

DESCRIPTION OF GENERATED VARIABLES

Public Data

re\_dkref                    R s race - don't know/refused  
=1 if re\_1a\_1 = Don't know/Refused, else = 0

re\_white                    R s race - white  
=1 if re\_1a\_1 = 1, else = 0

re\_black                    R s race - black  
=1 if re\_1a\_2 = 1, else = 0

re\_hispanic                R s race - hispanic  
=1 if re\_1a\_3 = 1, else = 0

re\_asian                    R s race - asian  
=1 if re\_1a\_4 = 1, else = 0

re\_pacisl                    R s race - pacific islander  
=1 if re\_1a\_5 = 1, else = 0

re\_natamer                R s race - native american  
=1 if re\_1a\_6 = 1, else = 0

re\_mixed                    R s race - mixed  
=1 if re\_1a\_7 = 1, else = 0

re\_other                    R s race - other  
=1 if re\_1a\_9 = 1, else = 0

re\_race                    R s race  
= re\_2w if more than one race selected  
= re\_1c if re\_1a\_X = Don't know/Refused  
= re\_1a\_X if only one race selected

- 1 – White
- 2 – Black
- 3 – Hispanic
- 4 – Asian
- 5 – Pacific Islander
- 6 – Native American
- 7 – Mixed Race
- 8 – Gave Ethnicity, No Race
- 9 – Other

race\_all

This variable puts people into just one race category. For most people, they are coded the same as the race they told us. For those who said they were racially mixed, they were asked which groups were part of their heritage and if they favored one over the other(s). If they favored one, for this recoded race variable they were coded as that favored race. For others who did not say they favored one (very few people), or for those who did not give us a race, we used the following information to classify them: (1) skin tone, (2) eye color, (3) last name (maiden and married), (4) area of residence (such as where in the city they resided), (6) listed ethnicities (for example, some Indians from India did not say what race they were, but they were originally from India and had Indian surnames), and (5) racial make-up of close friends.

- 1 – white
- 2 - black
- 3 – Hispanic
- 4 – Asian
- 5 – Native American

wj\_dkref                      Workstatus - don't know/refused  
= 1 if wj\_1\_1 = Don't know/Refused, else = 0

wj\_fulltime                  Workstatus - fulltime  
= 1 if wj\_1\_1 = 1, else = 0

wj\_parttime                 Workstatus - parttime  
= 1 if wj\_1\_2 = 1, else = 0

wj\_retired                  Workstatus - retired  
= 1 if wj\_1\_3 = 1, else = 0

wj\_homemaker              Workstatus - homemaker  
= 1 if wj\_1\_4 = 1, else = 0

wj\_school                  Workstatus - in school  
= 1 if wj\_1\_5 = 1, else = 0

wj\_unemployed             Workstatus - unemployed  
= 1 if wj\_1\_6 = 1, else = 0

wj\_other                    Workstatus - other  
= 1 if wj\_1\_7 = 1, else = 0

wj\_status                  Work status  
only one work status designation allowed, coded in the following order so that if

the R selected a designation any further selections are ignored

= 1 if wj\_fulltime = 1  
= 2 if wj\_parttime = 1  
= 3 if wj\_retired = 1  
= 5 if wj\_school = 1  
= 4 if wj\_homemaker = 1  
= 6 if wj\_unemployed = 1  
= 7 if wj\_other = 1

wj\_mult                      Workstatus, # of selections  
= total # of workstatus selections (wj\_fulltime+wj\_parttime+wj\_retired+  
wj\_homemaker+wj\_school+wj\_unemployed+wj\_other)

wj\_status2                  Work status 2  
if only one workstatus option selected, wj\_status2 = the workstatus selected  
if multiple workstatus options selected, wj\_status2 = 8

if wj\_mult = 1:  
= 1 if wj\_fulltime = 1  
= 2 if wj\_parttime = 1  
= 3 if wj\_retired = 1  
= 4 if wj\_homemaker = 1  
= 5 if wj\_school = 1  
= 6 if wj\_unemployed = 1  
= 7 if wj\_other = 1  
if wj\_mult > 1  
= 8

po\_sign                      Political activities - signed petition  
= 1 if po\_2\_1 = 1, else = 0

po\_work                      Political activities – worked for candidate or party  
= 1 if po\_2\_2 = 1, else = 0

po\_contact                  Political activities - contacted public official  
= 1 if po\_2\_3 = 1, else = 0

po\_persuade                Political activities - tried to influence someone's vote  
= 1 if po\_2\_4 = 1, else = 0

po\_attend                    Political activities – attended political meeting or rally  
= 1 if po\_2\_5 = 1, else = 0

po\_gave                      Political activities – gave money to party, group, or candidate  
= 1 if po\_2\_6 = 1, else = 0



hr\_age                                      R's age  
age of main respondent, using hr\_3\_01 – hr\_3\_10 and hr\_7\_01 – hr\_7\_10

sa\_games                                    Xs played games  
combination of sa\_1 – sa\_3,  
number of times in the last 12 mo. R has played games with others

