Provision
- (i) Education
- (j) Payment of education expenses

Payment of own education expenses  
 Payment of education expenses for children  
 Barriers to education participation

## (k) Housing

## (l) Accommodation support

Receipt  
 Provision

## (m) Health

## (n) Personal care/home help

Receipt  
 Provision

Balance between work and caring for sick, disabled or elderly family members

## (o) Transport for the sick, disabled or elderly

## (p) Child care

Receipt of formal child care  
 Receipt of informal child care  
 Provision of informal child care  
 Balance of work and child care

## (q) Transport of children to school and child care

## (r) Interview conditions

Detailed information about each of the topics covered in the survey, including data item definitions, classifications, concepts and procedures used in the collection and processing of data is contained in the *Data Reference Package* (4419.0).

A listing of all the data items contained on the file is contained in Appendix C, which can be used to cross-reference the field names to those on File 2 and File 3. Appendix C can also be used in conjunction with *Families in Australia - Data Reference Package* (4419.0) for more detailed documentation of the items included on the file. Some items directly reflect responses to individual questions contained in the survey questionnaire while others have been derived from responses to two or more questions, and may include the application of personal or family characteristics (eg. sex or age) in the derivation process. Because of their volume and complexity, in terms of logic and underlying intentions, the derivations have not been presented in this documentation. If you have any queries about the derivation of particular items, please contact Brian Murray on (06) 252 6526. Listings of the SAS code used to derive items are available on request.

For some items, discrepancies will occur between data tabulated from the sample file and the estimates contained in the publication *Australia's Families: Selected Findings from the Survey of Families in Australia 1992* (4418.0). These discrepancies are due to amendments to the data during the process of developing and verifying the sample file and also due to the deletion of two large families in order to preserve confidentiality of these families. The discrepancies are proportionately small and are not expected to affect interpretations of or conclusions drawn from the data. It is important to note that discrepancies may also result from the way the table populations are defined. Therefore, it is suggested that particular attention be given to population definitions when comparing published estimates with those produced from the sample files.

## 5. CONDITIONS OF SALE

Sample files are released in accordance with a Ministerial Determination (Statutory Rules 1983, No. 19) in pursuance of Section 13 of the Census and Statistics Act 1905. As required by the Determination, the sample files have been designed so that information on the files is not likely to enable the identification of the particular persons to whom it relates.

In pursuance of Clause 7, the Determination requires clients to sign an undertaking stating that the information will be used for statistical purposes only.

Use of data for statistical purposes means use by the person or organisation to produce information of a statistical nature. Examples of such uses are:

- (a) the manipulation of data to produce means, correlations or other descriptive or summary measures;
- (b) the estimation of population characteristics from sample data;
- (c) the use of data as input to mathematical models and for other types of analyses (e.g. factor analysis); and
- (d) to provide graphical and pictorial representations of characteristics of the population or sub-sets of the population.

Use of the data for unauthorised purposes may render the user liable to severe penalties. For information about the propriety of any particular intended use of the data, please contact the Director, Welfare Statistics Section, on Canberra (06) 252 6316.

Other conditions of sale are:

- (a) statistical tables, graphs, etc. obtained from analysis of these sample files may be further disseminated provided that the purchaser agrees:
  - (i) to indicate that the ABS is the source of the data used;
  - (ii) not to attribute any analysis or transformation of the data to the ABS; and
  - (iii) to use the terminology currently used by the ABS for describing the data;
- (b) while the utmost care is taken in preparing and handling each file, deterioration may occur between the time of copying and receipt. Accordingly, if the file is unreadable on receipt and this is reported to the ABS within 28 days of despatch, it will be recopied free of charge. As an added precaution at least one security copy of the tape should be made on receipt.

## APPENDIX A MAGNETIC TAPE FORMATS

All data on magnetic tape from household sample surveys are supplied from the Canberra Office of the ABS and encoded by a FACOM M780 computer. All tapes are of standard dimensions (730m x 12.7mm) and use 9 tracks.

### **Tape labelling conventions**

Three labelling options are available:

- (a) FACOM Standard Label (same as IBM Standard Label). A label block consists of an 80 character EBCDIC coded fixed format record prefixed as for Australian Standard Labels but with some fields containing different information. However the contents of the main fields are the same as for ANSI X3.27 labels. For a complete description see Appendix B;
- (b) Australian Standard Label (ANSI X3.27-1978 and AS 1068-1971). A label block consists of an 80 character ASCII coded fixed format record prefixed by the characters VOL1, HDR or EOF. For a complete description see Appendix B; and
- (c) Unlabelled.

Note: All data files labelled and unlabelled will be encoded using either ASCII or EBCDIC Code Sets and will be blocked. The last file of data will be terminated by two consecutive tape marks. Although the ABS can supply unlabelled tapes from the M780 computer, the practice is strongly discouraged.

### **Recording densities**

There are two recording densities available, and these are phase encoded 63 RPmm (1600 BPI) and 246 RPmm (6250 BPI).

### **Code sets**

Two code sets are available:

- (1) ASCII Code Set (AS1776-1975) which requires a minimum of 7 bits for representation. The ABS always writes this code in 8-bit representation with the high order bit set to zero. This code cannot be represented on tapes with FACOM Standard Labels; and
- (2) EBCDIC Code Set. ABS always writes this code in 8-bit representation. This code will not be represented on tapes with ANSI labels.

### **Block sizes**

The block sizes will usually be as close as possible to but not exceeding 8192 characters. Block sizes are not a user option.

### **Initialising arrangements for magnetic tapes**

All tapes will be initialised by the ABS under its Tape Management System (TMS). Labelled tapes will be allocated volume serial numbers (VSNs) by the ABS and hardcopy of the label details will be supplied to the user. The user may specify an expiry date on the order form. Unlabelled tapes can also be provided.

### **ABS recommended tape option**

The ABS recommends that the data be provided on 9 track tapes which are FACOM Standard labelled written at 246 RPmm (6250 BPI) using the EBCDIC code set.

***APPENDIX A - continued*****FLOPPY DISK FORMATS**

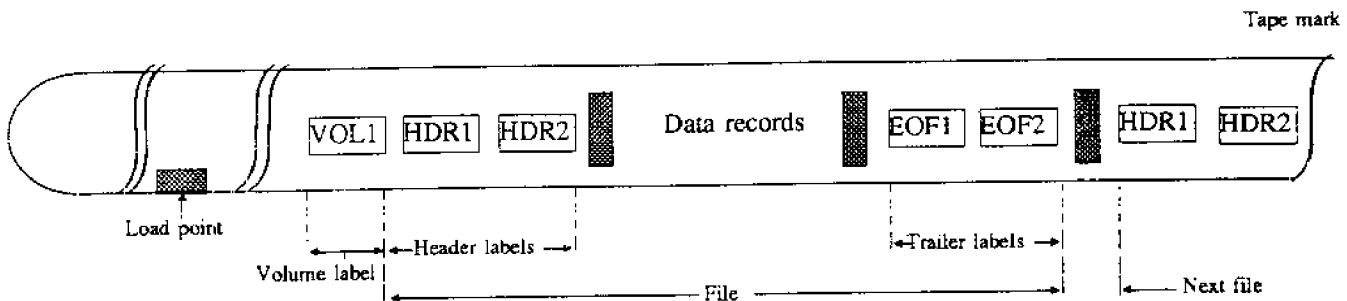
Where a user chooses to obtain data on floppy disks, to enable processing of data on IBM compatible microcomputers, the data files will be provided on a series of appropriately labelled disks, in a highly compressed format. Public domain software together with associated documentation will be provided to enable the user to decompress the files into the same format as would normally be provided on magnetic tape, and as such, would reflect the documentation provided with the tape.

## APPENDIX B

### MAGNETIC TAPE VOLUME AND DATA SET LABELS

#### **Section A - FACOM Standard Labels (same as IBM)**

Each label is one 80-byte record containing various attributes of the data set or reel. EBCDIC code is used. There are five kinds of labels, as shown in Figure A.1.



**Figure A.1 FACOM Standard labels (same as IBM)**

#### *Volume label*

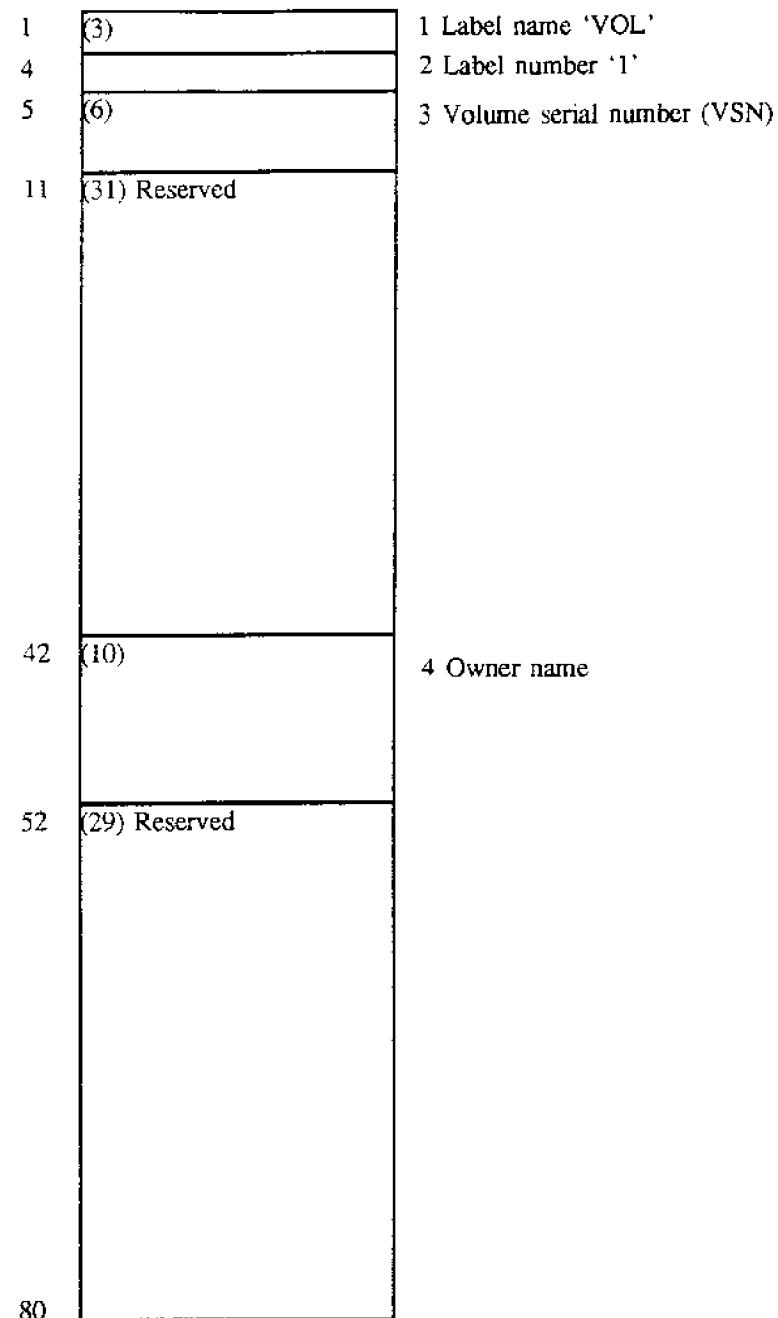
One volume label exists as the first block on each reel. The label contains VSN, owner name and other data pertinent to this reel. A volume label is characterised by its first four characters: VOL. 1.

#### *Header labels*

Two header labels are written at the front of each file: header label 1 (HDR1) and header label 2 (HDR2). The former contains an identification of this file, the latter contains various attributes.

#### *Trailer labels*

Two trailer labels are written at the end of each file: trailer label 1 (EOF1) and trailer label 2 (EOF2). As can be seen from Figure A.1, header and trailer labels are paired for each file on the volume. Trailer labels are quite similar to header labels, since reel processing does not always start from the front of a file, e.g. when reading backwards.



Note: Reserved — all blank

**Figure A.2 Standard volume label**

**Standard volume label format:** Refer to Figure A.2.

- 1     *Label name*: Indicates that the label is a volume label; always 'VOL'.
- 2     *Label number*: This is the sequence number of the volume label. There is only one volume label for a standard label reel; hence, its sequence number is always '1'.
- 3     *Volume serial number (VSN)*: One to six EBCDIC characters. Used to cite a specific volume. Externally readable label on the reel should agree with this serial number for operating convenience.
- 4     *Owner name*: Arbitrary identifier of up to ten EBCDIC characters.

**Standard format for the first header and trailer labels for a file:** Refer to Figure A.3.

1        *Label name:* There are the following two kinds of label names:

'HDR' Header label

'EOF' Trailer label (end of data set).

2        *Label number:* Sequence number of this label; always '1' in this case.

3        *File name:* Seventeen character left-justified data set name. When less than seventeen characters, padded on right with blanks.

4        *File serial number:* Serial number of first volume on which these data exist.

5        *Volume sequence number:* Sequence number for a data set on one or more volumes. Volume sequence number is always '0001' for a single volume.

6        *File sequence number:* Relative position of each data set on the volume (ranges through 0001-9999). This is relative to the first volume.

7        *Generation number:* Blank.

8        *Version number:* Blank.

9        *Creation date:* Indicates year and day the data set was created:

b	Blank
yy	Last two digits of the calendar year (00-99)
ddd	Day in the year (001-366)

10      *Expiry date:* Indicates year and date until which the data set is protected from deletion. Same format as the creation date. Field is character '0' if not specified and the protection interval is null.

- 11      *Security indicator:* Set to '0' (unprotected).

12      *Block count:* Total number of data blocks in the data set. Stored in the trailer label (EOF1 or EOV1); always '0' in the header label (HDR1).

13      *System code:* Identifier for system that created the data set. Always 'FACOM OS IV/F4' (13 bytes) for reels created on this operating system.

