

## Social Class

### Survey member and partner's occupations and social class

Information about own and partner's occupation asked at 26, 36, 43, 53 and 60-64 years.

- Current own social class (at 26,36,43, 53 and 60-64 years)
- Current or most recent own social class (at 26,36,43 and 53 years)
- Current spouse social class (at 26,36,43, 53 and 60-64 years)
- Current or most recent own social class of spouse (at 36, 43 and 53 years) (not available at 26 years)
- Head of household's social class (based on own social class if male or unmarried female, and spouse social class if married female)

Overall measures have been derived for adult social class, spouse social class and childhood social class.

Information about the occupation of the father was asked at many of the follow-ups in childhood. Occupation was initially coded using the Registrar General occupational classification at the time [OG46 – OG61].

In 1976, the research team retrospectively applied the 1970 OPCS Classification of Occupations to code the current or last occupation and employment status of the fathers (or of the current husband) and derived the socioeconomic group and social class in 1950, 1957 and 1961 when the study members were aged 4, 11 and 15 years respectively [FSC50t, FSC57t, FSC61t].

Other occupational variables available include the occupation, employment status, socioeconomic group and social class of the maternal grandfather and paternal grandfather which were reported by the mother in 1954.

As part of the ESRC Gender Network Grant, [GENET] Project 1 'Changing occupational careers of men and women', (Reference: RES-225-25-2001), Dr Erzsebet Bukodi and Jenny Neuberger derived a comprehensive set of occupational history variables. Up to 27 jobs were coded with information on start and end dates of job episodes, whether job was FT or PT, and full, simple and mixed versions of occupational coding using SOC90, Goldthorpe and NS-SEC classification schemes. Full documentation is available.

Survey member and spouse social class of current job coded to 1980 Classification are also available at age 36 (1982). [SC8082, SPSC8082, SLSC8082] – however labelling is incomplete for these variables.

General note on use of label 'Intermediate' for category II of RG social class. More recently this category is labelled as 'II Managerial/technical'. In 1980 the RG scheme was changed to be based directly on occupational skill and was renamed in 1990 as 'Social Class based on Occupation' and the label for category II may have changed over time to reflect these changes.

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## **Main variable naming conventions**

### **sc72c**

Purpose : Current own social class in 1972 (at 26 years)  
Year : 1972

#### **1. Definition**

This variable is coded as

- |   |                            |
|---|----------------------------|
| 0 | Armed Forces               |
| 1 | I Professional etc.        |
| 2 | II Intermediate            |
| 3 | IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual) |
| 4 | IIIM Skilled (Manual)      |
| 5 | IV Partly skilled          |
| 6 | V Unskilled                |

7 not working full-time  
10 no interview

## 2. Specification

```
COMPUTE SC72=SG72  
IF (SG72 EQ 3 AND MNM72 EQ 1) SC72=14  
IF (SG72 EQ 3 AND MNM72 EQ 2) SC72=13  
RECODE SC72 (1=1)(2=2)(13=3)(14=4)(4=5)(5=6) (ELSE=COPY)INTO SC72C
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### scl72c

Purpose : Social class [based on last /current/most recent job] up to 1972 (at 26 years)  
Year : 1972

## 1. Definition

This variable is coded as

0 Armed Forces  
1 I Professional etc.  
2 II Intermediate  
3 IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)  
4 IIIM Skilled (Manual)  
5 IV Partly skilled  
6 V Unskilled  
8 has never worked full-time  
9 has worked, social class unknown  
999 not interviewed

## 2. Specification

```
RECODE SGFT (0=0)(1=1)(2=2)(3=3)(5=4)(4,6=5)(7=6)(ELSE=COPY) INTO SGFTX  
DO IF (SC72C GE 1 AND SC72C LE 6)  
COMPUTE SCL72C=SC72C  
ELSE  
COMPUTE SCL72C=SGFTX  
END IF
```

Where SGFT=RG social grouping of last FT job

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### spsc72c

Purpose : Social class of spouse in 1972 (at 26 years)  
Year : 1972

## 1. Definition

This variable is coded as

0 Armed Forces  
1 I Professional etc.  
2 II Intermediate  
3 IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)  
4 IIIM Skilled (Manual)  
5 IV Partly skilled  
6 V Unskilled  
7 never worked full-time  
8 not married  
9 no answer

10 no interviewed/no 1972 form

## 2. Specification