- 0 = Never
- 1 = Once
- 2 = 2 – 4 times
- 3 = 5 – 9 times
- 4 = About once a month
- 5 = About twice a month
- 6 = About once a week
- 7 = More than once a week

sa\_family                                    Xs visited w/ family  
combination of sa\_4 – sa\_6,  
number of times in the last 12 mo. R has visited family or had them visit

- 0 = Never
- 1 = Once
- 2 = 2 – 4 times
- 3 = 5 – 9 times
- 4 = About once a month
- 5 = About twice a month
- 6 = About once a week
- 7 = More than once a week

sa\_friends                                    Xs had friends over  
combination of sa\_7 – sa\_9,  
number of times in the last 12 mo. R has had friends over

- 0 = Never
- 1 = Once
- 2 = 2 – 4 times
- 3 = 5 – 9 times
- 4 = About once a month
- 5 = About twice a month
- 6 = About once a week
- 7 = More than once a week

sa\_coworkers                                Xs socialized with coworkers  
combination of sa\_10 – sa\_12,  
number of times in the last 12 mo. R has socialized with coworkers outside of  
work

- 0 = Never
- 1 = Once
- 2 = 2 – 4 times
- 3 = 5 – 9 times
- 4 = About once a month
- 5 = About twice a month
- 6 = About once a week
- 7 = More than once a week

sa\_public                      Xs in public with friends  
combination of sa\_13 – sa\_15,  
number of times in the last 12 mo. R has spent time with friends in a public place

- 0 = Never
- 1 = Once
- 2 = 2 – 4 times
- 3 = 5 – 9 times
- 4 = About once a month
- 5 = About twice a month
- 6 = About once a week
- 7 = More than once a week

sa\_meeting                      Xs attended meetings  
combination of sa\_19 – sa\_21,  
number of times in the last 12 mo. R has attended a meeting about local  
government, school, or community affairs

- 0 = Never
- 1 = Once
- 2 = 2 – 4 times
- 3 = 5 – 9 times
- 4 = About once a month
- 5 = About twice a month
- 6 = About once a week
- 7 = More than once a week

sa\_exercise                      Xs exercised with others  
combination of sa\_22 – sa\_24,  
number of times in the last 12 mo. R has exercised or participated in a recreational  
activity with friends or family

- 0 = Never
- 1 = Once
- 2 = 2 – 4 times
- 3 = 5 – 9 times

- 4 = About once a month
- 5 = About twice a month
- 6 = About once a week
- 7 = More than once a week

sa\_smallgroup            Xs attended small group  
combination of sa\_25 – sa\_27,  
number of times in the last 12 mo. R has attended a small group that meets  
regularly and provides support or caring for those who participate in it

- 0 = Never
- 1 = Once
- 2 = 2 – 4 times
- 3 = 5 – 9 times
- 4 = About once a month
- 5 = About twice a month
- 6 = About once a week
- 7 = More than once a week

sa\_volunteer            Xs volunteered local community project  
combination of sa\_28 – sa\_30,  
number of times in the last 12 mo. R has volunteer for a local community project

- 0 = Never
- 1 = Once
- 2 = 2 – 4 times
- 3 = 5 – 9 times
- 4 = About once a month
- 5 = About twice a month
- 6 = About once a week
- 7 = More than once a week

ri\_conslib                Religiously conservative-liberal  
combination of ri\_7 – ri\_10

- = 1 if ri\_8 = 1
- = 2 if ri\_8 = 2
- = 3 if ri\_9 = 1
- = 4 if ri\_9 = Don't know/Refused
- = 5 if ri\_9 = 2
- = 6 if ri\_10 = 2
- = 7 if ri\_10 = 1

- 1 = Very Conservative
- 2 = Somewhat Conservative
- 3 = Moderate/Conservative
- 4 = Moderate

- 5 = Moderate/Liberal
- 6 = Somewhat Liberal
- 7 = Very Liberal

wj\_hours                      Avg work hours per week  
                                    combination of wj\_3 and wj\_4