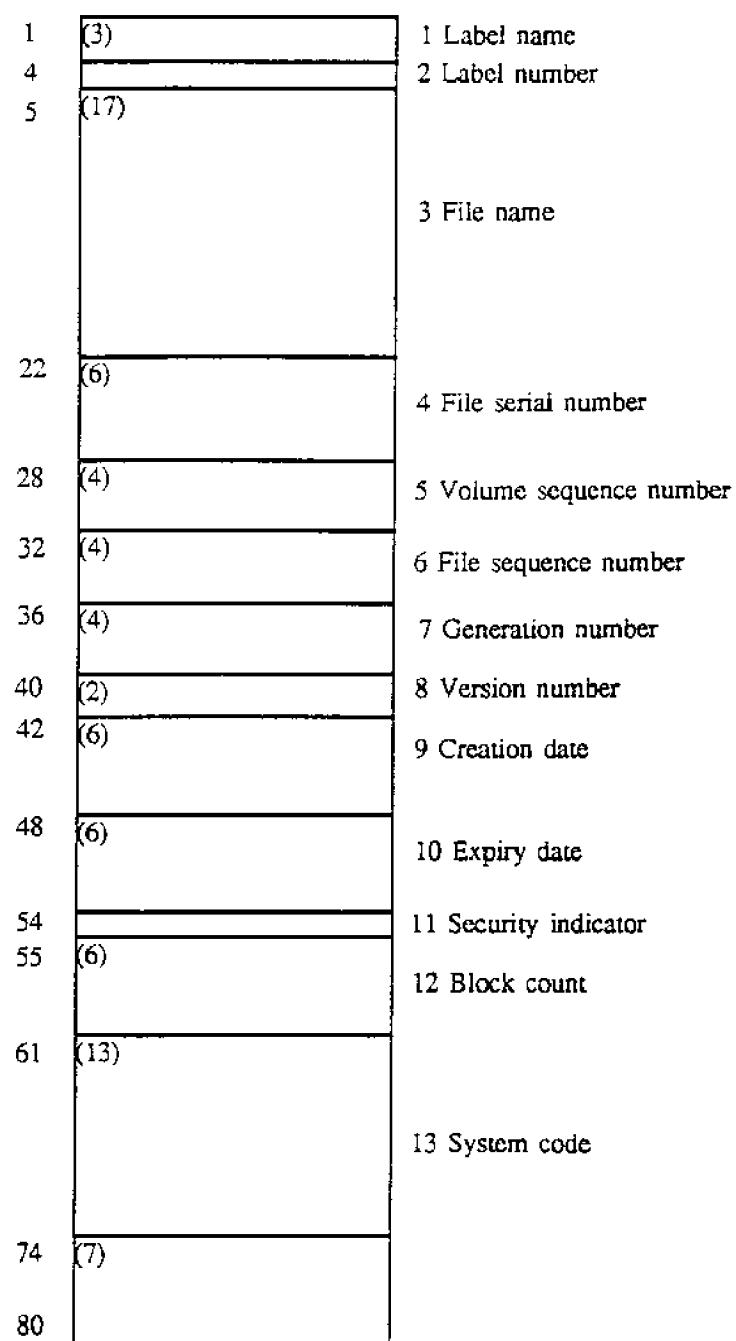


Figure A.3 First standard header or trailer label for a file

**Standard format for the second header and trailer labels for a file:** Refer to figure A.4.

- 1      *Label name:*  
 'HDR' Header label
- 
- 'EOF' Trailer label (end of data set)
- 2      *Label number:* Sequence number of this label; always '2' in this case.
- 3      *Record format:*
  - F      Fixed length
  - V      Variable length
  - U      Undefined length
- 4      *Block length:*
  - F      format Block length (integer multiple of record length)
  - V      format Maximum block length (including BDW)
  - U      format Maximum block length
- 5      *Record length:*
  - F      format Logical record length
  - V      format Maximum logical record length (including RDW)
  - U      format Always '0'
- 6      *Recording density:*  
 3      1600 (9 track)
- 7      *Volume status:*  
 0      First (or only) volume for this data set
- 8      *Job and step names:* Job name (eight characters) and step name (eight characters) delimited by '/' when the data set was created.
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- 9      *Recording mode:* Blank
- 10     *Control character:*
  - A      ANSI control characters
  - C      FACOM control characters
  - M      Machine control characters
  - blank   No control characters
- 11     *Unused field (blanks):*
- 12     *Blocking attribute:*
  - B      Blocked records
  - S      Spanned records
  - R      Blocked spanned records
  - blank   Unblocked unspanned records

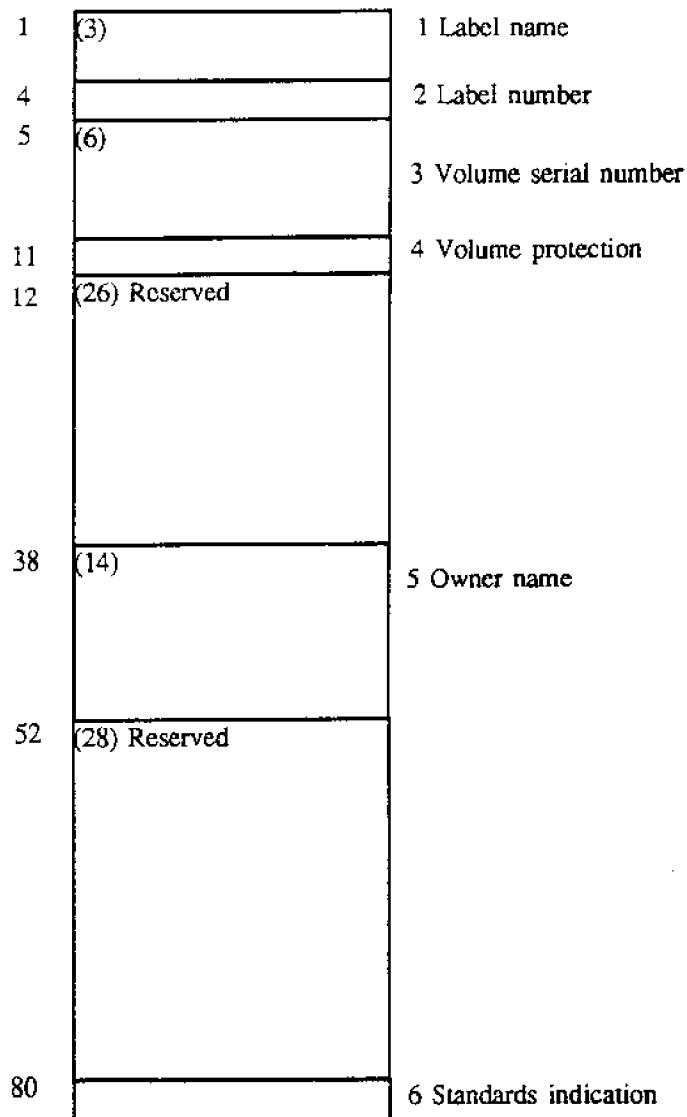
1	(3)	1 Label name
4		2 Label number
5		3 Record format
6	(5)	4 Block length
11	(5)	5 Record length
16		6 Recording density
17		7 Volume status
18	(17)	8 Job/step name
35	(2)	9 Recording mode
37		10 Control character
38		11 Reserved
39		12 Blocking attribute
40	(41) Reserved	
80		

Note : Reserved—All blank

Figure A.4 Second standard header or trailer label for a file

### Section B - ANSI labels

ANSI labels have basically the same format as FACOM Standard Labels. There are some differences in positions of fields in VOL1 and HDR1. HDR3 and subsequent header labels are not used. All ANSI labels and data are recorded in ASCII code at a recording density of 63 RPmm (1600 BPI) or 246 RPmm (6250 BPI).



**Figure A.5 ANSI volume label**

**ANSI volume label format:** Refer to figure A.5.

- 1 *Label name:* Indicates that the label is a volume label. Always 'VOL'.
- 2 *Label number:* Sequence number of the volume label. There is only one volume label for an ANSI Standard Label reel; hence, its sequence number is always '1'.
- 3 *VSN:* One to six ANSI characters. Used to cite a specific volume.
- 4 *Volume protection:* This field is an ANSI 'space' character.
- 5 *Owner name:* Arbitrary name of at most 14 ANSI characters. This field is left blank if no owner name was specified when the file was created.
- 6 *Standards indication:* This field is set to '1'.

1	(3)	1 Label name
4		2 Label number
5	(17)	3 File name
22	(6)	4 File serial number
28	(4)	5 Volume sequence number
32	(4)	6 File sequence number
36	(4)	7 Generation number
40	(2)	8 Version number
42	(6)	9 Creation date
48	(6)	10 Expiry date
54		11 Security indicator
55	(6)	12 Block count
61	(13)	13 System code
74	(7)	
80		

Figure A.6 First ANSI header or trailer label for a data set

**ANSI format for the first header and trailer labels for a file:** Refer to Figure A.6. The contents of the fields (1)-(13) in Figure A.6 are the same as those of the FACOM Standard Label (Figure A.3) except for field (11), 'Security indicator'.

Figure A.6 First ANSI header and trailer label for a data set

11 *Security indicator:* Blank

**ANSI format for the second header and trailer labels for a file:** Same as FACOM Standard Labels.

- **Other labels:** File labels 3-9 (HDR3-HDR9, EOF3-EOF9) are not created by ABS.

**APPENDIX C**  
**Family Survey, 1992**  
**Record Structure For Sample Tape**

**Record: Household**

Field Label	Field Number	Start Position	Length (Bytes)	Field Name	Range of Codes
DATA ITEM GROUP : FILLER FILLER 101	1	1	4	FILL101	
DATA ITEM GROUP : IDENTIFYING ITEMS Household random identifier	2	5	6	RANDOMH	.999999
Family number in household	3	11	1	FAMNOH	0-9
Income unit number in household	4	12	1	UNNOH	1
Person number in household	5	13	2	PNOH	0-09
Household record identifier	6	15	1	IDH	1
DATA ITEM GROUP : DWELLING DETAILS *Dwelling type	7	16	1	TYPDWEL	1-8
DATA ITEM GROUP : HOUSEHOLD DESCRIPTION Household type	8	17	1	HOUETYPE	1-6
*Number of families in household	9	18	1	NFAMHOU	0-3
DATA ITEM GROUP : WEIGHTS Unadjusted household weight	10	19	8	WTIH	0-99999999
DATA ITEM GROUP : GEOGRAPHIC ITEMS State	11	27	1	STATE	1-8
*Area of usual residence	12	28	2	AREARLES	1-17

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**Record Structure For Sample Tape**

**Record : Family**

Field Label	Field Number	Start Position	Length (Bytes)	Field Name	Range of Codes
DATA ITEM GROUP : FILLERS DATA ITEM GROUP : FILLERS FILE.FER.201	1	1	4	FILL201	
DATA ITEM GROUP : IDENTIFYING ITEMS					
Random identifier of family	2	5	6	RANDOMF	0-099999
Family number in family	3	11	1	FAMNOF	1-5
Unit number in family	4	12	1	IUNOF	0
Person number in family	5	13	2	PNOF	00-09
Family record identifier	6	15	1	IDF	2
DATA ITEM GROUP : DWELLING DETAILS					
*Nature of occupancy of couple/alone parent/eldest member of other family	7	16	1	NATOCFF	0-6
DATA ITEM GROUP : ASSISTANCE					
*Number of persons finding coping with work and personal care difficult/very difficult currently	8	17	1	NPDIFFWC	0-2
Highest difficulty experienced by any family member coping with personal care currently	9	18	1	DIFFCFCU	0-4
Number of persons finding coping with personal care difficult/very difficult currently	10	19	1	NPDIFFCC	0-2
Number of persons (15+) in family studied and provided personal care last 6 months	11	20	1	NUMCARST	0-2
Number of persons (15+) in family studying and providing personal care currently	12	21	1	NUMCCRST	0-2
Highest difficulty experienced by any family member coping with work and personal care last 6 mths	13	22	1	DIFFCWPCA	0-4
Highest difficulty experienced by any family member coping with personal care last 6 mths	14	23	1	DIFFCOPFC	0-4
*Number of persons (15+) in family providing personal care currently	15	24	1	NUMCCFAM	0-3
Whether male of couple/alone father/eldest other member provided personal care last 6 months	16	25	1	WTMPC6M	0-2
Whether female of couple/alone mother/2nd eldest other member provided personal care last 6 months	17	26	1	WTHFP6M	0-2

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**Record Structure For Sample Tape**

**Record : Family**

Field Label	Field Number	Start Position (Bytes)	Length (Bytes)	Field Name	Range of Codes
DATA ITEM GROUP : ASSISTANCE - Continued					
Whether male of couple/one parent/eldest other member provides personal care currently	18	27	1	WT1MPCCU	0-2
Whether female of couple/one mother/2nd eldest other member provides personal care currently	19	28	1	WTHFPCCU	0-2
*Number of persons (15+) in family who received personal care last 6 months	20	29	1	NUMRECM	0-2
Number of persons (15+) in family who received personal care last 6 months but would like more	21	30	1	NUMRECUD	0-2
Number of persons (15+) in family who did not receive personal care last 6 months but needed it	22	31	1	NUMRECU	0-2
DATA ITEM GROUP : FAMILY DESCRIPTION					
*Age of youngest person (15+) still providing personal care to family member receiving last 6 mths	23	32	2	YNCGPCR	00-13
*Age of eldest person (15+) still providing personal care to family member receiving last 6 mths	24	34	2	ELDCPCR	00-13
DATA ITEM GROUP : ASSISTANCE					
Whether person (15+) in family received personal care from usual resident family member last 6 mths	25	36	1	WRECURFM	0-2
Whether person (15+) in family received personal care from non-usual resident family member last 6 mths	26	37	1	WRECNURF	0-2
Highest difficulty experienced by any family member coping with work and personal care currently	27	38	1	DIFFCWFC	0-4
Whether person (15+) in family received personal care from government/voluntary service last 6 mths	28	39	1	WRECGOVT	0-2
Whether person (15+) in family received personal care from other non-family sources last 6 mths	29	40	1	WRECOTH	0-2
*Number of persons (15+) in family who provided personal care last 6 months	30	41	1	NUMCARER	0-4
*Number of employed persons (15+) in family who provided personal care last 6 months	31	42	1	NUMEMPC	0-3
Number of unemployed persons (15+) in family who provided personal care last 6 months	32	43	1	NUMUNEC	0-2

