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Codebook of Raw Data

Identification Data

File name: Cover

Variable Name	Variable Description	Variable Values	Size	Start	Type
ID00	Questionnaire serial no. in sample		5	1	Numerical
AREA	Gaza Strip and West Bank Areas	1. North of West Bank 2. Middle of West Bank 3. South of West Bank 4. Gaza Strip	2	6	Numerical
LOC_TYPE	Locality Type	1. Urban 2. Rural 3. Camp	1	8	Numerical
IR04_MALE	Male Number		2	9	Numerical
IR04_FEMALE	Female Number		2	11	Numerical
Region	Region	1. West Bank 2. Gaza Strip	1	13	Numerical
RW	Relative Weight		6	14	Numerical

Household Roster

File name: Roaster

Variable Name	Variable Description	Variable Values	Size	Start	Type
ID00	Questionnaire serial no. in sample		5	1	Numerical
D1	Line no. of member		2	6	Numerical
D3	The relationship of(name) to the head of household	1. Head of household. 2. Husband/ wife 3. Son/daughter 4. Father/mother 5. Brother/sister 6. Grandfather /mother 7. Grandchild 8. Daughter/son in law 9. Other relatives 10. others	2	8	Numerical
D4	Sex	1. male 2. female	1	10	Numerical
D5	Age	Record the answer in full years. Record,(00)if age is less than one year. 98 DK	2	11	Numerical
D6	Refugee status	1. Refugee 2. Not Refugee	1	13	Numerical
D11	The person have Health insurance	1. Yes 2. No	1	14	Numerical
D14	Education Attendance (for persons aged 5 years and over)	1. Currently attending school 2. Attended school at any time and left before completing level 3. Attended school and graduated 4. Never attended school (move to D16)	1	15	Numerical
D15	Number of years of schooling completed by the person succeefully		2	16	Numerical
D16	Educational Status (for persons aged 10 year and over)	1. Illiterate 2. Can read and write 3. Elementary 4. Preparatory 5. Secondary 6. Associate diploma 7. Bachelor 8. High diploma 9. Master 10. Ph. D	2	18	Numerical
D17	the main reason for dropping out of school (for persons 5 years and more)				
		1. Unwillingness for academic education 2. Unwillingness for co-education 3. Frequent repetition 4. Not interested in study 5. Bad economic situation of the family 6. Existing family problems 7. Caring for members of the family 8.Marriage 9.Sickness 10.Disability 11. No school nearby 12. Mistreatment at school	2	20	Numerical

Variable Name	Variable Description	Variable Values	Size	Start	Type
		13.Security situation 14. Dismissal from school because of exceeding the legal age 15.Other			
D18	Work status during the last week (for person ages 7 years and over)	1. Employed from 1-14 hours 2. Employed 15-34 hours 3. 35 hours and over (Doesn't work but wants to work – has ever worked) 4. Look for work last week 5. Did not looked for work because of frustration (Doesn't work but wants to work – has never worked) 6. look for work last week 7. Did not looked for work because of frustration (Doesn't work and doesn't want to work because) 8. Full time student 9. Housewife 10. Unable to work 11. has revenue 12. other Who answer (6-12) move to D26	2	22	Numerical
D19	Work Status (for persons aged 7 years and over)	1. Employer 2. Self employed 3. Unpaid Employee 4. work for regular wage 5. work for irregular wage	1	24	Numerical
D20	Place of work	1. In the same Locality 2. In the same Governorate 3. In other Governorate 4. Israel/ Settlements 5. Abroad	1	25	Numerical
D21	Main Occupation cribe main tasks for coding	1.Legislators, Senior Officials & Managers 2.Professionals, Technicians, Associates and Clerks 3.Service, Shop & Market Workers 4.Skilled Agricultural & Fishery Workers 5.Craft and Related Trade Workers 6.Plant & Machine Operators & Assemblers 7.Elementary Occupations	3	26	Numerical
D22	Economic Activity	1.Agriculture, fishing and forestry 2.Mining, quarrying and manufacturing 3.Construction 4.Commerce, restaurants and hotels 5.Transportation, storage and communication 6.Services and other branches	4	29	Numerical
D23	sector	1. National private inside establishments 2. National private outside establishments 3. Foreign private inside establishments 4. Foreign private outside establishments 5. National government	1	33	Numerical

