

Costa Rica - VI Censo Nacional de Población y II de Vivienda 1963 - IPUMS Subset

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Overview

Identification

ID NUMBER

CRI_1963_PHC_v01_M_v03_A_IPUMS

Version

VERSION DESCRIPTION

Version 6.4. The datasets contain selected variables from the original census microdata plus harmonized variables from the IPUMS-International database.

In v6.4, the research team continued to carry out improvements to geography, providing harmonized geographic units for the second administrative level for roughly half the countries. More information about IPUMS geography variables is available [here](https://international.ipums.org/international/geography_variables.shtml). Also, approximately 100 integrated variables were renamed. Affected variables with their current and previous names are listed [here](https://international.ipums.org/international/resources/misc_docs/renamed_variables_sept2015.pdf). Geography variable also underwent wholesale renaming.

In this update, IPUMS added 19 new samples for Armenia, Austria, Costa Rica, Ethiopia, France, Ghana, Mozambique, Paraguay, Portugal, Puerto Rico, South Africa, and Spain. Ethiopia, Mozambique, and Paraguay were newly added countries to IPUMS. Samples for other countries extend pre-existing series for those countries.

PRODUCTION DATE

2016-04-25

Overview

ABSTRACT

IPUMS-International is an effort to inventory, preserve, harmonize, and disseminate census microdata from around the world. The project has collected the world's largest archive of publicly available census samples. The data are coded and documented consistently across countries and over time to facilitate comparative research. IPUMS-International makes these data available to qualified researchers free of charge through a web dissemination system.

The IPUMS project is a collaboration of the Minnesota Population Center, National Statistical Offices, and international data archives. Major funding is provided by the U.S. National Science Foundation and the Demographic and Behavioral Sciences Branch of the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development. Additional support is provided by the University of Minnesota Office of the Vice President for Research, the Minnesota Population Center, and Sun Microsystems.

KIND OF DATA

Census/enumeration data [cen]

UNITS OF ANALYSIS

Dwelling

UNITS IDENTIFIED:

- Dwellings: Not available in microdata sample
- Vacant units: Not available in microdata sample
- Households: Not available in microdata sample
- Individuals: Yes

- Group quarters: Yes

UNIT DESCRIPTIONS:

- Dwellings: Every place or premises structurally separate or independent, that has been built, converted or available for purposes of lodging or housing of persons, temporarily or permanently, such as any other class of lodging, fixed or mobile, occupied as living quarters on the date of the Census.

- Group quarters: A group of persons who form a Non Family Group and use the space as living quarters.

TOPICS

Topic	Vocabulary	URI
Technical Household Variables -- HOUSEHOLD	IPUMS	
Group Quarters Variables -- HOUSEHOLD	IPUMS	
Geography: Global Variables -- HOUSEHOLD	IPUMS	
Utilities Variables -- HOUSEHOLD	IPUMS	
Appliances, Mechanicals, Other Amenities Variables -- HOUSEHOLD	IPUMS	
Dwelling Characteristics Variables -- HOUSEHOLD	IPUMS	
Technical Person Variables -- PERSON	IPUMS	
Demographic Variables -- PERSON	IPUMS	
Nativity and Birthplace Variables -- PERSON	IPUMS	
Education Variables -- PERSON	IPUMS	
Work Variables -- PERSON	IPUMS	
Migration Variables -- PERSON	IPUMS	
Geography: A-L Variables -- HOUSEHOLD	IPUMS	
Household Economic Variables -- HOUSEHOLD	IPUMS	
Other Household Variables -- HOUSEHOLD	IPUMS	
Income Variables -- PERSON	IPUMS	
Work: Occupation Variables -- PERSON	IPUMS	
Work: Industry Variables -- PERSON	IPUMS	

Coverage

GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

National coverage

GEOGRAPHIC UNIT

Cantons with 20,000+ population in 2000; combined as necessary by MPC

UNIVERSE

All occupied dwellings including all individuals living in the country at midnight April 1, 1963 (i.e. between March 31 and April 1).

Producers and Sponsors

PRIMARY INVESTIGATOR(S)

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Minnesota Population Center	University of Minnesota

Metadata Production

METADATA PRODUCED BY

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation	Role
Minnesota Population Center	MPC	University of Minnesota	Integration Harmonization Documentation

DATE OF METADATA PRODUCTION

2016-04-25

DDI DOCUMENT VERSION

- v6.4 April 2016

Documentation of census data and harmonized variables as found in IPUMS-International. The International Household Survey Network (IHSN) contracted IPUMS International for generating DDI and Dublin Core-compliant metadata related to population and housing census datasets from developing countries. The objective was to provide countries with detailed metadata in a format compatible with the DDI standard used by most of these countries, with a view to guarantee the preservation of the data and metadata, and the publishing of metadata.

The intellectual rights (including copyright) for the data and metadata in IPUMS are retained by the countries under a Memorandum of Understanding with the contributing countries. IPUMS-International has distribution rights to the metadata and data. The XML documents generated by this process are viewed as a distribution of the metadata.

Fields edited by the World Bank are: DDI ID and study ID to match World Bank study naming convention, as well as DDI Document Version and Version Description to reflect changes included in version 6.4.

Previous version documented in the World Bank Microdata Library:

- v6.3 (August 2014)

DDI DOCUMENT ID

DDI_CRI_1963_PHC_v01_M_v03_A_IPUMS

Sampling

Sampling Procedure

MICRODATA SOURCE: Celade

SAMPLE UNIT: Person

SAMPLE FRACTION: 6.0%

SAMPLE SIZE (person records): 82,345

Questionnaires

Overview

Single enumeration form that requested information on the dwelling and individuals.

Data Collection

Data Collection Dates

Start	End	Cycle
1963-03-31	1963-03-31	N/A

Time Periods

Start	End	Cycle
1963-03-31	1963-03-31	N/A

Data Collection Mode

Face-to-face [f2f]

Data Collection Notes

De jure, CENSUS DAY: March 31, 1963, FIELD WORK PERIOD: Clearly longer than April 1, 1963.

Questionnaires

Single enumeration form that requested information on the dwelling and individuals.

Supervision

Face to face interview (direct enumeration) conducted by trained personnel mainly selected from a pool of teachers.

Data Processing

No content available

Data Appraisal

No content available

File Description

Variable List

CRI1963-H-H

Content	Household records
Cases	0
Variable(s)	60
Structure	Type: relational Keys: SERIAL(Household serial number)
Version	Version 6.4, IPUMS sample
Producer	Minnesota Population Center
Missing Data	

Variables

ID	NAME	LABEL	TYPE	FORMAT	QUESTION
V1	RECTYPE	Record type	discrete	character	
V2	YEAR	Year	discrete	numeric	
V3	SAMPLE	IPUMS sample identifier	discrete	numeric	
V4	SERIAL	Household serial number	contin	numeric	
V5	PERSONS	Number of person records in the household	contin	numeric	
V6	SUBSAMP	Subsample number	discrete	numeric	
V7	GQ	Group quarters (collective dwelling) status	discrete	numeric	
V8	URBAN	Urban-rural status	discrete	numeric	
V9	REGIONW	Continent and region of country	discrete	numeric	
V10	WATSUP	Water supply	discrete	numeric	
V11	SEWAGE	Sewage	discrete	numeric	
V12	REFRIG	Refrigerator	discrete	numeric	
V13	TV	Television set	discrete	numeric	
V14	RADIO	Radio in household	discrete	numeric	
V15	ROOMS	Number of rooms	discrete	numeric	
V16	TOILET	Toilet	discrete	numeric	
V17	FLOOR	Floor material	discrete	numeric	
V18	GEOLEV1	1st subnational geographic level, world [consistent boundaries over time]	discrete	numeric	
V19	CR1963A_0034	Dwelling number	contin	numeric	Dwelling number
V20	CR1963A_0039	Number of persons in household	discrete	numeric	Number of persons in household

V21	CR1963A_0007	Agricultural region	discrete	numeric	Identification ____ Province ____ Canton ____ District ____ Agricultural Region number ____ Zone number ____ Section number ____ Segment number [] Urban [] Rural ____ Census household number (visit order) ____ Institution (name) ____ Neighborhood or hamlet (caserío) ____ Avenues (numbers) ____ Streets (names) ____ Highway, route, etc.
V22	CR1963A_0008	Urban	discrete	numeric	Identification ____ Province ____ Canton ____ District ____ Agricultural Region number ____ Zone number ____ Section number ____ Segment number [] Urban [] Rural ____ Census household number (visit order) ____ Institution (name) ____ Neighborhood or hamlet (caserío) ____ Avenues (numbers) ____ Streets (names) ____ Highway, route, etc.
V23	CR1963A_0009	Demographic area	discrete	numeric	Identification ____ Province ____ Canton ____ District ____ Agricultural Region number ____ Zone number ____ Section number ____ Segment number [] Urban [] Rural ____ Census household number (visit order) ____ Institution (name) ____ Neighborhood or hamlet (caserío) ____ Avenues (numbers) ____ Streets (names) ____ Highway, route, etc.
V24	CR1963A_0012	Type of collective institution	discrete	numeric	Identification ____ Province ____ Canton ____ District ____ Agricultural Region number ____ Zone number ____ Section number ____ Segment number [] Urban [] Rural ____ Census household number (visit order) ____ Institution (name) ____ Neighborhood or hamlet (caserío) ____ Avenues (numbers) ____ Streets (names) ____ Highway, route, etc.
V25	CR1963A_0013	Type of dwelling	discrete	numeric	1. Dwelling type (mark only one box) [] 1 Private [] 2 Collective
V26	CR1963A_0014	Wall material	discrete	numeric	2. Predominant material in the walls (mark only one box) [] 1 Wood [] 2 Concrete [] 3 Metal sheet [] 4 Adobe and cane with earth covered with a cement cap (bahareque) [] 9 Other (specify) ____
V27	CR1963A_0015	Floor material	discrete	numeric	3. Predominant material in the floors (mark only one box) [] 1 Wood [] 2 Tile [] 3 Brick [] 4 Mosaic or concrete [] 9 Other (specify) ____
V28	CR1963A_0016	Roof material	discrete	numeric	4. Predominant material in the roof (mark only one box) [] 1 Clay tiles [] 2 Metal sheet (zinc, aluminum, etc.) [] 9 Other (specify) ____
V29	CR1963A_0017	Condition of the dwelling	discrete	numeric	5. Condition of the dwelling [] 1 Good [] 2 Fair [] 3 Poor
V30	CR1963A_0018	Water source	discrete	numeric	6. Water source By pipe (mark one box in each case, a, b, and c) a) [] Public system [] Private system b) [] Inside the dwelling [] Outside of the dwelling c) [] For this dwelling only [] For this and other dwellings By other means [] 8 Well [] 9 Other (specify) ____ [] X Does not have
V31	CR1963A_0019	Water supply to bathroom	discrete	numeric	Water supply to bathroom
V32	CR1963A_0020	Sewer facilities	discrete	numeric	8. Sewer facilities (mark only one box) [] 1-2 Sewer [] 3-4 Septic tank [] 5-6 Concrete Cesspool (Pozo negro de planchet) [] 7-8 Wooden Cesspool (Pozo negro de madera) [] 9-0 Other [] 11 Does not have