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**Record Structure For Sample Tape**

**Record : Family**

Field Label	Field Number	Start Position	Length (Bytes)	Field Name	Range of Codes
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : ASSISTANCE - Continued</b>					
*Number of not in the labour force persons (15+) in family who provided personal care last 6 months	33	44	1	NUMNLFC	0-2
Whether couple member/one parent/eldest other received income support from non-usual resident family	34	45	1	WPARSNUR	0-2
Whether other family members received income support from non-usual resident family member	35	46	1	WOTHSNUR	0-2
Whether anyone in family (aged 15+) provided personal care to usual resident family member last 6 mths	36	47	1	WHURFM	0-2
Whether anyone in family (aged 15+) provides personal care to usual resident family member currently	37	48	1	WHGURFM	0-2
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : INCOME</b>					
Whether partner/one parent/eldest other received monetary inheritance (\$10000+) last 10 years	38	49	1	WPARRECH	0-2
Whether any other member of the family received monetary inheritance (\$10000+) last 10 years	39	50	1	WOOTHRECH	0-2
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : ASSISTANCE</b>					
Whether anyone in family (aged 15+) provided personal care to non usual resident family member last	40	51	1	WHNURFM	0-2
Whether anyone in family (aged 15+) provided personal care to non usual resident family member curr	41	52	1	WHIGNURFM	0-2
*Number of persons finding coping with work and personal care difficult/very difficult last 6 mths	42	53	1	NUMPDWCA	0-2
Number of persons finding coping with personal care difficult/very difficult last 6 months	43	54	1	NUMMPDCA	0-2
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : MARITAL HISTORY</b>					
*Year couple commenced living together	44	55	1	YYCLIV	0-7
*Year of separation from/death of most recent marriage partner of lone father/eldest male member	45	56	1	YYDMP	0-7
*Year of separation from/death of most recent marriage partner of lone mother/eldest female member	46	57	1	YYDFP	0-7

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**Record Structure For Sample Tape**

**Record : Family**

Field Label	Field Number	Start Position	Length (Bytes)	Field Name	Range of Codes
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : HOUSING HISTORY</b>					
*Number of times eldest child (15+) changed address since 1/1/87	47	58	1	NUMTECM	0-3
*Number of times youngest child (15+) changed address since 1/1/87	48	59	1	NUMTYCM	0-3
Number times male partner/lone father/eldest member other family changed address since 1/1/87	49	60	1	NUMMVMF	0-8
Number times female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member other family changed address since 1/1/87	50	61	1	NUMMVFP	0-8
Landlord of couple/lone parent/eldest member of other family	51	62	2	LLTRIAM	00-13
Reason male partner/lone father/eldest member other family moved from last usual residence	52	64	2	RMLRMP	0-15
Reason female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member other family moved from last usual residence	53	66	2	RMLRFP	0-15
*Year male partner/lone father/eldest member other commenced living at current address	54	68	1	YRCLADMP	0-7
*Year female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member other commenced living at current address	55	69	1	YRCLADFP	01-92
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : LABOUR FORCE</b>					
Employment status of parents	56	70	2	EMPPAR	00-20
Limploymen status of male partner/lone father/eldest member other family	57	72	1	EMPTMP	0-9
Employment status of female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member other family	58	73	1	EMPTFP	0-9
Employment status of couple	59	74	1	EMPCTCOP	0-9
*Occupation of male partner/lone father/eldest member other family	60	75	1	OCCUMP	0-8
*Occupation of female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member other family	61	76	1	OCCUFP	0-8
*Weekly hours worked by male partner/lone father/eldest member other family	62	77	1	HWKDMF	0-9
*Weekly hours worked by female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member other family	63	78	1	IWKDFP	0-9
Time since male partner/lone father/eldest member other family last employed	64	79	1	DUEMPMP	0-8

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DATA ITEM GROUP : LABOUR FORCE - Continued					
Time since female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member other family last employed	65	80	1	DUEMPFP	0-8
DATA ITEM GROUP : ASSISTANCE					
*Number of employed persons (15+) in family who provide personal care currently	66	81	1	NUMECACU	0-3
Number of unemployed persons (15+) in family who provide personal care currently	67	82	1	NUMUCACU	0-2
*Number of not in the labour force persons (15+) in family who provide personal care currently	68	83	1	NUMNCACU	0-2
DATA ITEM GROUP : LABOUR FORCE					
*Number of usual resident children in family (15+) who received help to look for work/get a job	69	84	1	NUMHGFJ	0-2
Whether male partner/lone father/eldest member other family helped to look for work/get a job	70	85	1	WHTGJMP	0-2
Whether female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member other family helped to look for work/get a job	71	86	1	WHTGJEP	0-2
*Number of persons in family helped to look for work/get a job	72	87	1	NUMPHGFJ	0-3
*Number of children (15+) who started new job/apprenticeship/business last 12 months	73	88	1	NUKSNJOB	0-2
*Number of children (15+) not in labour force who want full/part-time job but not looking for work	74	89	1	NUMMNWFJ	0-2
*Number of children (15+) who could not start work within a week if offered a job	75	90	1	NUKUWFJ	0-1
*Whether persons in family helped non usual resident family member look for work/get a job	76	91	1	NUMPHNUR	0-1
*Number of unemployed persons in family who have not worked in the last year	77	92	1	NUMUNL2	0-2
*Number of persons in family not in labour force who have not worked in the last year	78	93	1	NUMUNL2	0-3
Level of difficulty male partner/lone father/eldest other coping with work and child care	79	94	1	LVLDFMP	0-5

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Level of difficulty female partner/one mother/2nd eldest other coping with work and child care	80	95	1	LVLDFP	0-5
Multiple job status of parent(s)	81	96	1	MULTJOB	0-4
*Number of children (aged 15+) employed full time	82	97	1	NUCEFT	0-3
*Number of children (aged 15+) employed full time and studying	83	98	1	NUCESFT	0-2
Number of children (aged 15+) employed part time	84	99	1	NUCEPT	0-2
*Number of children (aged 15+) employed part time and studying	85	100	1	NUCESPT	0-2
*Number of children (aged 15+) unemployed and studying	86	101	1	INCUNE	0-2
DATA ITEM GROUP : LANGUAGE					
English language capability of male partner/one father/eldest member of other family	87	102	1	ENGPMP	0-5
English language capability of female partner/one mother/2nd eldest member of other family	88	103	1	ENGPFP	0-5
DATA ITEM GROUP : EDUCATION					
*Highest qualifications of male usual resident child(ren)/male member(s) other family (15+)	89	104	2	HQLMCH	00-10,12
*Highest qualifications of female usual resident child(ren)/female member(s) other family (15+)	90	106	2	HQLFCH	00-10,12
Current education attendance of male partner/one father/eldest member of other family	91	108	1	EDINSTMP	1-7
Current education attendance of female partner/one mother/2nd eldest member of other family	92	109	1	EDINSTFP	1-7
*Educational attainment of male partner/one father/eldest member of other family	93	110	2	EDATTMP	0-12
*Educational attainment of female partner/one mother/eldest member of other family	94	112	2	EDATTFP	0-12
*Number of children in family (15+) who wanted to study last 6 mths who are not currently studying	95	114	1	NUMKWSFP	0-1
Whether education barrier for male partner/one father/eldest other was not family responsibility	96	115	1	ORTFRBMP	0-2

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DATA ITEM GROUP - EDUCATION - Continued					
Whether education barrier for female partner/lone mother/eldest other was not family responsibility	97	116	1	ORTTRBFP	0-2
*Number of persons in family who have experienced barriers to education	98	117	1	EFBARPER	0-3
*Number of usual resident family members (aged 15+) in school	99	118	1	NURFMAS	0-2
*Number of usual resident family members (aged 15+) in university/other tertiary institution	100	119	1	NURFMAU	0-2
*Number of usual resident family members (aged 15+) in tafe	101	120	1	NURFMAT	0-2
*Number of usual resident male children (aged 15+) in school	102	121	1	NURKASM	0-2
*Number of usual resident male children (aged 15+) in university/other tertiary institution	103	122	1	NURKAUM	0-2
Number of usual resident male children (aged 15+) in tafe	104	123	1	NURKATM	0-2
Education type of usual resident and non usual resident children in family	105	124	1	ED1YPKIF	0-8
*Number of male children in family (aged 15+) in full-time education	106	125	1	NUMKFTEM	0-2
Number of male children in family (aged 15+) in part-time education	107	126	1	NUMKPTEM	0-2
*Number of persons in family receiving a study/absstudy	108	127	1	NUMRAUST	0-2
*Number of family members (aged 15+) studying full-time	109	128	1	NFAMFT	0-3
Number of family members (aged 15+) studying part-time	110	129	1	NFAMPT	0-2
Payment of tertiary education expenses for usual resident children	111	130	1	POFDURK	0-3
Payment of secondary/tertiary education expenses for non usual resident children (aged 15+)	112	131	1	POENURK	0-3
Payment of tertiary education expenses in family	113	132	1	POEDFMM	0-7
Highest level of difficulty paying own education expenses	114	133	1	DPAYOWN	0-4
Number of persons reporting difficulty paying own education expenses	115	134	1	DIFFPOEF	0-2
Level of difficulty paying children(s) education expenses	116	135	1	DPAYKIDS	0-5
Whether education barrier for male partner/lone father/eldest other was family responsibility	117	136	1	EDBRSMF	0-2

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<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : EDUCATION - Continued</b>					
Whether education barrier for female partner/one mother/2nd eldest other was family responsibility	118	137	1	EDBRSFP	0-2
*Number of usual resident female children (aged 15+) in school	119	138	1	NURKASF	0-2
*Number of usual resident female children (aged 15+)	120	139	1	NURKAUF	0-2
in university/other tertiary institution	121	140	1	NURKATF	0-2
Number of usual resident female children (aged 15+) in tafe	122	141	1	NUMKPTEF	0-2
*Number of female children in family (aged 15+) in full-time education	123	142	1	NUMKPTIF	0-2
Number of female children in family (aged 15+) in part-time education					
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : FAMILY DESCRIPTION</b>					
*Family size	124	143	2	URFAMSI	1-10
Sex of main income earner	125	145	1	SEXMINC	1-8
Sex of parent(s) who helped male child(ren) get a job/look for work	126	146	1	SPHGMJOB	0-3
Sex of parent(s) who helped female child(ren) get a job/look for work	127	147	1	SPHGFJOB	0-3
*Age of main income earner	128	148	2	AGEMINC	00-14
*Age of eldest unemployed usual resident child	129	150	2	AGEELDUN	00-09
*Age of youngest unemployed usual resident child	130	152	2	AGEYNGUN	00-09
*Age of eldest person (15+) in family	131	154	2	AGEEEP	0-13
*Age of youngest person in family	132	156	2	AGEYP	01-16
*Age of eldest usual resident child helped to get a job/look for work	133	158	2	AGEFHGT	00-09
*Age of youngest usual resident child helped to get a job/look for work	134	160	2	AGEYHGT	00-09
*Age of eldest person in family who helped family member get a job/look for work	135	162	2	AGEPHGT	00-13
*Age of youngest usual resident child (15+in school	136	164	2	AGEYCIS	00-03
*Age of eldest usual resident child (15+in school	137	166	2	AGECIS	0-3
*Age of youngest usual resident child (15+in tafe	138	168	2	AGEYCAT	00-07
*Age of eldcest usual resident child (15+) in tafe	139	170	2	AGEFECAT	00-07

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DATA ITEM GROUP : FAMILY DESCRIPTION - Continued					
*Age of youngest usual resident child (15+) in university/other tertiary institution	140	172	2	AGEYUNI	00-05
*Age of eldest usual resident child (15+) in university/other tertiary institution	141	174	2	AGEEUNI	00-05
*Age of eldest usual resident child (15+) receiving free accommodation	142	176	2	AGEEFACC	00-10
*Age of youngest usual resident child (15+) receiving free accommodation	143	178	2	AGEYFACC	00-10
*Age of eldest person (15+) receiving free accommodation from non usual resident parent	144	180	2	AGEEFAN	00-05
*Age of youngest person (15+) receiving free accommodation from non usual resident parent	145	182	2	AGEYFAN	00-04
*Age of youngest person (15+) who received personal care in last 6 months	146	184	2	AGEYRPC	00-13
*Age of eldest person (15+) who received personal care in last 6 months	147	186	2	AGEERPC	00-13
*Age of youngest person (15+) with unmet need for personal care	148	188	2	AGEFYUND	00-13
*Age of eldest person (15+) with unmet need for personal care	149	190	2	AGEEUND	00-13
*Age of youngest person (15+) with unmet need for personal care	150	192	2	AGEYUNM	00-13
*Age of eldest person (15+) with unmet need for personal care	151	194	2	AGEEUNM	00-13
*Age of youngest provider (15+) of care to ill/disabled/aged family member last 6 months	152	196	2	AGEYPRCA	00-13
*Age of eldest provider (15+) of care to ill/disabled/aged family member last 6 months	153	198	2	AGEEPRCA	00-13
*Birthplace of couple	154	200	1	BPCOUPLE	00-09
*Length of residency of male partner/lone father/eldiest member of other family	155	201	1	DORMP	0-6
*Length of residency of female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member of other family	156	202	1	DORFP	1-6

