

# Malawi - Livelihoods Programme Monitoring Beneficiary Survey 2017

**United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees**

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## Overview

### Identification

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ID NUMBER  
MWI\_2017\_LIS\_v01\_M

### Version

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VERSION DESCRIPTION  
v2.1: Edited, anonymous dataset for public distribution.

PRODUCTION DATE  
2019-07-08

### Overview

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ABSTRACT  
Since 2014, UNHCR has undertaken a comprehensive revision of the framework for monitoring UNHCR Livelihoods and Economic Inclusion programs. Since 2017, mobile data collection (survey) tools have been rolled out globally, including in Malawi. The participating operations conducted a household survey to a sample of beneficiaries of each livelihoods project implemented by UNHCR and its partner. The dataset consists of baseline (87 observations) and endline data (78 observations) from the same sample beneficiaries, in order to compare before and after the project implementation and thus to measure the impact.

KIND OF DATA  
Sample survey data [ssd]

UNITS OF ANALYSIS  
Household

### Scope

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NOTES  
The scope of the quantitative data of this survey includes:

- Identification of the partner and project types
- Basic information of beneficiary household (demographics, etc.)
- Access to livelihoods assets (social, financial, market access, etc.)
- Employment status
- Agriculture production (crop, livestock and fishery)
- Income change
- Savings change

TOPICS

Topic	Vocabulary	URI
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Income Generation		
Agriculture		
Livestock / Animal Husbandry		
Fisheries		
Capacity Building / Training		
Livelihood & Social cohesion		
Solutions		

## KEYWORDS

Livelihoods, Economic inclusion, Agriculture, Self-employment, Wage-employment, Income, Savings, Livelihoods assets

## Coverage

## GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

Dzaleka

## Producers and Sponsors

## PRIMARY INVESTIGATOR(S)

Name	Affiliation
United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees	UNHCR

## Metadata Production

## METADATA PRODUCED BY

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation	Role
United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees	UNHCR		Collection and documentation of records

## DATE OF METADATA PRODUCTION

2021-05-19

## DDI DOCUMENT VERSION

Version 01 (May 2021). This version is identical to UNHCR DDI ID: UNHCR-MWI-2017-LIS-1.2, except the following edits were made:

- DDI ID, study ID and version description
- Specified the archive where the study is originally stored

## DDI DOCUMENT ID

DDI\_MWI\_2017\_LIS\_v01\_M

## Sampling

### Sampling Procedure

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The sample size for this dataset is:

Baseline data : 87

Endline data : 78

Total : 165

The sampling was conducted by each participating operation based on general sampling guidance provided as the following;

- At least 100 randomly selected beneficiaries for each project
- Representativeness of sub-groups (gender, camp, etc.) should be kept as much as possible
- Baseline and endline beneficiaries should be the same

### Deviations from Sample Design

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Some operations may deviate from the sampling guidance due to local constraints such as logistical and security obstacles.

### Response Rate

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Information not available

### Weighting

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No weights were applied during the analysis

# Questionnaires

## Overview

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The survey questionnaire used to collect the survey consists of five sections: Partner Information, General Information on Beneficiary, Access to Agricultural Production Enabled and Enhanced, Access to Self-Employment/ Business Facilitated, and Access to Wage Employment Facilitated.

## Data Collection

### Data Collection Dates

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<b>Start</b>	<b>End</b>	<b>Cycle</b>
2017-01-01	2017-12-31	N/A

### Data Collection Mode

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Computer Assisted Personal Interview [capi]

### Data Collection Notes

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Data was collected through computer-assisted face-to-face interviewing (on tablets)

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### Data Collectors

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<b>Name</b>	<b>Abbreviation</b>	<b>Affiliation</b>
Churches Action in Relief and Development		
United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees	UNHCR	

## Data Processing

### **Data Editing**

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The dataset presented here has undergone light checking, cleaning, harmonisation of localised information, and restructuring (data may still contain errors) as well as anonymization (includes removal of direct identifiers and sensitive variables, and grouping values of select variables). Empty values can occur for several reasons (e.g. no occurrence of agricultural interventions among the beneficiaries will result in empty variables for the agricultural module).

