

SPOUSE data file: Variable list and specifications

| Variable | Format | Label |
|---|--------|-------------------------------------|
| Identifier information: | | |
| COUNTRY | 4.0 | Country of focus |
| COMMUN | 4.0 | Community number |
| SURVEYPL | 4.0 | Place of survey |
| SURVEYYR | 4.0 | Year of survey |
| HHNUM | 4.0 | Household number (within community) |
| Sample-specific weight: | | |
| WEIGHT | 6.2 | Weight |
| Background information (time-constant): | | |
| SEX | 4.0 | Sex |
| YRBORN | 4.0 | Year of birth |
| STATEBRN | 4.0 | State of birth |
| PLACEBRN | 4.0 | Place of birth |
| OCC | 4.0 | Principal occupation |
| U.S. migration experience (time-constant): | | |
| USBORN | 4.0 | Born in the U.S. |
| USYR1 | 4.0 | First US mig: Year |
| USMAR1 | 4.0 | First U.S. mig: Married |
| USDUR1 | 4.0 | First US mig: Duration (in months) |
| USDOC1 | 4.0 | First US mig: Documentation used |
| USSTATE1 | 4.0 | First US mig: State of residence |
| USPLACE1 | 4.0 | First US mig: City of residence |
| USOCC1 | 4.0 | First US mig: Occupation |
| USWAGE1 | 8.2 | First US mig: Wage (dollars) |
| USWB1 | 4.0 | First US mig: Wage Unit |
| USYRL | 4.0 | Last US mig: Year |
| USMARL | 4.0 | Last U.S. mig: Married |
| USDURL | 4.0 | Last US mig: Duration (in months) |
| USDOCL | 4.0 | Last US mig: Documentation used |
| USSTATEL | 4.0 | Last US mig: State of residence |
| USPLACEL | 4.0 | Last US mig: City of residence |
| USOCCL | 4.0 | Last US mig: Occupation |
| USWAGEL | 8.2 | Last US mig: Wage (dollars) |
| USWBYL | 4.0 | Last US mig: Wage Unit |
| USCURTRP | 4.0 | Currently on last visit? |
| USTRIPS | 4.0 | Total number of US visits |
| USEXP | 4.0 | Total months of US experience |
| LEGYRAPP | 4.0 | Legalization: Year applied |
| LEGYRREC | 4.0 | Legalization: Year received |
| LEGSPON | 4.0 | Legalization: Sponsor |
| CTIYRAPP | 4.0 | Citizenship: Year applied |
| CITYRREC | 4.0 | Citizenship: Year received |
| HOWJOBS | 4.0 | Last US mig: How job was obtained |
| HRWAGES | 8.2 | Last US mig: Hourly wage |

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| HRWEEKS | 4.0 | Last US mig: Hours worked per week |
| MONSYRS | 4.0 | Last US mig: Months worked per year |
| HOWPAIDS | 4.0 | Last US mig: How wages paid |
| SSTAXS | 4.0 | Last US mig: Soc. Sec. taxes withheld |
| FEDTXS | 4.0 | Last US mig: Fed taxes withheld |
| ROWNERS | 4.0 | Last US mig: Race of employer |
| RSUPERS | 4.0 | Last US mig: Race of supervisor |

Mexican migration experience (time-constant):

| | | |
|----------|-----|---|
| MXYR1 | 4.0 | First Mexican mig: Year |
| MXDUR1 | 4.0 | First Mexican mig: Duration (in months) |
| MXSTATE1 | 4.0 | First Mexican mig: State of residence |
| MXPLACE1 | 4.0 | First Mexican mig: City of residence |
| MXSTUD1 | 4.0 | First Mexican mig: Studied? |
| MXOCC1 | 4.0 | First Mexican mig: Occupation |
| MXWAGE1 | 8.2 | First Mexican mig: Wage (pesos) |
| MXBY1 | 4.0 | First Mexican mig: Frequency of wages |
| MXWAGE1Y | 4.0 | First Mexican mig: Wage year |