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DATA ITEM GROUP : FAMILY DESCRIPTION - Continued					
*Number of usual resident dependent children	157	203	1	NUURDCH	0-6
Number of non usual resident fathers of couple/lone parent/eldest member of other family	158	204	1	NUMFC	0-4
Number of non usual resident step fathers of couple/lone parent/eldest member of other family	159	205	1	NUMSFC	0-1
Number of non usual resident mothers of couple/lone parent/eldest member of other family	160	206	1	NUMMC	0-4
*Number of non usual resident step mothers of couple/lone parent/eldest member of other family	161	207	1	NUMSMC	0-1
*Number of usual resident otherwise related dependent children	162	208	1	NUOTDCH	0-2
*Number of non usual resident non-dependent children	163	209	1	NUNORCH	0-4
*Number of non usual resident children of couple/lone parent/eldest member of other family	164	210	1	NUNURCH	0-5
*Number of family members aged 15 years or older	165	211	1	NUMFM15	1-6
*Number of family members aged 17 years or older	166	212	1	NUMFM17	0-5
Number of family members aged 60 years or older	167	213	1	NUMFM60	0-3
*Number of children (aged 0-11) in the family	168	214	1	NUMKOT11	0-6
*Family type	169	215	2	FAMTYPE	1111-9999
Couple family type	170	217	2	CPLFAMT1	00-15
Family blending	171	219	1	FAMBLEN	0-8
DATA ITEM GROUP : ASSISTANCE					
Whether anyone in family received a gift of over \$200 from non usual resident family member	172	220	1	WTHGIFT	0-2
Whether anyone in family received a gift of household item (over \$200) from non usual resident family	173	221	1	WTHHHGFT	0-2
Whether anyone in family received a gift of a motor vehicle from non usual resident family member	174	222	1	WTHCAR	0-2
Whether anyone in family received assistance (\$30+/wk) from non usual resident family	175	223	1	WTHFASS	0-2
Whether anyone in family received gift of food or clothing (worth \$200+) from non usual resident family	176	224	1	WTHFOOD	0-2

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DATA ITEM GROUP : ASSISTANCE - Continued					
Whether anyone in family received gift of shares/stocks /money in trust from non usual resident family	177	225	1	WTHSHRS	0-2
Whether anyone in family had payment of bills, rent or loan made by non usual resident family member	178	226	1	WTHBILLS	0-2
DATA ITEM GROUP : INCOME					
Whether any family member provided income support to any usual resident family member	179	227	1	WPRINCUR	1-2
Whether any family member provided income support to any non usual resident family member	180	228	1	WPRINCNR	1-2
DATA ITEM GROUP : FAMILY DESCRIPTION					
*Birthplace of male partner/lone father/eldest member of other family	181	229	2	BPMMPAR	01-19,99
*Birthplace of female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member of other family	182	231	2	BPFDPAR	01-19,99
*Age of male partner/lone father/eldest member of other family	183	233	2	AGMASPAR	0-13
*Age of female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member	184	235	2	AGESOPAR	00-13
*Age of youngest usual resident child	185	237	2	AGYOUNCH	01-14,99
*Age of eldest usual resident child	186	239	2	AGEELURCH	1-14,99
*Age of second youngest usual resident child	187	241	2	AGSEURCH	1-13,99
*Age of third youngest usual resident child	188	243	2	AGTHURCH	01-08,99
*Age of fourth youngest usual resident child	189	245	2	AGFOURCH	01-07,99
Current marital status of male partner/lone father/eldest member of other family	190	247	1	CMSTMP	0-7
Current marital status of female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member of other family	191	248	1	CMSTFP	0-7
Couple status	192	249	1	COPSTAT	0-2
*Number of usual resident ancestors	193	250	1	WHLOAPRF	0-2
Whether male partner/lone father/eldest member of other family interviewed privately	194	251	1	WTRIVMP	0-2
Whether female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member of other family interviewed privately	195	252	1	WPRIVFD	0-2

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<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : FAMILY DESCRIPTION - Continued</b>					
Whether any member of family interviewed in presence of third party	196	253	1	WPRIVIM	1-2
Whether family member other than partner/lone parent/eldest other interviewed in front of 3rd party	197	254	1	WPRIVOTIII	0-2
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : CHILDREN</b>					
*Number of live babies ever borne by female partner/lone mother/eldest female of other family	198	255	1	NLBFP	0-6,9
*Year couple were married	199	256	1	YYPCMID	0-7
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : MARITAL HISTORY</b>					
Main reason eldest child (15+) moved	200	257	2	MRECHMVD	00-15
*Main reason youngest child (15+) moved	201	259	2	MRYCHMVD	00-15
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : FAMILY DESCRIPTION</b>					
*Number of times child(ren) (15+) have moved since 1/1/87	202	261	1	NUMKMMVD	0-3
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : INCOME</b>					
Source of gross weekly family income from wages and salary from employer	203	262	2	SGRWNA	1-2
Source of gross weekly family income from wages and salary from own limited liability company	204	264	2	SGRWNB	1-2
Source of gross weekly family income from Family allowance/child endowment	205	266	2	SGRWNC	1-2
Source of gross weekly family income from Family allowance supplement	206	268	2	SGRWND	1-2
Source of gross weekly family income from other government pension or benefit	207	270	2	SGRWNE	1-2
Source of gross weekly family income from own business or share in partnership	208	272	2	SGRWNF	1-2
Source of gross weekly family income from investment properties	209	274	2	SGRWNG	1-2

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DATA ITEM GROUP : INCOME - Continued					
Source of gross weekly family income from dividends	210	276	2	SGRWNH	1-2
Source of gross weekly family income from interest	211	278	2	SGRWNI	1-2
Source of gross weekly family income from maintenance or child support	212	280	2	SGRWNJ	1-2
Source of gross weekly family income from superannuation	213	282	2	SGRWNK	1-2
Source of gross weekly family income from workers compensation/accident or sickness	214	284	2	SGRWNL	1-2
Source of gross weekly family income from other regular income	215	286	2	SGRWNM	1-2
*Main source of family income	216	288	1	MSRCPI	1-6
*Main source of couple/lone parent/eldest other family income	217	289	1	INCMINC	1-15,98-99
*Personal weekly income of main income recipient	218	290	2	FAMINC	1-15,98-99
*Weekly family income	219	292	2	PARINC	1-15,98-99
*Weekly income of couple/lone parent/eldest member of other family	220	294	2	TGCBMPA	1-2
Type of government pension received by male partner/lone father/eldest member of other family	221	296	2	TGCBMPB	1-2
A study type of government pension received by male partner/lone father/eldest member of other family	222	298	2	TGCBMPC	1-2
Disability/war widows pension type of government pension received by male partner/lone father/eldest member of other family	223	300	2	TGCBMPD	1-2
Childs disability allowance type of government pension received by male partner/lone father/eldest member of other family	224	302	2	TGCBMPF	1-2
Overseas pension or benefit type of government pension received by male partner/lone father/eldest member of other family	225	304	2	TGCBFPB	1-2
Other pension or benefit type of government pension received by male partner/lone father/eldest member of other family	226	306	2	TGCBFPA	1-2
Type of government pension received by female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member other family	227	308	2	TGCBFPC	1-2
A study type of government pension received by female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member other family	228	310	2		
Disability/war widows pension type of government pension received by female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member other family	229	312	2		

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Childs disability allowance type of government pension received by female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member other family	230	314	2	TGCBFPD	1-2
Overseas pension or benefit type of government pension received by female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member other family	231	316	2	TGCBFPE	1-2
Other pension or benefit type of government pension received by female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest member other family	232	318	2	TGCBFFP	1-2
*Percentage of total family income from government pensions and benefits	233	320	2	PINCGCBF	00-09
*Number of income earners in family	234	322	1	NINCFAM	0-5
Received monetary inheritance from spouse	235	323	1	WRELINHA	1-2
Received monetary inheritance from parents	236	324	1	WRELINHB	1-2
Received monetary inheritance from other family	237	325	1	WRELINHC	1-2
Highest level of difficulty paying bills/loan repayments of anyone in the family	238	326	1	LVLDPBF	1-4
*Number of persons in family who have difficulty paying bills/loan repayments	239	327	1	NUJMDPBLS	0-4
Whether any person in family provides child support/maintenance	240	328	1	PROVMNT	0-2
*Number of non usual resident children for whom child support/maintenance is paid by members of family	241	329	1	NUJMCKPA	0-3
*Number of income recipients in family	242	330	1	NINCRECF	0-5
Level of difficulty male partner/lone father/eldest other has paying bills/loan repayments	243	331	1	DIFPBLLMP	0-4
Level of difficulty female partner/lone mother/2nd eldest other has paying bills/loan repayments	244	332	1	DIFPBLLFP	0-4
DATA ITEM GROUP : CHILD CARE (FORMATI)					
Whether parent would like formal child care more often than currently (unmet)	245	333	1	UNDMETFC	0-2
*Total hours of formal child care usually used each week by family	246	334	1	HATTCHCW	0-99
Whether parent would like formal child care but has none currently (unmet)	247	335	1	WLIMOFCA	0-2
*Number of children (aged 0-11) who attended formal child care last 6 months	248	336	1	NATTCHCA	0-3,9

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DATA ITEM GROUP: CHILD CARE (FORMAL) - Continued					
*Number of children (aged 0-11) who attend formal child care currently	249	337	1	NATTCCUR	0-2,9
*Number of children (aged 0-11) who usually attend formal child care each week	250	338	1	NATTCWK	0-3,9
*Number of children (aged 0-11) who currently attend formal child care but not each week	251	339	1	NATTCIR	0-2,9
DATA ITEM GROUP: INFORMAL CHILD CARE ITEMS					
Whether child (aged 0-11) received informal child care last 6 months	252	340	1	REINFCAR	0-2
Main provider of informal child care to the family	253	341	2	MPROINCA	00-16
*Usual resident status of main provider of informal child care to the family	254	343	1	MPROVRST	0-2
*Number of children (0-11) who receive informal child care currently	255	344	1	NUMBIC	0-4,9
Number of selected children usually receiving informal child care weekly	256	345	1	NUMSELIC	0-3,9
*Hours of weekly informal child care received by eldest of 3 selected children aged 0-11	257	346	1	HRSINFL	0-99
*Hours of weekly informal child care received by youngest of 3 selected children aged 0-11	258	347	1	HRSINFY	0-99
*Hours of weekly informal child care received by 2nd youngest of 3 selected children aged 0-11	259	348	1	HRSINFS	0-99
*Hours of informal child care usually received each week by 3 selected children aged 0-11	260	349	1	HRSINFA	00-99
Selected children receive non-weekly informal child care to allow parents to attend social events	261	350	1	CIRICTOA	1-2
Selected children receive non-weekly informal child care when children sick	262	351	1	CIRICTOB	1-2
Selected children receive non-weekly informal child care in school holidays	263	352	1	CIRICTOC	1-2
Selected children receive non-weekly informal child care on weekends	264	353	1	CIRICTOD	1-2

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DATA ITEM GROUP : INFORMAL CHILD CARE ITEMS - Continued					
Selected children receive non-weekly informal child care when other care options not available	265	354	1	CIRICTOE	1-2
Selected children receive non-weekly informal child care for occasional periods of extended care	266	355	1	CIRICTOF	1-2
Selected children receive non-weekly informal child care irregular use/no set pattern/doesn't usually provide	267	356	1	CIRICTOG	1-2
Selected children receive non-weekly informal child care to meet commitments other than work, training or study	268	357	1	CIRICTOH	1-2
Selected children receive non-weekly informal child care for other than the above reasons	269	358	1	CIRCTOI	1-2
Elddest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care to allow parents to attend social events	270	359	1	CIRICELA	1-2
Elddest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care when children sick	271	360	1	CIRICELB	1-2
Elddest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care in school holidays	272	361	1	CIRICELC	1-2
Elddest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care on weekends	273	362	1	CIRICELD	1-2
Elddest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care when other care options not available	274	363	1	CIRICELE	1-2
Elddest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care for occasional periods of extended care	275	364	1	CIRICELF	1-2
Elddest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care irregular use/no set pattern/doesn't usually provide	276	365	1	CIRICELG	1-2
Elddest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care to meet commitments other than work, training or study	277	366	1	CIRICELH	1-2
Youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care to allow parents to attend social events	278	367	1	CIRICELI	1-2
Youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care when children sick	279	368	1	CIRICYNAA	1-2
Youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care in school holidays	280	369	1	CIRICYNB	1-2
	281	370	1	CIRICYNC	1-2

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Youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care on weekends	282	371	1	CIRICYN'D	1-2
Youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care when other care options not available	283	372	1	CIRICYNE	1-2
Youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care for occasional periods of extended care	284	373	1	CIRICYNF	1-2
Youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care irregular use/no set pattern/doesn't usually provide	285	374	1	CIRICYNG	1-2
Youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care to meet commitments other than work, training or study	286	375	1	CIRICYNH	1-2
Youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care for other than the above reasons	287	376	1	CIRICYNI	1-2
2nd youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care to allow parents to attend social events	288	377	1	CIRICSEA	1-2
2nd youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care when children sick	289	378	1	CIRICSEB	1-2
2nd youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care in school holidays	290	379	1	CIRICSEC	1-2
2nd youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care on weekends	291	380	1	CIRICSED	1-2
2nd youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care when other care options not available	292	381	1	CIRICSEE	1-2
2nd youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care for occasional periods of extended care	293	382	1	CIRICSEF	1-2
2nd youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care irregular use/no set pattern/doesn't usually provide	294	383	1	CIRICSEG	1-2
2nd youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care to meet commitments other than work, training or study	295	384	1	CIRICSEH	1-2
2nd youngest of selected children receives non-weekly informal child care for other than the above reasons	296	385	1	CIRICSEI	1-2
Whether parent of child would like informal child (unmet)	297	386	1	INFUNMET	0-2
Source of unmet informal child care from IUR family members	298	387	1	UNMETIWA	1-2
Source of unmet informal child care non-IUR family members	299	388	1	UNMETWHB	1-2
Source of unmet informal child care neighbours/friends	300	389	1	UNMETWIC	1-2