- 1 = 0-5
- 2 = 6-10
- 3 = 11-15
- 4 = 16-20
- 5 = 21-25
- 6 = 26-30
- 7 = 31-35
- 8 = 36-40
- 9 = 41-45
- 10 = 46-50
- 11 = 51-55
- 12 = 56-60
- 13 = 61-65
- 14 = 66-70
- 15 = 71-76
- 16 = 76+

sa\_32                              Avg. time per day socializing on-line

- 0 = 0
- 1 = 1-5 min
- 2 = 6-10 min
- 3 = 11-15 min
- 4 = 16-30 min
- 5 = 31-59 min
- 6 = 1 hr
- 7 = 2 hr
- 8 = 3 hr
- 9 = 4 hr
- 10 = 5 hr
- 11 = >5 hr

dm\_income                      Total household income  
                                    combination of dm\_5 – dm\_7

- 1 = < \$5,000
- 2 = \$5,000-\$9,999
- 3 = \$10,000-\$14,999
- 4 = \$15,000-\$19,999
- 5 = \$20,000-\$24,999

6 = \$25,000-\$29,999  
7 = \$30,000-\$34,999  
8 = \$35,000-\$39,999  
9 = \$40,000-\$49,999  
10 = \$50,000-\$59,999  
11 = \$60,000-\$69,999  
12 = \$70,000-\$79,999  
13 = \$80,000-\$89,999  
14 = \$90,000-\$99,999  
15 = \$100,000-\$124,999  
16 = \$125,000-\$149,999  
17 = \$150,000-\$174,999  
18 = \$175,000-\$199,999  
19 = \$200,000 or more

dm\_2\_2                      R s highest completed degree  
recode of dm\_2 with verbatim responses from dm\_2\_s used to recode when  
appropriate

hr\_malenum                      # of males in household  
using hr\_6\_01 – hr\_6\_10, total number of males in the household

hr\_femalenum                      # of females in household  
using hr\_6\_01 – hr\_6\_10, total number of females in the household

hr\_parent                      R lives with parent  
using hr\_7\_01 – hr\_7\_10  
=1 if hr\_7\_x = 2, else = 0

hr\_child                      R lives with child  
using hr\_7\_01 – hr\_7\_10  
=1 if hr\_7\_x = 3, else = 0

hr\_sibling                      R lives with sibling  
using hr\_7\_01 – hr\_7\_10  
=1 if hr\_7\_x = 4, else = 0

hr\_spouse                      R lives with spouse  
using hr\_7\_01 – hr\_7\_10  
=1 if hr\_7\_x = 5, else = 0

hr\_partner                      R lives with unmarried partner  
using hr\_7\_01 – hr\_7\_10  
=1 if hr\_7\_x = 6, else = 0

hr\_roommate                      R lives with roommate

using hr\_7\_01 – hr\_7\_10  
=1 if hr\_7\_x = 7, else = 0

hr\_childinlaw            R lives with child-in-law  
using hr\_7\_01 – hr\_7\_10  
=1 if hr\_7\_x = 8, else = 0

hr\_grandchild            R lives with grandchild  
using hr\_7\_01 – hr\_7\_10  
=1 if hr\_7\_x = 9, else = 0

hr\_parentinlaw           R lives with parent-in-law  
using hr\_7\_01 – hr\_7\_10  
=1 if hr\_7\_x = 10, else = 0

hr\_grandparent           R lives with grandparent  
using hr\_7\_01 – hr\_7\_10  
=1 if hr\_7\_x = 11, else = 0

hr\_roomer                R lives with roomer  
using hr\_7\_01 – hr\_7\_10  
=1 if hr\_7\_x = 12, else = 0

hr\_otherrel              R lives with other relative  
using hr\_7\_01 – hr\_7\_10  
=1 if hr\_7\_x = 13, else = 0

hr\_othernonrel           R lives with other non-relative  
using hr\_7\_01 – hr\_7\_10  
=1 if hr\_7\_x = 14, else = 0

hc\_10                    Housing search method  
using hc\_10\_01 – hc\_10\_12 and hc\_11, method of finding current residence, first  
choice

= hc\_10\_X if only one option selected  
= hc\_11 if more than one option selected in hc\_10\_01 – hc\_10\_12

1 = Agent  
2 = Newspaper/Magazine  
3 = Sign  
4 = Internet  
5 = Apt finder service  
7 = Family member  
8 = Friend  
9 = Rental service

11 = Someone else

12 = Other

po\_party Political party combined  
using po\_6 – po\_9, combined political party affiliation

