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Subject: Data Structure with regards to the Turkey DHS 2013 Dataset

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Good day,

I am currently working on the Turkey DHS 2013 TRIR62FL.DTA Dataset.

However, I am confused as to why does one variable have multiple columns or cases

For eg: s439b\_1 , s439b\_2 , s439b\_3 , s439b\_4 , s439b\_5 , s439b\_6 (test for hearing)

If one row belongs to one woman (each unique ID) I was confused as to why are there multiple cases/columns to one variable. The total observations for each case of the variable decreases as you go from s439b\_1 to s439b\_6.

Do let me know your thoughts.

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### File Attachments

1) [Screenshot 2022-06-22 11.25.20.png](#), downloaded 173 times

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