V33	CR1963A_0021	Electricity	discrete	numeric	10. Electric energy (mark only one box) [] 1 For lighting only [] 2 For lighting and other uses [] X Does not have
V34	CR1963A_0022	Fuel used for cooking	discrete	numeric	11. Fuel used for cooking (Note the primary one) ____ (Electricity, gas, kerosene (canfin), wood, charcoal, etc.)
V35	CR1963A_0023	Radio and electric iron	discrete	numeric	12. Appliances in the dwelling (mark a box on each line) Radio [] 1 Has [] 4 Does not have
V36	CR1963A_0024	Stove and vacuum cleaner	discrete	numeric	12. Appliances in the dwelling (mark a box on each line) Electric cook stove [] 1 Has [] 4 Does not have
V37	CR1963A_0025	Washing machine and water heater	discrete	numeric	12. Appliances in the dwelling (mark a box on each line) Washing machine [] 1 Has [] 4 Does not have
V38	CR1963A_0026	Television and refrigerator	discrete	numeric	12. Appliances in the dwelling (mark a box on each line) Television [] 1 Has [] 4 Does not have
V39	CR1963A_0027	Ownership	discrete	numeric	13. Tenure (occupied by:) (mark only one box) [] 1 Renter [] 2 Owner [] 9 Other
V40	CR1963A_0028	Monthly rent	discrete	numeric	14. Monthly rent (write on one line only) ____ colones (exact) - renter - ____ colones (estimated) - owner - ____ colones (estimated) - other-
V41	CR1963A_0029	Number of rooms and bedrooms	discrete	numeric	15. Rooms and bedrooms (write in both spaces) ____ Number of rooms ____ Of these, how many are used as bedrooms?
V42	CR1963A_0030	Number of bedrooms	discrete	numeric	15. Rooms and bedrooms (write in both spaces) ____ Number of rooms ____ Of these, how many are used as bedrooms?
V43	CR1963A_0031	Number of males in dwelling	discrete	numeric	16. Residents in this dwelling ____ Males ____ Females ____ Total
V44	CR1963A_0032	Number of females in dwelling	discrete	numeric	16. Residents in this dwelling ____ Males ____ Females ____ Total
V45	CR1963A_0033	Total persons in dwelling	discrete	numeric	16. Residents in this dwelling ____ Males ____ Females ____ Total
V46	CR1963A_0048	Strata	contin	numeric	Strata
V47	HHWT	Household weight	contin	numeric	
V48	GEOLEV2	2nd subnational geographic level, world [consistent boundaries over time]	discrete	numeric	
V49	GEO1_CR	Costa Rica, Province 1963 - 2011 [Level 1; consistent boundaries, GIS]	discrete	numeric	
V50	GEO1_CR1963	Costa Rica, Province 1963 [Level 1, GIS]	discrete	numeric	
V51	GEO2_CR	Costa Rica, Canton 1963 - 2011 [Level 2; consistent boundaries, GIS]	discrete	numeric	
V52	GEO2_CR1963	Costa Rica, Canton 1963 [Level 2, GIS]	discrete	numeric	
V53	COUNTRY	Country	discrete	numeric	
V54	ELECTRIC	Electricity	discrete	numeric	

V55	OWNERSHIP	Ownership of dwelling [general version]	discrete	numeric
V56	OWNERSHIPD	Ownership of dwelling [detailed version]	discrete	numeric
V57	HOTWATER	Hot water heater	discrete	numeric
V58	BEDROOMS	Number of bedrooms	discrete	numeric
V59	ROOF	Roof material	discrete	numeric
V60	STRATA	Strata identifier	contin	numeric

CRI1963-P-H

Content	Person records
Cases	0
Variable(s)	56
Structure	Type: relational Keys: PERNUM(Person number), SERIAL(Household serial number [person version])
Version	Version 6.4, IPUMS sample
Producer	Minnesota Population Center
Missing Data	

Variables

ID	NAME	LABEL	TYPE	FORMAT	QUESTION
V61	PERNUM	Person number	contin	numeric	
V62	RELATE	Relationship to household head [general version]	discrete	numeric	
V63	RELATED	Relationship to household head [detailed version]	discrete	numeric	
V64	AGE	Age	discrete	numeric	
V65	AGE2	Age, grouped into intervals	discrete	numeric	
V66	SEX	Sex	discrete	numeric	
V67	MARST	Marital status [general version]	discrete	numeric	
V68	MARSTD	Marital status [detailed version]	discrete	numeric	
V69	CONSENS	Consensual union	discrete	numeric	
V70	BPLCR	Province of birth, Costa Rica	discrete	numeric	
V71	CITIZEN	Citizenship	discrete	numeric	
V72	NATION	Country of citizenship	discrete	numeric	
V73	SCHOOL	School attendance	discrete	numeric	
V74	LIT	Literacy	discrete	numeric	
V75	EDUCCR	Educational attainment, Costa Rica	discrete	numeric	
V76	EMPSTAT	Activity status (employment status) [general version]	discrete	numeric	
V77	EMPSTATD	Activity status (employment status) [detailed version]	discrete	numeric	
V78	INDGEN	Industry, general recode	discrete	numeric	
V79	IND	Industry, unrecoded	contin	numeric	

V80	MIGCR1	Canton of previous residence, Costa Rica	discrete	numeric	
V81	CR1963A_0036	Person number	discrete	numeric	Person number
V82	CR1963A_0431	Person sequence number	discrete	numeric	Person sequence number
V83	CR1963A_0432	Relationship to head of household	discrete	numeric	2. Relationship to head. Mark the appropriate box according to the relationship the person has to the Head of the "Census Family" or with the head of the "Non-family Group." Remember to specify the relationship when using the blank in "other." <input type="checkbox"/> 1 Head <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Wife <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Companion <input type="checkbox"/> 4 Son or daughter <input type="checkbox"/> 9 Other (specify) ____
V84	CR1963A_0433	Sex	discrete	numeric	3. Sex Mark the appropriate box <input type="checkbox"/> 1 Male <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Female
V85	CR1963A_0437	Marital status	discrete	numeric	5. Marital Status Mark only one box Single: one who has never contracted matrimony and does not live in a consensual union Married: one who has contracted matrimony and lives in that estate Widowed: one who has not contracted matrimony since the death of a spouse and who does not live in a consensual union Divorced: one who definitively undid a marital bond through legal means Consensual union: one who lives in a marital union without having contracted matrimony Married Separated: one who contracted matrimony and lives apart from the spouse <input type="checkbox"/> 1 Single <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Married <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> 4 Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Consensual union <input type="checkbox"/> 6 Married separated
V86	CR1963A_0438	Years of residence in current Canton	discrete	numeric	Migration: 6. How long have you lived in this canton? Mark the box "always" if the person has only lived in this canton. Otherwise write the number of years. <input type="checkbox"/> Always ____ Number of years
V87	CR1963A_0456	Province of prior residence	discrete	numeric	Migration: 7. In which canton did you live previously? Mark an "X" if the person has only lived in this canton. Otherwise write the canton or the country of previous residence. ____
V88	CR1963A_0439	Canton or country of prior residence	discrete	numeric	Migration: 7. In which canton did you live previously? Mark an "X" if the person has only lived in this canton. Otherwise write the canton or the country of previous residence. ____
V89	CR1963A_0457	Province of birth	discrete	numeric	8. Place of birth. Mark an "X" if the person's mother lived in this place at the time of the person's birth. If the mother lived in another canton write the canton. If the mother lived abroad write the country. ____
V90	CR1963A_0441	Nationality	discrete	numeric	Migration: 9. Nationality Mark and "X" if Costa Rican by birth and "NX" if Costa Rican by naturalization. If foreign, write the appropriate nationality. ____
V91	CR1963A_0442	Social Security availability	discrete	numeric	10. Social security Mark the appropriate box according to whether the person is protected or not, directly or indirectly, by the social security. <input type="checkbox"/> 1 Yes <input type="checkbox"/> 2 No
V92	CR1963A_0443	Currently attending regular education institution	discrete	numeric	Educational Characteristics Only for those 7 years of age and older [applies to questions 11 to 13] 11. Currently attending Ask both questions. Are you currently attending school, high school or university? <input type="checkbox"/> 1 Yes <input type="checkbox"/> 2 No Are you currently attending other educational institutions (specify: vocational school, business school, etc.) ____ <input type="checkbox"/> 1

V93	CR1963A_0444	Currently attending other educational institutions	discrete	numeric	Educational Characteristics Only for those 7 years of age and older [applies to questions 11 to 13] 11. Currently attending Ask both questions. Are you currently attending school, high school or university? <input type="checkbox"/> 1 Yes <input type="checkbox"/> 2 No Are you currently attending other educational institutions (specify: vocational school, business school, etc.) ____ <input type="checkbox"/> 1
V94	CR1963A_0445	Educational attainment	discrete	numeric	Educational Characteristics Only for those 7 years of age and older [applies to questions 11 to 13] 12. Last grade or year completed: Write the number of the grade or year on the appropriate line. Mark the box "04" if the person has not completed any grade. ____ 1 Primary ____ 2 Secondary ____ 3 University <input type="checkbox"/> 04 No grade
V95	CR1963A_0446	Able to read and write	discrete	numeric	Educational Characteristics Only for those 7 years of age and older [applies to questions 11 to 13] 13. Able to read and write? Mark the appropriate box <input type="checkbox"/> 1 Yes <input type="checkbox"/> 2 No
V96	CR1963A_0447	Economic activity	discrete	numeric	Occupational Characteristics Only for those 12 years of age and older [applies to questions 14 to 19] 14. General classification - Mark the appropriate box Employed: one who worked 6 days or more during the month of March 1963 Student: one who only studied during March 1963 Unemployed: one who did not work or worked fewer than 6 days in March 1963 Household duties: one who only did household work Other: pensioner, retiree, rentier, beggar, insane, institutionalized, etc. <input type="checkbox"/> 1 Employed <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Student <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Unemployed <input type="checkbox"/> 4 Household duties 9 Other (specify) ____
V97	CR1963A_0448	Principal occupation	discrete	numeric	Occupational Characteristics Only for those 12 years of age and older [applies to questions 14 to 19] Items 15 - 18 are only for "employed" and "unemployed" 15. Occupation Write the principal occupation during the month of March, 1963. If "unemployed" ask and write the last occupation. Examples: musician, doctor, teacher, agricultural laborer, lawyer, bricklayer, etc. ____
V98	CR1963A_0450	Industry, 1 digit	discrete	numeric	Occupational Characteristics Only for those 12 years of age and older [applies to questions 14 to 19] Items 15 - 18 are only for "employed" and "unemployed" 16. Industry Write the type of company or activity in which the person works. Examples: Orchestra, doctor's office, government ministry, plantation, law office, construction, etc. ____
V99	CR1963A_0451	Industry, 2 digit	discrete	numeric	Occupational Characteristics Only for those 12 years of age and older [applies to questions 14 to 19] Items 15 - 18 are only for "employed" and "unemployed" 16. Industry Write the type of company or activity in which the person works. Examples: Orchestra, doctor's office, government ministry, plantation, law office, construction, etc. ____
V100	CR1963A_0452	Industry, 3 digits	discrete	numeric	Occupational Characteristics Only for those 12 years of age and older [applies to questions 14 to 19] Items 15 - 18 are only for "employed" and "unemployed" 16. Industry Write the type of company or activity in which the person works. Examples: Orchestra, doctor's office, government ministry, plantation, law office, construction, etc. ____

V101	CR1963A_0453	Class of worker	discrete	numeric	Occupational Characteristics Only for those 12 years of age and older [applies to questions 14 to 19] Items 15 - 18 are only for "employed" and "unemployed" 17. Occupational category (employment status). Mark the appropriate box Owner: one who operates his own company and has paid workers Family worker: one who works in the company of a relative without receiving payment Paid worker: one who receives payment, in money or in kind, for working Own-account worker: one who operates his own company and does not have paid workers [] 1 Owner [] 2 Family worker [] 3 Paid worker [] 4 Own-account worker
V102	CR1963A_0455	Months worked last year	discrete	numeric	Occupational Characteristics Only for those 12 years of age and older [applies to questions 14 to 19] 19. Length of employment Write the number of months worked during the last year (from April 1st 1962 to March 31st 1963) ____ Number of months
V103	PERWT	Person weight	contin	numeric	
V104	MIGYRS1	Years residing in current locality	discrete	numeric	
V105	YRSCHOOL	Years of schooling	discrete	numeric	
V106	MIGRATEP	Migration status, previous residence	discrete	numeric	
V107	EDATTAIN	Educational attainment, international recode [general version]	discrete	numeric	
V108	EDATTAIND	Educational attainment, international recode [detailed version]	discrete	numeric	
V109	BPLCOUNTRY	Country of birth	discrete	numeric	
V110	MIGCTryp	Country of previous residence	discrete	numeric	
V111	NATIVITY	Nativity status	discrete	numeric	
V112	YEARP	Year [person version]	contin	numeric	
V113	SAMPLEP	IPUMS sample identifier [person version]	contin	numeric	
V114	SERIAL	Household serial number [person version]	contin	numeric	
V115	COUNTRYP	Country [person version]	contin	numeric	
V116	RECTYPEP	Record type [person version]	discrete	character	

Record type (RECTYPE)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: character
Width: 1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

RECTYPE identifies the type of record for the case: household or person.