## Data Appraisal

No content available

## **File Description**

# Variable List

**unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1**

Content	This file contains all household-level data collected during this survey.
Cases	0
Variable(s)	89
Structure	Type: Keys: ()
Version	
Producer	
Missing Data	

**Variables**

ID	NAME	LABEL	TYPE	FORMAT	QUESTION
V1	status	Data Status	discrete	character	
V2	year	Monitoring Year	discrete	numeric	
V3	country	Country	discrete	character	
V4	ppg	Population Planning Group (PPG)	discrete	character	
V5	partner	1.1 Partner organisation	discrete	character	
V6	site	1.4 Site	discrete	character	
V7	siteother	1.5 Site other	discrete	numeric	
V8	village	1.6 In which camp/site/settlement/town is this household located?	discrete	character	
V9	nearbycamp	1.7 Which camp/site/town is geographically close?	discrete	character	
V10	baselineendline	1.8 Is this Baseline or Endline Survey?	discrete	numeric	
V11	baselineoutput	1.9 What types of livelihoods programs is this beneficiary planned to benefit fr	discrete	numeric	
V12	graduation	1.10 Will this beneficiary participate in the graduation programme?	discrete	numeric	
V13	endlineoutput	1.11 What types of livelihoods programs has this beneficiary participated in?	discrete	character	
V14	age	2.2 age	discrete	numeric	
V15	gender	2.3 Gender	discrete	numeric	
V16	legalstatus	2.4 Current legal status in the country	discrete	numeric	
V17	countryorigin	2.8 Which country do you originally come from?	discrete	character	
V18	arrivalyear	2.9 What year did you arrive in the country?	discrete	numeric	
V19	education	2.10 Highest level of formal education attended	discrete	numeric	
V20	maritalstatus	2.11 What is your current marital status?	discrete	numeric	
V21	familysize	2.12 How many people are in the household?	discrete	numeric	
V22	dependency	Dependency ratio	contin	numeric	
V23	o1subsector	3.1 What types of agriculture sub-sector support will/have you receive/received?	discrete	character	
V24	o1intervention	3.2 What types of agriculture support will/have you receive/received?	discrete	character	

V25	o1group	3.3 Are you a member of a cooperative, association or social group/network?	discrete	numeric
V26	o1saving	3.5 At present do you save money? If so where?	discrete	numeric
V27	o1loan	3.7 At present do you have an active loan(s)? If so where?	discrete	numeric
V28	o1employment	3.9 Are you self-employed and/or employed by someone else in agriculture?	discrete	character
V29	o1incomesource	3.10 Do you have more than one source of income?	discrete	numeric
V30	o1employmentsustainability	3.11 Do you work on a permanent basis, monthly or seasonal, or daily/weekly?	discrete	character
V31	o1incomepayment	3.12 How are you paid- cash only, both cash and in kind, and in-kind only?	discrete	character
V32	o1employothers	3.13 Do you employ others in the agricultural sector for wage/in-kind payment?	discrete	character
V33	o1employothersfamily	o1employothersfamily; how many family?	discrete	numeric
V34	o1employothersfriends	o1employothersfriends; how many friends?	contin	numeric
V35	o1employothersrefugees	o1employothersrefugees; how many refugees?	discrete	numeric
V36	o1employothershost	o1employothershost; how many from host community?	discrete	numeric
V37	crop1	3.15 What is the primary or main crop you cultivated last season?	discrete	character
V38	crop1season	3.17 How many seasons do you plant this crop (1) in one year?	discrete	numeric
V39	crop1kg	3.19 How many Kg did you produce last season?	contin	numeric
V40	crop1ha	3.21 How many HA did you cultivate during the last season?	contin	numeric
V41	crop2	3.22 What is the 2nd main crop you cultivated last season?	discrete	character
V42	crop2season	3.24 How many seasons do you plant this crop (2) in one year?	discrete	numeric
V43	crop2kg	3.26 How many Kg did you produce last season?	contin	numeric
V44	crop2ha	3.28 How many HA did you cultivate during the last season?	contin	numeric
V45	animal1	3.29 What types of animals (1) will/have you receive/received support for?	discrete	character
V46	animal2	3.29 What types of animals (2) will/have you receive/received support for?	discrete	character
V47	animal1owned	3.31 How many Animal1 does your household own right now?	discrete	numeric
V48	animal2owned	3.32 How many Animal2 does your household own right now?	discrete	numeric
V49	fishowned	3.33 In last season/harvest, how many kgs of fish did your household produce?	discrete	numeric
V50	o1differentiation	3.34 Did you add value to your agricultural/ livestock/fisheries?	discrete	character
V51	o1marketaccess	3.35 Where do you sell your agricultural product most frequently?	discrete	numeric
V52	o1incomeyear	3.36 Over the year, has your income increased, decreased or remained the same?	discrete	character