| | | |
|----------|-----|--|
| MXYRL | 4.0 | Last Mexican mig: Year |
| MXDURL | 4.0 | Last Mexican mig: Duration (in months) |
| MXSTATEL | 4.0 | Last Mexican mig: State of residence |
| MXPLACEL | 4.0 | Last Mexican mig: City of residence |
| MXOCCL | 4.0 | Last Mexican mig: Occupation |
| MXSTUDL | 4.0 | Last Mexican mig: Studied? |
| MXWAGEL | 8.2 | Last Mexican mig: Wage (pesos) |
| MXBYL | 4.0 | Last Mexican mig: Frequency of wages |
| MXWAGELY | 4.0 | Last Mexican mig: Wage year |
| MXCURTRP | 4.0 | Currently on last Mexican visit? |
| MXTRIPS | 4.0 | Total number of Mexican Migrations |

Internal (Domestic) migration experience (time-constant):

| | | |
|----------|-----|--|
| DOYR1 | 4.0 | First Domestic mig: Year |
| DODUR1 | 4.0 | First Domestic mig: Duration (in months) |
| DOSTATE1 | 4.0 | First Domestic mig: State of residence |
| DOPLACE1 | 4.0 | First Domestic mig: City of residence |
| DOOCC1 | 4.0 | First Domestic mig: Occupation |
| DOYRL | 4.0 | Last Domestic mig: Year |
| DODURL | 4.0 | Last Domestic mig: Duration (in months) |
| DOSTATEL | 4.0 | Last Domestic mig: State of residence |
| DOPLACEL | 4.0 | Last Domestic mig: City of residence |
| DOOCCL | 4.0 | Last Domestic mig: Occupation |
| DOWAGEL | 8.2 | Last Domestic mig: Wage (quetzales) |
| DOBYL | 4.0 | Last Domestic mig: Frequency of wages |
| DOWAGELY | 4.0 | Last Domestic mig: Wage year |
| DOCURTRP | 4.0 | Currently on last domestic visit? |
| DOTRIPS | 4.0 | Total number of Domestic Migrations |

Person-year information (time-specific):

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| YEAR | 4.0 | Year |
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|-----------------|---------------|------------------------|
| LIFEYR | 4.0 | Year in life history |
| AGE | 4.0 | Age |
| EDUC | 4.0 | Educational attainment |

Labor force information (time-specific):

| | | |
|----------|-----|--|
| OCCUP | 4.0 | Occupation |
| JCHANGE | 4.0 | Job change |
| JOBNUM | 4.0 | Job number |
| JOB DUR | 4.0 | Duration (months) in job in PY |
| JDURTOT | 4.0 | Total duration (months) in current job |
| JOBSTATE | 4.0 | State of job |
| JOBPLACE | 4.0 | City/place of job |
| SOCSEC | 4.0 | Job offers Soc. Sec. or a pension |

Migration/duration information (time-specific):

| | | |
|----------|-----|-----------------------------------|
| INUS | 4.0 | In US |
| TRIP | 4.0 | New trip |
| TRIPNUM | 4.0 | Estimated trip number |
| TRIPDUR | 4.0 | Total duration (months) of trip |
| USDOC | 4.0 | US documentation |
| GREEN | 4.0 | Green card? |
| CITIZEN | 4.0 | U.S. Citizen? |
| USDUR | 4.0 | Months spent in US |
| USCUMEXP | 4.0 | Cumulative US experience (months) |

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| Variable | Label | Value | Definition |
|---|-------------------------------------|--------|---|
| <i>Identifier information:</i> | | | |
| COUNTRY | Country of focus | 8 | Guatemala |
| | | | |
| COMMUN | Community number | | (See Appendix A for codes and descriptions) |
| | | | |
| SURVEYPL | Place of survey | 1 | Home country |
| | | 2 | U.S. community |
| | | | |
| SURVEYYR | Year of survey | | (See Appendix A for survey periods) |
| | | yyyy | Year |
| | | | |
| HHNUM | Household number (within community) | nnnn | Number of household |
| | | | |
| <i>Sample-specific weight:</i> | | | |
| WEIGHT | Weight | nnn.nn | Weight |
| | | | |
| <i>Background information (time-constant):</i> | | | |
| SEX | Sex | 1 | Male |
| | | 2 | Female |
| | | | |
| YRBORN | Year of birth | yyyy | Year |
| | | | |
| STATEBRN | State of birth | | (See Appendix C for State codes) |
| | | | |
| PLACEBRN | Place of birth | | (See Appendix B for Place codes) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| | | | |
| OCC | Principal occupation | | (See Appendix D for Occupation codes) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| | | | |
| <i>U.S. migration experience (time-constant):</i> | | | |
| USBORN | Born in the U.S. | 1 | Yes |
| | | 2 | No |
| | | | |
| USYR1-USYRL | First/last U.S. mig: Year | yyyy | Year |
| | | | |

