

2013 Manpower Utilization Survey

User Guide

- I. The Center for Survey Research (CSR), Research Center for Humanities and Social Sciences Academia Sinica reorganizes and releases the data offered by Directorate-General of Budget, Accounting & Statistics (DGBAS), Executive Yuan. The released files include user guide, questionnaire, ASCII dataset, SPSS dataset, STATA dataset, SAS program and codebook.

II. Released File Description

1. User guide

userguide2013.doc	including released file description, guideline for data validation and usage, guideline for citation and contact us etc.
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2. Questionnaire

ques2013.pdf	Questionnaire
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3. Datasets

mu2013.dat	ASCII dataset
mu2013.sav	SPSS dataset
mu2013.dta	STATA dataset

4. Program

prog2013.sas	SAS Program for running mu2013.dat
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5. Codebook

code2013.pdf	Electronic codebook
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III. Guideline for data validation and usage

- (1) This is the subsidiary survey of Manpower Survey, 2013.
- (2) Starting from June 2008, no longer has DGBAS released the information regarding the corresponding codes to the real names of regions, including county/township/city/district as well as village. CSR recodes the original codes into four new sets: the years of (1)1978-1982, (2)1983-1989, (3)1990, and (4)1991 and later, respectively. The code of the same set, despite the year of investigation, represents its identically corresponding region (town).
- (3) In view of sample representativeness and data consistency, parts of subgroups with a small number of samples or recognizable characteristics are not appropriate to employ the estimation of an individual county/city.

Therefore, the number of each county/city should rely on the DGBAS's report.

- (4) The column widths of variable label and value description in the STATA are limited to 80 and 40 bytes, respectively, so the STATA dataset shows only the first 80 bytes as variable label, and the first 40 bytes as value description. In case of cut-off contexts, please see code book.
- (5) CSR has checked wild codes and out-of-range values, to validate and clean data. There is no doubt about data accuracy after the validation.

IV. Guideline for citation

Citation, based upon the requirement of various journals, theses or dissertations, can be revised.

Directorate-General of Budget, Accounting & Statistics, Executive Yuan (2014). Manpower Utilization Survey, 2013 (AA020036) [data file]. Available from Survey Research Data Archive, Academia Sinica. doi:10.6141/TW-SRDA-AA020036-1.

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