
Subject: Turkey mother tongue variable

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Hi,

I hope it won't be a very easy question. In the 2003 Turkish DHS, I use the following data set: TRHR4AFL.DTA.

The variable I am interested is sh57_*. In the file TRHR4AFL.FRW, there is only one variable for sh57, while in the data set there are 8, sh57_1...sh57_8. When I individually run counts, I am able to get the weighted data for Kurdish count 599.

The code is:

```
generate psu=hv021
```

```
generate wgt=hv005/1000000
```

```
egen strata = group(hv024 hv025), label  
svyset psu [iweight=wgt], strata(strata)
```

```
svy: tab sh57_1, count format(%11.1fc) /* mother tongue */  
svy: tab sh57_2, count format(%11.1fc) /* mother tongue */  
svy: tab sh57_3, count format(%11.1fc) /* mother tongue */  
svy: tab sh57_4, count format(%11.1fc) /* mother tongue */  
svy: tab sh57_5, count format(%11.1fc) /* mother tongue */  
svy: tab sh57_6, count format(%11.1fc) /* mother tongue */  
svy: tab sh57_7, count format(%11.1fc) /* mother tongue */  
svy: tab sh57_8, count format(%11.1fc) /* mother tongue */
```

However, if I wanted to compile the data with rowmisscount function or other methods, I cannot reached the 559 number.

```
egen mother=rowmisscount(sh57_1 sh57_2 sh57_3 sh57_4 sh57_5 sh57_6 sh57_7 sh57_8)  
svy: tab mother, count format(%11.1fc) /* mother tongue */
```

Any idea how to do this?I hope I was clear.