Variable Name	Variable Description	Variable Values	Size	Start	Type
		6. Foreign government 7. Charitable association 8. UNRWA 9. International organization			
D24	he\ she has another job	1. yes 2. no	1	34	Numerical
D25	Number of working months during the year. If not working during the year, write 00		2	35	Numerical
D26	Marital Status (for persons 12 years and over)	1. Never married 2. Legally married 3. Married 4. Divorced 5. Widower 6. separated	1	37	Numerical
RW	Relative Weight		6	38	Numerical

Dwelling Characteristics

File name: Dwelling

Variable Name	Variable Description	Variable Values	Size	Start	Type
ID00	Questionnaire serial no. in sample		5	1	Numerical
H1	Type of housing unit	1. Villa 2. House 3. Apartment 4. Separate Room 5. Tent 6. Marginal 7. Others	1	6	Numerical
H2	Tenure of the housing unit		1	7	Numerical
H3	the main material used in building outside walls of housing unit	1. cleaned stone 2. stone & cement 3. old stone 4. cement cob 5. concrete 6. mud 7. other (specify).....	1	8	Numerical
H4	usage of housing unit	1. for residence 2. residence & work	1	9	Numerical
H5	Number rooms are there in dwelling		2	10	Numerical
H6	No. of sleeping rooms are used in dwelling		2	12	Numerical
H7a	The monthly rent		4	14	Numerical
H7b	type of currency	1. Shekel 2. Dinar 3. Dollar	1	18	Numerical
H8a	The estimated monthly rent		4	19	Numerical
H8b	type of currency	1. Shekel 2. Dinar 3. Dollar	1	23	Numerical
H9a	Connection to Public Networks - water	1. Local Public network 2. Israelian network 3. rain water 4. Bridges 5. Tank 6. other	1	24	Numerical
H9b	Connection to Public Networks - electricity	1. Public network 2. Private generator 3. No electricity	1	25	Numerical
H9c	Connection to Public Networks - sewage	1. Public Sewage System 2. hole absorption 3. Cesspit 3. No Sewage System	1	26	Numerical
H10	Availability of a kitchen	1. kitchen with piped water 2. kitchen without piped water 3. no kitchen	1	27	Numerical
H11	Availability of a bathroom	1. bathroom with piped water 2. bathroom without piped water 3. no bathroom	1	28	Numerical
H12	Availability of a toilet (wc)	1. toilet with piped water 2. toilet without piped water 3. no toilet	1	29	Numerical
H13_1	Main source of energy -cooking	1. Gas 2. Kerosene 3. Electricity 4. Wood 5. Other / specify.....	1	30	Numerical
H13_2	Main source of energy -heating	0. No exist 1. gas 2. Kerosene 3. Electricity 4. Wood/coal 5. Other/ specify.....	1	31	Numerical
H13_3	Main source of energy - Conditioner	0. No exist 1. Electricity 2. Other/ specify.....	1	32	Numerical
H13_4	Main source of energy - Oven	0. No exist 1. gas 2. Electricity 3. Wood 4. olive cake 5.coal 6. Other/ specify.....	1	33	Numerical
H13_5	Main source of energy – Water heater	1. Sun 2. Gas 3. Kerosene 4. Electricity 5. Wood 6. Coal 7. Other/ specify.....	1	34	Numerical
H14 Rooms of the house including corridor and kitchen suffering any of the following					
H14_1	Dampness	1. yes 2. no	1	35	Numerical
H14_2	Cold	1. yes 2. no	1	36	Numerical
H14_3	Poor ventilation	1. yes 2. no	1	37	Numerical
H14_4	High heat in summer	1. yes 2. no	1	38	Numerical
H14_5	difficult heating in winter	1. yes 2. no	1	39	Numerical
H18 household member faced in housing unit with any of the following effects					
H18_1	1. Smoke, exhaust from cars	1. Yes 2. No 3. Don't know	1	40	Numerical
H18_2	2. Smoke, exhaust from industry	1. Yes 2. No 3. Don't know	1	41	Numerical
H18_3	3. Odors resulting from animals	1. Yes 2. No 3. Don't know	1	42	Numerical
H18_4	4. Odors resulting from sewage system water	1. Yes 2. No 3. Don't know	1	43	Numerical
H18_5	5. Odors resulting from garbage	1. Yes 2. No 3. Don't know	1	44	Numerical
H18_6	6. General dust	1. Yes 2. No 3. Don't know	1	45	Numerical

