
Subject: Re: Recalculating wealth index for rural subset
Posted by [Liz-DHS](#) on Mon, 13 Jan 2014 22:10:34 GMT
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Dear User,

Here is a response from one of our experts, Dr. Shea Rutstein:

We have calculated separate wealth indexes for Ethiopia and then combined them into a composite index. The separate indexes also have separate quintiles. I am attaching the score file and the SPSS syntax. By the way, it is correct to use the weight variable.

The format for the score file:

Variable	Rec	Start	End	Format
QHCLUST	1	1	3	F3.0
QHNUMBER	1	4	6	F3.0
combscor	1	7	17	F11.5
Ncombsco	1	18	20	F3.0
URB1	1	21	31	F11.5
NURB1	1	32	34	F3.0
RUR1	1	35	45	F11.5
NRUR1	1	46	48	F3.0

RUR1 is the rural wealth score and NRUR1 is the rural wealth quintile.

If this has not answered your question adequately, please reply

Thank you!

File Attachments

- 1) [et10assets.sps](#), downloaded 1051 times
 - 2) [et10scores.dat](#), downloaded 1027 times
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