

Release Notes for GSS 1972-2016 R4
(August 16th, 2018)

GSS Year Affected	Variable	Issue in the Previous Release	Fix in the Current Release
2016, 2014	CHLDIDEL	DK and NA cases in 2014 and 2016 were incorrectly assigned	Reassigned to code 9 (DK/NA)
2016	RANDOM		Added to current release
2016	OCCINDV	All cases in 2016 were missing	Reassigned to code -1 (IAP)

Release Notes for GSS 1972-2016 R3
(March 9, 2018)

GSS Year Affected	Variable	Issue in the Previous Release	Fix in the Current Release
Sporadic	ISCO88, ISCO08 (for self, spouse, and parents)	A few cases were assigned to ISCO codes not corresponding to occupation codes	Assigned ISCO codes corresponding to occupation codes
Sporadic	Prestige score variables (2010)	A few cases were assigned to prestige scores not corresponding to occupation codes	Assigned prestige scores corresponding to occupation codes
Sporadic	SEI score variables (2010)	A few cases were assigned to SEI scores not corresponding to occupation codes	Assigned SEI scores corresponding to occupation codes
2004	LETIN1, LETIN1A	The response options for the LETIN1 question include "Can't choose". However, LETIN1 on Version 1 and 2 of the questionnaire did not have "Can't choose" as a response option.	Renamed LETIN1 on Version 1 & 2 to LETIN1A (the LETIN1A question does not have "Can't choose" as an option)
2006	LETIN1A	Some cases were miscoded to IAP	Recoded to DK and NA
2008-12, 2016	LETIN1, LETIN1A	The LETIN1 question did not have "Can't choose" as a response option.	Renamed LETIN1 to LETIN1A
2014	LETIN1, LETIN1A	Variable names were switched	Renamed LETIN1 to LETIN1A and LETIN1A to LETIN1

Release Notes for GSS 1972-2016 R2
(September 29, 2017)

GSS Year Affected	Variable	Issue in the Previous Release	Fix in the Current Release
2016	OTH16	209 is an invalid code	Recoded to 39
2014-16	PRES12	5 is an invalid code	Recoded to 4
2006	TRUST, TRUST1	TRUST on Version 7 of the questionnaire was worded differently from the preexisting question (see Codebook)	The responses on Version 7 are separated into a new variable named TRUST1
2016	INTLWHTS, INTLBLKS	Codes 98 and 99 are supposed to be DK & NA	Recoded to DK (8) and NA (9)
2006-16	ISSP	Code 2 is for SAQ that was used before 2006 (see Codebook)	Recoded to IAP from 2006 and onward
2012-16	COPRESTG105PLUS	Inconsistent to naming convention	Renamed to COPRES105PLUS
2012-16	COPRESTG10	Duplicate of COPRES10	Dropped
2016	OCC10	4380 is an invalid code	Recoded to 4830
2016	OCC10	1990 is an invalid code	Recoded to 8256
2014	COOCC10	3225 is an invalid code	Recoded to 3255
2016	MAOCC10	8680 is an invalid code	Recoded to 4250
All	SEI10, PASEI10, MASEI10, SPSEI10, COSEI10	N/A	IAP, DK, NA are merged for consistency
2016	SPEVWORK, SPWRKSTA, SPHRS1, SPHRS2, SPWRKSLF, SPOCC10, SPIND10, SPISCO08, SPPRES10, SPPRES105PLUS, SPSEI10, SPSEI10EDUC, SPSEI10INC, SPEDUC, SPDEG, SPDIPGED, SPREL, SPDEN, SPOTHER, SPJEW	Cohabitation cases should not have valid values in these variables	Recoded to IAP
2016	SECTOR, EFTOTLT, BARATE, GRADTOUNDER	Not yet coded	Coded
2016	SPSECTOR, SPEFTOTLT, SPBARATE, SPGRADTOUNDER	Not yet coded	Coded
2012-14	SPSECTOR, SPEFTOTLT, SPBARATE, SPGRADTOUNDER	Cohabitation cases should not have valid values in these variables	Recoded to IAP
2016	COSECTOR, COEFTOTLT, COBARATE, COGRADTOUNDER	Not yet coded	Coded

Release Notes for GSS 1972-2016 R1b
(March 29, 2017; updated on June 21, 2017)