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H18_7	7. Dust or smells resulting from other sources	1. Yes 2. No 3. Don't know	1	46	Numerical
H18_8	8. Noise	1. Yes 2. No 3. Don't know	1	47	Numerical
H19	the method for removing garbage	1. Collected by sanitation worker 2. Thrown in nearby garbage container 3. Thrown randomly 4. Thrown in garbage area 5. Burned 6. Used for specific things 7. Other / specify.....	1	48	Numerical
H20 The distance of housing from the following:					
H20_1	Public transportation	1. Less than 1km 2. 1-5 km 3. More than 5 km	1	49	Numerical
H20_2	Private doctor clinic	1. Less than 1km 2. 1-5 km 3. More than 5 km	1	50	Numerical
H20_3	Health center	1. Less than 1km 2. 1-5 km 3. More than 5 km	1	51	Numerical
H20_4	Hospital	1. Less than 1km 2. 1-5 km 3. More than 5 km	1	52	Numerical
H20_5	Elementary/ secondary school	1. Less than 1km 2. 1-5 km 3. More than 5 km	1	53	Numerical
H20_6	Mother and child health central	1. Less than 1km 2. 1-5 km 3. More than 5 km	1	54	Numerical
H21 Availability of durable goods					
H21_1	Private Car	1. Yes 2. No	1	55	Numerical
H21_2	Refrigerator	1. Yes 2. No	1	56	Numerical
H21_3	Solar Boiler	1. Yes 2. No	1	57	Numerical
H21_4	Washing Machine	1. Yes 2. No	1	58	Numerical
H21_5	Cooking stove	1. Yes 2. No	1	59	Numerical
H21_6	Dish washer	1. Yes 2. No	1	60	Numerical
H21_7	Central heating	1. Yes 2. No	1	61	Numerical
H21_8	Vacuum cleaner	1. Yes 2. No	1	62	Numerical
H21_9	Dehumidifier	1. Yes 2. No	1	63	Numerical
H21_10	Home library	1. Yes 2. No	1	64	Numerical
H21_11	T.V	1. Yes 2. No	1	65	Numerical
H21_12	Video/DVD	1. Yes 2. No	1	66	Numerical
H21_13	Phone line	1. Yes 2. No	1	67	Numerical
H21_14	Palestinian mobile	1. Yes 2. No	1	68	Numerical
H21_15	Mobile Israel	1. Yes 2. No	1	69	Numerical
H21_16	Computer	1. Yes 2. No	1	70	Numerical
H21_17	Satellite	1. Yes 2. No	1	71	Numerical
H21_18	Microwave	1. Yes 2. No	1	72	Numerical
H21_19	Radio/ Recorder	1 Yes 2 No	1	73	Numerical
H21_20	Filter of water	1 Yes 2 No	1	74	Numerical
H21_21	other	1 Yes 2 No	1	75	Numerical
H22 household have another sources for incomes other than work					
H22_1	Animals for transportation	1. yes 2.No	1	76	Numerical
H22_2	Taxi	1. yes 2.No	1	77	Numerical
H22_3	Truck	1. yes 2.No	1	78	Numerical
H22_4	Tractor	1. yes 2.No	1	79	Numerical
H22_5	Container water	1. yes 2.No	1	80	Numerical
H22_6	Tailoring machine	1. yes 2.No	1	81	Numerical
H22_7	Craft jobs	1. yes 2.No	1	82	Numerical
H22_8	Trade jobs	1. yes 2.No	1	83	Numerical
H22_9	Other	1. yes 2.No	1	84	Numerical