NOTE: RECTYPE is an alphabetic (character string) variable with a value of 'H' for household records and 'P' for person records. RECTYPE will not appear as a variable in the default rectangular extracts produced by the data extract system. It is only available in hierarchical extracts, to distinguish between the two record types.

Year (YEAR)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 4
Decimals: 0
Range: 1960-2011

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

YEAR gives the year in which the census was taken.

IPUMS sample identifier (SAMPLE)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 9
Decimals: 0
Range: 32197001-894201001

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

SAMPLE identifies the IPUMS sample from which the case is drawn. Each sample receives a unique 9-digit code. The code is structured as follows:

The first 3 digits are the ISO/UN codes used in COUNTRY

The next 4 digits are the year of the census/survey

The final 2 digits identify the sample within the year. For the last two digits, censuses or large census-like surveys have a value "0" (e.g, 01) in the second-to-last digit, household surveys have a value of "2" (e.g., 21), and employment surveys have a value of "4" (e.g., 41).

Household serial number (SERIAL)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Continuous
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

SERIAL is an identifying number unique to each household in a given sample. All person records are assigned the same serial number as the household record that they follow. (Person records also have their own unique identifiers -- see PERNUM.) The combination of SAMPLE and SERIAL provides a unique identifier for every household in the IPUMS-International database; SAMPLE, SERIAL and PERNUM uniquely identify every person in the database.

SERIAL can be used to identify dwellings in some samples. In these samples, the first 7 digits of SERIAL provide the dwelling number common to all households that were sampled from the same structure. The last three digits give the sequence of the household within the dwelling. The following is a list of samples in which dwellings can be inferred:

Chile 1970, 1992, 2002
 Colombia 1993, 2005
 Costa Rica 1984, 2000
 Cuba 2002
 Dominican Republic 1981, 2002, 2010
 Ecuador 1990, 2001
 Germany 1971
 Hungary 1980, 1990, 2001
 Jamaica 1982, 1991, 2001
 Malaysia 1970, 1991, 2000
 Mexico 1995, 1990, 2000, 2005
 Nigeria 2006
 Panama 2000
 Peru 1993, 2007
 Portugal 1981, 1991, 2001
 Spain 1991
 Uruguay 2011
 Venezuela 1990, 2001
 Vietnam 1989

In all other samples, the last 3 digits are always zeroes.

SERIAL was constructed for IPUMS-International, and has no relation to the serial number in the original datasets.

Number of person records in the household (PERSONS)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Continuous
 Format: numeric
 Width: 3
 Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

PERSONS indicates how many person records are included in the household (i.e., the number of person records associated with the household record in the sample). These person records will all have the same serial number (SERIAL) as the household record. The information contained in the household record will normally apply to all of these persons.

Subsample number (SUBSAMP)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 2
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

SUBSAMP allocates each case to one of 100 subsample replicates, randomly numbered from 0 to 99. Each subsample is nationally representative and preserves any stratification of the sample from which it is drawn. Users who need a representative subset of a sample can use SUBSAMP to select their cases. For example, to randomly extract 10% of the cases from a sample, select any 10 of the 100 subsamples.

Group quarters (collective dwelling) status (GQ)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 2
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

GQ identifies households as vacant dwellings, group quarters, or private households. Group quarters -- collective dwellings -- are generally institutions and other group living arrangements such as rooming houses and boarding schools.

Institutions often retain persons under formal supervision or custody, such as correctional institutions, military barracks, asylums, or nursing homes. Educational and religious group dwellings (e.g., boarding schools, convents, monasteries, etc.) are also included in the institutional classification.

Group quarter designations are often useful for understanding the universe of households that answered questions about household characteristics. Censuses will often exclude group quarters from such questions.

Urban-rural status (URBAN)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

URBAN indicates whether the household was located in a place designated as urban or as rural.

Continent and region of country (REGIONW)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 2
Decimals: 0
Range: 11-54

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

REGIONW identifies the continent and region of each country.

Water supply (WATSUP)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 2
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

WATSUP describes the physical means by which the housing unit receives its water. The primary distinction is whether or not the household had piped (running) water.

Sewage (SEWAGE)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 2
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

SEWAGE indicates whether the household has access to a sewage system or septic tank.

Refrigerator (REFRIG)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

REFRIG indicates whether the household had a refrigerator.

Television set (TV)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 2
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

TV indicates whether the household had a television.

Radio in household (RADIO)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

RADIO indicates whether the household had a radio.

Number of rooms (ROOMS)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 2
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

ROOMS indicates the number of rooms occupied by the housing unit.

Toilet (TOILET)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 2
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

TOILET indicates whether the household had access to a toilet and, in most cases, whether it was a flush toilet or other type of installation.

Floor material (FLOOR)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 3
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-999

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

FLOOR indicates the dwelling's predominant flooring material.

1st subnational geographic level, world [consistent boundaries over time] (GEOLEV1)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 6
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 32002-894010

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

GEOLEV1 indicates the major administrative unit in which the household was enumerated. The variable incorporates the geographies for every country, to enable cross-national geographic analysis over time. First administrative units in GEOLEV1 have been spatiotemporally harmonized to provide spatially consistent boundaries across samples in each country.

Dwelling number (CR1963A_0034)

File: CR1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Continuous
 Format: numeric
 Width: 5
 Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates dwelling number.

Universe

All households

Literal question

Dwelling number

Number of persons in household (CR1963A_0039)

File: CR1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates number of persons in the household.

Universe

All households

Literal question

Number of persons in household

Agricultural region (CR1963A_0007)

File: CR1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the respondent's agricultural region. There are five agricultural regions, composed of a number of districts (and overlapping with cantons and provinces).

Universe

All households

Literal question

Identification

☐ Province
☐ Canton
☐ District
☐ Agricultural Region number
☐ Zone number
☐ Section number
☐ Segment number

☐ Urban☐ Rural

☐ Census household number (visit order)
☐ Institution (name)
☐ Neighborhood or hamlet (caserío)
☐ Avenues (numbers)
☐ Streets (names)
☐ Highway, route, etc.

Urban (CR1963A_0008)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 1
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates if the respondent lived in urban or rural area. For urban areas, the type of city is indicated.

Universe

All households

Literal question

Identification

☐ Province
☐ Canton
☐ District
☐ Agricultural Region number
☐ Zone number
☐ Section number
☐ Segment number

☐ Urban☐ Rural

☐ Census household number (visit order)
☐ Institution (name)
☐ Neighborhood or hamlet (caserío)
☐ Avenues (numbers)
☐ Streets (names)
☐ Highway, route, etc.

Demographic area (CR1963A_0009)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the demographic area where the respondent lives.

Universe

All households

Literal question

Identification

___ Province
___ Canton
___ District
___ Agricultural Region number
___ Zone number
___ Section number
___ Segment number

[] Urban

[] Rural

___ Census household number (visit order)
___ Institution (name)
___ Neighborhood or hamlet (caserío)
___ Avenues (numbers)
___ Streets (names)
___ Highway, route, etc.

Type of collective institution (CR1963A_0012)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the type of collective institution the respondent lives in.

Universe

Collective dwellings

Literal question

Identification

Province
 Canton
 District
 Agricultural Region number
 Zone number
 Section number
 Segment number

☐ Urban
☐ Rural

Census household number (visit order)
 Institution (name)
 Neighborhood or hamlet (caserío)
 Avenues (numbers)
 Streets (names)
 Highway, route, etc.

Interviewer instructions

Institution: Written here is the name of the hotel, jail, hospital, clinic, boarding house etc., in which a Non Family Group resides. If the institution does not have a name, write down for example: Boarding House of Juan Pérez, Jail of Liberia, Clinic of Dr. Pedro Camacho, etc.

Type of dwelling (CR1963A_0013)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Description

This variable indicates if the respondent lives in a collective or private dwelling.

Universe

All households

Literal question

1. Dwelling type

(mark only one box)

☐ 1 Private
☐ 2 Collective

Interviewer instructions

Box No. 1.- Class of Dwelling

Mark the corresponding box agreeing with the definitions of Private and Collective Dwelling that appears on page No. 21.

Wall material (CR1963A_0014)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the material in the dwelling's walls.

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

2. Predominant material in the walls

(mark only one box)

- ☐ 1 Wood
- ☐ 2 Concrete
- ☐ 3 Metal sheet
- ☐ 4 Adobe and cane with earth covered with a cement cap (bahareque)
- ☐ 9 Other (specify) ____

Interviewer instructions

Box No. 2.- Predominant Material in the Walls

You should mark an "X" in the respective box, asking for the material which in the largest proportion has been used in the construction of the walls.

Wood- Wood of any kind

Concrete- Brick, cement blocks, water proof cement, mixed brick, stone, reinforced concrete, cement, or any other natural or artificial stone material.

Metal Sheet - Wood with metal wire screen and plaster.

Adobe and bahareque - cane with earth covered with a cement cap (french bahareque), Mud blocks in wooden beams and mixed with smashed brick (filled bahareque), Blocks of earth (adobe).

Other- Specify when using this space, writing down for example: palm, straw, etc.

Floor material (CR1963A_0015)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 1
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-5

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the material in the dwelling's floor.

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

3. Predominant material in the floors

(mark only one box)

- ☐ 1 Wood
- ☐ 2 Tile
- ☐ 3 Brick
- ☐ 4 Mosaic or concrete
- ☐ 9 Other (specify) ____

Interviewer instructions

Box No. 3.- Predominant Material in the Floors

Indicate with an "X" the box for the material which in the largest proportion was used in the construction of the floors. Remember to specify when you use the space "Other", writing down for example: terrazzo, etc.

Roof material (CR1963A_0016)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the material used in the roof of the dwelling.

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

4. Predominant material in the roof

(mark only one box)

- ☐ 1 Clay tiles
☐ 2 Metal sheet (zinc, aluminum, etc.)
☐ 9 Other (specify) ____

Interviewer instructions

Box No. 4.- Predominant Material in the Roofs

Apply the same criteria of Boxes 2 and 3, and specify when you use the space "Other", writing for example: plastic sheets, palm, etc.

Condition of the dwelling (CR1963A_0017)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the condition of the dwelling.

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

5. Condition of the dwelling

- ☐ 1 Good
☐ 2 Fair
☐ 3 Poor

Interviewer instructions

Box No. 5- State of the Dwelling

Mark the respective box according to the following criteria:

Good

Good condition of being inhabited

Average

A dwelling that requires repairs of some importance, by damage or lack of floors or ceiling, or by defects in the walls or roofs, but that has a lot of an acceptable size and is able to be repaired economically, without its defective conditions constituting immanent danger for its inhabitants.

Bad

A dwelling of inadequate original construction, (although recent), because of not having sufficient area, because of the use of materials of waste in the foundation, walls or roof, because of a lack of materials in an extensive area of the foundation, or because of a dangerous slope in the land.

A dwelling deteriorated by a sunken or cracked base, cracked collapsing walls with holes or rot, deteriorated or unsafe roofs, notable curvature of foundations, walls or roofs.

When any of these factors or a combination of these implies danger for its inhabitants, and it is not possible economically to correct or repair the defect, the dwelling will be classified as Bad.

Therefore, the general criteria for classifying a dwelling as bad will be that dwelling which should be eliminated or replaced completely.

Aggravating factors for classifying a dwelling as bad will be considered as:

Lack of access to a public thoroughfare, or deficient access for lateral access, alley, or narrow street.