GSS Year Affected	Variable	Issue in the Previous Release	Fix in the Current Release
2012	OCC10	16 cases miscoded to military occupations	Recoded to civilian codes
2012	INDUS10	14 cases miscoded to military industries	Recoded to civilian codes
2014	OCC10	1 case miscoded to military occupation	Recoded to civilian codes
2014	INDUS10	3 cases miscoded to military industries	Recoded to civilian codes
1972-2016	SATJOB	Variable label incorrect	Fixed
2016	SATJOBHV	Omitted	Added
2016	RACETHMN	Omitted	Added
2008	JEW16	Some cases were miscoded to 99	Recoded to 9
2004-14	FEELEVEL	Some cases were miscoded to IAP	Recoded to NA
2014	MYSKILLS	Misnamed as USESKILL	Renamed to MYSKILL
2012, 2014	DENOM	Some cases were assigned to incorrect codes	Recoded to 60
2012, 2014	OTHER	Some cases were assigned to incorrect codes	Recoded to correct codes
2012, 2014	FUND	Some cases were assigned to incorrect codes	Recoded to correct codes
2006	RACEEN1	Some cases were miscoded to 16	Recoded to correct codes
2006	RACEEN2	Some cases were assigned to incorrect codes	Recoded to correct codes
2006	RACEEN3	Some cases were assigned to incorrect codes	Recoded to correct codes
2006, 2008	EXPTXT	Some cases were miscoded to 99	Recoded to 9
2014	WKSUB	Some cases were miscoded to valid codes	Recoded to IAP
2014	WKSUB	Somce cases were miscoded to IAP	Recoded to NA
2014	WKSUP	Some cases were miscoded to valid codes	Recoded to IAP
2014	WKSUP	Somce cases were miscoded to IAP	Recoded to NA
2006-12	WKSUB	Somce cases were miscoded to IAP	Recoded to NA
2006-12	WKSUP	Somce cases were miscoded to IAP	Recoded to NA
2012-14	MARCOHAB	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COEDUC	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	CODEG	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	CODIPGED	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COSECTOR	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COGRADTOUNDER	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COBARATE	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COEFTOTLT	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COWRKSTA	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COWRKSLF	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COOCC10	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COIND10	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COISCO08	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COPRESTG10	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COPRESTG105PLUS	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COSEI10	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COSEI10EDUC	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COSEI10INC	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COEVWORK	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COHRS1	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COHRS2	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COPRES10	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COREL	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	CODEN	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COOTHER	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COFUND	No issue	Newly added

Release Notes for GSS 1972-2016 R1
(March 29, 2017)

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2008	JEW16	Some cases were miscoded to 99	Recoded to 9
2004-14	FEELEVEL	Some cases were miscoded to IAP	Recoded to NA
2014	MYSKILL	Misnamed as USESKILL	Renamed to MYSKILL
2012, 2014	DENOM	Some cases were assigned to incorrect codes	Recoded to 60
2012, 2014	OTHER	Some cases were assigned to incorrect codes	Recoded to correct codes
2012, 2014	FUND	Some cases were assigned to incorrect codes	Recoded to correct codes
2006	RACECEN1	Some cases were miscoded to 16	Recoded to correct codes
2006	RACECEN2	Some cases were assigned to incorrect codes	Recoded to correct codes
2006	RACECEN3	Some cases were assigned to incorrect codes	Recoded to correct codes
2006, 2008	EXPTXT	Some cases were miscoded to 99	Recoded to 9
2014	WKSUB	Some cases were miscoded to valid codes	Recoded to IAP
2014	WKSUB	Somce cases were miscoded to IAP	Recoded to NA
2014	WKSUP	Some cases were miscoded to valid codes	Recoded to IAP
2014	WKSUP	Somce cases were miscoded to IAP	Recoded to NA
2006-12	WKSUB	Somce cases were miscoded to IAP	Recoded to NA
2006-12	WKSUP	Somce cases were miscoded to IAP	Recoded to NA
2012-14	MARCOHAB	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COEDUC	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	CODEG	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	CODIPGED	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COSECTOR	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COGRADTOUNDER	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COBARATE	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COEFTOTLT	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COWRKSTA	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COWRKSLF	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COOCC10	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COIND10	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COISCO08	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COPRESTG10	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COPRESTG105PLUS	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COSEI10	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COSEI10EDUC	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COSEI10INC	No issue	Newly added
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2012-14	COPRES10	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COREL	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	CODEN	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COOTHER	No issue	Newly added
2012-14	COFUND	No issue	Newly added