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|--------------------------|--|--------------|---------------------------------------|
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to the U.S.) |
| USMAR1-USMARL | First/last US mig: Married | 1 | Yes |
| | | 2 | No |
| | | 8888 | N/A (Never migrated) |
| USDUR1-USDURL | First/last U.S. mig: Duration (in months) | nnn | Number of months |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to the U.S.) |
| USDOC1-USDOCL | First/last U.S. mig: Documentation used | 1 | Legal resident |
| | | 2 | Contract – Bracero |
| | | 3 | Contract - H2A (agricultural) |
| | | 4 | Temporary: Worker |
| | | 5 | Temporary: Tourist/visitor |
| | | 6 | Citizen |
| | | 7 | Silva Letter |
| | | 8 | Undocumented |
| | | 9 | Refugee/asylee |
| | | 10 | False documents |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to the U.S.) |
| USSTATE1-USSTATEL | First/last U.S. mig: State of residence | | (See Appendix C for State codes) |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to the U.S.) |
| USPLACE1-USPLACEL | First/last U.S. mig: City of residence | | (See Appendix B for Place codes) |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to the U.S.) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| USOCC1-USOCCL | First/last U.S. mig: Occupation | | (See Appendix D for Occupation codes) |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to the U.S.) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| USWAGE1-USWAGEL | First/last U.S. mig: Wage (dollars) | nnn.dd | Amount |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to the U.S.) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| USWB1-USWB1L | First/last U.S. mig: Wage Unit | 1 | Hour |
| | | 2 | Day |
| | | 3 | Week |
| | | 4 | Biweekly |
| | | 5 | Month |
| | | 6 | Year |
| | | 7 | Other |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to the U.S.) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |

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| Variable | Label | Value | Definition |
|-----------------|--|--------|---|
| HOWJOBS | Last U.S. mig: How job was obtained | 1 | Searched by oneself |
| | | 2 | Recommended by a relative |
| | | 3 | Recommended by a friend |
| | | 4 | Recommended by a fellow home-community member |
| | | 5 | Recommended by a coyote |
| | | 6 | Contracted |
| | | 7 | Paid a friend/fellow home-community member |
| | | 8 | Through an employment agency |
| | | 9 | "Pick-up" on street corner |
| | | 8888 | N/A (no job last U.S. mig) |
| 9999 | Unknown | | |
| HRWAGES | Last U.S. mig: Hourly wage | nnn.dd | Hourly wage (dollars) |
| | | 8888 | N/A (no job last U.S. mig) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| | | | |
| HRWEEKS | Last U.S. mig: Hours worked per week | nnn | Number of hours |
| | | 8888 | N/A (no job last U.S. mig) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| | | | |
| MONSYRS | Last U.S. mig: Months worked per year | nn | Number of months |
| | | 8888 | N/A (no job last U.S. mig) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| | | | |
| HOWPAIDS | Last U.S. mig: How wages paid | 1 | By check |
| | | 2 | By cash |
| | | 8888 | N/A (no job last U.S. mig) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| SSTAXS | Last U.S. mig: Soc. Sec. taxes withheld | 1 | Yes |
| | | 2 | No |
| | | 8888 | N/A (no job last U.S. mig) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| FEDTXS | Last U.S. mig: Fed taxes withheld | 1 | Yes |
| | | 2 | No |
| | | 8888 | N/A (no job last U.S. mig) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| ROWNERS | Last U.S. mig: Race of employer | 1 | Anglo-European |
| | | 2 | African-American |
| | | 3 | Asian |
| | | 4 | Chicano |
| | | 5 | Guatemalan |
| | | | |

