

SLMPS 2022 Read Me  
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### ***Data files***

Data are available as STATA .dta files.  
Current version is SLMPS v2.2.dta

- indid: unique individual identifier
- hhid: unique household identifier

“all” file includes all variables (more than 4,000)

For those who cannot load that many variables, they are split as follows:

“pt. 1” Created variables and individual questionnaire start-section 4.0

“pt. 2” Individual section 5.1-end

“pt.3” Household questionnaire.

### ***Do files***

All current data runs out of “SLMPS Master Do File v32 CK.do” This do file calls sub-do files (all in do files folder)

### ***Weights***

- expan\_hh: this is the cross-sectional *household* expansion weight for the full sample. This is the main weight you should use in analyses on the *household* level (using variables from household questionnaire, household level analyses).
- expan\_ind: this is the cross-sectional *individual* expansion weight for the full sample. This is the main weight you should use in analyses on the *individual* level (using variables from individual questionnaire or individual level analyses).

### ***Enforcement of skip patterns***

Skip patterns were only enforced uni-directionally; the programming ensured that individuals answered every question they were supposed to. However, if there was a misunderstanding/data entry such that they went backwards and revised to follow a different skip path, stray/entered data remained even if no longer relevant. Analyze according to the universe who should have answered per skip patterns.

### ***Questionnaires***

The questionnaire is divided into two parts:

1. Household questionnaire
2. Individual questionnaire

English and Arabic questionnaires for each of these parts are available.

### ***Codebooks***

Created variables are codebooked in: Codebook SLMPS 2022 v2.2

For created variables only. Gives variable name, type, label, ranges and states, universe, years covered, and notes.

There are additional codebooks for:

- Geographic codes (Sudan and South Sudan)
- Education specialization codes (ISCED)
- Industry codes (ISIC 4)
- Occupations (ISCO 08)
- Crop codes
- Countries