Variable Name	Variable Description	Variable Values	Size	Start	Type
H23	Main Source of Income	1. Agricultural 2. Household Business 3. Wages and Salaries 4. Remittances in Cash 5. Other Sources (assistances, properties income, international agencies, national insurance,est.)	1	85	Numerical
H24	Household have agricultural land	1. Yes 2. No	1	86	Numerical
H32	Household have animals holdings	1. Yes 2. No	1	87	Numerical
RW	Relative Weight		6	88	Numerical

Monthly household expenditure and quantities consumption by product

File name: ITEMS

Variable Name	Variable Description	Variable Values	Size	Start	Type
ID00	Questionnaire serial no. in sample		5	1	Numerical
ITEMS	Item code		4	6	Numerical
VALUE_TOT	Value total through month in JD	Currency exchange rates are in the attached user manual (page 12)	6	10	Numerical
QUANTITY_TOT	Quantity total through month		4	16	Numerical
UNIT	UNIT/KG,LITRE,NUMBER	1. KG 2. LITER 3. Number	1	20	Numerical
RW	Relative Weight		6	21	Numerical

Assistance Section

File name: ASSES

Variable Name	Variable Description	Variable Values	Size	Start	Type
ID00	Questionnaire serial no. in sample		5	1	Numerical
I01	During the month of the survey, you or a family member receive any kind of assistance from any party (such as food, medicine, work, educational assistance)	1. Yes, the family received assistance and it was in need for it 2. Yes, the family received assistance and it was not in need for it 3. No, the family did not receive assistance and it was in need for it.....Skip to I05 4. No, the family did not receive assistance and it was not in need for itSkip to I05 5. No/Don't know/No answer.....Skip to I05	2	6	Numerical
I02	Times have you received assistance during the month of survey		2	8	Numerical
I03_B	Assistance value in new isrealian shekel		5	10	Numerical
I04	the most important assistance you receive	1.without this assistance we can not manage living 2.we manage our living with difficulty 3. it is a help factor and additional income 4. contributed to decreasing difficulties 5.we can manage our living without 6. not important for household 88. not applicable 99. do not know	2	15	Numerical
I05	The main reason, In case your family did not receive any assistance	1. The family did not apply for assistance 2. The family lives in a remote area 3. The family lives in rich neighborhood 4.No answer	2	17	Numerical
I06	Regardless of the fact that you have received assistance or not, do you see that you need help	1. Yes, often 2. Yes, somewhat 3. Not sure 4. No, no need for assistance 99. Don't know/No answer	2	19	Numerical
I07	Regardless of the fact that you have received assistance or not, what is your opinion on the accuracy or efficacy of targeting needy sectors in terms of food assistance in your community, to what extent you can say that they reach the needy sectors	1.The assistance reaches primarily the needy people 2. The assistance reaches primarily needy people, but also some people who are not in need receive it 3. Generally, food aid is distributed without distinction between needy and not needy person 99. Don't know/No answer	2	21	Numerical

Variable Name	Variable Description	Variable Values	Size	Start	Type
I09	During the month of the survey, the family experienced any of the following 1. Yes 2. No 88. Not applicable 99. Don't know/ No answer	1.The principal breadwinner lost his job 2.The family lost its business 3.The family lost it property (house, agricultural land, greenhouses, ... etc.) 4.Difficulties and problems associated with access to the workplace, the market, land, ...etc. 5.Loss of assistance 6.Loss of full / or part of the salary / delay in obtaining the salary 7.One of the family members got new job / inheritance/ Better salary/ No business 8.Movement of residence to new location with better services (closer to work, school, health centers) 9.Rise in food prices 10.Other (Specify.....)	2	23	Numerical
RW	Relative Weight		6	25	Numerical

Household Monthly Consumption\ expenditure by main groups in JD

File name: (Maingrps) (derived variables)

