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Subject: Colombia - Municipalities

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Good morning, I am currently working on the Colombia 2010 DHS dataset

I am interested to aggregate some variables by municipality

I analyzed the distribution of the variable shmuni and I found out that

20,804 cases are characterized by a value equal to 1.

the cross-tabulation with region (v024) or dept (shdepto)

and I observed a one to many relation,

whereas I found a one-to-one match when focusing

on region & departments.

I was expecting a sort of multilevel arrangement

region > dept > municipality

Could somebody please explain me in some details

how should I interpret these findings or where I am incorrectly

interpreting the meaning of the variables?

Thank you very much for your help