

Phone: Job History (1975-1992/93) Summary

rf001js	Pattern of job spells from 1975 to 1992/93.
rf002js	Current (1992/93) employment status.
rf003jsc-rf004jsc	Flags for work between 1957-1992/93.
rf005jsc-rf009jsd	Number of employer spells, jobs held, total years worked and other summary variables.
rf010jsc-rf012jsf	Ever had a pension plan, health insurance, or left a job for health reasons.

rf001js: Indicates the pattern of job spells from 1975 to 1993 for each respondent.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: phone
Source variables: cc10, dd10, ee10, gg10, hh10, ii10
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Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1011	813	1824
1	000000 (NO WORK BETWEEN 1975-1992/93)	19	338	357
2	000001	2	6	8
3	010000	165	754	919
4	010001	1	16	17
5	011000	92	452	544
6	011001	2	12	14
7	011010	40	251	291
8	011011	4	18	22
9	011100 R error - should have been 7	2	2	4
10	011101 R error - should have been 8	2	1	3
11	011110	48	198	246
12	011111	4	17	21
13	100000	1833	857	2690
14	100001	25	13	38
15	110000	852	695	1547
16	110001	19	20	39
17	110010	421	416	837
18	110011	18	24	42
19	110100 R error - should have been 17	0	1	1
20	110110	409	397	806
21	110111	22	25	47

Note: We do not have complete job histories but we have collected fairly complete histories in a complex fashion. It is important to read COR553 before using any variables in the job history section. Pattern codes 9, 10, and 19 should not have occurred but did. This happened when the respondent had reported on two employers, then answered that he/she held 2 or more jobs for 6 months or

longer, and ultimately only reported about one job held for 6 months or longer.

rf002js: Respondent's current employment status.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: phone
Source variables: 266d
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		Frequencies		
Value	Label	Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1011	813	1824
0	NOT Currently Employed	295	1002	1297
1	Currently Employed	3685	3511	7196

rf003jsc: Flag for ever work in paid labor force from 1975 to 1992/93.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: phone
Source variables: RF001JS

		Frequencies		
Value	Label	Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1011	813	1824
0	Has NOT Worked 1975-1992/93	19	338	357
1	HAS Worked 1975-1992/93	3961	4175	8136

rf004jsc: Flag for ever worked in paid labor force.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: phone
Source variables: JOBED, RF001JS
Revisions: Updated 9/99

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1011	813	1824
0	Has NOT Worked 1957-1992/93	6	32	38
1	HAS Worked 1957-1992/93	3974	4481	8455

Note: The concepts used across surveys are different. In 1975 it was any full-time civilian employment and in 1992/93 it was any main job lasting six months or more or a current job started with 6 months of the interview.

rf005jsc: Respondent number of employer spells between with 1975-1992 data recorded in detail.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: phone
 Source variables: RF001JS
 Revisions: Updated 9/99

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1011	813	1824
0	NOT WORKED BETWEEN 1975-92	19	338	357
1		2000	1617	3617
2		970	1176	2146
3		484	702	1186
4		481	638	1119
5		26	42	68

rf006jsd: Total number of employment spells between 1975-1992.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: phone
 Source variables: RF001JS, RF005JSC, ff02
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Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1011	813	1824
-3	REFUSED, NOT ASCERTAINED	2	2	4
-1	DON'T KNOW	0	4	4
0	NOT WORKED BETWEEN 1975-92	19	338	357
1		2000	1617	3617
2		970	1174	2144
3		482	699	1181
4		239	353	592
6		9	22	31
7		105	148	253
8		63	79	142
9		39	46	85
10		26	15	41
11		6	5	11
12		6	4	10
13		1	3	4
14		2	3	5
16		3	1	4
19		3	0	3
20		1	0	1
24		3	0	3
34		1	0	1

rf007jse: Number of employer spells, created as RF005JSC, with non-reported beginning or ending dates.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: phone
 Source variables: RF001JS, RF001J1C, RF001J2C, RF001J3C, RF001J4C, RF002J1C, RF002J2C,
 RF002J3C, RF002J4C, ii00, dyy
 Revisions: Updated 9/99

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1011	813	1824
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (NO WORK 1975-92, RF001JS = 1)	19	338	357
0	NO VALID SPELLS REPORTED WITH MISSING DATES	3900	4014	7914
1		47	127	174
2		11	25	36
3		3	9	12

Note: A spell with unuseable dates is not included in RF008JSD.