Very pronounced slope, principally at the banks of rivers.

Lack of light and ventilation.

Unhealthy or disturbing neighborhood (smell, noise, etc).

Water source (CR1963A_0018)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 2
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the source of water for the respondent's dwelling.

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

6. Water source

By pipe (mark one box in each case, a, b, and c)

- a)
☐ Public system
☐ Private system
 b)
☐ Inside the dwelling
☐ Outside of the dwelling
 c)
☐ For this dwelling only
☐ For this and other dwellings

By other means

- ☐ 8 Well
☐ 9 Other (specify) ____

☐ X Does not have

Interviewer instructions

Box No. 6.- Water Source

Piped

Piped water service is understood as the supply of water by pipes from a public or private system, the water always arrives by means of pipes to the dwelling or that is carried from a pipe or other apparatus connected to the public or private system, that is found at a distance not greater than 100 meters from the Dwelling.

Mark with an "X" a box of each one of the following cases:

[Below the text is a graphic.]

According to whether the piped system to which the pipe is connected is public or private.

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[Below the text is a graphic.]

According to whether the pipe takes the water to the interior of the dwelling or not.

[Below the text is a graphic.]

According to whether the pipe supplies water only to the dwelling whose characteristics you are writing down (only for this dwelling), or that supplies it also to other dwellings (for this and other dwellings).

By other Means:

In the case of Dwellings that are supplied water by means of wells, rivers, ditches, etc. If the Dwelling takes water from a well located at a distance not greater than 100 meters, you should mark the respective box ("well"); if it is by other means, specify in the space "Other", writing down for example: river, ditch, gulley, etc.

Does not Have:

It is considered that a dwelling does not have water service, when the place from which it is taken (river, ditch, well, gulley, pipe, etc.) is at a distance greater than 100 meters from the dwelling.

In the case that a family that is being enumerated is not provided water from a pipe, well or other source to provide themselves with water, but they are permitted to take it from a neighboring Dwelling or from a school, local store, etc. it is considered that the Dwelling does not have water service.

Water supply to bathroom (CR1963A_0019)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 1
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-5

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the type of toilet facilities in the respondent's dwelling.

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

Water supply to bathroom

Interviewer instructions

Box 7.- Water supply to bathroom

It is understood that a dwelling has bath services when it is provided from a place or room where a bath is found to be installed. The place can be within or outside the Dwelling. If it is outside it is considered that the Dwelling has a bath, only if it is found to be a distance not greater than 100 meters; if the distance is greater than 100 meters the Dwelling does not have bath services.

The service can be:

Piped: when the bath is supplied water by means of a pipe connected to a public or private system, which brings the water to the Dwelling, or when the water is taken in a pipe or other apparatus that is found to be not greater than 100 meters from the Dwelling and that is connected to a public or private system. [p. 29] Mark the corresponding box according to whether it is:

Only for this Dwelling: when the bath is used by the right only of the occupants of the Dwelling that you are enumerating.

For this and other Dwellings: when the bath is used by the occupants of the Dwelling whose information you are requesting and also by the right of occupants of other Dwellings.

By other means: when there is no place or premises where an installed bath is found, it is always located a distance greater than 100 meters of the Dwelling. In these cases, the water is supplied from a river, well, ditch, or public or private system (piped) that is found more than 100 meters from the Dwelling.

When you use the space "other means" you should specify for example: river, well, ditch piped, etc. according to where the source of water for the bath is supplied from.

Does not have: It is considered that a dwelling does not have bath services when it is not provided a room or premises meant for this purpose, or that its occupants bathe in places like rivers, gulleys, etc. Also it is considered that a Dwelling does not have bath services if its occupants must cover a distance larger than 100 meters to arrive at a place in which a bath is installed.

In the case that the family being enumerated uses, as a given favor, the bath of a neighboring house, school etc., you should consider also that the Dwelling does not have a bath. Keep in mind that this is not the case of Dwellings, generally with the same owner, that have a single bathroom for all; when this situation presents itself it should be considered that each Dwelling has a bath, since its occupants make use of it because they have the right to it.

Sewer facilities (CR1963A_0020)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 2
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the nature of the dwelling's sewer facilities, if available.

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

8. Sewer facilities

(mark only one box)

☐ 1-2 Sewer

☐ 3-4 Septic tank

☐ 5-6 Concrete Cesspool (Pozo negro de planchet)

☐ 7-8 Wooden Cesspool (Pozo negro de madera)

☐ 9-0 Other

☐ 11 Does not have

Interviewer instructions

Box No. 8.- Sewer facilities

Mark with an "X" the box that identifies the type of toilet facilities that the Dwelling has.

Sewer: When the apparatus is connected to a public system.

Septic Tank: When the apparatus is connected to a system that consists of a cement tank, in which the "negros" [black] waters are eliminated by special procedures.

Cesspool: (pit toilet): When the Dwelling only is provided a pit more or less deep, over which is a hut. The cesspool can be: [p. 30]

1) of Concrete: When the floor and the walls are concrete.

2) of Wood: when the floor or the walls, or both wooden.

Other: Any other means of toilet services no thought of here.

Does not have: When the Dwelling is not supplied toilet services.

Box 9.- Use of Toilet Services

You should ask if the toilet services are for exclusive use of the occupants of the Dwelling ("Only For This Dwelling") or if it is also used with equal right by those of other Dwellings ("For This and Other Dwellings"), and mark with an "X" the respective box.

Electricity (CR1963A_0021)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 1

Decimals: 0

Range: 0-9

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the availability and use of electricity in the dwelling.

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

10. Electric energy

(mark only one box)

- ☐ 1 For lighting only
☐ 2 For lighting and other uses
☐ X Does not have

Interviewer instructions

Box 10.- Electric Energy

Ask if this electric energy is supplied to the Dwelling. If the response is affirmative, you should ask also what it is used for and mark the box that corresponds, according to if it is exclusively for lighting or is used also for any other things, like for example for the running of any domestic appliance (radio, television set, electric stove, etc.) or any work machine installed in the Dwelling, or for a water well, etc. It is simply of interest to know if the electric energy is used only for lighting or for lighting and any other uses.

When the Dwelling is not supplied electric energy you should mark the box "Does Not Have".

Fuel used for cooking (CR1963A_0022)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the fuel used for cooking.

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

11. Fuel used for cooking

(Note the primary one)

(Electricity, gas, kerosene (canfín), wood, charcoal, etc.)

Interviewer instructions

Box No. 11.- Fuel used for Cooking

Write down the type or class of fuel that is used for cooking most frequently and in the largest quantity. For example: firewood, coal, kerosene, gas, electricity, etc.

Radio and electric iron (CR1963A_0023)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates if the respondent's household has a radio or an iron.

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

12. Appliances in the dwelling

(mark a box on each line)

Radio

☐ 1 Has☐ 4 Does not have**Interviewer instructions**

Box No.12.- Appliances in the Dwelling

Ask if in the Dwelling there are: radio, electric iron, electric stove, electric toothbrush, washer, water heater, television set and refrigerator. It does not matter that the radio, washer or television set are of batteries, or the refrigerator of kerosene, what is of interest is knowing if the family has these appliances or not.

The water heater can be any type: from the simple appliance placed in the bath to heat the water to the complete heating system of water from all the pipes that there are in the Dwelling.

If any of these appliances are in any way borrowed they should not be included.

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Always remember to mark one of the two boxes ("It Has" or "It Does Not Have") in the line corresponding to each appliance.

The code space should be left blank, because it is for office use.

Stove and vacuum cleaner (CR1963A_0024)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates if the respondent's dwelling has a stove or vacuum cleaner.

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

12. Appliances in the dwelling

(mark a box on each line)

Electric cook stove

☐ 1 Has☐ 4 Does not have**Interviewer instructions**

Box No.12.- Appliances in the Dwelling

Ask if in the Dwelling there are: radio, electric iron, electric stove, electric toothbrush, washer, water heater, television set and refrigerator. It does not matter that the radio, washer or television set are of batteries, or the refrigerator of kerosene, what is of interest is knowing if the family has these appliances or not.

The water heater can be any type: from the simple appliance placed in the bath to heat the water to the complete heating system of water from all the pipes that there are in the Dwelling.

If any of these appliances are in any way borrowed they should not be included.

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Always remember to mark one of the two boxes ("It Has" or "It Does Not Have") in the line corresponding to each appliance.

The code space should be left blank, because it is for office use.

Washing machine and water heater (CR1963A_0025)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates if the respondent's dwelling has a washing machine or water heater.

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

12. Appliances in the dwelling

(mark a box on each line)

Washing machine

☐ 1 Has

☐ 4 Does not have

Interviewer instructions

Box No.12.- Appliances in the Dwelling

Ask if in the Dwelling there are: radio, electric iron, electric stove, electric toothbrush, washer, water heater, television set and refrigerator. It does not matter that the radio, washer or television set are of batteries, or the refrigerator of kerosene, what is of interest is knowing if the family has these appliances or not.

The water heater can be any type: from the simple appliance placed in the bath to heat the water to the complete heating system of water from all the pipes that there are in the Dwelling.

If any of these appliances are in any way borrowed they should not be included.

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Always remember to mark one of the two boxes ("It Has" or "It Does Not Have") in the line corresponding to each appliance.

The code space should be left blank, because it is for office use.

Television and refrigerator (CR1963A_0026)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates if the respondent's dwelling has a television or a refrigerator.

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

12. Appliances in the dwelling

(mark a box on each line)

Television

☐ 1 Has

☐ 4 Does not have

Interviewer instructions

Box No.12.- Appliances in the Dwelling

Ask if in the Dwelling there are: radio, electric iron, electric stove, electric toothbrush, washer, water heater, television set and refrigerator. It does not matter that the radio, washer or television set are of batteries, or the refrigerator of kerosene, what is of interest is knowing if the family has these appliances or not.

The water heater can be any type: from the simple appliance placed in the bath to heat the water to the complete heating system of water from all the pipes that there are in the Dwelling.

If any of these appliances are in any way borrowed they should not be included.

[p. 31]

Always remember to mark one of the two boxes ("It Has" or "It Does Not Have") in the line corresponding to each appliance.

The code space should be left blank, because it is for office use.

Ownership (CR1963A_0027)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the tenure type of the respondent's dwelling.

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

13. Tenure (occupied by:)

(mark only one box)

☐ 1 Renter☐ 2 Owner☐ 9 Other**Interviewer instructions**

Box No. 13- Tenure (occupied by)

Mark the box that corresponds according to if it is occupied by:

Owner: When a Dwelling belongs to one or more of its occupants.

Renter: When a Dwelling is occupied by one or more persons who pay an amount of money for inhabiting it.

Other: Include in this category Dwellings that are not occupied by "Owner" or "Tenant", agreeing with the two definitions above. For example: Dwellings ceded by family members, those occupied by pensioned or employees of a farm without paying rent for them, etc.

Monthly rent (CR1963A_0028)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 3

Decimals: 0

Range: 0-999

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the monthly rent in colones divided by 10 (all private households responded the question regardless of ownership. Home owners gave an estimate of what their rent would be).

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

14. Monthly rent

(write on one line only)

___ colones (exact) - renter -

___ colones (estimated) - owner -

___ colones (estimated) - other-

Interviewer instructions

Box No. 14.- Monthly Rent

When it is indicated that a Dwelling is found to be occupied by "renters", write down the amount of colones that are paid each month for rent. Write with clear numbers omitting "centimes", for example: if the rent is 140.50 write down only 140.00.

If a dwelling is occupied by "Owner" or "Other", it is always necessary to write down the rent. In these you should ask how much the monthly rent is estimated to be or calculated to be; because of this in the space corresponding to these two cases it says "estimated". Possibly this information will be difficult to obtain because a person will refuse to give it; it will then be necessary to insist that it is obligatory to supply it and that it only will be used for statistical purposes. To attain answers faster, it is advisable to ask the question in this form: How much would you rent this house for? Or How much would you pay to inhabit this house? Or How much is the rent of a house like this one in this neighborhood?

