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Subject: Re: command for Cluster Average of Women's employment

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Following is a response from Senior DHS staff member, Tom Pullum:

I will illustrate with v201; you need to revise with your employment variable.

```
egen v201_total=total(v201), by(v001)
```

```
egen v201_n=count(v201),by(v001)
```

```
gen v201_mean=v201_total/v201_n
```

```
* v201_mean can also be obtained from "egen v201_mean=mean(v201), by(v001)"
```

```
* Now construct a mean for the cluster, for each respondent, that omits each respondent
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```
gen v201_mean_adj=(v201_total-v201)/(v201_n-1)
```

```
correlate v201 v201_mean
```

```
correlate v201 v201_mean_adj
```

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* The respondent's value of v201 is correlated with both of these means, although
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* less so with the mean for which she is removed
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