Subject: Re: Strata with single PSU

Posted by Bridgette-DHS on Mon, 15 May 2017 15:18:06 GMT

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Following is a response from Senior DHS Stata Specialist, Tom Pullum:

I recommend that you always add the "singleunit" option to svyset. There are three versions: centered, scaled, and certainty. It makes very little difference which one you use. I usually used the centered option. That is, you pick one of the following three versions of svyset, for example:

svyset v021 [pweight=v005], strata(stratumid) singleunit(centered) svyset v021 [pweight=v005], strata(stratumid) singleunit(scaled) svyset v021 [pweight=v005], strata(stratumid) singleunit(certainty)