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Survey Details

SURYEAR	Survey Year	' 2002' = 2002
SURQTR	Reference Quarter	' q2' = Second Quarter
DIRPROXY	Nature of participation in the survey	' 1' = Direct ' 2' = Proxy ' ' = Not applicable (person under 15)
GFACTOR	Grossing Factor	
CSO NUM	CSO Reference number	

Demographic Details

REGION3	NUTS 3 region of household	' 1' = Border ' 2' = Midlands ' 3' = West ' 4' = Dublin ' 5' = Mid-East ' 6' = Mid-West ' 7' = South-East ' 8' = South-West
SEX	Sex	' 1' = Male ' 2' = Female
AGGP	Age Group	' 1' = 20 to 24 ' 2' = 25 to 34 ' 3' = 35 to 44 ' 4' = 45 to 54 ' 5' = 55 to 64 ' 6' = 65 and over
MARITAL	Marital Status	' 01' = Single ' 02' = Married ' 03' = Widowed ' 04' = Divorced/Separated
EDU	Highest education level attained	' 01' = No formal/ primary education ' 02' = Lower secondary ' 03' = Upper secondary ' 04' = Post leaving ' 05' = Third level ' xx' = Other/not stated ' ' = Not applicable (person under 15)

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Labour Status		
ILO	ILO Economic Status	'01' = In Employment full-time '02' = In Employment part-time, not underemployed '03' = In Employment part-time, underemployed '04' = Unemployed, seeking full-time work '05' = Unemployed, seeking part-time work '06' = Marginally attached '07' = Others not economically active ' ' = Not Applicable (person under 15)
PES	Principal Economic Status (based on individuals own perception)	'1' = At Work '2' = Unemployed '3' = Student '4' = Home Duties '5' = Retired '6' = Others 'x' = Not Stated ' ' = Not Applicable
USHR2	Usual number of weekly hours	'0' = Usual hours vary '1' = 1 hour '2' = 2 hours, etc. to 79 hours '80' = 80 hours or more '999' = Not Stated ' ' = Not applicable
EMPSTAT	Employment status	'01' = Self Employed (with paid employees) '02' = Self Employed(with no paid employees) '03' = Employee '04' = Assisting Relative ' ' = Not Applicable
NACEC	NACE Economic Sector of current employment (or of previous employment where applicable and available if person is not in employment)	'A' = A Agriculture Forestry, Fishing 'C' = C Mining and Quarrying 'D' = D Manufacturing 'E' = E Electricity, gas and water supply 'F' = F Construction 'G' = G Wholesale and Retail' 'H' = H Hotels and Restaurants' 'I' = I Transport, Storage, Communication 'J' = J Financial intermediation 'K' = K Real estate, renting and business activities 'L' = L Public Administration; Defence; Social Security 'M' = M Education 'N' = N Health 'O' = O Other

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Details on disability/longstanding health problem (for further details on all of the following variables, please see interviewers' notes)		
DISABL	Whether respondent suffers from a longstanding health problem or disability (NB longstanding refers to six months or more, for more information see interviewers notes)	' 1' = Yes ' 2' = No ' 3' = Not stated/refusal
WHATDISA	Description of disability/ longstanding health problem	' 1' = Problems with arms or hands ' 2' = Problems with legs or feet' ' 3' = Problems with back or neck' ' 4' = Difficulty with seeing' ' 5' = Difficulty with hearing' ' 6' = Speech impediment' ' 7' = Skin conditions' ' 8' = Chest or breathing problems' ' 9' = Heart, blood pressure or circulation problems ' 10' = Stomach, liver, kidney or digestive problems ' 11' = Diabetes' ' 12' = Epilepsy' ' 13' = Mental, nervous or emotional problems ' 14' = Other progress illnesses' ' 15' = Other longstanding health problems' ' 16' = 'p refusal/not stated ' ' = Not applicable
TIMEDISA	Length of time respondent has suffered from this disability/ longstanding health condition (see interviewers' notes)	' 1' = Since birth ' 2' = Less than 6 months ' 3' = Between 6 months and a year ' 4' = Between 1 and 2 years ' 5' = Between 2 and 3 years ' 6' = Between 3 and 5 years ' 7' = Between 5 and 10 years ' 8' = 10 years or more' ' 9' = Not Stated/Dont know ' ' = Not applicable
WHYDISAB	Cause of disability/longstanding health condition	' 1' = Born with it or birth injury ' 2' = Work-related accident or injury' ' 3' = Non work-related traffic accident or injury ' 4' = Household, leisure or sports accident or injury ' 5' = Work-related disease ' 6' = Non work-related disease ' 7' = Don't know/not stated' ' ' = Not applicable

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Details on disability/longstanding health problem (cont'd)		
KINDWORK	Whether disability/longstanding health condition limits the kind of work respondent can do/could do	' 1' = Yes, considerably ' 2' = Yes, to some extent ' 3' = No ' 9' = Not stated ' ' = Not applicable
MUCHWORK	Whether disability/longstanding health condition limits the amount of work respondent can do/could do	' 1' = Yes, considerably ' 2' = Yes, to some extent ' 3' = No ' 9' = Not stated ' ' = Not applicable
Persons in employment (ILO) only		
ASSISTPN	Whether any form of assistance is provided to facilitate work	' 1' = Yes, considerably ' 2' = Yes, to some extent ' 3' = No ' 9' = Not stated ' ' = Not applicable
WORKDISA	Whether respondent works in a sheltered or supported employment	' 1' = Yes ' 2' = No ' 9' = Not stated ' ' = Not applicable
Persons not in employment (ILO) only		
ASISTRN	Whether any form of assistance would need to be provided to be provide to facilitate work	' 1' = Yes ' 2' = No ' 3' = Don't know ' 9' = Not stated ' ' = Not applicable