AGE:

<age>  Age as of end of survey week

Original location, length, and name of record:
  94-00
  122
  2
  PEAGE

Topic: demography

Related variable:
  agetop - age top code flag
  aage - allocation flag

Code:
  Jul85-00
  Range  00-90

Ages are top coded at 90 for July 85 forward

Note:
  1994-2000  Universe - all people (1<=popstat<=3)

** Survey Questionnaire Source Items - age **
  1994-2000  Derived from:
  >BMON-scrn< What is (name's/your) date of birth?
  Enter month.
  >BDAY-scrn< Enter day.
  >BYEAR-scrn< Enter year.
  >AGEVR< As of last week, that would make (name/you)
  ((age/approximately (age)/ less than 1/over 98)
  years/year) old.  Is that correct?
  >GESAGE< Even though you don't know (name's/your) exact
  birthdate, what is your best guess as to how old
  (you/he/she) (were/was) on (your/his/her) last
  birthday?
WorkCls1: Class of Worker on Primary Job:

<class>        Class of worker, job last week

Original location, length, and name of variable:
94-00
432
2
PEI01COW

Topic: labor

Related variable:
aclass - allocation flag

Code:

Private, for profit  4
Private, nonprofit   5
Government-federal  1
Government-state    2
Government-local    3
Self-employ, incorporated 6
Self-employ, not incorporated 7
Without pay         8

Note:
1994-2000 Universe - those adult civilians who are: employed or on layoff; unemployed, looking and have worked at some time; retired and worked at job or business within last year; disabled and worked at job or business within last year; or otherwise not in the labor force and worked at job or business in last year (mlr=1-3) or (mlr=4 and when1j=1-2) or (mlr=5 and (nlfjh=1 or jhkw=1) or (mlr=6 and nlfjh=1) or (mlr=7 and jhkw=1)

This variable can be assigned even if an individual is not currently employed (per 1994+ manuals).

** Survey Questionnaire Source Items - class **

1994-2000

>IO1INT< Now I have a few questions about the (job/main job) (at which (you/he/she) last worked/ at which (you/he/she) worked (LAST WEEK/THE WEEK BEFORE LAST)/from which (you/he/she) (were/was) absent (LAST WEEK/THE WEEK BEFORE LAST)/from which (you/he/she) (are/is) on layoff. (Were/Was)/(LAST WEEK/THE WEEK BEFORE LAST), (were/was) (name/you) employed by government, by a private company, a nonprofit organization, or (was/were) (you/he/she) self employed (or working in the family business)?
>IO1GVT< Would that be the federal, state or local government?
>IO1INC< (Is/Was) this business incorporated?
>IO1WP< (Was/Were) (name/you) working for pay?
Weekearn:

<ernwkl> Weekly earnings on primary job before deductions (*100)

Original location, length, and name of variable:
94-00
527
8
PRERNWA

Topic: earner study

Related variable:
   aernwk - allocation flag
   ernwtf - top code flag

Code:

     98-00
    NIU
     .
Range  0-288461

2 implied decimals in 94+.

The Census does not provide decimal points in their data.
USER MUST DIVIDE BY 100 in 1994+.

Note:  Universe - those eligible for the earner study (ernel=1)

      SEE ernwkc in 1979-1988 for alternate variable.

In 1979-1988, reported 25D value appears here for an HOURLY 
worker.  If 25D was not reported for an hourly worker, the 
25A * 25C computed value appears here.  THIS FIELD IS BLANK 
FOR WEEKLY WORKERS.  This field is used for tabulation purposes 
for hourly workers. (Per 79-88 Census manuals.)

** Survey Questionnaire Source Items - ernwk **
1994-2000  >ERNWK< (including overtime pay, tips and commissions,) 
What are (name's/your) usual weekly earnings your on 
(this job,/(your/his/her) MAIN job,) before taxes 
or other deductions?
**Wage3:**

This variable is constructed as

1. If `weekearn` and `uhour1` are both positive, then `wage3` is the ratio of usual weekly earnings on the primary job to usual weekly hours on the primary job.

2. If `uhour1` indicates variable hours or is otherwise missing, `wage3` is set to missing data.

3. If either `uhour1` or `weekearn` is missing, then `wage3` is set to missing data.
**EdAttain:**

Educational Attainment:

<grdatn>  Educational attainment

Original location, length, and name of variable:
94-00
137
2
PEEDUCA

Topic: education

Related variable:
agrdatn - allocation flag

Code:

Children                                                00
<first grade>                                          31
1st, 2nd, 3rd, or 4th grade                           32
5th or 6th grade                                      33
7th or 8th grade                                      34
9th grade                                             35
10th grade                                            36
11th grade                                            37
12th grade, no diploma                                38
High school graduate - diploma or equivalent (GED)     39
Some college but no degree                           40
Associate degree - occupational/vocational            41
Associate degree - academic program                   42
Bachelor's degree (example: BA AB BS)                 43
Master's degree (example: MA MS MEng MEd MSW)         44
Professional school deg (example: MD DDS DVM LLB JD)  45
Doctorate degree (example: PhD EdD)                   46

Note: Universe - all adult and Armed Forces records (popstat=2 or 3)

**Survey Questionnaire Source Items - grdatn**

1994-2000

>EDUCA-scrn< What is the highest level of school (name/you) (has/have) completed or the highest degree (name/you) (has/have) received?

