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Subject: Folate data in Rwanda DHS, 2019-20  
Posted by [MRedwanul](#) on Wed, 14 Aug 2024 09:42:43 GMT  
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Hello,

I have been trying to find out whether folate data are available for the Rwanda DHS 2019-20. The Survey Characteristics Search suggests the folate data to be available. However, when I skimmed through the Supplemental Report for Micronutrients, I noticed that there is no table describing folate status, while there are tables for vitamin B12, iodine, ferritin, etc.

Could an expert kindly look into this and let me know:

- (i) are folate data available;
- (ii) if available, the variable name(s) that I should focus on; and
- (iii) the variable names for CRP, vitamin B12 and ferritin.

Many thanks!

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Subject: Re: Folate data in Rwanda DHS, 2019-20  
Posted by [Janet-DHS](#) on Fri, 16 Aug 2024 14:22:07 GMT  
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Following is a response from DHS Lead Nutrition Research Associate, Rukundo Benedict:  
The folate data are not yet available and not included in the micronutrient report nor in the released dataset. The variable names ( for CRP, vitamin B12 and ferritin) are included in the dictionary for the RW micronutrient dataset. Let us know if you have other questions.

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