```
COMPUTE SPSC72=SGS72
IF (SGS72 EQ 3 AND MNMS72 EQ 1) SPSC72=14
IF (SGS72 EQ 3 AND MNMS72 EQ 2) SPSC72=13
RECODE SPSC72 (0=0)(1=1)(2=2)(13=3)(14=4)(4=5)(5=6)(ELSE=COPY) INTO SPSC72C
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### sc26

Purpose : Current HOH social class in 1972 (at 26 years)  
Year : 1972

#### 1. Definition

This variable is coded as

- 0 Armed Forces (men - picked up from scl72c)
- 1 I Professional etc.
- 2 II Intermediate
- 3 IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
- 4 IIIM Skilled (Manual)
- 5 IV Partly skilled
- 6 V Unskilled
- 8 Never worked full-time (men - picked up from scl72c)
- 9 Has worked, social class unknown (men - picked up from scl72c)
- 99 New code to capture women either without a spouse social class (1-6) or a social class of their own (1-6) – Not married/no answer
- 999 Not interviewed (men - picked up from scl72c)

## 2. Specification

```
DO IF (SEX EQ 1)
COMPUTE SC26=SCL72C
ELSE IF (SEX EQ 2 AND SPSC72C GE 1 AND SPSC72C LE 6)
COMPUTE SC26=SPSC72C
ELSE IF (SEX EQ 2 AND SCL72C GE 1 AND SCL72C LE 6)
COMPUTE SC26=SCL72C
ELSE
COMPUTE SC26=99
END IF
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### sc82

Purpose : Current own social class in 1982 (at 36 years)  
Year : 1982

#### 1. Definition

This variable is coded as

- 0 No interview
- 1 I Professional etc.
- 2 II Intermediate
- 3 IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
- 4 IIIM Skilled (Manual)
- 5 IV Partly skilled
- 6 V Unskilled
- 8 unknown
- 9 has job – no social class
- 10 unknown

## **scl82c**

Purpose : Social class [based on last /current/most recent job] up to 1982 (at 36 years)  
Year : 1982

### **1. Definition**

This variable is coded as

0	Armed Forces
1	I Professional etc.
2	II Intermediate
3	IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
4	IIIM Skilled (Manual)
5	IV Partly skilled
6	V Unskilled
8	has never worked full-time
9	has job - social class unknown
10	unknown
999	not interviewed

### **2. Specification**

```
DO IF (SC70 GE 1 AND SC70 LE 6)
COMPUTE SCL82=SC70
ELSE IF ((SC70 EQ 0 OR SC70 GE 7) AND (SC701 GE 1 AND SC701 LE 6))
COMPUTE SCL82=SC701
ELSE IF (SC70 GT 6)
COMPUTE SCL82=SC70
END IF
COMPUTE SCL82C=999
IF (SCL82 GE 1 AND SCL82 LE 10) SCL82C=SCL82
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## **spsc82**

Purpose : Social class of spouse in 1982 (at 36 years)  
Year : 1982

### **1. Definition**

This variable is coded as

0	Armed Forces
1	I Professional etc.
2	II Intermediate
3	IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
4	IIIM Skilled (Manual)
5	IV Partly skilled
6	V Unskilled
9	unknown/not interviewed
10	Not married

### **2. Specification**

```
RECODE MS82 (1 THRU 4 =0)(5 THRU 13 =1) INTO MS82A *first code whether single or part of a couple.
COMPUTE MS82X=999
IF (MS82A GE 0 AND MS82A LE 1) MS82X=MS82A
```

RECODE SPSC70 (8,9,10,88=9)(ELSE=COPY)

\*raw coded variable of open-ended  
data from questionnaire

COMPUTE SPSC82=9

IF (MS82X EQ 0) SPSC82=10

IF (MS82X EQ 1 AND SPSC70 GT 6) SPSC82=SPSC70

IF (SPSC70 GE 1 AND SPSC70 LE 6 AND MS82X EQ 1) SPSC82=SPSC70

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## **spsc82**

Purpose : Social class [based on last /current/most recent job] of current spouse in **1982 (at 36 years)**