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| Variable | Label | Value | Definition |
|-----------------|--|--------------|--|
| | | 6 | Other Latino |
| | | 7 | Other |
| | | 8 | Company |
| | | 8888 | N/A (no job last U.S. mig) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| RSUPERS | Last U.S. mig: Race of supervisor | | |
| | | 1 | Anglo-European |
| | | 2 | African-American |
| | | 3 | Asian |
| | | 4 | Chicano |
| | | 5 | Guatemalan |
| | | 6 | Other Latino |
| | | 7 | Other |
| | | 8 | Company |
| | | 8888 | N/A (no job last U.S. mig) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| USCURTRP | Currently on last U.S. visit? | | |
| | | 1 | Yes (Has not returned) |
| | | 2 | No (Has returned) |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to the U.S.) |
| USTRIPS | Total number of U.S. visits | | |
| | | nnn | Number |
| | | 8888 | N/A (Born in the U.S.) |
| USEXP | Total months of U.S. experience | | |
| | | nnn | Months |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| LEGYRAPP | Legalization: Year applied | | |
| | | yyyy | Year |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never applied for legalization) |
| LEGYRREC | Legalization: Year received | | |
| | | yyyy | Year |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never received legalization) |
| LEGSPON | Legalization: Sponsor | | |
| | | 1 | Spouse |
| | | 2 | Child |
| | | 3 | Parent |
| | | 4 | Sibling |
| | | 5 | Amnesty (Rodino/IRCA) |
| | | 6 | Special Agricultural Worker (SAW/IRCA) |
| | | 7 | Employer |
| | | 8 | Other |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never legalized) |
| CITYRAPP | Citizenship: Year applied | | |
| | | yyyy | Year |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never received citizenship) |

SPOUSE data file: Variable codes

| Variable | Label | Value | Definition |
|--|--|--------|---|
| CITYRREC | Citizenship: Year received | yyyy | Year |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never received citizenship) |
| | | | |
| <i>Mexican migration experience (time-constant):</i> | | | |
| MXYR1-MXYRL | First/last Mexican mig: Year | yyyy | Year |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to Mexico) |
| | | | |
| MXDUR1-MXDURL | First/last Mexican mig: Duration (in months) | nnn | Number of months |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to Mexico) |
| | | | |
| MXSTATE1-MXSTATEL | First/last Mexican mig: State of residence | | (See Appendix C for State codes) |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to Mexico) |
| | | | |
| MXPLACE1-MXPLACEL | First/last Mexican mig: City of residence | | (See Appendix B for Place codes) |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to Mexico) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| | | | |
| MXSTUD1-MXSTUDL | First/last Mexican mig: Studied | 1 | Yes |
| | | 2 | No |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to Mexico) |
| | | | |
| MXOCC1-MXOCCL | First/last Mexican mig: Occupation | | (See Appendix D for Occupation codes) |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to Mexico) |
| | | | |
| MXWAGE1-MXWAGEL | First/last Mexican mig: Wage (pesos) | nnn.dd | Amount |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated/not employed for wages) |
| | | | |
| MXBY1-MXBYL | First/ast Mexican mig: Frequency of wages | 1 | Hour |
| | | 2 | Day |
| | | 3 | Week |
| | | 4 | Biweekly |
| | | 5 | Month |
| | | 6 | Year |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never a migrant) |
| MXWAGE1Y-MXWAGELY | First/last Mexican mig: Wage Year | yyyy | Year |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to Mexico) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| | | | |
| MXCURTRP | Currently on last Mexican visit? | 1 | Yes |
| | | | |