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DATA ITEM GROUP: INFORMAL CHILD CARE ITEMS - Continued					
Source of unmet informal child care from privately employed person	301	390	1	UNMETWHD	1-2
Source of unmet informal child care from any other person	302	391	1	UNMETWHE	1-2
Source of unmet informal child care from other than above	303	392	1	UNMETWHF	1-2
Family providers provide non-weekly informal child care to allow parents to attend social events	304	393	1	CRINPRA	1-2
Family providers provide non-weekly informal child care when other carers are not available	305	394	1	CRINPRB	1-9
Family providers provide non-weekly informal child care for occasional periods of extended care	306	395	1	CRINPRC	1-2
Family providers provide non-weekly informal child care when children sick	307	396	1	CRINPRD	1-2
Family providers provide non-weekly informal child care in school holidays	308	397	1	CRINPRE	1-2
Family providers provide non-weekly informal child care on weekends	309	398	1	CRINPRF	1-2
Family providers provide non-weekly informal child care irregular use/no set pattern/doesn't usually provide	310	399	1	CRINPRG	1-2
Family providers provide non-weekly informal child care for access	311	400	1	CRINPRH	1-2
Family providers provide non-weekly informal child care for other than the above reasons	312	401	1	CRINPRI	1-2
Number of persons who provided informal child care to non usual resident family members (0-11) last	313	402	1	NUMPROV6	0-4
Number of persons who provide informal child care to non usual resident family members (0-11) current	314	403	1	NUMPROVC	0-4
*Number of persons who provide informal child care to non usual resident family members (0-11) weekly	315	404	1	NUMPROW	0-2
*Number of persons who currently provide non-weekly informal child care to non usual resident family	316	405	1	NUMPROVI	0-3
*Total hours of informal child care provided each week by family members	317	406	1	HRSICPR	0-99
Whether parent of child would like more informal child care (undermet)	318	407	1	INFUNDMT	0-2
Source of undermet informal child care from UR family members	319	408	1	UNDMETA	1-6
Source of undermet informal child care from non-UR family members	320	409	1	UNDMETB	

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DATA ITEM GROUP : ACCOMMODATION					
Source of unmet informal child care neighbours/friends	321	410	1	UNDMETC	1-6
Source of unmet informal child care from privately employed person	322	411	1	UNDMETD	1-6
Source of unmet informal child care from any other person	323	412	1	UNDMETE	1-6
Source of unmet informal child care from other than above	324	413	1	UNDMETF	1-6
Provider of free accommodation to couple/lone parent/eldest member of other family	325	414	2	PFRACCF	0-10
*Usual amount of rent/board paid each week by couple/lone parent/any member of other family	326	416	2	RENTREPA	0-12,99
*Total amount of rent/board paid each week by children to usual resident parent	327	418	2	RENTURP	0-12,99
*Total amount of rent/board paid by children (aged 15+) in family	328	420	2	RENTKF	0-12,99
*Total amount of rent/board paid to non usual resident parent(s)	329	422	2	RENTPAR	0-12,99
Usual amount of loan/mortgage repayment paid by couple/lone parent/eldest member of other family	330	424	2	LOANREPA	0-12,99
Whether couple/lone parent/eldest other received accommodation support	331	426	1	WTHCORAS	0-2
Whether couple/lone parent/eldest other received land inheritance	332	427	1	WTHCINHL	0-2
Whether other family members received accommodation support	333	428	1	WTHOFRAS	0-2
Whether other family members received a land inheritance	334	429	1	WTHOINHL	0-2
Whether family members have received free accommodation from usual resident person	335	430	1	WT1FFACU	0-2
Whether family members have received free accommodation from non usual resident person	336	431	1	WT2FFACN	0-2
*Number of children (15+) receiving free accommodation from usual resident parent(s)	337	432	1	NUMKFRUR	0-3
Number of children (15+) receiving free accommodation from non-usual resident parent(s)	338	433	1	NUMKFRNR	0-1
Whether anyone in the family has provided accommodation support				WTHFPACS	0-2
*Number of children in family (aged 15+) paying rent/board	339	434	1	NUMKPRB	0-3
*Number of children in family (aged 15+) paying rent/board to usual resident parent(s)	340	435	1	NUMKPRBU	0-3
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DATA ITEM GROUP : LABOUR FORCE					
Barriers to employment of male partner/one father/eldest member of other family	342	437	2	BARRMP	0-2,4-10
Barriers to employment of female partner/one mother/2nd eldest member of other family	343	439	2	BARRFP	00-10
Number of persons in family who experienced a barrier to employment	344	441	1	NUMPFRB	0-3
Whether persons in family helped usual resident family member look for work/get a job	345	442	1	NUMPWHT	0-2
Number of employed persons (15+) in family	346	443	1	EMP15PL	0-4
*Number of unemployed persons in family (aged 15+)	347	444	1	UNEMP15P	0-3
*Number of persons (15+) not in labour force who would like full/part-time job but not looking for work	348	445	1	FPTP15PL	0-2
Number of persons (15+) in family who could not start work within the week if offered a job	349	446	1	NOST15PL	0-2
*Number of unemployed children (15+) in family	350	447	1	EMPKISPL	0-2
*Number of persons in family (15+) who started new job/apprenticeship/business in last 12 mths	351	448	1	NEWJOB15	0-3
DATA ITEM GROUP : SELF ASSESSMENT MEASURES					
Lowest health status in family	352	449	1	SAMFAM	1-4
*Number of persons in family reporting fair or poor health	353	450	1	NUMFPH	0-3
DATA ITEM GROUP : TRAVEL & TRANSPORT					
Children(s) main forms of transport to school/child care was as a car passenger	354	451	1	TRAPRCHA	1-2
Children(s) main forms of transport to school/child care was public transport	355	452	1	TRAPRCHB	1-2
Children(s) main forms of transport to school/child care was by walking	356	453	1	TRAPRCHC	1-2
Children(s) main forms of transport to school/child care was by bicycle	357	454	1	TRAPRCHD	1-2
Children(s) main forms of transport to school/child care no form of transport needed	358	455	1	TRAPRCHE	1-2

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DATA ITEM GROUP : TRAVEL & TRANSPORT - Continued					
Children(s) main forms of transport to school/child care no children were reported at school.	359	456	1	TRAPRCHF	1-2
Children(s) main forms of transport to school/child care had other than the above forms of transport	360	457	1	TRAPRCHG	1-2
Relationship of driver to parent of child(ren) driven to school/child care last 6 mths	361	458	2	MTRPRCHH	0-7,9-10
Usual resident status of main driver of child(ren) to school/child care last 6 mths	362	460	1	MTRPURST	0-2
Highest level of difficulty transporting child(ren) to school/child care last 6 mths	363	461	1	DIFVACH	0-4
Whether person 17+ provided regular transport to ill/disabled/aged usual resident family member last	364	462	1	NUMPTUR	0-2
Whether person 17+ provided regular transport to ill/disabled/aged non usual resident family member	365	463	1	NUMPTINUR	0-2
Highest level of difficulty providing regular transport to ill/disabled/aged family member	366	464	1	DIFCTTRAN	0-4
Number of persons in family whose main form of transport to work is as a car/motor cycle driver	367	465	1	NUMCAR	0-4
Number of persons in family whose main form of transport to work is public transport	368	466	1	NUMPASS	0-2
*Number of persons in family whose main form of transport to work is other than car/public transport	369	467	1	NUMPTTRAN	0-2
Whether person in family regularly drives a non usual resident family member to work	370	468	1	NUMDINURW	0-2
Highest level of difficulty currently experienced transporting sick/disabled/aged family members	371	469	1	NUMMDURW	0-2
*Number of persons currently finding it difficult transporting sick/disabled/aged family members	372	470	1	DIFCTRAC	0-4
*Number of persons found it difficult to transport sick/disabled/aged family members last 6 mths	373	471	1	NUMDIFVC	0-2
	374	472	1	NUMMDIFVE	0-2
	375	473	1	NUMMDIFVE	0-2

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<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : TRAVEL &amp; TRANSPORT - Continued</b>					
Whether person 17+ still transports ill/disabled/aged usual resident family member who received it	376	474	1	NUPRTRUR	0-2
Whether person 17+ still transports ill/disabled/aged non usual resident family member who received it	377	475	1	NUPRTNUR	0-2
Relationship to parent of person who walked child(ren) to school/child care last 6 mths	378	476	2	ACHISCH	0-7,9,10
Usual resident status of main person who accompanies walking child(ren) to school/child care last 6 whether child(ren) accompanied by adult when walking to school/child care last 6 mths	379	478	1	ACHURST	0-2
Time taken for male partner/one father/eldest member of other family to travel to work	380	479	1	WWALKACC	0-2
Time taken for female partner/one mother/2nd eldest member of other family to travel to work	381	480	1	TMTTRMP	0-6
Work travel arrangements of male partner/one father/eldest member of other family	382	481	1	TMTTRFP	0-6
Work travel arrangements of female partner/one mother/2nd eldest member of other family	383	482	2	WTRMP	0-10
Longest time taken for usual resident child(ren)/any member of other family to travel to work	384	484	2	WTRFP	0-10
DATA ITEM GROUP : WEIGHIS	385	486	1	LTMFK	0-6
Weight families unadjusted	386	487	8	WTFF	0-99999999

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DATA ITEM GROUP : FILLERS					
FILLER 401	1	1	4	FILL401	
DATA ITEM GROUP : IDENTIFYING ITEMS					
Personal random identifier	2	5	6	RANDOMID	0-999999
Family number in family	3	11	1	FAMNO	1-5
Unit number	4	12	1	UNO	1-6
Person number	5	13	2	PNO	01-06,21-27
Person record identifier	6	15	1	DP	4
DATA ITEM GROUP : EDUCATION					
Student status	7	16	1	STUDSTA	0-4
Whether studied full-time in 1991	8	17	1	STUD91	0-2
Type of educational institution attending	9	18	1	TEDUINS	0-4
Post school qualifications	10	19	1	POSCHQUL	0-5
Age left school	11	20	1	AGELESCH	0-7
Reason for not studying too old	12	21	2	RENOSTDA	1-2
Reason for not studying can't afford to stop working	13	23	2	RENOSTDB	1-2
Reason for not studying can't afford education costs	14	25	2	RENOSTDC	1-2
Reason for not studying caring for children	15	27	2	RENOSIDD	1-2
Reason for not studying caring for sick, disabled or elderly family members	16	29	2	RENOSTDE	1-2
Reason for not studying other domestic or family responsibilities	17	31	2	RENOSTDF	1-2
Reason for not studying own ill health or disability	18	33	2	RENOSIDG	1-2
Reason for not studying business or work hours	19	35	2	RENOSIDH	1-2
Reason for not studying education facilities/courses/places not available	20	37	2	RENOSTDI	1-2
Reason for not studying completed studies in last 6 months	21	39	2	RENOSTDJ	1-2
Reason for not studying no particular reason	22	41	2	RENOSTDK	1-2
Reason for not studying other than above reasons	23	43	2	RENOSTDL	1-2
DATA ITEM GROUP : HOUSING HISTORY	24	45	2	LTYP	0-14
*Landlord type					

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DATA ITEM GROUP : ACCOMMODATION					
*Usual amount of weekly rent/board paid by unpartnered persons	25	47	2	RENT	0-12,99
*Usual amount of weekly loan/mortgage repayment by unpartnered persons	26	49	2	MORT	0-12,99
DATA ITEM GROUP : EDUCATION					
Main provider of education expenses last 6 months	27	51	2	REEDSUOR	0-11,99
Usual resident status of main provider of education expenses last 6 months	28	53	1	REEDURST	0-2,9
Level of difficulty paying own education expenses	29	54	1	CDPYOC	00-04,9
Whether wanted to study in last 6 months	30	55	1	BAREDSUP	0-2
Whether pays own education expenses	31	56	1	WPAYOWN	0-3
DATA ITEM GROUP : LABOUR FORCE					
*Status of worker	32	57	1	S1OW	0-5
Employment status	33	58	1	EMPSTAT	0-3
Full-time/part-time status	34	59	1	FTPTST	0-2
Whether started new job/apprenticeship/business in last 12 months	35	60	1	WHNEWJOB	0-2
Whether looked only for part-time job in last 4 weeks	36	61	1	WHLKPTJ	0-2
Whether looked for full-time job in last 4 weeks	37	62	1	WHLKFTJ	0-2
Whether multiple job holder	38	63	1	MONEJOB	0-2
Business status	39	64	1	BUSSTAT	0-2
Although not looking for work whether wanted full/part-time job	40	65	1	WHWFUOPA	0-2
*Main occupation	41	66	1	MAINOCC	0-8
*Hours worked per week (all jobs)	42	67	1	WHOURS	0-7
Time since last full/part-time job	43	68	1	LTSILJOB	0-8
Main reason not looked for work last 4 weeks	44	69	2	RESNOSWO	00-10
Whether experienced a barrier to employment	45	71	1	WHEMPBAR	0-2
Whether provided family member with help to look for work/get a job	46	72	1	WRESHELW	0-2
Whether received help from any person or organisation to get new job in last 12 mths	47	73	1	RECSUPRE	0-3
Main provider of help to get job	48	74	2	MAINSUPR	00-15
Usual resident status of main provider of help to get job	49	76	1	MAINURS	0-2