Year : 1982

### **1. Definition**

This variable is coded as

- 0 Armed Forces
- 1 I Professional etc.
- 2 II Intermediate
- 3 IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
- 4 IIIM Skilled (Manual)
- 5 IV Partly skilled
- 6 V Unskilled
- 9 not interviewed ?
- 10 not married

### **2. Specification**

COMPUTE SPSC82=9

IF (MS82X EQ 0)SPSC82=10

IF (SPSC70 GT 6 AND MS82X EQ 1)SPSC82=SPSC70

IF ((SPSC701 GE 1 AND SPSC701 LE 6)AND MS82X EQ 1)SPSC82=SPSC701

IF (SPSC70 GE 1 AND SPSC70 LE 6 AND MS82X EQ 1)SPSC82=SPSC70

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## **sc36**

Purpose : Current HOH social class in **1982 (at 36 years)**

Year : 1982

### **1. Definition**

This variable is coded as

- 0 Armed Forces
- 1 I Professional etc.
- 2 II Intermediate
- 3 IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
- 4 IIIM Skilled (Manual)
- 5 IV Partly skilled
- 6 V Unskilled
- 99 ?not interviewed/unknown

### **2. Specification**

DO IF (SEX EQ 1 AND (SCL82C GE 1 AND SCL82C LE 6))

\*Men with valid social class (1-6)

COMPUTE SC36=SCL82C

ELSE IF (SEX EQ 2 AND MS82X EQ 0 AND (SCL82C GE 1 AND SCL82C LE 6))

\*Single women with their own valid social class (1-6)

COMPUTE SC36 =SCL82C

ELSE IF (SEX EQ 2 AND MS82X EQ 1 AND (SPSC82 GE 1 AND SPSC82 LE 6))

\*Married women with valid spouse social class (1-6)

```
COMPUTE SC36 =SPSCL82
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ELSE IF (SCL82C GE 1 AND SCL82C LE 6)
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\*All valid own social class (missing marital status)

```
COMPUTE SC36=SCL82C
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```
ELSE IF (SPSCL82 GE 1 AND SPSCL82 LE 6)
```

\*all valid spousal social class (missing marital status)

```
COMPUTE SC36=SPSCL82
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ELSE
```

```
COMPUTE SC36=99
```

\*Everyone else i.e. not interviewed/unknown

```
END IF
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### sc89c

Purpose : Current own social class in 1989 (at 43 years)

Year : 1989

#### 1. Definition

This variable is coded as

0	No job
1	I Professional etc.
2	II Intermediate
3	IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
4	IIIM Skilled (Manual)
5	IV Partly skilled
6	V Unskilled
60	Armed Forces
99	Not known but has a job
100	Missing
999	Not interviewed at 43

#### 2. Specification

```
RECODE SCR89C (10=1)(20=2)(30=3)(35=4)(40=5)(50=6)(ELSE=COPY) INTO SC89
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COMPUTE SC89C=999
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IF (SC89 GE 0 AND SC89 LE 100) SC89C=SC89
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Note: SCR89C is not available on Skylark, SCR89 is, but only coded with missing code values [88=NA, 99=unknown]. I'm guessing SCR89C is the coded version which assigned job to OPCS occupational codes (10,20,30,35,40,50) .

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### spsc89

Purpose : Current social class of spouse in 1989 (at 43 years)

Year : 1989

#### 1. Definition

This variable is coded as

1	I Professional etc.
2	II Intermediate
3	IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
4	IIIM Skilled (Manual)
5	IV Partly skilled
6	V Unskilled
9	Missing

## 2. Specification

RECODE SPSCR89B (10=1)(20=2)(30=3)(35=4)(40=5)(50=6)(ELSE=9) INTO SPSC89

Note: SPSCR89B is not available on SWIFT, SPSCR89 is, but only coded with missing code values [88=NA, 99=unknown]. I'm guessing SPSCR89B is the coded version which assigned job to OPCS occupational codes (10,20,30,35,40,50)?

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### scl89c

Purpose : Social class of current/last job in 1989 (at 43 years)  
Year : 1989

#### 1. Definition

This variable is coded as

0	No job since 1982
1	I Professional etc.
2	II Intermediate
3	IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
4	IIIM Skilled (Manual)
5	IV Partly skilled
6	V Unskilled
60	Armed Forces
99	Not known but has a job
100	Missing
999	Not interviewed at 43

#### 2. Specification

RECODE SC89CL (10=1)(20=2)(30=3)(35=4)(40=5)(50=6)(ELSE=COPY) INTO SCL89  
COMPUTE SCL89C=999  
IF (SCL89 GE 0 AND SCL89 LE 100) SCL89C=SCL89

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### sc1543

Purpose : Overall social class from ages 26, 36 and 43  
Year : 1972, 1982, 1989

#### 1. Definition

This variable is coded as

1	I Professional etc.
2	II Intermediate
3	IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
4	IIIM Skilled (Manual)
5	IV Partly skilled
6	V Unskilled
9	Missing

#### 2. Specification

*This variable uses scl72c, scl82c and scl89c to derive an overall social class.*