It is probable that in many of the cases that a Dwelling is occupied by "Owner" or "Other" they do not supply this information or they do not give it exactly; the enumerator should not strike up discussion with the person about it, but rather proceed in the following manner:

a) If they do not give you the information, indicate it as such in "Observations", writing down there the number that you consider correct, in comparison with other information that you have obtained in the same neighborhood or hamlet.

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b) If you realize that the person is giving you false information, write it down as such and how they give it to you. When finishing the interview, you will explain in observations that you do not believe the truthfulness of this information and you will write down the number that you estimate to be true agreeing with the experience that you have acquired for getting information from other Dwellings of the same place.

Number of rooms and bedrooms (CR1963A_0029)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 2
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the number of rooms and bedrooms in the respondent's dwelling.

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

15. Rooms and bedrooms

(write in both spaces)

___ Number of rooms

___ Of these, how many are used as bedrooms?

Interviewer instructions

Box No. 15.- Rooms and Bedrooms

Rooms

A "room" will be considered as any one of the compartments or rooms used for purposes of lodging, including: living room, dining room, kitchen, bed rooms, studies, recreation rooms, servants' quarters, but excluding: porches, hallways, bathrooms, inner patios, except when these last ones are used as recreation room, library or other purpose of lodging in which case they should be considered as "rooms".

You should ask and write down the number of rooms according to the criteria explained above.

Those compartments that are used exclusively for commercial, industrial or service purposes, such as store, local store (pulpería), bar, workshop, barber shop etc. should not be considered rooms of a Dwelling.

Bedrooms

Bedroom is understood to be any room of a Dwelling that is used for sleeping.

Keep in mind that in the explanation about "rooms" it said that those compartments used exclusively for commercial, industrial or service purposes should not be considered. On the other hand, if in a Dwelling there is a place that is used as a workshop of a shoe store {a very frequent case) and at the same time someone sleeps in it, such a place should be considered as "room", and also so "bedroom".

Number of bedrooms (CR1963A_0030)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 2
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the number of bedrooms in the respondent's dwelling.

Universe

Private dwellings

Literal question

15. Rooms and bedrooms

(write in both spaces)

___ Number of rooms

___ Of these, how many are used as bedrooms?

Interviewer instructions

Box No. 15.- Rooms and Bedrooms

Rooms

A "room" will be considered as any one of the compartments or rooms used for purposes of lodging, including: living room, dining room, kitchen, bed rooms, studies, recreation rooms, servants' quarters, but excluding: porches, hallways, bathrooms, inner patios, except when these last ones are used as recreation room, library or other purpose of lodging in which case they should be considered as "rooms".

You should ask and write down the number of rooms according to the criteria explained above.

Those compartments that are used exclusively for commercial, industrial or service purposes, such as store, local store (pulpería), bar, workshop, barber shop etc. should not be considered rooms of a Dwelling.

Bedrooms

Bedroom is understood to be any room of a Dwelling that is used for sleeping.

Keep in mind that in the explanation about "rooms" it said that those compartments used exclusively for commercial, industrial or service purposes should not be considered. On the other hand, if in a Dwelling there is a place that is used as a workshop of a shoe store {a very frequent case} and at the same time someone sleeps in it, such a place should be considered as "room", and also so "bedroom".

Number of males in dwelling (CR1963A_0031)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 2
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the number of male residents in the respondent's dwelling.

Universe

All households

Literal question

16. Residents in this dwelling

___ Males
___ Females
___ Total

Interviewer instructions

Box No. 16.- Residents In This Dwelling

Ask how many persons reside in the Dwelling and write down the information broken down by sex.

Subsequently, when you have finished filling out the Population Form, you should count the number of men and women that you have written down in it and compare this information with what you wrote down in the Dwelling Form with the purpose of being sure of the complete enumeration.

Number of females in dwelling (CR1963A_0032)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 2
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the number of female residents in the respondent's dwelling.

Universe

All households

Literal question

16. Residents in this dwelling

___ Males
 ___ Females
 ___ Total

Interviewer instructions

Box No. 16.- Residents In This Dwelling

Ask how many persons reside in the Dwelling and write down the information broken down by sex.

Subsequently, when you have finished filling out the Population Form, you should count the number of men and women that you have written down in it and compare this information with what you wrote down in the Dwelling Form with the purpose of being sure of the complete enumeration.

Total persons in dwelling (CR1963A_0033)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 2
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the total number of residents (both male and female) in the respondent's dwelling.

Universe

All households

Literal question

16. Residents in this dwelling

___ Males
 ___ Females
 ___ Total

Interviewer instructions

Box No. 16.- Residents In This Dwelling

Ask how many persons reside in the Dwelling and write down the information broken down by sex.

Subsequently, when you have finished filling out the Population Form, you should count the number of men and women that you have written down in it and compare this information with what you wrote down in the Dwelling Form with the purpose of being sure of the complete enumeration.

Strata (CR1963A_0048)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Continuous
 Format: numeric
 Width: 4
 Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable is the strata identifier for the sample. Strata is a constructed variable that captures implicit geographic stratification resulting from the sample design. It is created by assigning a unique identifier to groups of between 10 and 19 adjacent households. Additional documentation is available on the Variance Estimation page.

Universe

All households

Literal question

Strata

Household weight (HHWT)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Continuous
 Format: numeric
 Width: 8
 Decimals: 2

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

HHWT indicates the number of households in the population represented by the household in the sample.

For the samples that are truly weighted (see the comparability discussion), HHWT must be used to yield accurate household-level statistics.

NOTE: HHWT has 2 implied decimal places. That is, the last two digits of the eight-digit variable are decimal digits, but there is no actual decimal in the data.

2nd subnational geographic level, world [consistent boundaries over time] (GEOLEV2)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 9
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 32002001-888888888

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

GEOLEV2 indicates the second major administrative unit in which the household was enumerated. The variable incorporates the geographies for every country, to enable cross-national geographic analysis over time. Second administrative units in GEOLEV2 have been spatio-temporally harmonized to provide spatially consistent boundaries across samples in each country.

Costa Rica, Province 1963 - 2011 [Level 1; consistent boundaries, GIS] (GEO1_CR)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 6
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 188001-188007

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

GEO1_CR identifies the household's province within Costa Rica in all sample years. Provinces are the first level administrative units of the country. GEO1_CR is spatially harmonized to account for political boundary changes across census years. Some detail is lost in harmonization. A GIS map (in shapefile format), corresponding to GEO1_CR can be downloaded from the GIS Boundary files page in the IPUMS International web site.

The full set of geography variables for Costa Rica can be found in the IPUMS International Geography variables list. For cross-national geographic analysis on the first and second major administrative level refer to GEOLEV1, and GEOLEV2. More information on IPUMS-International geography can be found [here](#).

Costa Rica, Province 1963 [Level 1, GIS] (GEO1_CR1963) File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 3
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 1-7

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

GEO1_CR1963 identifies the household's province within Costa Rica in 1963. Provinces are the first level administrative units of the country. A GIS map (in shapefile format), corresponding to GEO1_CR1963 can be downloaded from the GIS Boundary files page in the IPUMS International web site.

The full set of geography variables for Costa Rica can be found in the IPUMS International Geography variables list. For cross-national geographic analysis on the first and second major administrative level refer to GEOLEV1, and GEOLEV2. More information on IPUMS-International geography can be found [here](#).

Costa Rica, Canton 1963 - 2011 [Level 2; consistent boundaries, GIS] (GEO2_CR) File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 9
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 188001001-188007003

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

GEO2_CR identifies the household's canton within Costa Rica in all sample years. Cantons are the second level administrative units of the country, after provinces. GEO2_CR is spatially harmonized to account for political boundary changes across census years. Some detail is lost in harmonization; see the comparability discussion. A GIS map (in shapefile format), corresponding to GEO2_CR can be downloaded from the GIS Boundary files page in the IPUMS International web site.

The full set of geography variables for Costa Rica can be found in the IPUMS International Geography variables list. For cross-national geographic analysis on the first and second major administrative level refer to GEOLEV1, and GEOLEV2. More information on IPUMS-International geography can be found [here](#).

Costa Rica, Canton 1963 [Level 2, GIS] (GEO2_CR1963) File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 6
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 1001-7003

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

GEO2_CR1963 identifies the household's canton within Costa Rica in 1963. Cantons are the second level administrative units of the country, after provinces. A GIS map (in shapefile format), corresponding to GEO2_CR1963 can be downloaded from the GIS Boundary files page in the IPUMS International web site.

The full set of geography variables for Costa Rica can be found in the IPUMS International Geography variables list. For cross-national geographic analysis on the first and second major administrative level refer to GEOLEV1, and GEOLEV2. More information on IPUMS-International geography can be found here.

Country (COUNTRY)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 3
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 32-894

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

COUNTRY gives the country from which the sample was drawn. The codes assigned to each country are those used by the UN Statistics Division and the ISO (International Organization for Standardization).

Electricity (ELECTRIC)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

ELECTRIC indicates whether the household had access to electricity.

Ownership of dwelling [general version] (OWNERSHIP)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

OWNERSHIP indicates whether a member of the household owned the housing unit. Households that acquired their unit with a mortgage or other lending arrangement were understood to "own" their unit even if they had not yet completed repayment. For those that did not own their housing unit, several options were possible: renting (from various types of owners), subletting, usufruct, and de facto occupation.

Ownership of dwelling [detailed version] (OWNERSHIPD)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 3
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-999

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

OWNERSHIP indicates whether a member of the household owned the housing unit. Households that acquired their unit with a mortgage or other lending arrangement were understood to "own" their unit even if they had not yet completed repayment. For those that did not own their housing unit, several options were possible: renting (from various types of owners), subletting, usufruct, and de facto occupation.

Hot water heater (HOTWATER)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

HOTWATER indicates whether the housing unit had a water heater.

Number of bedrooms (BEDROOMS)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 2
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

BEDROOMS indicates the number of rooms available to members of the household for sleeping.

Roof material (ROOF)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 2
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the dwelling's predominant roofing material.

Strata identifier (STRATA)

File: CRI1963-H-H

Overview

Type: Continuous

Format: numeric

Width: 12

Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0

Invalid: 0

Description

This variable is the strata identifier for the sample. The STRATA variable provides information about the sample design that can be used to improve estimation.

Person number (PERNUM)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 3
Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

PERNUM numbers all persons within each household consecutively (starting with "1" for the first person record of each household). When combined with SAMPLE and SERIAL, PERNUM uniquely identifies each person in the IPUMS-International database.

Relationship to household head [general version] (RELATE)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

RELATE describes the relationship of the individual to the head of household (sometimes called the householder or reference person).

Relationship to household head [detailed version] (RELATED)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 4
Decimals: 0
Range: 1000-9999

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

RELATE describes the relationship of the individual to the head of household (sometimes called the householder or reference person).

Age (AGE)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 3
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-999

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

AGE gives age in years as of the person's last birthday prior to or on the day of enumeration.

Age, grouped into intervals (AGE2)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-98	

Description

AGE2 gives computed years of age grouped into intervals.

Sex (SEX)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Description

SEX reports the sex (gender) of the respondent.

Marital status [general version] (MARST)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Description

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MARST describes the person's current marital status according to law or custom. Individuals who remarried should report the status relevant to their most recent marriage. Census instructions rarely explicitly limit marital status to strictly legal unions.

Note regarding universe: The lowest age at which a person can be anything but "never married" varies among samples.

Marital status [detailed version] (MARSTD)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-999	

Description

[program universe for et,mz samples.

MARST describes the person's current marital status according to law or custom. Individuals who remarried should report the status relevant to their most recent marriage. Census instructions rarely explicitly limit marital status to strictly legal unions.

Note regarding universe: The lowest age at which a person can be anything but "never married" varies among samples.

Consensual union (CONSENS)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

CONSENS indicates whether the respondent was in a consensual union -- a de facto marriage.

Province of birth, Costa Rica (BPLCR)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 2
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

BPLCR indicates the province in Costa Rica in which the person was born.