>VR1-EDUC< Last month I was told that (name's/your) education level was (level); however, this month you are reporting that the education level is lower (level). Which is correct? Enter code.

>VR2-EDUC< You reported that (name's/your) education level is the same or higher than ((that of a) Master's degree/(that of a) Bachelor's degree/college level) even though (you/he/she) (are/is) only (age) years old. Is that correct?
Hispanic:
<hisp> Hispanic or nonhispanic

Original location, length, and name of variable:
94-00
157
2
PRHSPNON

Topic: demography

Code:

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<th>Nonhispanic</th>
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<td>94-00</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Note: Universe - all persons (1<=popstat<=3)

** Survey Questionnaire Source Items - hisp **
1994-2000 Derived from spneth
UHOUR1:

<hoursu1> Usual weekly hours at main job

Original location, length and name of variable:
94-00
218
2
PEHRUSL1

Topic: hours

Related variable:
ahoursu1 - allocation flag

Code:

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<th>Value range</th>
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<td>Hours vary</td>
<td>-4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Value range</td>
<td>0-99</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Note: Universe - those who were employed last week
(mjobs=1 or 2 & mlr=1 or 2)

** Survey Questionnaire Source Items - hoursu1 **
1994-2000

>HRUSL1< How many hours per week (do/does) (name/you)
USUALLY work at (your/his/her) (job?/main job? By
main job we mean the one at which (you/he/she)
usually (work/works) the most hours.)
PSIC1: Population Standard Industrial Classification for Primary Job

<ind> Industry code of primary job last week

Original location, length, and name of variable:
94-00
436
3
PEIO1ICD

Topic: industry

Related variable:
aind - allocation flag

Code:
93-00
1990 codes

See Appendix K for value definitions.

Note:
1994-2000 Universe - those who were: employed or on layoff last week or; unemployed/looking and ever worked or; retired and worked within last 12 months or; disabled and worked within last 12 months or; otherwise not in labor force and worked within last 12 months ((mlr=1-3) or (mlr=4 & whenlj=1-2) or (mlr=5 & (nlfjh=1 or jhwk=1)) or (mlr=6 & nlfjh=1) or (mlr=7 & jhwk=1))

** Survey Questionnaire Source Items - ind **
1994-2000 >IO1IND< What kind of business or industry is this? What do they make or do where (you/he/she) (work/works/? worked?)
MSTATUS:

<marsta2>  Marital status, new grouping

Original location, length, and name of variable:
94-00
125
2
PEMARITL

Topic: demography

Related variable:
  marstat - marital status, recode with 7 categories
  amarsta2 - allocation flag

Code:

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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Married, spouse absent</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Widowed</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Divorced</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Separated</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Never married</td>
</tr>
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</table>

Note: Universe - those who are ages 15+ (age>=15)

CAUTION: PEMARITL is the original edited variable and it has 6 categories. It is marsta2. PRMARSTA is the recoded variable. Since it has 7 categories, it is a better match with the earlier years. It is marstat.

** Survey Questionnaire Source Items - marsta2 **

1994-2000  >MARIT-scrn< (Are/Is) (name/you) now married, widowed, divorced, separated or never married?
  Married-spouse present
  Married-spouse absent
  Widowed
  Divorced
  Separated
  Never married
ESR: Employment Status Recode

<mlr> Monthly labor force recode (formerly esr)

Original location, length, and name of variable:
94-00
180
2
PEMLR

Topic: labor

Related variable:
amlr - allocation flag

Code:

Employed: 94-00
  Working 1
  With job, not at work 2

Unemployed:
  Looking 4
  Layoff 3

NILF:
  Retired 5
  Disabled 6
  Other 7

Note: Universe - all adult civilians (popstat=2)
Was formerly esr (Employment status recode)

** Survey Questionnaire Source Items - mlr **
1994-2000 Derived from all labor force items.
POCC1: Population Occupation Code on Primary Job

<occ> Occupation of job last week

Original location, length, and name of variable:
94-00
439
3
PEIO1OCD

Topic: occupation

Related variable:
aocc - allocation flag

Code:
83-00
Range 0-999
Appendix N

Note:
1994-2000 Universe - those who were employed or on layoff last week or unemployed/looking and ever worked or retired and worked within last 12 months or disabled and worked within last 12 months or otherwise not in the labor force and worked within last 12 months ((mlr=1-3) or (mlr=4 & whenlj=1-2) or (mlr=5 & (nlfjh=1 or whenlj=1)) or (mlr=6 & nlfjh=1) or (mlr=7 & jhwk=1))