** See COR522;

rf008jsd: Respondent total years worked 1975 - 1992/93.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: phone
 Source variables: RF001JS, RF001J1C, RF001J2C, RF001J3C, RF001J4C, RF002J1C, RF002J2C,
 RF002J3C, RF002J4C, ii00, dyy
 Revisions: Updated 9/99

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1011	813	1824
-3	REFUSED, NOT ASCERTAINED	16	32	48
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (NO WORK 1975-92, RF001JS = 1)	19	338	357
1		4	28	32
2		7	39	46
3		2	59	61
4		6	65	71
5		10	71	81
6		17	95	112
7		10	86	96
8		22	108	130
9		22	122	144
10		41	100	141
11		37	134	171
12		30	128	158
13		40	178	218
14		65	174	239
15		81	222	303
16		92	222	314
17		126	276	402
18		1511	1025	2536
19		1809	1007	2816
20	Includes Some Work In 1994	13	4	17

Note: ** See COR522;

RF008JSD is a count of the years between 1975 and 1994 of the years in which the respondent worked. If they were employed for any part of a year, they get counted as working in that year.

There were 17 interviews that were completed in January, 1994 and worked 20 years.

rf009jsd: Number of years since respondent has had a main job.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: phone

Source variables: RF001JS, RF001J1C, RF001J2C, RF001J3C, RF001J4C, RF002J1C, RF002J2C, RF002J3C, RF002J4C, ii00, dyy

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Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1011	813	1824
-3	MISSING ENDING DATE FOR LAST JOB (WHICH R NO LONGER HOLDS)	28	47	75
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (NO WORK 1975-92, RF001JS = 1)	19	338	357
0	No Years Since Last Worked (Includes Currently Working And Those Terminating Last Job In The Same Year As Interview)	3715	3572	7287
1		56	100	156
2		58	78	136
3		23	55	78
4		21	61	82
5		19	28	47
6		3	39	42
7		9	25	34
8		5	26	31
9		6	20	26
10		4	23	27
11		5	15	20
12		3	21	24
13		0	28	28
14		4	14	18
15		1	7	8
16		1	5	6
17		0	7	7
18		0	4	4

Note: There are differences between the currently working flag (RF002JS) and this summary variable for years since last worked. There are

7289 cases with zero years since they last worked. There are 7198 cases saying they currently work. Most discrepant cases are due to the fact that people left their last job by the time they were interviewed in a given year. RF009JSD counts them as having worked that entire year, where RF002JS indicates that they are not currently working.

** See COR522;

rf010jsc: Flag for ever had a pension plan.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: phone
Source variables: cc67, dd67, ee67, gg67, hh67, ii67

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1011	813	1824
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (NO WORK 1975-92, RF001JS = 1)	19	338	357
0	Never Had A Pension Plan	643	1385	2028
1	Had A Pension Plan	3318	2790	6108

rf011jsc: Respondent flag for ever had health insurance.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: phone
Source variables: cc68, dd68, ee68, gg68, hh68, ii68

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1011	813	1824
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (NO WORK 1975-92, RF001JS = 1)	19	338	357
0	Never Had Health Insurance	315	1087	1402
1	Had Health Insurance	3646	3088	6734

rf012jsf: Respondent ever left a job for own health reasons.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: phone

Source variables: RF050J1D, RF050J2D, RF050J3D, RF050J4D, RF050JCE

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1011	813	1824
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (NO WORK BETWEEN 1975-92/93 RF001JS = 1)	19	338	357
0	Never Left A Job For Health Reasons	3818	3915	7733
1	HAS Left A Job For Health Reasons	143	260	403

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