Citizenship (CITIZEN)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

CITIZEN indicates the person's citizenship status within the country in which they were enumerated.

Country of citizenship (NATION)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 5
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-99999

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

NATION indicates the person's country of citizenship.

School attendance (SCHOOL)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

SCHOOL indicates whether or not the person attended school at the time of the census or within some specified period of time prior to the census.

Literacy (LIT)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

LIT indicates whether or not the respondent could read and write in any language. A person is typically considered literate if he or she can both read and write. All other persons are illiterate, including those who can either read or write but cannot do both.

Educational attainment, Costa Rica (EDUCCR)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 3
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-999

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

EDUCCR indicates the person's educational attainment in terms of the level of schooling completed and the number of years completed at that level.

Activity status (employment status) [general version] (EMPSTAT)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

EMPSTAT indicates whether or not the respondent was part of the labor force -- working or seeking work -- over a specified period of time. Depending on the sample, EMPSTAT can also convey further information.

The first digit of EMPSTAT is fully comparable, and classifies the population into three groups: employed, unemployed, and inactive. The combination of employed and unemployed yields the total labor force. The second and third digits of EMPSTAT preserve additional information available for some countries and census years but not for others.

Employment status is sometimes referred to in other sources as "activity status".

Activity status (employment status) [detailed version] (EMPSTATD) File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 3
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-999

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

EMPSTAT indicates whether or not the respondent was part of the labor force -- working or seeking work -- over a specified period of time. Depending on the sample, EMPSTAT can also convey further information.

The first digit of EMPSTAT is fully comparable, and classifies the population into three groups: employed, unemployed, and inactive. The combination of employed and unemployed yields the total labor force. The second and third digits of EMPSTAT preserve additional information available for some countries and census years but not for others.

Employment status is sometimes referred to in other sources as "activity status".

Industry, general recode (INDGEN) File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 3
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-999

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

INDGEN recodes the industrial classifications of the various samples into twelve groups that can be fairly consistently identified across all available samples. The groupings roughly conform to the International Standard Industrial Classification (ISIC). The third digit of INDGEN retains important detail among the service industries that could not be consistently distinguished in all samples.

"Industry" refers to the activity or product of the establishment or sector in which a person worked.

Industry, unrecoded (IND) File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Continuous
Format: numeric
Width: 5
Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

"Industry" refers to the activity or product of the establishment or sector in which the person worked. IND is classified according to the system used by the respective national census office at the time, and is not recoded by IPUMS-International.

Canton of previous residence, Costa Rica (MIGCR1)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

MIGCR1 indicates the person's canton of previous residence. Persons who never moved from their current canton of residence are coded there.

Person number (CR1963A_0036)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates person number within the household.

Universe

All persons

Literal question

Person number

Person sequence number (CR1963A_0431)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the person number [within the dwelling].

Universe

All persons

Literal question

Person sequence number

Relationship to head of household (CR1963A_0432)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the respondent's relationship to the head of the household.

Universe

All persons

Literal question

2. Relationship to head. Mark the appropriate box according to the relationship the person has to the Head of the "Census Family" or with the head of the "Non-family Group." Remember to specify the relationship when using the blank in "other."

- ☐ 1 Head
- ☐ 2 Wife
- ☐ 3 Companion
- ☐ 4 Son or daughter
- ☐ 9 Other (specify) ____

Interviewer instructions

Line No. 2.- Relation With The Head

Mark the corresponding box according to the tie or relation of each person with the Head of the Census Home.

If a person is the spouse, companion, son or daughter of the Head of the Census Family, you should mark the box that corresponds. When a tie or relation is none of these, use the space "Others" and specify the relation, writing down for example: uncle, mother-in-law, son-in-law, granddaughter, nephew, father, grandfather, brother, servant, lodger, son of servant, etc.

In the case of Non Family Groups, write down in the space "Others" the word that best describes the position of every person within the group: for example: superintendent, lieutenant, pensioned, prisoner, patient, etc. Whatever doubt that arises you should write down in "Observations".

Sex (CR1963A_0433)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the gender of the respondent.

Universe

All persons

Literal question

3. Sex
 Mark the appropriate box

- ☐ 1 Male
- ☐ 2 Female

Interviewer instructions

Line No. 3.- Sex

Mark the corresponding box. Ask the question if the name is not sufficient to determine the sex and can be, in many cases, applied to men or women; examples: Rosario, Carmen, Concepción, etc.

Marital status (CR1963A_0437)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the marital status of the respondent.

Universe

Persons age 12 +

Literal question

5. Marital Status

Mark only one box

Single: one who has never contracted matrimony and does not live in a consensual union

Married: one who has contracted matrimony and lives in that estate

Widowed: one who has not contracted matrimony since the death of a spouse and who does not live in a consensual union

Divorced: one who definitively undid a marital bond through legal means

Consensual union: one who lives in a marital union without having contracted matrimony

Married Separated: one who contracted matrimony and lives apart from the spouse

- ☐ 1 Single
- ☐ 2 Married
- ☐ 3 Widowed
- ☐ 4 Divorced
- ☐ 5 Consensual union
- ☐ 6 Married separated

Interviewer instructions

Line No. 5.- Marital State

For this characteristic you should mark the box that corresponds to the definitions that appear in the form and which are commented on here.

You should always write down the current civil state; like for example: if a person has separated from their spouse and currently lives in "Free [consensual] Union" with another, you should classify them as "Free [consensual] Union" since that is the current state.

Single: is one who never has married, except those who live in "Free [consensual] Union".

Married: is one who is legally married and lives in this state.

Widow: is one who has not married again after the death of their spouse, nor lives in "Free Union" at the moment of the Census.

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If a person has married again or lives in "Free Union", you should indicate the current civil state.

Divorced: one who has broken their matrimonial ties in a definite form through legal means, and also has not married again or lives in "Free Union".

Consensual Union: It is said that a couple lies in "Free Union" when without any marital ties existing that bind them, the members constitute alone or with other family members, a well defined family. This is a delicate aspect and you should proceed with tact and very gently in the interview, avoiding discussions or expressions that could spoil the success of your job.

Married Separated: is one who has separated from their spouse and does not live in free union. The separation can be de facto or separation "de cuerpos" declared by competent authority. It should not be confused with divorce, which is a total and definitive separation.

Keep in mind that the previous concepts are mutually exclusive and that therefore, you should mark only one box for each person.

When it is possible, the enumerator should abstain from suggesting the response of the person, over all in the case of Divorced, Married Separated, and Free Union; so you will avoid an unfavorable atmosphere when the person is very sensitive in this sense. Some times the person does not give this information in a truthful form, principally in some of the cases cited before; so for example, they say that they are married and in reality they live in Free Union. In many of these cases, the enumerator will realize the falseness of the information in the course of the interview, but you should never insist in this matter; when this happens you should explain it in the space for "Observations", and write down there the information that you consider correct. You should be careful to do it later after you have finished the interview, to avoid displeasure or resentment of the person.

Years of residence in current Canton (CR1963A_0438)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 2
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the number of years the respondent has lived in her current county [canton] of residence.

Universe

All persons

Literal question

Migration:

6. How long have you lived in this canton?

Mark the box "always" if the person has only lived in this canton. Otherwise write the number of years.

☐ Always

____ Number of years

Interviewer instructions

Line No. 6.-How long have you lived in this canton?

Ask the question and write down the response in the corresponding space.

When a person has resided always in the same place in which you are interviewing them, simply mark with an "X" the box "Always"; in the contrary case, write down the number of completed years that they have resided in the canton. When a person has not resided a complete year in the canton, write "Less than 1" in the space that says: "No. of years".

Province of prior residence (CR1963A_0456)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the province of prior residence of the respondent.

Universe

All persons

Literal question

Migration:

7. In which canton did you live previously?

Mark an "X" if the person has only lived in this canton. Otherwise write the canton or the country of previous residence.

Canton or country of prior residence (CR1963A_0439)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 3
Decimals: 0
Range: 101-999

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the respondent's county [canton] or country of prior residence.

Universe

All persons

Literal question

Migration:

7. In which canton did you live previously?

Mark an "X" if the person has only lived in this canton. Otherwise write the canton or the country of previous residence.

Interviewer instructions

Line No. 7.- In which canton did you live previously?

When you have marked the box "Always" in question No. 6, do not ask this question No. 7 and mark an "X" in the space meant for writing down the response.

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If a person has not always resided in the same place, ask and write down the name of the Canton where they resided before settling down in the current place of residence, or where you are interviewing them.

If the person does not know the name of the canton, write down the neighborhood, hamlet district and province.

If a person resided before abroad write down the name of the country.

Province of birth (CR1963A_0457)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the province of birth of the respondent.

Universe

All persons

Literal question

8. Place of birth.

Mark an "X" if the person's mother lived in this place at the time of the person's birth. If the mother lived in another canton write the canton. If the mother lived abroad write the country.

Interviewer instructions

Line No. 8.- Place of birth

By means of this question, knowing in which place the family of each person resided at their birth is desired to be known. One should not simply ask for the place of birth, because the majority of persons were born in hospitals, clinics, etc., that, generally, are not in the same place where the family resided. Because of this you should inquire about the place in which the mother of each person resided and make the annotation that corresponds agreeing with the following:

- 1) If when the person whose information you are writing down was born, the mother resided in the same canton in which the person resides now (that is, in the canton where being interviewed), you should simply mark an "X".
- 2) If the mother resided in another canton, write down the name of the canton, and when you cannot get the name of the canton, write down the neighborhood, hamlet, district and province.
- 3) If the mother resided abroad, write down the name of the country. It is necessary to take into account that these three questions (6, 7 and 8) are intimately related to each other, and also there should exist compatibility between the responses that are written down about the different people in the same group; that is to say that the enumerator should take the necessary care so that there are no contradictions in the responses written down, over all when relating the information of one member of the family with the information of others.

Some times these three questions get different responses for each person, but there are cases in which they have to be the same; such as for example, supposing that all members of a Census Family that you are enumerating, were born and have lived in the same canton, it will result that all the responses to be written down in these questions are equal, since, according to what was explained, the annotation in these cases is an "X" in each one of the spaces. Nevertheless, this situation can vary for the whole family or for some of its members, and then complications will arise. At times it will result that members were born in different cantons, have lived in different cantons and have different years of residing in the canton in which you are enumerating them; it is here when the enumerator should be very careful to avoid contradictions in the information that is written down.

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These observations will be amplified in the period of direct instruction, since expounding here about what constitutes the complications that arise with these three questions when doing the enumeration and how one should proceed to avoid errors may be very complex.

Nationality (CR1963A_0441)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 2
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the respondent's nationality (country name).

Universe

All persons

Literal question

Migration:

9. Nationality

Mark and "X" if Costa Rican by birth and "NX" if Costa Rican by naturalization. If foreign, write the appropriate nationality.

Interviewer instructions

Line No. 9.- Nationality

Ask the question and write down the annotation according to the following:

- 1) If one is Costa Rican by birth, write down an "X".
- 2) If one is a naturalized Costa Rican, write down "NX".
- 3) If one is a foreigner, write down the nationality that the person reports. If a person has more than one nationality, write down the one corresponding to the country of birth.

Social Security availability (CR1963A_0442)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates whether the respondent has social security.

Universe

All persons

Literal question

10. Social security

Mark the appropriate box according to whether the person is protected or not, directly or indirectly, by the social security.

- ☐ 1 Yes
☐ 2 No

Interviewer instructions

Line No. 10.- Social Security

This question should be asked also to all persons. By means of it, what is to be known is the size and the location of the population that enjoys the protection of Social Security, through any of its regimes, such as Sickness and Maternity, Seniority, Handicap and Death; and in direct (direct insurance) or indirect (indirect or family insurance). The enumerator should be careful to ask if the Head of Family or the spouse has family insurance, in which case all children less than 18 years old will be protected by Social Security, it should be marked, for them, the box "Yes".

Also you should mark the corresponding box according to whether the person is protected or not in direct or indirect form, by any regime of Social Security.

