
Subject: Re: merging wealth index from Ethiopia DHS 2000 to women's file
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Following is an example syntax for merging the wealth index with the women. You can use this, and just change the women's variable names to the men's variable names.

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GET
FILE='C:\et\ETWI41FL.SAV'.

SORT CASES BY
  whhid (A) .

SAVE OUTFILE='C:\et\wisort.sav'
/RENAME(WHHID=
        HHID)
/COMPRESSED.

GET
FILE='C:\et\ETIR41FL.SAV'.

STRING hhid (A12).
COMPUTE hhid = SUBSTR(caseid,1,12) .
VARIABLE LABELS hhid 'hhid' .
EXECUTE .

SORT CASES BY
  hhid (A) .

SAVE OUTFILE='C:\et\WOMENSORT.SAV'
/COMPRESSED.

MATCH FILES /FILE=*
/TABLE='C:\et\wisort.sav'
/BY hhid.
EXECUTE.

SAVE OUTFILE='C:\et\WI_IR.SAV'
/COMPRESSED.
COMPUTE wt = v005 / 1000000 .
EXECUTE .
WEIGHT
  BY wt .
```