= 1 if po\_7 = 1

= 2 if po\_7 = 2 or Don't know/Refused

= 3 if po\_9 = 1

= 4 if po\_9 = 3

= 5 if po\_9 = 2

= 6 if po\_8 = 2 or Don't know/Refused

= 7 if po\_8 = 1

1 = Strong democratic

2 = Not strong democratic

3 = Lean democratic

4 = Neither

5 = Lean republican

6 = Not strong republican

7 = Strong republican

vo\_givefam R has given money to close family in past 12mo

= 1 if vo\_4\_1 = 1, else = 0

vo\_givefamfrnds R has given money to other family or friends in past 12mo

= 1 if vo\_4\_2 = 1, else = 0

vo\_giveneighb~s R has given money to neighbors in past 12mo

= 1 if vo\_4\_3 = 1, else = 0

vo\_givecong R has given money to congregation members in past 12mo

= 1 if vo\_4\_4 = 1, else = 0

vo\_givestrang~s R has given money to strangers in past 12mo

= 1 if vo\_4\_5 = 1, else = 0

vo\_givenone R has not given money to individuals in past 12mo

= 1 if vo\_4\_6 = 1, else = 0

vo\_givenumber # of types listed R has given money to in past 12mo

= total number of types of individuals R has given money to

(vo\_givefam + vo\_givefamfrnds + vo\_giveneighbors + vo\_givecong +  
vo\_givestrangers)

vo\_advicefam R has given advice to close family in past 12mo

- = 1 if vo\_5\_1 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_advicefam~s      R has given advice to other family or friends in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_5\_2 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_adviceneig~s      R has given advice to neighbors in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_5\_3 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_advicecong      R has given advice to congregation members in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_5\_4 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_advicestra~s      R has given advice to strangers in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_5\_5 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_advicenone      R has not given advice to individuals in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_5\_6 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_advicenumber      # of types listed R has given advice to in past 12mo  
= total number of types of individuals R has given advice to  
(vo\_advicefam + vo\_advicefamfrnds + vo\_adviceneighbors + vo\_advicecong +  
vo\_advicestrangers)
- vo\_helpfam      R has helped close family in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_6\_1 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_helpfamfrnds      R has helped other family or friends in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_6\_2 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_helpneighb~s      R has helped neighbors in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_6\_3 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_helpcong      R has helped congregation members in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_6\_4 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_helpstrang~s      R has helped strangers in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_6\_5 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_helpnone      R has not helped individuals in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_6\_6 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_helpnumber      # of types listed R has helped in past 12mo  
= total number of types of individuals R has helped  
(vo\_helpfam + vo\_helpfamfrnds + vo\_helpneighbors + vo\_helpcong +  
vo\_helpstrangers)
- vo\_trustfam      R has trusted completely close family in past 12mo

- = 1 if vo\_7\_1 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_trustfamfr~s      R has trusted completely other family or friends in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_7\_2 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_trustneigh~s      R has trusted completely neighbors in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_7\_3 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_trustcong          R has trusted completely congregation members in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_7\_4 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_truststran~s      R has trusted completely strangers in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_7\_5 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_trustnone          R has not trusted completely individuals in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_7\_6 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_trustnumber      # of types listed R has trusted completely in past 12mo  
= total number of types of individuals R has trusted completely  
(vo\_trustfam + vo\_trustfamfrnds + vo\_trustneighbors + vo\_trustcong +  
vo\_truststrangers)
- vo\_rechelpfam        R has received help from close family in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_8\_1 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_rechelpfam~s      R has received help from other family or friends in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_8\_2 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_rechelpnei~s      R has received help from neighbors in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_8\_3 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_rechelpcong      R has received help from congregation members in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_8\_4 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_rechelpstr~s      R has received help from strangers in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_8\_5 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_rechelpnone      R has not received help from individuals in past 12mo  
= 1 if vo\_8\_6 = 1, else = 0
- vo\_rechelpnum~r      # of types listed R has received help from in past 12mo  
= total number of types of individuals R has received help from  
(vo\_rechelpfam + vo\_rechelpfamfrnds + vo\_rechelpneighbors + vo\_rechelpcong  
+ vo\_rechelpstrangers)
- hr\_biological          R lives with biological child

using hr\_7a\_01 – hr\_7a\_10  
= 1 if hr\_7a\_X = 1, else = 0

hr\_step                      R lives with step child  
using hr\_7a\_01 – hr\_7a\_10  
= 1 if hr\_7a\_X = 2, else = 0

hr\_adopted                 R lives with adopted child  
using hr\_7a\_01 – hr\_7a\_10  
= 1 if hr\_7a\_X = 3, else = 0

hr\_guardian                 R lives with legal guardianship, foster, or partner's child  
using hr\_7a\_01 – hr\_7a\_10  
= 1 if hr\_7a\_X = 4, 5, or 6, else = 0

pawt2                      adjustment to the weight variable pawt to set totals back to the  
original sample size.