```
DO IF (SCL89C GE 1 AND SCL89C LE 6)
COMPUTE SC1543=SCL89C
ELSE IF (SCL82C GE 1 AND SCL82C LE 6)
COMPUTE SC1543=SCL82C
ELSE IF (SCL72C GE 1 AND SCL72C LE 6)
```

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COMPUTE SC1543=SCL72C
ELSE
COMPUTE SC1543=9
END IF
```

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### **spsc1543**

Purpose : Overall social class of spouse from ages 26, 36 and 43  
Year : 1972, 1982, 1989

#### **1. Definition**

This variable is coded as

- 1 I Professional etc.
- 2 II Intermediate
- 3 IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
- 4 IIIM Skilled (Manual)
- 5 IV Partly skilled
- 6 V Unskilled
- 9 Missing

#### **2. Specification**

*This variable uses spsc72c, spscl82c and sps89 to derive an overall social class.*

```
DO IF (SPSC89 GE 1 AND SPSC89 LE 6)
COMPUTE SPSC1543=SPSC89
ELSE IF (SPSCL82 GE 1 AND SPSCL82 LE 6)
COMPUTE SPSC1543=SPSCL82
ELSE IF (SPSC72C GE 1 AND SPSC72C LE 6)
COMPUTE SPSC1543=SPSC72C
ELSE
COMPUTE SPSC1543=9
END IF
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### **sc43**

Purpose : Social class of HOH 1989 (at 43 years)  
Year : 1989

#### **1. Definition**

This variable is coded as

- 0 No job since 1982(men - picked up from scl89c)
- 1 I Professional etc.
- 2 II Intermediate
- 3 IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
- 4 IIIM Skilled (Manual)
- 5 IV Partly skilled
- 6 V Unskilled
- 60 Armed Forces (men - picked up from scl89c)
- 99 Women with no valid SC of their own or husband's/men 'Not known but has a job'\*See Note below
- 999 Not interviewed at 43(men - picked up from scl89c)

These value labels need to be added to SC26 before upload to SWIFT – currently these labels are missing.



Note: The 99 code has been used to capture women either without a valid spouse social class (1-6) or a valid social class of their own (1-6) – Not married/no answer. But 99 was also used to code ‘not known but has a job’ in scl89c. So for some men (N=6) this will be the meaning of this code.

## 2. Specification

```
DO IF (SEX EQ 1)
COMPUTE SC43=SCL89C
ELSE IF (SEX EQ 2 AND SPSC89 GE 1 AND SPSC89 LE 6)
COMPUTE SC43=SPSC89
ELSE IF (SEX EQ 2 AND SCL89C GE 1 AND SCL89C LE 6)
COMPUTE SC43=SCL89C
ELSE
COMPUTE SC43=99
END IF
DO IF (SPSC89 GE 1 AND SPSC89 LE 6)
COMPUTE SPSC1543=SPSC89
ELSE IF (SPSCL82 GE 1 AND SPSCL82 LE 6)
COMPUTE SPSC1543=SPSCL82
ELSE IF (SPSC72C GE 1 AND SPSC72C LE 6)
COMPUTE SPSC1543=SPSC72C
ELSE
COMPUTE SPSC1543=9
END IF
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## SCR99U

Purpose : Current or most recent own social class in 1999 (at 53 years)  
Year : 1999

