
Subject: Re: Merging 2018 Zambia HR to IR
Posted by [Bridgette-DHS](#) on Thu, 02 Feb 2023 21:16:32 GMT
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Following is a response from Senior DHS staff member, Tom Pullum:

The following Stata lines will merge the PR and IR files, with one record for each woman in the IR file. Hope this is what you are looking for.

* PR/IR merge for ZM71, Zambia 2018 DHS

* specify a workspace
cd e:\DHS\DHS_data\scratch

```
use "...ZMIR71FL.DTA", clear
gen cluster=v001
gen hh=v002
gen line=v003
sort cluster hh line
save ZMIRtemp.dta, replace
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use "...ZMPR71FL.DTA", clear
keep if hv117==1
gen cluster=hv001
gen hh=hv002
gen line=hvidx
sort cluster hh line
merge cluster hh line using ZMIRtemp.dta
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tab _merge
keep if _merge==3
drop _merge
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* save this file with another name