** Survey Questionnaire Source Items - occ **

1994-2000
>IO1OCC< What kind of work (do/does/did) (name/you) do, that is, what (is/was) (your/his/her) occupation? (For example: plumber, typist, farmer.)
>IO1DT< What (are/were) (you/he/she) usual activities or duties at this job? (For example: typing, keeping account books, filing, selling cars, operating printing press, laying brick.)
** Survey Questionnaire Source Items - race **

1994-2000

> RACE-scrn< I am going to read a list of race categories
What is (name's/your) race?
Probe: (Are/Is) (you/he/she) White, Black, American Indian, Aleut or Eskimo, Asian or Pacific Islander or something else?

> RACESP< Enter verbatim response.
Region:
<region>  Region of the country

Original location, length, and name of variable:
  94-00
  89
  2
  GEREG

Topic: geography

Code:

  86-00
  Northeast      1
  Midwest       2
  South         3
  West          4

Note: Universe - all records
Appendix A.11 is a list of states and divisions within region.

** Survey Questionnaire Source Items - region **
1994-2000     Derived from >STATE-ref< Reference: permissible state
codes.
GENDER:
<sex>       Sex

Original location, length, and name of variable:
          94-00
          129
          2
          PESEX

Topic: demography

Related variable:
    asex - allocation flag

Code:
          79-00
          Male  1
          Female  2

Note:
1994-2000   Universe - all persons (1<=popstat<=3)

** Survey Questionnaire Source Items - sex **
1994-2000   >SEX-scrn< Enter appropriate sex. Ask only if necessary: What is (name's/your) sex?
STATE:

<state> State census code

Original location, length, and name of variable:
94-00
91
2
GESTCEN

Topic: geography

Code: 79-00

Maine 11
New Hampshire 12
Vermont 13
Massachusetts 14
Rhode Island 15
Connecticut 16
New York 21
New Jersey 22
Pennsylvania 23
Ohio 31
Indiana 32
Illinois 33
Michigan 34
Wisconsin 35
Minnesota 41
Iowa 42
Missouri 43
North Dakota 44
South Dakota 45
Nebraska 46
Kansas 47
Delaware 51
Maryland 52
Washington, D.C. 53
Virginia 54
West Virginia 55
North Carolina 56
South Carolina 57
Georgia 58
Florida 59
Kentucky 61
Tennessee 62
Alabama 63
Mississippi 64
Arkansas 71
Louisiana 72
Oklahoma 73
Texas 74
Montana 81
Idaho 82
Wyoming 83
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<td>Alaska</td>
<td>94</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Hawaii</td>
<td>95</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Note: Universe - all records

** Survey Questionnaire Source Items - state **

1994-2000 >STATE-ref< Reference: permissible state codes

(List of 50 states plus Wash DC follows)
CBC2: Collective Bargaining Coverage:

This variable is constructed from a union membership and collective bargaining variable (definitions below). The definition is:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Value of CBC2</th>
<th>Value of UNMEM and UNCOV</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>covered by bargaining (Cbc2 = 1)</td>
<td>unmem = 1 or unmem = 0 &amp; uncoV = 1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>not covered (cbc2 = 0)</td>
<td>unmem = 2 &amp; uncoV = 2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>missing missing data (.) On either variable</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<uncov> Labor union or association coverage

Original location, length, and name of variable: 94-00 563 2 PEERNCOV

Topic: union

Related variable:

auncov - allocation flag

Code:

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<td>NIU</td>
<td>.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>No</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Note:

1994-2000 Universe - those who were employed last week by the government or private industry and are in the outgoing rotations (class=1-5 & mlr=1-2 & mis=4, 8)

** Survey Questionnaire Source Items - uncov **

1994-2000 >ERNCOV< On this job, (are/is) (name/you) covered by a union or employees association contract?

<unmem> Member of a labor union or association

Original location, length, and name of variable: 94-00 561 2 PEERNLAB

Topic: union

Related variable:

aunmem - allocation flag
Code: 83-00
NIU .
Yes 1
No 2

Note:
1994-2000 Universe - those who were employed last week by the
government or private industry and are in
the outgoing rotations
(1<=class<=5 & 1<=mlr<=2 & mis=4, 8)

** Survey Questionnaire Source Items - unmem **
1994-2000 >ERNLAB< On this job, (are/is) (name/you) a member of
a labor union or of an employee association similar to a
union?__________________________________________________________________________
___________________________________________________________________________
Part time: Constructed from UHOUR1

Value of 1 if UHOUR1 < 34
Value of 0 if UHOUR1 >= 35

Years Ed:

A recoding of EdAttain into the number of years of education. See if you can figure out how its been recoded.