Take into account that here Social Security is discussed or that is that administration of the Costa Rican Social Security Fund. Those who administer the National Institute of Security are "Individual Insurances:", and are not thought of in this question.

Currently attending regular education institution (CR1963A_0443)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates whether the respondent attends a regular educational institution.

Universe

Persons age 7+

Literal question

Educational Characteristics

Only for those 7 years of age and older [applies to questions 11 to 13]

11. Currently attending

Ask both questions.

Are you currently attending school, high school or university?

☐ 1 Yes☐ 2 No

Are you currently attending other educational institutions (specify: vocational school, business school, etc.)

___ ☐ 1**Interviewer instructions**

Educational Characteristics

Ask these questions only to persons seven years old or older.

When filling about these lines it is convenient to consult the age (line 4), so that compatibility exists in the responses.

For Census purposes, "regular education" will be understood to be that which persons receive in primary school, secondary schools, and universities.

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Normal schools are considered university level.

Line 11.- Do you attend currently

Primary school, Secondary school or University?

Mark the box "Yes", when a person 7 years old or older, attended, for at least one day during the month of March, a center of regular education, and the box "No" in the contrary case.

Other Centers of Education

If a person attended at least one day of the month of March in any center of education, write down the type of center: commercial school, vocational school, language school, etc. If a person did not attend one of these centers, simply write "No".

Currently attending other educational institutions (CR1963A_0444)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates whether the respondent attends other educational institutions.

Universe

Persons age 7+

Literal question

Educational Characteristics

Only for those 7 years of age and older [applies to questions 11 to 13]

11. Currently attending

Ask both questions.

Are you currently attending school, high school or university?

☐ 1 Yes

☐ 2 No

Are you currently attending other educational institutions (specify: vocational school, business school, etc.)

____ ☐ 1

Interviewer instructions

Educational Characteristics

Ask these questions only to persons seven years old or older.

When filling about these lines it is convenient to consult the age (line 4), so that compatibility exists in the responses.

For Census purposes, "regular education" will be understood to be that which persons receive in primary school, secondary schools, and universities.

[p. 48]

Normal schools are considered university level.

Line 11.- Do you attend currently

Primary school, Secondary school or University?

Mark the box "Yes", when a person 7 years old or older, attended, for at least one day during the month of March, a center of regular education, and the box "No" in the contrary case.

Other Centers of Education

If a person attended at least one day of the month of March in any center of education, write down the type of center: commercial school, vocational school, language school, etc. If a person did not attend one of these centers, simply write "No".

Educational attainment (CR1963A_0445)

File: CR1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 2
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the highest year of education completed by the respondent (the first digit indicates the year and the second digit indicated the educational level).

Universe

Persons age 7+

Literal question

Educational Characteristics

Only for those 7 years of age and older [applies to questions 11 to 13]

12. Last grade or year completed:

Write the number of the grade or year on the appropriate line. Mark the box "04" if the person has not completed any grade.

___ 1 Primary
 ___ 2 Secondary
 ___ 3 University
 [] 04 No grade

Interviewer instructions

Educational Characteristics

Ask these questions only to persons seven years old or older.

When filling about these lines it is convenient to consult the age (line 4), so that compatibility exists in the responses.

For Census purposes, "regular education" will be understood to be that which persons receive in primary school, secondary schools, and universities.

[p. 48]

Normal schools are considered university level.

Line No. 12.- Last grade or year completed

Like the previous question, this one should be asked only to persons 7 years old or older.

Write the number of the highest grade or year that a person has passed. In this question it is necessary to insist a little, since, generally, a person tends to say the grade or year that the person is in; while the last passed is what is to be known.

You should write down the number of the grade or year in the corresponding line agreeing with the level of education. If a person does not remember the information exactly, but knows they attended primary school, secondary school or university, write down a "d" (which means unknown in the respective line).

Many university students take subjects of different years, always write down the last year that they have completely passed.

In the case of university graduates, who although they are have not taken the exams to obtain their professional title, the last year passed should always be written down. If a person has a university degree (medical, law, or economy, etc.), write a "G" (which means graduated) in the line that says "University".

When a person has not passed any grade, mark the box that has this name (No Grade); this box should be marked for two groups of persons, namely:

- 1) Those being 7 or more years old, never have attended school.
- 2) Children or any other person who is taking first grade in primary education.

Able to read and write (CR1963A_0446)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates if the respondent is able to read and write.

Universe

Persons age 7+

Literal question

Educational Characteristics

Only for those 7 years of age and older [applies to questions 11 to 13]

13. Able to read and write?

Mark the appropriate box

☐ 1 Yes

☐ 2 No

Interviewer instructions

Educational Characteristics

Ask these questions only to persons seven years old or older.

When filling about these lines it is convenient to consult the age (line 4), so that compatibility exists in the responses.

For Census purposes, "regular education" will be understood to be that which persons receive in primary school, secondary schools, and universities.

[p. 48]

Normal schools are considered university level.

Line No. 13.- Do you know how to read and write?

This question is included with the purpose of knowing the literacy and should be asked only for persons 7 years old or older.

Mark the box "Yes" when a person can read and write a simple paragraph in any language. The box "No" should be marked for four groups of persons, namely:

1) Those who do not know how to read or write a simple paragraph

2) Those who only know how to read.

3) Those who only know how to sign and/or write their name, and

4) Those who at one time knew how to read and write, but have forgotten it.

In the case of persons who currently are taking classes in the second grade of primary education or any other higher grade, it is not necessary to ask the question; mark the box "Yes" automatically.

Economic activity (CR1963A_0447)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the economic activity of the respondent.

Universe

Persons age 12+

Literal question

Occupational Characteristics

Only for those 12 years of age and older [applies to questions 14 to 19]

14. General classification - Mark the appropriate box

Employed: one who worked 6 days or more during the month of March 1963

Student: one who only studied during March 1963

Unemployed: one who did not work or worked fewer than 6 days in March 1963

Household duties: one who only did household work

Other: pensioner, retiree, rentier, beggar, insane, institutionalized, etc.

☐ 1 Employed

☐ 2 Student

☐ 3 Unemployed

☐ 4 Household duties

9 Other (specify) ____

Interviewer instructions

Occupational Characteristics

Ask these questions only to persons 12 years old or older.

This part of the form joins many interesting aspects relative to the occupation of the individuals. By means of these six questions it will be able to be known where and in what the Costa Rican population works, how many are employees, employers or exclusively students; how many women work only in the house, and much more information.

Logically to arrive at obtaining comparable information, all the enumerators should follow the norms and established definitions.

Line No. 14.- General classification

By means of the mark that you make in the appropriate box, the whole population will be classified, agreeing with its primary occupational characteristics.

You should only mark one box for each person. Ask what a person does and then include it in the line that corresponds, according to the following definitions that are given:

Employed: is each person 12 years old or older who, during the reference period (March 1963), has worked for at least 6 days or work days. If they were absent from their job because of vacations, sickness, involuntary stoppage of work or strike, consider them as employed. Take them as such, since by having worked an occupation they have received or not, directly or indirectly, a payment in cash, in kind, or in both forms.

Student: is any person 12 years old or older who is dedicated exclusively to studying. If a person as well as studying, worked 6 or more days during the reference period (March 1963) consider them as "employed".

Unemployed: is all persons 12 years old or older capable of working (that is to say, they worked before and look for work) not one who looked for it for the first time), who during the month of March 1963 did not work any occupation, for at least 6 days or work days.

If a person 12 years old or older, capable of working, worked less than 6 days or work days in the month of March, write them down as "Unemployed".

If a person 12 years old or older, capable of working, is not working on the date of the Census, or when the enumerator interviews them, but worked for a space of 6 or more days or work days in the month of March, they should be classified as "Employed", since this information does not refer to the date of the Census nor to the interview that the enumerator did, but rather that there is for them a period of reference: the month of March 1963.

Keep in mind that in this group also are included all persons, capable of working, who did not work during the reference period; therefore do not include here the incapacitated (blind, paralytic, etc.), who do not work due to their physical condition, nor pensioners, who are included in another group.

Domestic Craft: In this group are included women 12 years old or older who dedicate their time to chores of the home and do not work any other occupation, except pensioners or retirees. Generally they are understood to be a mother or daughters, also any other relative who resides in the Dwelling.

Servants and other employees are "Employed" and should be written down as such in the form.

Other: You should include in this group all persons 12 years old or older who are not included in the previous concepts. The persons referred to in this group are:

a) Pensioner and retirees; or that is those who live exclusively on a pension or retirement payments. They should always be written down even if they do domestic chores in their home.

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b) Rentiers; or those persons who draw investments from any origin and live exclusively from them. They should always be written down even if they do domestic labors in their home.

c) Persons interned in institutions; who are residents in jails, hospitals, convents, asylums, etc., permanently. Temporary interned (or that is who are going to remain there less than a year) who have an occupation, which they are not doing because of being interned occasionally in the institution should not be included among these; such persons should be classified as "Employed".

Other persons; includes persons such as blind, beggars, paralytics, etc. always who do not have any occupation, nor are interned in institutions.

When a person should be included in this group, it is necessary to specify, writing down that which corresponds to concepts a), b), c) and d).

Principal occupation (CR1963A_0448)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 2
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the principal occupation of the respondent.

Universe

Persons age 12+ who were employed or unemployed

Literal question

Occupational Characteristics

Only for those 12 years of age and older [applies to questions 14 to 19]

Items 15 - 18 are only for "employed" and "unemployed"

15. Occupation

Write the principal occupation during the month of March, 1963. If "unemployed" ask and write the last occupation.
 Examples: musician, doctor, teacher, agricultural laborer, lawyer, bricklayer, etc.

Interviewer instructions

Occupational Characteristics

Ask these questions only to persons 12 years old or older.

This part of the form joins many interesting aspects relative to the occupation of the individuals. By means of these six questions it will be able to be known where and in what the Costa Rican population works, how many are employees, employers or exclusively students; how many women work only in the house, and much more information.

Logically to arrive at obtaining comparable information, all the enumerators should follow the norms and established definitions.

Line No. 15.-Occupation

Ask this question only for "Employed" or "Unemployed".

Write down in this space the word or expression that describes clearly the nature of the job that a person did during the reference period (March 1963). When a person has had more than one job in this period ask and write down the principle one, or that is the one which reported the largest wages.

Write down words and definitions that define the nature of the job in a precise form; for example: farm worker, carpenter's aid, street salesperson, civil engineer, lawyer, cashier, nurse, sanitary inspector, carpenter, mason, teacher.

Avoid the use of generic terms such as: worker, aid, owner, day laborer, etc., which say nothing about nature or class of work that a person did during the period of reference, which is what is wanted.

When it concerns "Unemployed", ask and write down the last occupation the person had, it does not matter how long ago it was.

Keep in mind that here what you should write down is the occupation and not profession. Of course, it can happen, and it is very frequent, that both (occupation and profession) coincide; but also it can happen that they do not; for example: it is common that doctors, engineers, lawyers, etc. work in the same profession; nevertheless also it is frequent that a Doctor is the Administrator of a hospital, or an Engineer the Manager of a company; cases in which the occupation of a person does not coincide with their profession.

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It is evident that in the last two examples, the occupation of the doctor is "Administrator" and that of the engineer is "Manager". Because of this is, precisely, why the enumerator should ask for the occupation, and in the case of professionals, insist more from the person to determine if the profession or occupation coincides, that is to say, if the doctor works as a doctor, the lawyer as a lawyer, engineer as engineer, etc.

Industry, 1 digit (CR1963A_0450)

File: CR1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 2
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the industry (1 digit) where the respondent worked.

Universe

Persons age 12+ who were employed or unemployed

Literal question

Occupational Characteristics

Only for those 12 years of age and older [applies to questions 14 to 19]

Items 15 - 18 are only for "employed" and "unemployed"

16. Industry

Write the type of company or activity in which the person works. Examples: Orchestra, doctor's office, government ministry, plantation, law office, construction, etc.