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<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : LABOUR FORCE - Continued</b>					
Whether received help from any person or organisation to look for work last 12 months	50	77	1	MAIFSUPR	0-3
Main provider of support to look for work	51	78	2	MAINPSRF	00-15
Usual resident status of main provider of support to look for work	52	80	1	MPROURST	0-2
Main recipient family member of help to look for work/get a job, apprenticeship or business	53	81	2	RELFAMRH	0-12
Usual resident status of main recipient family member of help to look for work/get a job/apprentice	54	83	1	MRHLURST	0-2
Whether could start work within one week if offered a job	55	84	1	WHSTIOWE	0-2
Main reason would not be able to start work within one week if offered a job	56	85	1	RESNOW	0-8
Level of difficulty managing work and caring for child(ren)	57	86	1	DFWORFA	0-5
Main difficulty experienced managing work and caring for child(ren)	58	87	1	WFAMRSD	0-8
Main difficulty managing work and personal care for ill/disabled/aged family member	59	88	1	WFRDISA	0-5
Level of difficulty managing work and current personal care for ill/disabled/aged family member	60	89	1	CDWOFAM	00-04
Level of difficulty managing work and personal care for ill/disabled/aged family member last 6 mths	61	90	1	PDWOFAM	0-5
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : PERSON DESCRIPTION</b>					
Sex	62	91	1	SEX	1-2
*Age	63	92	2	YEARAGE	01-16
Current marital status	64	94	1	CMARRST	1-7
Duration of residence in Australia	65	95	1	DURESAUS	1-6
*Relationship to household reference person	66	96	1	RELHOPER	1-8
*Relationship to family reference person	67	97	1	RELFAMRE	1-8
Relationship to male parent	68	98	1	RELMMPAR	1-3,9
Relationship to female parent	69	99	1	RELFMPAR	1-3,9
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : FAMILY DESCRIPTION</b>					
*Number of non usual resident step-fathers	70	100	1	SEALIRH	0-1
Number of non usual resident fathers	71	101	1	FAILIRH	0-1

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DATA ITEM GROUP : FAMILY DESCRIPTION - Continued					
*Number of non usual resident step-mothers	72	102	1	STPLIRJ	0-1
Number of non usual resident mothers	73	103	1	MOTLIRH	0-1
*Number of non usual resident sons	74	104	1	SONLIRH	0-1
*Number of non usual resident step-daughters	75	105	1	SDALIRHO	0-1
*Number of non usual resident daughters	76	106	1	DAULRHO	0-1
*Number of non usual resident step-sons	77	107	1	STSOLRHO	0-1
Position in family/household	78	108	2	POINHOUS	00-13
Whether has non usual resident parent(s)/step-parent(s)	79	110	2	WNURPS	0-16
Whether private interview	80	112	1	WPRIVINT	0-2
*Number of non usual resident children or step-children	81	113	1	NUMNURK	0-1
DATA ITEM GROUP : PERSON DESCRIPTION					
*Birthplace of father	82	114	2	BRTPLFA	01-19,99
*Birthplace of mother	83	116	2	BRTPLMO	01-19,99
DATA ITEM GROUP : HOUSING HISTORY					
*Number of times changed usual address since 1/1/87	84	118	1	NUTICHRE	0-4
Main reason moved from last usual residence	85	119	2	REMOVRE	0-15
*Year started living at current address	86	121	1	DALICUAD	00-07
DATA ITEM GROUP : INCOME					
Principal source of personal income	87	122	1	PRINCSI	0-7
*Total gross weekly income	88	123	2	AMGRWEIN	1-12
*Gross weekly income from wages and salary	89	125	2	AMGRWWS	01-11
*Gross weekly income from own business/partnership	90	127	2	AMGRWOBS	01-10
*Gross weekly income from government pensions/benefits	91	129	2	AMGRWGCB	01-11
*Gross weekly income from investments	92	131	2	AMGRWINV	0-11
*Gross weekly income from other sources	93	133	2	AMGRWOTH	01-11
Source of usual gross weekly personal income wages or salary from an employer	94	135	2	SGRWINA	1-2
Source of usual gross weekly personal income wages or salary from own limited liability company	95	137	2	SGRWINB	1-2

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DATA ITEM GROUP : INCOME - Continued					
Source of usual gross weekly personal income family allowance/child endowment	96	139	2	SGRWINC	1-2
Source of usual gross weekly personal income family allowance supplement	97	141	2	SGRWIND	1-2
Source of usual gross weekly personal income other government pension or benefit	98	143	2	SGRWIN	1-2
Source of usual gross weekly personal income own business or share in partnership	99	145	2	SGRWINF	1-2
Source of usual gross weekly personal income rent from investment properties	100	147	2	SGRWING	1-2
Source of usual gross weekly personal income dividends	101	149	2	SGRWINH	1-2
Source of usual gross weekly personal income interest	102	151	2	SGRWINT	1-2
Source of usual gross weekly personal income maintenance or child support	103	153	2	SGRWINJ	1-2
Source of usual gross weekly personal income superannuation	104	155	2	SGRWINK	1-2
Source of usual gross weekly personal income workers compensation/accident or sickness insurance	105	157	2	SGRWINL	1-2
Source of usual gross weekly personal income other regular sources	106	159	2	SGRWIM	1-2
Source of usual gross weekly personal income no income	107	161	2	SGRWINN	1-2
Type of government pension/benefit received	108	163	2	IGOVBERA	1-2
Austudy/Absstudy type of government pension/benefit received	109	165	2	TGOVBERB	1-2
Disability pension/War Widow's pension type of government pension/benefit received	110	167	2	TGOVBERC	1-2
Child Disability Allowance type of government pension/benefit received	111	169	2	TGOVBERD	1-2
Overseas Pension/benefit type of government pension/benefit received	112	171	2	TGOVBERE	1-2
Other than above the type of government pension/benefit received	113	173	2	TGOVBERF	1-2
*Percentage of income from government pensions/benefits	114	175	2	PINCGCB	0-100
Level of difficulty paying bills/loan repayments	115	177	1	CDIFREPY	00-04
Whether provided income support to any family member in last 12 months	116	178	1	PROSUTNC	0-2
Whether received income support from any non usual resident family member in last 12 months	117	179	1	REINCSUP	0-2
Main recipient of income support	118	180	2	INCRECRE	00-17

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Field Label	Field Number	Start Position	Length (Bytes)	Field Name	Range of Codes
DATA ITEM GROUP : INCOME - Continued					
Usual resident status of main recipient of income support	119	182	1	INCRURST	0-3
Main provider of income support	120	183	2	RELFPSUP	0-18
Gift of large sum of money (over \$200) kind of income support provided	121	186	1	KNSRECA	1-2
Gift of household item kind of income support provided	122	187	1	KNSRECB	1-2
Gift of motor vehicle kind of income support provided	123	188	1	KNSRECC	1-2
Regular financial assistance (over \$30) kind of income support provided	124	189	1	KNSRECD	1-2
Gift of food or clothing (over \$200) kind of income support provided	125	185	1	KNSRECE	1-2
Gift of shares, stocks or money in trust kind of income support provided	126	190	1	KNSRECF	1-2
Payment of bills, rental or loan repayments kind of income support provided	127	191	1	KNSRECG	1-2
Gift of household item kind of income support received	128	192	1	KNCSUPA	1-2
Gift of household item kind of income support received	129	193	1	KNCSUPB	1-2
Gift of motor vehicle kind of income support received	130	194	1	KNCSUPC	1-7
Regular financial assistance (over \$30) kind of income support received	131	195	1	KNCSUPD	1-7
Gift of food or clothing (over \$200) kind of income support received	132	196	1	KNCSUPE	1-7
Gift of shares, stocks or money in trust kind of income support received	133	197	1	KNCSUPF	1-2
Payment of bills, rental or loan repayments kind of income support received	134	198	1	KNCSUPG	1-2
Whether provides maintenance/child support	135	199	1	WSUPREC	0-2
Main provider of monetary inheritance	136	200	2	WINHREC	0-10
Whether received monetary inheritance (\$10000+) from family member in last 10 years	137	202	1	WRECMNH	0-2
*Gross weekly earned income	138	203	2	AMGRWEI	1-12
DATA ITEM GROUP : MARITAL HISTORY					
Whether registered married more than once	139	205	1	WMARMON	0-2
Reason last registered marriage ended	140	206	1	RMARREND	0-2

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DATA ITEM GROUP : MARITAL HISTORY - Continued					
*Year commenced first registered marriage	141	207	1	YYMARY	0-7
*Year commenced most recent marriage	142	208	1	YYCOMMAR	0-8
*Year started living with current partner	143	209	1	YYCURSP	0-7
*Year started living with most recent partner	144	210	1	YYRLMPAR	0-7
*Year of separation from/death of most recent registered marriage partner	145	211	1	YYSDMPA	0-7
DATA ITEM GROUP : LANGUAGE					
English language capacity	146	212	1	LANGPROF	0-5
DATA ITEM GROUP : DWELLING DETAILS					
Nature of occupancy	147	213	1	NATOCCP	0-6
DATA ITEM GROUP : MARITAL HISTORY					
Whether cohabited before registered marriage	148	214	1	COHABIT	0-2
*Length of cohabitation before marriage	149	215	1	LCOHABIT	0-999
DATA ITEM GROUP : PERSON DESCRIPTION					
*Country of birth	150	216	2	BIRTHPL	01-19,99
DATA ITEM GROUP : ACCOMMODATION					
Provider of free accommodation	151	218	2	FREACCOM	00-12
Whether received accommodation inheritance	152	220	1	REFOACCM	0-2
Whether provided accommodation support to non usual resident child(ren)	153	221	1	PRSUPACC	0-2
Relationship of main child recipient of accommodation support	154	222	1	REREPACC	0-3
A loan of money for a home, land, home deposit, mortgage or large home improvement the kind of accommodation support provided	155	223	1	KIACCREA	1-3
A gift of money for a home, land, home deposit, mortgage or large home improvement the kind of accommodation support provided	156	224	1	KIACCREB	1-3
A gift of land, house, other residence or large home improvement kind of accommodation support provided	157	225	1	KIACCREC	1-3
*Main provider of accommodation inheritance	158	226	2	RERESAC	0-04

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DATA ITEM GROUP : ACCOMMODATION - Continued					
A loan of money for a home, land, home deposit, mortgage or large home improvement the kind of accommodation support received	159	228	1	KIRESACA	1-3
A gift of money for a home, land, home deposit, mortgage or large home improvement the kind of accommodation support received	160	229	1	KIRESACB	1-3
A gift of land, house, other residence or large home improvement kind of accommodation support received	161	230	1	KIRESACC	1-3
Whether received accommodation support	162	231	1	PCARTA	0-2
Main provider of accommodation support	163	232	2	MRRESPSU	00-16
Usual resident status of main provider of accommodation support	164	234	1	MRREURST	0-2
DATA ITEM GROUP : ASSISTANCE					
Level of difficulty providing personal care currently	165	235	1	CDHOMHRE	0-4
Level of difficulty providing personal care last 6 months	166	236	1	PDHOMHRE	0-4
Meals the kind of personal care provided	167	237	1	KIHOMHRA	1-2
Housework the kind of personal care provided	168	238	1	KIHOMHRB	1-2
House repairs/Maintenance the kind of personal care provided	169	239	1	KIHOMHRC	1-2
Personal care the kind of personal care provided	170	240	1	KIHOMHRD	1-2
General Nursing care the kind of personal care provided	171	241	1	KIHOMHRE	1-2
Whether provides personal care currently	172	242	1	WHEPRMF	0-2
Main provider of personal care to respondent last 6 months	173	243	2	MPRPEHEL	0-16
Usual resident status of main provider of personal care to respondent last 6 months	174	245	1	MPRPURST	0-2
Whether received personal care last 6 months but did not receive any (unmet)	175	246	1	PEHOMHRE	0-3
Meals the kind of personal care received last 6 months	176	247	1	NEHOPEHE	0-3
Housework the kind of personal care received last 6 months	177	248	1	KIHOMHEA	1-2
House repairs/Maintenance the kind of personal care received last 6 months	178	249	1	KIHOMHEB	1-2
Personal care the kind of personal care received last 6 months	179	250	1	KIHOMHEC	1-2
General Nursing care the kind of personal care received last 6 months	180	251	1	KIHOMHED	1-2
	181	252	1	KIHOMHEF	

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<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : ASSISTANCE - Continued</b>					
Number of family members helped with personal care last 6 months	182	253	1	NUPHHERE	0-4
Main recipient of personal care last 6 months	183	254	2	REPHHERE	0-13
Usual resident status of family member who received personal care last 6 months	184	256	1	REPHURST	0-2
Whether provided personal care to any family member last 6 months	185	257	1	PHOMERES	0-3
Needs more personal care from UR family members	186	258	1	MOHOMFHA	1-2
Needs more personal care from non-UR family members	187	259	1	MOHOMFB	1-2
Needs more personal care from friends/neighbours	188	260	1	MOHOMFBC	1-2
Needs more personal care from government or voluntary service	189	261	1	MOHOMFED	1-2
Needs more personal care from any other person	190	262	1	MOHOMFFE	1-2
Needs more personal care from none of the above	191	263	1	MOHOMFFF	1-2
Whether more personal care required than received (undermet)	192	264	1	MOHOFILE	0-2
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : INFORMAL CHILD CARE ITEMS</b>					
Son the non usual resident receiver (0-11) of provided informal child care	193	265	1	RERESINA	1-2
Daughter the non usual resident receiver (0-11) of provided informal child care	194	266	1	RERESINB	1-2
Grandson the non usual resident receiver (0-11) of provided informal child care	195	267	1	RERESINC	1-2
Granddaughter the non usual resident receiver (0-11) of provided informal child care	196	268	1	RERESIND	1-2
Other male family member the non usual resident receiver (0-11) of provided informal child care	197	269	1	RERESINE	1-2
Other female family member the non usual resident receiver (0-11) of provided informal child care	198	270	1	RERESINF	1-2
Whether provides informal child care to non usual resident family member (0-11) currently	199	271	1	WSPINCAR	0-2
Whether usually provides weekly informal child care to non usual resident family member (0-11) week	200	272	1	INCAPRRE	0-2