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| Variable | Label | Value | Definition |
|--|--|--------|---|
| | | 2 | No |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to Mexico) |
| MXTRIPS | Total number Mexican Migrations | nnn | Number |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| <i>Internal (Domestic) migration experience (time-constant):</i> | | | |
| DOYR1-DOYRL | First/last Domestic mig: Year | yyyy | Year |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated internally) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| DODUR1-DODURL | First/last Domestic mig: Duration (in months) | nnn | Number of months |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated internally) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| DOSTATE1-DOSTATEL | First/last Domestic mig: State of residence | | (See Appendix C for State codes) |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated internally) |
| DOPLACE1-DOPLACEL | First/last Domestic mig: City of residence | | (See Appendix B for Place codes) |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated internally) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| DOOCC1-DOOCCL | First/last Domestic mig: Occupation | | (See Appendix D for Occupation codes) |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated internally) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| DOWAGEL | Last Domestic mig: Wage (quetzales) | nnn.dd | Amount |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated/not employed for wages) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| DOWBYL | Last Domestic mig: Frequency of wages | 1 | Hour |
| | | 2 | Day |
| | | 3 | Week |
| | | 4 | Biweekly |
| | | 5 | Month |
| | | 6 | Year |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never a migrant) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| DOWAGELY | Last Domestic mig: Wage Year | yyyy | Year |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated internally) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |

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| Variable | Label | Value | Definition |
|---|---|-------|---------------------------------------|
| DOCURTRP | Currently on last domestic visit? | 1 | Yes |
| | | 2 | No |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated internally) |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| DOTRIPS | Total number Domestic Migrations | nnn | Number |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| <i>Person-year information (time-specific):</i> | | | |
| YEAR | Year | yyyy | Year |
| | | | |
| LIFEYR | Year in life history | 1 | First person-year |
| | | 2 | Intervening person-years |
| | | 3 | Last person-year |
| | | | |
| AGE | Age | nn | Age |
| | | | |
| EDUC | Educational attainment | nn | Number of years completed |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| | | | |
| <i>Labor force information (time-specific):</i> | | | |
| OCCUP | Occupation | | (See Appendix D for Occupation codes) |
| | | 0 | Prior to labor force entry |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| | | | |
| JCHANGE | Job change | 0 | No job change during PY |
| | | 1 | Job change during PY |
| | | | |
| JOBNUM | Job number | nn | (Estimated) Job number |
| | | | |
| JOB DUR | Duration (months) in job in PY | nn | Number of months |
| | | | |
| JDURTOT | Total duration (months) in current job | nnn | Number of months |
| | | | |
| JOBSTATE | State of job | | (See Appendix C for State codes) |
| | | 0 | Prior to labor force entry |
| | | | |
| JOBPLACE | City/place of job | | |

SPOUSE data file: Variable codes

| Variable | Label | Value | Definition |
|--|--|--------------|--------------------------------------|
| | | | (See Appendix B for Place codes) |
| | | 0 | Prior to labor force entry |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| SOCSEC | Job offers Social Security or a pension | | |
| | | 0 | No |
| | | 1 | Yes |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |
| <i>Migration/duration information (time-specific):</i> | | | |
| INUS | In U.S. | | |
| | | 0 | No |
| | | 1 | Yes |
| TRIP | New trip | | |
| | | 0 | No |
| | | 1 | Yes |
| TRIPNUM | Estimated trip number | | |
| | | nn | Number |
| TRIPDUR | Total duration (months) of trip | | |
| | | nnn | Number of months |
| USDOC | US documentation | | |
| | | 0 | N/A (Not in U.S. during person-year) |
| | | 1 | Legal resident |
| | | 2 | Contract – Bracero |
| | | 3 | Contract - H2A (agricultural) |
| | | 4 | Temporary: Worker |
| | | 5 | Temporary: Tourist/visitor |
| | | 6 | Citizen |
| | | 7 | Silva Letter |
| | | 8 | Undocumented |
| | | 9 | Refugee/asylee |
| | | 10 | False documents |
| | | 8888 | N/A (never migrated to the U.S.) |
| GREEN | Green card? | | |
| | | 0 | No |
| | | 1 | Yes |
| CITIZEN | U.S. Citizen? | | |
| | | 0 | No |
| | | 1 | Yes |
| USDUR | Months spent in U.S. (during PY) | | |
| | | nn | Number of months |
| USCUMEXP | Cumulative U.S. experience (months) | | |
| | | nnn | Number of months |