
Subject: weighting tabulations for 2 way tables

Posted by sekera2006@yahoo.co.uk on Fri, 08 Mar 2019 09:02:55 GMT

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Hi DHS Team,

I am analysing DHS data on ITN use. Is it possible to weight a command like "Tab X Y, col" so that I can have weighted frequencies. I am failing as the result from this command is different from the result of "tab y,[iweight=wtg] col" but I need the result for the two way table.

Regina

Subject: Re: weighting tabulations for 2 way tables

Posted by [Bridgette-DHS](#) on Thu, 14 Mar 2019 12:55:07 GMT

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Following is a response from Senior DHS Stata Specialist, Tom Pullum:

You should be able to use iweight for two-way tables, but the weight specification goes BEFORE the comma. Try this: "tab x y [iweight=wtg], col".

Subject: Re: weighting tabulations for 2 way tables

Posted by sekera2006@yahoo.co.uk on Fri, 15 Mar 2019 07:48:36 GMT

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Thanks Tom and Bridgette,

Should I weigh the data on each command or if i have used suvysset command to weigh the whole data set then its ok i dont need to continously weigh the commands.

Regina

P/S this is my forst time using DHS data and without any orientation. i am finding the way on my own hence these questions. i hope you will bear with me, but I am enjoying using the datasets.

Subject: Re: weighting tabulations for 2 way tables

Posted by [Bridgette-DHS](#) on Fri, 15 Mar 2019 10:39:00 GMT

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