V53	o1savingyear	3.37 Over the year, have your savings increased, decreased or remained the same?	discrete	character
V54	o1incomefarming	3.38 Comparing last harvest season to the previous, has your income changed?	discrete	character
V55	o1savingfarming	3.39 Comparing last harvest season to the previous seasons, have your savings ch	discrete	character
V56	o2intervention	4.1 What types of self-employment support will/have you receive/received?	discrete	character
V57	o2group	4.2 Are you a member of a cooperative, association or social group/network?	discrete	character
V58	o2saving	4.4 At present do you save money? If so where?	discrete	numeric
V59	o2loan	4.6 At present do you have an active loan(s)? If so where?	discrete	numeric
V60	o2employment	4.8 Currently running your own business or at some point in the last year?	discrete	character
V61	o2employregistered	4.9 Has your business been registered by the local/national government?	discrete	character
V62	o2employmentstartdate	4.10 When did you start your business?	discrete	character
V63	o2employduration	4.11 How many months did you run your own business?	discrete	numeric
V64	o2employothers	4.12 Do you employ others in your business and pay them in wages or in-kind?	discrete	character
V65	o2employothers2	o2employothers 2	discrete	character
V66	o2employothersfamily	o2employothers, family members:	discrete	numeric
V67	o2employothersfriends	o2employothers, friends:	discrete	numeric
V68	o2employothersrefugees	o2employothers, other refugees (not family/not friends):	discrete	numeric
V69	o2employothershost	o2employothers, host community members:	discrete	numeric
V70	o2marketaccess	4.14 Where do you sell your business products most frequently?	discrete	numeric
V71	o2incomeyear	4.15 When you compare now and a year ago, has your income changed?	discrete	character
V72	o2savingyear	4.16 When you compare now and a year ago, have your savings changed?	discrete	character
V73	o2employmentsector	4.17 What is your job?	discrete	character
V74	o3intervention	5.1 What types of wage-employment support will/have you receive/received?	discrete	numeric
V75	o3group	5.2 Are you a member of a cooperative, association or social group/network?	discrete	numeric
V76	o3saving	5.4 At present do you save money? If so where?	discrete	numeric
V77	o3loan	5.6 At present do you have an active loan(s)? If so where?	discrete	numeric
V78	o3employment	5.8 Are you currently employed and paid wages, or have you been (last year)?	discrete	numeric
V79	o3employmentstartdate	5.9 When did you start your employment?	discrete	numeric
V80	o3employduration	5.10 For how many months were you employed and paid wages?	discrete	numeric
V81	o3employmentsalary	5.13 What is your monthly salary?	discrete	numeric

V82	o3employmenthowfound	5.14 How did you find your employment?	discrete	numeric
V83	o3employmentmorethanone	5.15 Do you have more than one job / Do you work for more than one employer?	discrete	numeric
V84	o3employkind	5.16 At present, what kind of employment are you engaged in?	discrete	numeric
V85	o3employregistered	5.17 At present, which describes your employment?	discrete	numeric
V86	o3incomeyear	5.18 When you compare now and a year ago, has your income changed?	discrete	numeric
V87	o3savingyear	5.19 When you compare now and a year ago, have your savings changed?	discrete	numeric
V88	o3employmentsector	5.20 What is your job?	discrete	character
V89	completedatetime	Completion date/time	discrete	character