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<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : CHILDREN</b>					
*Age of first non ur child	201	273	2	ACHLARHO	01-08
Relationship of first non ur child	202	275	1	RCHLARHO	0-2
Sex of first non ur child	203	276	1	SCHLARHO	0-2
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : INCOME</b>					
Whether currently pays maintenance for first non ur child	204	277	1	NACRCMMA	0-2
*Age of second non ur child	205	278	2	ACHLBRRHO	01-08
Relationship of second non ur child	206	280	1	RCHLBRRHO	0-2
Sex of second non ur child	207	281	1	SCHLBRRHO	0-2
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : CHILDREN</b>					
Whether currently pays maintenance for second non ur child	208	282	1	NCHRCMBAB	0-2
*Age of third non ur child	209	283	2	ACHLCRHO	01-08
Relationship of third non ur child	210	285	1	RCHLCRHO	0-2
Sex of third non ur child	211	286	1	SCHLCRHO	0-2
<b>DATA ^ ITEM GROUP : INCOME</b>					
Whether currently pays maintenance for third non ur child	212	287	1	NCHRCMAC	0-2
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : CHILDREN</b>					
*Age of third non ur child	213	288	2	ACILDRHO	01-08
Relationship of third non ur child	214	290	1	RCHLDRHO	0-2
Sex of third non ur child	215	291	1	SCHLDRHO	0-2
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : INCOME</b>					
Whether currently pays maintenance for third non ur child	216	292	1	NCHRCMAD	0-2
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : CHILDREN</b>					
*Age of fifth non ur child	217	293	2	ACHLERHO	01-08
Relationship of fifth non ur child	218	295	1	RCHLERHO	0-2
Sex of fifth non ur child	219	296	1	SCHLERHO	0-2
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : INCOME</b>					
Whether currently pays maintenance for fifth non ur child	220	297	1	NCHRCMAE	0-2

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DATA ITEM GROUP : CHILDREN					
*Age of sixth non ur child	221	298	2	ACHLFRHO	01-08
Relationship of sixth non ur child	222	300	1	RCHLFRHO	0-2
Sex of sixth non ur child	223	301	1	SCHLFRHO	0-2
DATA ITEM GROUP : INCOME					
Whether currently pays maintenance for sixth non ur child	224	302	1	NCHRCMAF	0-2
DATA ITEM GROUP : CHILDREN					
*Age of seventh non ur child	225	303	2	ACHLGRHO	01-08
Relationship of seventh non ur child	226	305	1	RCHLGRHO	0-2
Sex of seventh non ur child	227	306	1	SCHLGRHO	0-2
DATA ITEM GROUP : INCOME					
Whether currently pays maintenance for seventh non ur child	228	307	1	NCHRCMAG	0-2
DATA ITEM GROUP : CHILDREN					
*Age of eighth non ur child	229	308	2	ACHLHRHO	01-08
Relationship of eighth non ur child	230	310	1	RCHLHRHO	0-2
Sex of eighth non ur child	231	311	1	SCHLHRHO	0-2
DATA ITEM GROUP : INCOME					
Whether currently pays maintenance for eighth non ur child	232	312	1	NCHRCMAH	0-2
DATA ITEM GROUP : INFORMAL CHILDCARE ITEMS					
Whether provided informal child care to non usual resident family member (0-11) last 6 months	233	313	1	PROINCAR	0-2
*Hours of informal child care provided to non usual resident family member(s) (0-11) each week	234	314	1	HCAPIRES	0-99
Circumstances for non-weekly informal child care provided to non usual resident family member(s) are to allow parents to attend social events	235	315	1	WCARPA	1-9
Circumstances for non-weekly informal child care provided to non usual resident family member(s) when other carers not available	236	316	1	WCARPB	1-9
Circumstances for non-weekly informal child care provided to non usual resident family member(s) occasional periods of intended care	237	317	1	WCARPC	1-9

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DATA ITEM GROUP : INFORMAL CHILDCARE ITEMS - Continued					
Circumstances for non-weekly informal child care provided to non usual resident family member(s) when children are sick	238	318	1	WCARPD	1-9
Circumstances for non-weekly informal child care provided to non usual resident family member(s) school holidays	239	319	1	WCARPE	1-9
Circumstances for non-weekly informal child care provided to non usual resident family member(s) on weekends	240	320	1	WCARPF	1-9
Circumstances for non-weekly informal child care provided to non usual resident family member(s) help irregular/no set pattern/does not usually help	241	321	1	WCARPO	1-9
Circumstances for non-weekly informal child care provided to non usual resident family member(s) access reasons	242	322	1	WCARPH	1-9
Circumstances for non-weekly informal child care provided to non usual resident family member(s) other than the above reasons	243	323	1	WCARPI	1-9
DATA ITEM GROUP : SELF ASSESSMENT MEASURES					
Self-assessed health status	244	324	1	HEALTH	0-4
DATA ITEM GROUP : SEQUENCE GUIDES					
Whether lives with a parent	245	325	1	SG404	1-4
DATA ITEM GROUP : TRAVEL & TRANSPORT					
Main form of transport to work	246	326	2	TRANWORK	0-10
Level of difficulty managing transport of 0-11 year old child(ren) to school/child car	247	328	1	DTFTRACH	0-4
Usual time taken to travel to work using main form of transport last 6 mths	248	329	1	TMTTRWO	0-6
Whether provided regular transport to work to family member(s) last 6 mths	249	330	1	WHETRAWO	0-2
Family member(s) last 6 mths	250	331	2	TRAPRODI	0-2
Level of difficulty currently transporting ill/disabled/aged family member	251	333	1	DIFPROT	0-4
Level of difficulty transporting ill/disabled/aged family members last 6 month	252	334	1	DIFDPROT	0-4
Main recipient of regular transport to work last 6 mths	253	335	2	RELRESTR	0-10

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<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : TRAVEL &amp; TRANSPORT - Continued</b>					
Usual resident status of main recipient of regular transport to work last 6 months	254	337	1	RERLURST	0-3
Main recipient of regular transport for ill/disabled/aged family members last 6 months	255	338	2	RELDPROT	0-13
Usual resident status of main family member receiving regular transport for ill/disabled/aged last	256	340	1	RELURST	0-2
Whether still provides transport for ill/disabled/aged family member who received it last 6 months	257	341	1	RELDPRO	0-2
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : WEIGHTS</b>					
Weight persons unadj	258	342	8	WTIP	0-99999999
<b>DATA ITEM GROUP : CHILDREN</b>					
*Number of children born alive	259	350	1	CHILDBLV	00-08,99

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**APPENDIX D**  
**LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS**

Where there is insufficient space to describe the table population on the print-out, the following abbreviations for words and phrases are used. A full description of each population is set out in the enclosed booklets, *Family Level Variables*, *Person Level Variables* and *Household Level Variables* under subject headings.

ACCOMM	accommodation
AGE (examples)	
15+	aged 15 and over
60+	aged 60 and over
0-11	aged 0 to 11 years
15-24	aged 15 to 24 years
ATT	attends, attended
ATT6	attended over the last 6 months
B/C	because of
BUYHSE	to purchase a dwelling
C/CARE	childcare
C/CARE6	childcare over the last 6 months
CAR/MC	car driver or motorcycle rider
CHILD	child, children
CPLE	each couple, couple, couples
CURR	current, currently
DEFACTO	who lives (lived) in a defacto relationship
DIFF	who states that it is difficult to (manage)
DIFP/CODE(E)	who has a different postcode of last usual residence from at least one parent and commenced living at current address since 1 January 1987
DIFP/CODE (Y)	each of whom has a different postcode of last usual residence from at least one parent and commenced living at current address since 1 January 1987
DISAB	a disability, has a disability
DRIV/RIDE6	is/was mainly transported by car or motorcycle over the last 6 months to
- EDUC	education, education institution
EITHPAR	either parent
ELDFEM	female partner in couple family, mother in lone mother family and/or eldest female in 'other' family
ELDMAL	male partner in couple family, father in lone father family, and/or eldest male in 'other' family
EMP	who is employed, employment
EXCL	excluding (those who), except (those who)
FAMILY (FAM)	each family, each family containing, family, families where, families with
FEM (F)	female
FML	formal, formally
FT	full-time
GETJOB	to get a job, position, apprenticeship or business opportunity
GOVT PENS/BEN	government pension or benefit
INF	informal
INHERIT	where any member received an (accommodation) inheritance
\$ INHERIT	where any member received a monetary inheritance
LAST	the last, over the last, the previous
LEAST1	at least one
LEAST2	at least two
LIKEJOB	who would like a job, position, apprenticeship or business opportunity
LIVE SINC87	commenced living at their current address since 1 January 1987
LONEFATH	lone father
LONEMOTH	lone mother

LONEPAR	lone parent
LOOKWORK	who looked for work, to look for work or an apprenticeship or business opportunity
LT	long-term
LTILDAGE	long-term illness and/or disability and/or old age
MAL (M)	male
M/STAT	(whose current )marital status (is)
MARR	married
MAIN MEM	family member needing the most help
MAINTRANSP	whose main form of transport is
MEM, MEMBER	any family member
MORTG	mortgage
MTNCE	maintenance
MTH	month
NAWK	and who would not be able to start work within the next week
NILF	who is not in the labour force
NON-UR	not usually resident (in household)
NOT EMP	who is not employed
NOTATT	does not attend, did not attend
NOTPAY	(who) does not pay, is not making repayments, did not pay
NOTWKLY	but does not usually provide it each week
OTH	other
OWNBUS/PSHIP	own business and/or share in a partnership
PAY	(who) pays, is making repayments, paid
PAYEXP	(who) paid expenses for (education, accommodation)
PAYEXP6	paid expenses in the last 6 months
PERS	each person, person, persons
PC/HH	personal care and/or home help because of long-term illness, disability or old age
P/UNABLE	who is permanently unable to work
PROV	who provides, provided, to provide
PROV6	who provided over the last 6 months
PT	part-time
R/B	rent/board
REC	who receives, received, to receive
REC6	who received over the last 6 months
REGIST	registered
SCHL	schooling, school
S/EDUC	(in) secondary education
SEP/DIV/WID	whose current marital status is separated, divorced or widowed
6MTHS	6 months
STARTJOB	(has) started a new job, position, apprenticeship or business (in the last 12 mths)
STUDYFT	studying full-time (currently)
STUDYPT	studying part-time (currently)
TAFE	technical and further education (institution), institute of technology (studies), technical college
10YRS	ten years
T/EDUC	(in) tertiary aduacation
TRANSP	regular transport because of long-term illness, disability or old age
UNEMP	(who is) unemployed
UNI	university
UR	usually resident (in household), a usual resident
USLY	usually
V/DIFF	states that it is very difficult to (manage)
WANT6	but has wanted to study at some time over the last 6 months

WASHHELP  
WK  
WKLY  
WITH  
WORKHOME      (who) was helped (to)  
                  week  
                  each week, weekly  
                  containing, in which  
                  works from home

**APPENDIX E**  
**UNIT RECORD FILE ORDER FORMS**

**A guide to completing magnetic tape or floppy disk order forms**

Form FAM92/1 is used for ordering the Survey of Families in Australia unit record file on magnetic tape or floppy disk and should be completed with the assistance of someone with technical knowledge of the computer system used to process the files. You are required to sign the order form (FAM92/1), which contains details of the files and your tape labelling requirements etc.

2. You must also ensure that the Undertaking (FAM92/2) made in pursuance of subclause 7(1) under the Census and Statistics Act 1905, in which you undertake to use the data on the files for statistical purposes only, is signed by someone authorised to sign legal documents on behalf of your organisation and that a copy is retained by your organisation. Please ensure that the name of your organisation and the date of your request are provided. No orders will be processed unless the order form and Undertaking are fully completed and signed.

3. There are two pricing levels associated with the files: one for 'secondary providers' of ABS data, the second for other users. The term 'secondary provider' applies to any person or organisation obtaining standard products on magnetic tape or floppy disk, or on any media from ABS special data base interrogation services or special computer based services, and who then sells products to a third party where the major component of such products is statistical data obtained from the ABS. Persons or organisations preparing consultant or research reports that rely on ABS data are not regarded as secondary providers where research and analysis is the major component of the reports.

4. The current pricing levels for the unit record file can be obtained by contacting the nearest ABS office. ABS contact details for each State are given in Appendix G. Prices include freight and handling charges to a destination within Australia. Overseas customers are required to pay the appropriate freight charge.

5. ABS will initialise all magnetic tapes in its Tape Management System with the details specified by the user on the order form. Labelled tapes will be allocated a volume serial (VSN) by the ABS. If you are unable to accept an ABS supplied VSN, please contact the Data Base Administrator on Canberra (06) 252 6526.

**Conditions of sale or lease of ABS proprietary products**

*Client's order*

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7. The following conditions apply:

(a) The client acknowledges that ABS proprietary products are special, valuable and unique products in which the Commonwealth holds copyright. The Client agrees not to disclose to any third party any information, including specifications, drawings, designs, know-how, or details of software (whether of a commercial or technical nature) in the products, without the prior written consent of the Commonwealth and payment of appropriate additional charges (see (d) below).

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- (a) No conditions or warranties, either express or implied, are given or offered for the proprietary products sold or leased pursuant to the Client's order nor does the Commonwealth warrant the suitability of these products for any purpose. The Commonwealth shall not be liable for any damage, injury or loss arising or resulting directly or indirectly from the Client's use of any of these products.
  - (b) Neither the Commonwealth or the ABS nor their servants or agents shall be liable to the Client for any loss or damage arising or resulting directly or indirectly from any statement, information or advice made or given, whether negligently or otherwise, in relation to any product, its compilation or production, or the use to which it is intended to be put and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, any liability for faulty material or inaccuracies in the basic data or the physical condition of the product is expressly negated.
  - (c) Where the data is provided by the ABS on magnetic tape or disk, utmost care will be taken in preparing and handling each tape or disk. However, deterioration may occur between the time the copy and the Client's receipt of the tape or disk. Accordingly, if the tape or disk is unreadable on receipt, and this is reported to the ABS within 28 days of dispatch, it will be recopied free of charge. As an added precaution you are advised to take at least one security copy of the tape or disk on receipt.