Interviewer instructions

Occupational Characteristics

Ask these questions only to persons 12 years old or older.

This part of the form joins many interesting aspects relative to the occupation of the individuals. By means of these six questions it will be able to be known where and in what the Costa Rican population works, how many are employees, employers or exclusively students; how many women work only in the house, and much more information.

Logically to arrive at obtaining comparable information, all the enumerators should follow the norms and established definitions.

Line No. 16.- Branch of activity [Industry]

Ask this question only for the case of "Employed" and "Unemployed".

This question is intimately related to the previous, you should write down the branch of activity that corresponds to the occupation written down in it, that is to say, the type of industry, business, institution, agricultural operation, public dependence, etc., in which the person did their occupation. Write down expressions like: car repairs, shoe factory, Ministry of Government Work, local store, bar, magistrate, hospital, bank, Ministry of Health, shoe store, pharmacy, etc. Here also you should avoid generic terms such as: workshop, factory, government, commercial establishment, etc., which say nothing about what is wanted to be known.

When it concerns a commercial establishment, specify if it is "Wholesale" or "Retail".

If a person works for a company that manages more than one activity, write down the one that you are informed is most important.

Industry, 2 digit (CR1963A_0451)

File: CR1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 2
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the industry (2 digit) where the respondent worked.

Universe

Persons age 12+ who were employed or unemployed

Literal question

Occupational Characteristics

Only for those 12 years of age and older [applies to questions 14 to 19]

Items 15 - 18 are only for "employed" and "unemployed"

16. Industry

Write the type of company or activity in which the person works. Examples: Orchestra, doctor's office, government ministry, plantation, law office, construction, etc.

Interviewer instructions

Occupational Characteristics

Ask these questions only to persons 12 years old or older.

This part of the form joins many interesting aspects relative to the occupation of the individuals. By means of these six questions it will be able to be known where and in what the Costa Rican population works, how many are employees, employers or exclusively students; how many women work only in the house, and much more information.

Logically to arrive at obtaining comparable information, all the enumerators should follow the norms and established definitions.

Line No. 16.- Branch of activity [Industry]

Ask this question only for the case of "Employed" and "Unemployed".

This question is intimately related to the previous, you should write down the branch of activity that corresponds to the occupation written down in it, that is to say, the type of industry, business, institution, agricultural operation, public dependence, etc., in which the person did their occupation. Write down expressions like: car repairs, shoe factory, Ministry of Government Work, local store, bar, magistrate, hospital, bank, Ministry of Health, shoe store, pharmacy, etc. Here also you should avoid generic terms such as: workshop, factory, government, commercial establishment, etc., which say nothing about what is wanted to be known.

When it concerns a commercial establishment, specify if it is "Wholesale" or "Retail".

If a person works for a company that manages more than one activity, write down the one that you are informed is most important.

Industry, 3 digits (CR1963A_0452)

File: CR1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 3
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-999

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the industry (3 digit) where the respondent worked.

Universe

Persons age 12+ who were employed or unemployed

Literal question

Occupational Characteristics

Only for those 12 years of age and older [applies to questions 14 to 19]

Items 15 - 18 are only for "employed" and "unemployed"

16. Industry

Write the type of company or activity in which the person works. Examples: Orchestra, doctor's office, government ministry, plantation, law office, construction, etc.

Interviewer instructions

Occupational Characteristics

Ask these questions only to persons 12 years old or older.

This part of the form joins many interesting aspects relative to the occupation of the individuals. By means of these six questions it will be able to be known where and in what the Costa Rican population works, how many are employees, employers or exclusively students; how many women work only in the house, and much more information.

Logically to arrive at obtaining comparable information, all the enumerators should follow the norms and established definitions.

Line No. 16.- Branch of activity [Industry]

Ask this question only for the case of "Employed" and "Unemployed".

This question is intimately related to the previous, you should write down the branch of activity that corresponds to the occupation written down in it, that is to say, the type of industry, business, institution, agricultural operation, public dependence, etc., in which the person did their occupation. Write down expressions like: car repairs, shoe factory, Ministry of Government Work, local store, bar, magistrate, hospital, bank, Ministry of Health, shoe store, pharmacy, etc. Here also you should avoid generic terms such as: workshop, factory, government, commercial establishment, etc., which say nothing about what is wanted to be known.

When it concerns a commercial establishment, specify if it is "Wholesale" or "Retail".

If a person works for a company that manages more than one activity, write down the one that you are informed is most important.

Class of worker (CR1963A_0453)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the respondent's occupational category.

Universe

Persons age 12+ who were employed or unemployed

Literal question

Occupational Characteristics

Only for those 12 years of age and older [applies to questions 14 to 19]

Items 15 - 18 are only for "employed" and "unemployed"

17. Occupational category (employment status). Mark the appropriate box

Owner: one who operates his own company and has paid workers

Family worker: one who works in the company of a relative without receiving payment

Paid worker: one who receives payment, in money or in kind, for working

Own-account worker: one who operates his own company and does not have paid workers

☐ 1 Owner

☐ 2 Family worker

☐ 3 Paid worker

☐ 4 Own-account worker

Interviewer instructions

Occupational Characteristics

Ask these questions only to persons 12 years old or older.

This part of the form joins many interesting aspects relative to the occupation of the individuals. By means of these six questions it will be able to be known where and in what the Costa Rican population works, how many are employees, employers or exclusively students; how many women work only in the house, and much more information.

Logically to arrive at obtaining comparable information, all the enumerators should follow the norms and established definitions.

Line No. 17.- Occupational category

This question should only be asked to "Employed" and "Unemployed".

By means of this question every person is wanted to be classified writing down the occupational position that is corresponding, according to the following definitions.

Employer: is the owner of any company, big or small, or one who manages a profession or craft and has one or more remunerated workers. One who does not have remunerated employees is not an employer.

Family Worker: is a person not remunerated, who manages an occupation in an economic company run by a member of the Census Home.

Worker with Remuneration: is a person who receives remuneration in the form of salary, wage, commission, paid by the job or in kind and who works for an employer, it being either a person or a public or private entity.

Worker for their Own Account: is a person who is dedicated to an occupation, profession or office, in an independent form, that is, without remunerated employees, nor being employed by anyone.

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One who has no remunerated employees also is included in this category. A worker by their own account can work alone or with an associate.

You should, according to these definitions, assign to each person their category and mark the corresponding box; in no case should you mark more than one box. When you are found with any special situation that you consider doubtful, write it down in the space for "Observations".

Months worked last year (CR1963A_0455)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

This variable indicates the grouped number of months the respondent worked in the past year.

Universe

Persons age 12+ who worked or had worked

Literal question

Occupational Characteristics

Only for those 12 years of age and older [applies to questions 14 to 19]

19. Length of employment

Write the number of months worked during the last year (from April 1st 1962 to March 31st 1963)

____ Number of months

Interviewer instructions

Occupational Characteristics

Ask these questions only to persons 12 years old or older.

This part of the form joins many interesting aspects relative to the occupation of the individuals. By means of these six questions it will be able to be known where and in what the Costa Rican population works, how many are employees, employers or exclusively students; how many women work only in the house, and much more information.

Logically to arrive at obtaining comparable information, all the enumerators should follow the norms and established definitions.

Line No. 19.- Length of Employment

This question should be asked to all persons 12 years old or older.

In this space you should write down the number of months that a person was working last year (from April 1, 1962 to March 31, 1963). If a person had different jobs at the same time, write down the months worked in each one and write down this information; when you write it indicate in "Observations" that this information corresponds to two, three, four, etc, occupations.

When a person has worked less than a month during the period mentioned, write "Less than 1" in the space that says "No, of months". In the other cases, write down the number of complete months: that is to say, if a person worked 3 months and 20 days, write down 3 months; if 9 months and 4 days were worked, write down 9 months, etc.

Person weight (PERWT)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Continuous
 Format: numeric
 Width: 8
 Decimals: 2

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

PERWT indicates the number of persons in the actual population represented by the person in the sample.

For the samples that are truly weighted (see the comparability discussion), PERWT must be used to yield accurate statistics for the population.

NOTE: PERWT has 2 implied decimal places. That is, the last two digits of the eight-digit variable are decimal digits, but there is no actual decimal in the data.

Years residing in current locality (MIGYRS1)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 2
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

MIGYRS1 indicates how many years the person has resided in their current locality of residence.

Years of schooling (YRSCHOOL)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 2
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

YRSCHOOL indicates the highest grade/level of schooling the person had completed, in years. Only formal schooling is counted. YRSCHOOL accounts for the number of years of study, regardless of the track or kind of study. Information on degree and/or technical track is available in EDATTAIN. Years of schooling for Israel, categorized into intervals, are given in YRSCHOOL2.

Users should pay close attention to the top-codes in each sample, as discussed in the comparability section.

Migration status, previous residence (MIGRATEP)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 2
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-99

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

MIGRATEP indicates whether the person's most recent move (if any) was between minor administrative units, major units, or countries.

Educational attainment, international recode [general version] (EDATTAIN)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

EDATTAIN records the person's educational attainment in terms of the level of schooling completed (degree or other milestone). The emphasis on level completed is critical: a person attending the final year of secondary education receives the code for having completed lower secondary only -- and in some samples only primary.

EDATTAIN does not necessarily reflect any particular country's definition of the various levels of schooling in terms of terminology or the number of years of schooling. EDATTAIN is an attempt to merge -- into a single, roughly comparable variable -- samples that provide degrees, ones that provide actual years of schooling, and those that have some of both. In addition to EDATTAIN, a country-specific education classification is provided which loses no information and reflects the particular educational system of that country (for example EDUCBR for Brazil, EDUCCL for Chile, and EDUCUS for the United States). As always, users can refer to the original education source variables for each sample, if they wish.

Many samples also give single years of schooling completed, recorded in YRSCHOOL. Some samples provide educational information in a form that could not be incorporated into EDATTAIN.

Educational attainment, international recode [detailed version] (EDATTAIND)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 3
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-999

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Description

EDATTAIN records the person's educational attainment in terms of the level of schooling completed (degree or other milestone). The emphasis on level completed is critical: a person attending the final year of secondary education receives the code for having completed lower secondary only -- and in some samples only primary.

EDATTAIN does not necessarily reflect any particular country's definition of the various levels of schooling in terms of terminology or the number of years of schooling. EDATTAIN is an attempt to merge -- into a single, roughly comparable variable -- samples that provide degrees, ones that provide actual years of schooling, and those that have some of both. In addition to EDATTAIN, a country-specific education classification is provided which loses no information and reflects the particular educational system of that country (for example EDUCBR for Brazil, EDUCCL for Chile, and EDUCUS for the United States). As always, users can refer to the original education source variables for each sample, if they wish.

Many samples also give single years of schooling completed, recorded in YRSCHOOL. Some samples provide educational information in a form that could not be incorporated into EDATTAIN.

Country of birth (BPLCOUNTRY)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 5
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-99999

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

BPLCOUNTRY indicates the person's country of birth.

Country of previous residence (MIGCTryp)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 5
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-99999

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

MIGCTryp indicates the country of previous residence of international migrants. Persons who never lived abroad are coded to the "non-migrant" category.

Nativity status (NATIVITY)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

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

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

NATIVITY indicates whether the person was native- or foreign-born.

Year [person version] (YEARP)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Continuous
 Format: numeric
 Width: 4
 Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

[This file is just a placeholder. See the household version of the variable.]

IPUMS sample identifier [person version] (SAMPLEP)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Continuous
 Format: numeric
 Width: 9
 Decimals: 0

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Description

[This file is just a placeholder. See the household version of the variable.]

Household serial number [person version] (SERIAL)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 10	
Decimals: 0	

Description

[This file is just a placeholder. See the household version of the variable.]

Country [person version] (COUNTRYP)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	
Decimals: 0	

Description

[This file is just a placeholder. See the household version of the variable.]

Record type [person version] (RECTYPEP)

File: CRI1963-P-H

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	

Description

[This file is just a placeholder. See the household version of the variable.]

Documentation

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