Variable Name	Variable Description	Variable Values	Size	Start	Type
ID00	Questionnaire serial no. in sample		5	1	Numerical
Grp1	Bread and Cereals	Includes products: (101-125)	6	6	Numerical
Grp2	Meat and Poultry	Includes products: (201-223)	6	12	Numerical
Grp3	Fish and Sea Products	Includes products: (301-310)	6	18	Numerical
Grp4	Dairy Products and Eggs	Includes products: (401-417), (419-422)	6	24	Numerical
Grp5	Oils and Fats	Includes products: (501-509)	6	30	Numerical
Grp6	Fruits and Nuts	Includes products: (601-628), (701-703), (706), (801-805), (901-913)	6	36	Numerical
Grp7	Vegetables, legumes and tubers	Includes products: (1001-1003), (1006-1025), (1027-1039), (1201-1206), (1301-1325), (1401-1403), (1405)	6	42	Numerical
Grp8	Sugar and confectionery	Includes products: (1501-1518)	6	48	Numerical
Grp9	Non alcoholic beverages	Includes products: (2001-2004), (2006-2010)	6	54	Numerical
Grp10	Salt, spices and other food	Includes products: (1601-1610), (1701-1736)	6	60	Numerical
Grp11	Take away food and meals in restaurant	Includes products: (1801-1811), (1901-1902)	6	66	Numerical
Grp12	Own produced food in Kind	Includes products: (2201-2219), (2225-2229)	6	72	Numerical
Grp13	Clothing and footwear	Includes products: (2317-2319), (2419-2421), (2519-2521), (2604-2605), (2607-2608), (2610-2615), (2617-2619), (2701-2703), (2710-2714), (2830-2834)	6	78	Numerical
Grp14	Housing	Includes products: (2902-2908), (2913), (2920-2922) +rent value	6	84	Numerical
Grp15	Furniture and utensils	Includes products: (3001-3009), (3020), (3130-3135), (3011), (3017-3019), (5001-5020), (5025-5029), (5101-5121), (5123-5133)	6	90	Numerical
Grp16	Household operations	Includes products: (3230-3237), (3250), (3253-3254), (3256), (3240-3245), (3251-3252), (3255), (3257)	6	96	Numerical
Grp17	Medical care	Includes products: (3301-3318), (3320-3325)	6	102	Numerical
Grp18a	Transport	Includes products: (3401 - 3411=1)(3413 - 3416=1)(3418 - 3419=1)(3501 THRU 3503=1)(3505=1) (3520- 3521=1)(5201 - 5205=1)	6	108	Numerical
Grp18b	Communication	Includes products: (3506 - 3509=1)(3522 - 3527=1)(5317 - 5319=1)	6	114	Numerical
Grp19	Education	Includes products: (3801-3813), (3816), (3818-3820), (3815), (3817)	6	120	Numerical
Grp20	Recreation	Includes products: (3601-3625), (3630-3635), (3701-3703), (5301-5312), (5315-5316), (5320-5324)	6	126	Numerical
Grp21	Personal care	Includes products: (4030-4031), (4033-4034), (4037-4039), (4032), (4035-4036), (4040), (4042-4044), (4041)	6	132	Numerical
Grp22	Tobacco	Includes products: (2101-2107), (2110), (1903)	6	138	Numerical
Grp23	Alcohol beverage	Includes products: (2111-2115)	6	144	Numerical
Grp24	Other non-food consumption expenditure	Includes products: (3911), (4101-4104), (4201-4205), (5401), (5403-5409), (3901-3906), (3910)	6	150	Numerical
Grp25	Other than food	Includes products: (2220-2223), (2230)	6	156	Numerical
Grp26	Imputed rent	Includes products: question “ H8 “	6	162	Numerical
Grp27	remittances in cash	Includes products: (4507-4509)	6	168	Numerical
Grp28	taxes in cash	Includes products: (4412), (4415-4416)	6	174	Numerical
Grp29	other cash non-consumption expenditure	Includes products: (4301-4302), (4401-4411), (4413-4414), (4417), (4501-4503), (4506), (4510-4512), (4513), (4504)	6	180	Numerical

Variable Name	Variable Description	Variable Values	Size	Start	Type
Grp30	Social security	Includes products: (5501-5503)	6	186	Numerical
Tot_cons	Monthly consumption in JD	=sum(grp1:grp26)	8	192	Numerical
Tot_exp	Monthly expenditure in JD	=sum(grp1:grp30)- (grp12+grp25+grp26)	7	200	Numerical
RW	Relative Weight		6	207	Numerical