*Limitation of liability of the Commonwealth*

The liability of the Commonwealth in respect of any damage, injury or loss suffered from the use of any of the proprietary products shall be limited to:

- (a) the replacement of the product or the supply of an equivalent product; or
- (b) an amount not exceeding \$100 for any claim arising out of or in connection with the relationship established by this Agreement.

*Applicable law*

10. This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the law of the Australian Capital Territory and the parties submit to the jurisdiction of the courts of that Territory.

**Ordering procedure**

- (i) Forward the signed order form (FAM92/1) and the Undertaking (FAM92/2) with your crossed cheque or credit card number for the appropriate amount to:

The Australian Bureau of Statistics  
PO Box 10  
BELCONNEN ACT 2616

Telephone (06) 252 6093

- (ii) Make all cheques payable to The Collector of Public Monies.

**Further information**

11. If you have any queries about this service, please telephone or write to:

The Director  
Welfare Statistics Section  
The Australian Bureau of Statistics  
PO Box 10  
BELCONNEN ACT 2616

Telephone (06) 252 6316

## CLAUSE 7, STATUTORY RULES 1983, NO. 19

### **Disclosure of unidentified information**

7(1) Information in the form of individual records may, with the approval in writing of the Statistician, be disclosed where-

- (a) all identifying information such as name and address has been removed;
- (b) the information is not likely to enable the identification of a particular person or organisation to which it relates; and
- (c) the Statistician has been given a relevant undertaking for the purposes of this clause.

(2) A reference in paragraph (1)(c) to a relevant undertaking shall be read as a reference to an undertaking in writing by -

- (a) in the case of information to be disclosed to a person, being an individual - that person;
- (b) in the case of information to be disclosed to an official body - the responsible Minister in relation to, or a responsible officer of, that official body; or
- (c) in the case of information to be disclosed to an organisation other than an official body - a responsible officer of that organisation.

that the information will be used for statistical purposes only.

### **SUBSECTIONS 13(1) AND (2), CENSUS AND STATISTICS ACT 1905**

#### **Release of information**

13(1) Notwithstanding anything in this Act (other than this section), the Minister may, by instrument in writing, make determinations providing for and in relation to the disclosure, with the approval in writing of the Statistician, of information included in a specified class of information furnished in pursuance of this Act.

(2) Without limiting the generality of the sub-section (1), determinations may make provision -

- (a) as to the person to whom the information may be disclosed;
- (b) as to the persons, being the persons from whom the information has been obtained, whose consent is required for the disclosure of the information; and
- (c) specifying terms and conditions subject to which the information may be disclosed, including, but without limiting the generality of the foregoing, terms and conditions as to the requiring of a person to whom the information is, or is to be, disclosed to give an undertaking, in writing with respect to the disclosure of the information by that person, including an undertaking not to disclose any of the information to any person.

### **SECTION 19 (2), CENSUS AND STATISTICS ACT 1905**

(2) A person who contravenes sub-section (1) or fails to comply with an undertaking of the kind referred to in paragraph 13(2)(c) given by him in relation to information disclosed to him in accordance with a determination is guilty of an indictable offence punishable on conviction by a fine not exceeding \$5,000 or imprisonment for a period not exceeding 2 years, or both.

**FAMILY SURVEY OF AUSTRALIA, 1992**  
**FAM92/1 ORDER FORM**

To:  
 The Australian Bureau of Statistics  
 PO Box 10  
 BELCONNEN ACT 2616

- Supply me with the IDS unit record file on magnetic tape/floppy disks\* at the current price. (Current price levels can be obtained from the nearest ABS office. See Appendix G for contact details of ABS offices.)

**2. MAGNETIC TAPE OPTIONS**

I require the following tape formats. (The ABS recommends that you consult with your computer services area to establish your tape options.)

(a) TICK ONE COPYING OPTION	<input type="checkbox"/>	ANSI LABELS AND ASCII CODE SET
	<input type="checkbox"/>	FACOM LABELS and EBCDIC CODE SET
	<input type="checkbox"/>	UNLABELLED and ASCII CODE SET
	<input type="checkbox"/>	UNLABELLED and EBCDIC CODE SET
(b) RECORDING DENSITY	<input type="checkbox"/>	63 RPmm (1600 BPI)
	<input type="checkbox"/>	246 RPmm (6250)
(c) EXPIRY DATE	<input type="checkbox"/>	Permanent protection
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Default 30 day protection
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (YYDDD)
(d) VOLUME SERIAL NUMBER	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes
Can you accept an ABS supplied VSM	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	No	
	ENTER your VSN for VOL 1 label.	

IMPORTANT: Please phone  
 the Data Base Administrator,  
 Canberra, (06) 252 6093  
 before entering your VSN.

**3. DOS FORMATTED FLOPPY DISK OPTIONS**

<input type="checkbox"/>	3 1/2" Double Sided High Density
<input type="checkbox"/>	5 1/4" Double Sided High Density

<b>ABS USE ONLY</b>			
Tape number	VSN	Indent number	Date order received

\*Delete as appropriate

**FAM92/1-continued**

4. Courier the tape(s) to:  
or, phone to arrange collection:

Name.....

Position.....

Organisation.....

Address.....

.....Postcode.....

Telephone (        ).....

5. The order may be collected, in person, from the ABS Inquiry Desk, Wing 5, Chandler Street entrance, Cameron Office, Belconnen, ACT.

6. If we have any technical queries about your order, whom do we contact?

Name.....

Position.....

Telephone (        ).....

7. Are you going to be providing data from this product to other people? If so, you may need to pay our licence fee. Contact Canberra (06) 252 6526 to discuss your options/usage. Then, if the 'secondary provider' applies to you or your organisation, please complete Section A (on page 31). Otherwise, complete Section B (on page 31). For the definition of 'secondary provider' see paragraph 3 of Appendix E on page 27.

8. A crossed cheque (No.....) for \$..... payable to the Collector of Public Moneys is attached.

9. If you prefer to pay by credit card, complete the following:

Bankcard      Mastercard      Visa      for \$.....

Card number: .....

Name on card.....

Expiry date..... Signature.....

Telephone (        )..... Date.....

**SECTION A. (To be completed by secondary providers)**

NOW I,.....  
(Full name and position)

in the .....  
(Name of department or organisation)

HEREBY CONSIDER that I/the Department/the organisation, fit/s into the category of 'secondary provider' as defined in paragraph 3, Appendix E and agree to the Conditions of Sale set out in paragraphs 6 to 10 inclusive of Appendix E.

Date this ..... day of ..... 19 .....

Signature.....

Name of Signatory.....

Position of Signatory.....

**SECTION B. (To be completed by non-secondary providers)**

NOW I,.....  
(Full name and position)

in the .....  
(Name of department or organisation)

HEREBY CONSIDER that I/the Department/the organisation do/does not fit into the category of 'secondary provider' as defined in paragraph 3, Appendix E and I undertake that I/the Department/the organisation will not pass the data on, in any form, to a third party without the prior approval of the ABS, and agree to the Conditions of Sale set out in paragraphs 6 to 10 inclusive of Appendix E.

Date this ..... day of ..... 19 .....

Signature.....

Name of Signatory.....

Position of Signatory.....

**NOTE: THE UNDERTAKING (IDS/2) ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE MUST BE FULLY  
COMPLETED AND RETURNED WITH THIS ORDER FORM.**

**APPENDIX F**  
**THE UNDERTAKING**

**1992 SURVEY OF FAMILIES COSTS AND AMENITIES UNIT RECORD FILE UNDERTAKING  
MADE IN PURSUANCE OF SUB-CLAUSE 7(1) OF THE DETERMINATION UNDER  
THE CENSUS AND STATISTICS ACT 1905 (STATUTORY RULES 1983, NO.19)**

WHEREAS

- (A) Subsection 13(1) of the Census and Statistics Act 1905 ('the Act') provides for the Minister for the time being administering the Act to make by instrument in writing determinations providing for and in relation to the disclosure with the approval in writing of the Australian Statistician ('the Statistician') of information included in the specified class of information furnished in pursuance of the Act;
- (B) On 16 February 1983 the Minister of State for Veterans' Affairs acting for and on behalf of the Treasurer (the latter being the Minister at the time administering the Act) made a determination ('the determination') being No. 19 of Statutory Rules 1983;
- (C) Sub-clause 7(1) of the determination permits upon the terms therein specified disclosure of information, if the statistician has been given an undertaking of the type specified in sub-clause 7(2) of the determination ('undertaking')

NOW I,.....  
(Full name and position)

.....in the .....  
(Name of department or organisation)

HEREBY UNDERTAKE that I/the Department/the organisation, will use the unidentified individual 1992 Survey of Families in Australia records provided by the Australian Statistician for statistical purposes only. (See paragraph 25 on page 2 of this publication for clarification).

Date this ..... day of ..... 19 .....

Signature.....

Name of Signatory.....

Position of Signatory.....

**ABS OFFICE USE ONLY**

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**COLLECTOR OF PUBLIC MONEYS**

Form of Payment.....

Amount.....

Receipt Number.....

Signature..... Date.....

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**SUBJECT AREA**

Contact: The Assistant Director  
Family Survey Subsection  
(06) 252 7030

Approval: Signature.....  
*(Assistant Statistician, Social and Demography Branch)*

Date.....

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**PROCESSING AREA**

Contact: The Assistant Director  
Survey Processing Subsection  
(06) 252 6526

ABS Order Number.....

Tape Number.....

Date Initialised.....

Date Copied.....

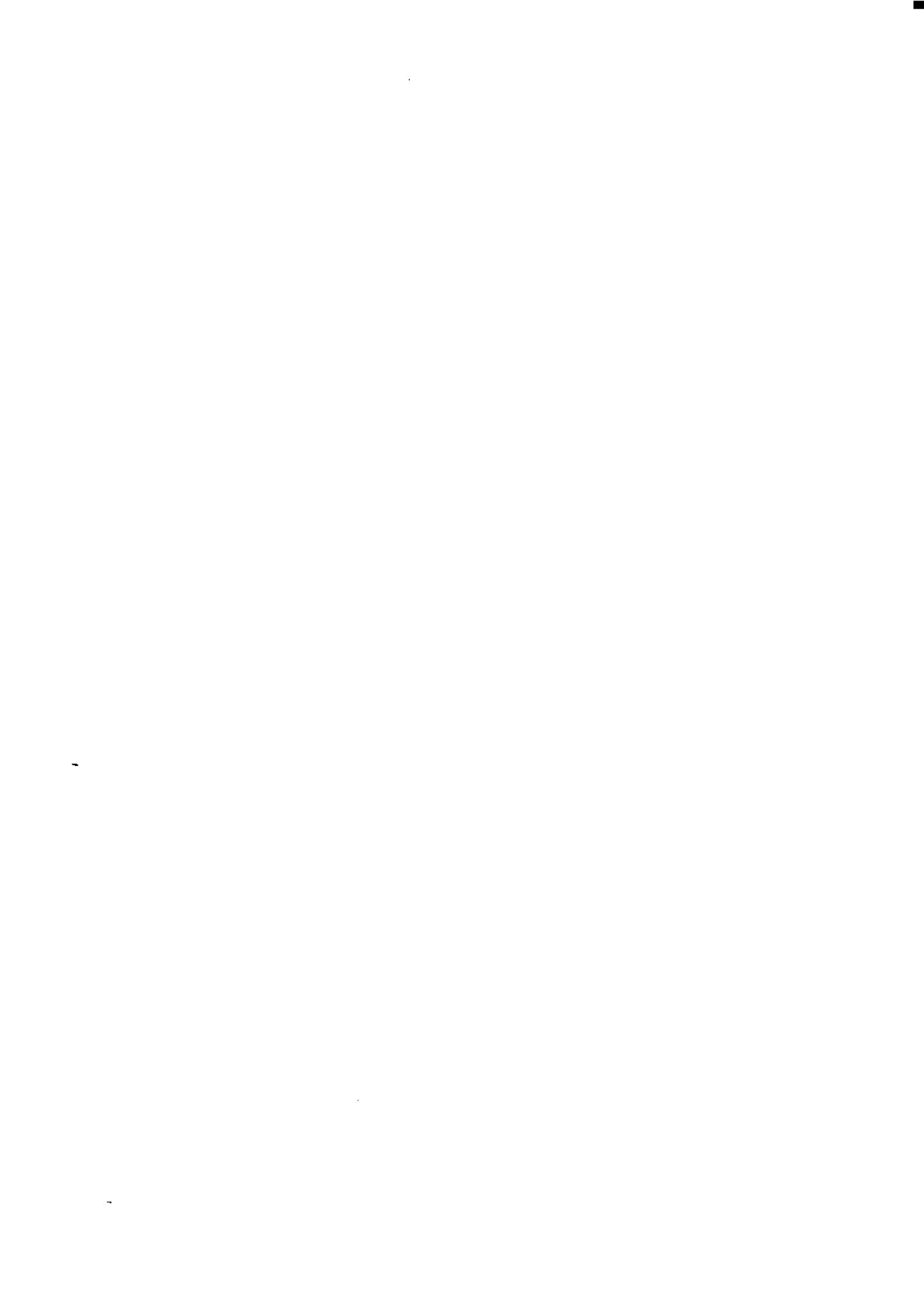
Dispatch: Signature.....  
*(Person handling order)*

Date.....

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0055 86 400

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