## Data Status (status)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

## Monitoring Year (year)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 2017-2017

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

## Country (country)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 6

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

## Population Planning Group (PPG) (ppg)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 59

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

## 1.1 Partner organisation (partner)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 41

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

## 1.4 Site (site)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 7

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

## 1.5 Site other (siteother)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

1.6 In which camp/site/settlement/town is this household located?  
(village)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 15

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## 1.7 Which camp/site/town is geographically close? (nearbycamp)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 7

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## 1.8 Is this Baseline or Endline Survey? (baselineendline)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## 1.9 What types of livelihoods programs is this beneficiary planned to benefit fr (baselineoutput)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 44  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## 1.10 Will this beneficiary participate in the graduation programme? (graduation)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

## 1.11 What types of livelihoods programs has this beneficiary participated in? (endlineoutput)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

## 2.2 age (age)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 14  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-60

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

## 2.3 Gender (gender)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 10  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

## 2.4 Current legal status in the country (legalstatus)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 14  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-3

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

## 2.8 Which country do you originally come from? (countryorigin)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 29

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## 2.9 What year did you arrive in the country? (arrivalyear)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1999-2017

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## 2.10 Highest level of formal education attended (education)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 31  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-13

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## 2.11 What is your current marital status? (maritalstatus)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 9  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-6

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## 2.12 How many people are in the household? (familysize)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 10  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-10

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## Dependency ratio (dependency)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 9  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.1 What types of agriculture sub-sector support will/have you receive/received? (o1subsector)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 17

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.2 What types of agriculture support will/have you receive/received? (o1intervention)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 35

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.3 Are you a member of a cooperative, association or social group/network? (o1group)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.5 At present do you save money? If so where? (o1saving)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.7 At present do you have an active loan(s)? If so where? (o1loan)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### 3.9 Are you self-employed and/or employed by someone else in agriculture? (o1employment)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 4

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### 3.10 Do you have more than one source of income? (o1incomesource)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### 3.11 Do you work on a permanent basis, monthly or seasonal, or daily/weekly? (o1employmentsustainability)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 14

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### 3.12 How are you paid- cash only, both cash and in kind, and in-kind only? (o1incomepayment)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 11

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### 3.13 Do you employ others in the agricultural sector for wage/in-kind payment? (o1employothers)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 36

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

o1employothersfamily; how many family? (o1employothersfamily)  
 File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-6

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

o1employothersfriends; how many friends? (o1employothersfriends)  
 File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-26

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

o1employothersrefugees; how many refugees?  
 (o1employothersrefugees)  
 File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

o1employothershost; how many from host community?  
 (o1employothershost)  
 File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-10

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.15 What is the primary or main crop you cultivated last season?  
 (crop1)  
 File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 14

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.17 How many seasons do you plant this crop (1) in one year?  
 (crop1season)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-3

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.19 How many Kg did you produce last season? (crop1kg)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 12  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-172000

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.21 How many HA did you cultivate during the last season? (crop1ha)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 9  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-11

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.22 What is the 2nd main crop you cultivated last season? (crop2)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 21

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.24 How many seasons do you plant this crop (2) in one year?  
 (crop2season)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-2

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### 3.26 How many Kg did you produce last season? (crop2kg)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-2000

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### 3.28 How many HA did you cultivate during the last season? (crop2ha)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 9  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-6.19999980926514

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### 3.29 What types of animals (1) will/have you receive/received support for? (animal1)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 7

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### 3.29 What types of animals (2) will/have you receive/received support for? (animal2)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 7

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

### 3.31 How many Animal1 does your household own right now? (animal1owned)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 0-15

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.32 How many Animal2 does your household own right now?  
 (animal2owned)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 2-21

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.33 In last season/harvest, how many kgs of fish did your household  
 produce? (fishowned)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.34 Did you add value to your agricultural/ livestock/fisheries?  
 (o1differentiation)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 30

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.35 Where do you sell your agricultural product most frequently?  
 (o1marketaccess)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

#### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.36 Over the year, has your income increased, decreased or  
 remained the same? (o1incomemear)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 9

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.37 Over the year, have your savings increased, decreased or remained the same? (o1savingsyear)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 9

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.38 Comparing last harvest season to the previous, has your income changed? (o1incomefarming)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 9

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

3.39 Comparing last harvest season to the previous seasons, have your savings ch (o1savingsfarming)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 9

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

4.1 What types of self-employment support will/have you receive/received? (o2intervention)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

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 Width: 33

Valid cases: 0  
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4.2 Are you a member of a cooperative, association or social group/network? (o2group)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 29

Valid cases: 0  
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#### 4.4 At present do you save money? If so where? (o2saving)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

##### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

#### 4.6 At present do you have an active loan(s)? If so where? (o2loan)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

##### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

#### 4.8 Currently running your own business or at some point in the last year? (o2employment)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

##### Overview

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 Width: 12

Valid cases: 0  
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#### 4.9 Has your business been registered by the local/national government? (o2employregistered)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

##### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 13

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

#### 4.10 When did you start your business? (o2employmentstartdate)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

##### Overview

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 Format: character  
 Width: 9

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## 4.11 How many months did you run your own business?

(o2employduration)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
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 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-12

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## 4.12 Do you employ others in your business and pay them in wages or in-kind? (o2employothers)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 29

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## o2employothers 2 (o2employothers2)

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**Overview**

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 Format: character  
 Width: 29

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## o2employothers, family members: (o2employothersfamily)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 2-3

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

## o2employothers, friends: (o2employothersfriends)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 2-3

Valid cases: 0  
 Invalid: 0

o2employothers, other refugees (not family/not friends):  
(o2employothersrefugees)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

#### Overview

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Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 2-5	

o2employothers, host community members: (o2employothershost)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

#### Overview

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Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-5	

4.14 Where do you sell your business products most frequently?  
(o2marketaccess)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

#### Overview

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4.15 When you compare now and a year ago, has your income  
changed? (o2incomeyear)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

#### Overview

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4.16 When you compare now and a year ago, have your savings  
changed? (o2savingyear)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

#### Overview

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#### 4.17 What is your job? (o2employmentsector)

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##### Overview

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Format: character  
Width: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### 5.1 What types of wage-employment support will/have you receive/received? (o3intervention)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

##### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### 5.2 Are you a member of a cooperative, association or social group/network? (o3group)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

##### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### 5.4 At present do you save money? If so where? (o3saving)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

##### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

#### 5.6 At present do you have an active loan(s)? If so where? (o3loan)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

##### Overview

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Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

## 5.8 Are you currently employed and paid wages, or have you been (last year)? (o3employment)

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### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
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## 5.9 When did you start your employment? (o3employmentstartdate)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
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## 5.10 For how many months were you employed and paid wages? (o3employduration)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
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## 5.13 What is your monthly salary? (o3employmentsalary)

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### Overview

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Width: 8  
Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
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## 5.14 How did you find your employment? (o3employmenthowfound)

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### Overview

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Width: 8  
Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
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5.15 Do you have more than one job / Do you work for more than one employer? (o3employmentmorethanone)

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**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
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5.16 At present, what kind of employment are you engaged in? (o3employkind)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
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5.17 At present, which describes your employment? (o3employregistered)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
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5.18 When you compare now and a year ago, has your income changed? (o3incomemear)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

5.19 When you compare now and a year ago, have your savings changed? (o3savingyear)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

## 5.20 What is your job? (o3employmentsector)

File: unhcr\_mwi\_lis\_2017\_v2.1

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: character  
Width: 9

Valid cases: 0  
Invalid: 0

## Completion date/time (completedatetime)

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### Overview

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## Questionnaires

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