### 1. Definition

This variable is coded as

- 1 I Professional etc.
- 2 II Intermediate
- 3 IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
- 4 IIIM Skilled (Manual)
- 5 IV Partly skilled
- 6 V Unskilled
- 60 Armed Forces
- 66 unknown if has/had job
- 77 Not interviewed
- 88 n/a – no job
- 99 Missing

### 2. Specification

RECODE SCR99C (10=1) (20=2) (30=3) (35=4) (40=5) (50=6) (ELSE=COPY) INTO SCR99U

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## SPSCR99U

Purpose : Current or most recent social class of spouse in 1999 (at 53 years)  
Year : 1999

### 1. Definition

This variable is coded as

1	I Professional etc.
2	II Intermediate
3	IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
4	IIIM Skilled (Manual)
5	IV Partly skilled
6	V Unskilled
60	Armed Forces
77	Not interviewed
99	Missing

## 2. Specification

RECODE SPSCR99C (10=1) (20=2) (30=3) (35=4) (40=5) (50=6) (ELSE=COPY) INTO SPSCR99U

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### SC53U

Purpose : Social class of HOH 1999 (at 53 years)  
 Year : 1999

#### 1. Definition

This variable is coded as

1	I Professional etc.
2	II Intermediate
3	IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
4	IIIM Skilled (Manual)
5	IV Partly skilled
6	V Unskilled
999	Missing

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### SC1553

Purpose : Overall social class from ages 26, 36, 43 and 53  
 Year : 1972, 1982, 1989, 1999

#### 1. Definition

This variable is coded as

1	I Professional etc.
2	II Intermediate
3	IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
4	IIIM Skilled (Manual)
5	IV Partly skilled
6	V Unskilled
999	Missing

## 2. Specification

*This variable uses scl72c, scl82c, scl89c and scr99c to derive an overall social class.*

RECODE SCR99C SPSCR99C (10=1)(20=2)(30=3)(35=4)(40=5)(50=6)(ELSE=9)  
 INTO SC53 SPSC53

DO IF (SC53 GE 1 AND SC53 LE 6)

COMPUTE SC1553=SC53

ELSE IF (SC1543 GE 1 AND SC1543 LE 6)

COMPUTE SC1553=SC1543

\*SC1543 is overall social class up to age 43 (1989)

END IF

MISSING VALUES SCR99C SPSCR99C (60 THRU 99)

And recoding of system missing values as follows

\*23/05/08; SET DK/SUZB SC MISSING TO 99

RECODE SC1553 (SYSMIS=999)

(ELSE=COPY) INTO SC1553

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### **SPSC1553**

Purpose : Overall spouse social class from ages 26, 36, 43 and 53

Year : 1972, 1982, 1989, 1999

#### **1. Definition**

This variable is coded as

- 1 I Professional etc.
- 2 II Intermediate
- 3 IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
- 4 IIIM Skilled (Manual)
- 5 IV Partly skilled
- 6 V Unskilled
- 999 Missing

#### **2. Specification**

*This variable uses spsc72c, spscl82c, sps89 and spscr99c to derive an overall spouse social class.*

RECODE SCR99C SPSCR99C (10=1)(20=2)(30=3)(35=4)(40=5)(50=6)(ELSE=9)  
INTO SC53 SPSC53

DO IF (SPSC53 GE 1 AND SPSC53 LE 6)

COMPUTE SPSC1553=SPSC53

ELSE IF (SPSC1543 GE 1 AND SPSC1543 LE 6)

COMPUTE SPSC1553=SPSC1543 \*SPSC1543 is overall spouse social class up to age 43 (1989)

END IF

MISSING VALUES SCR99C SPSCR99C (60 THRU 99)

Just recoding of system missing values as follows

RECODE SPSC1553 (SYSMIS=999)

(ELSE=COPY) INTO SPSC1553

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### **RGSC09 (RGSCP09)**

Purpose : Study member's (partner's) RGSC occupational code

Year : 2006-10

#### **1. Definition**

These variables are coded as

- 1 I Professional etc.
- 2 II Intermediate
- 3 IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)

4	IIIM Skilled (Manual)
5	IV Partly skilled
6	V Unskilled
7777	Non-respondent
8888	Not applicable (not working)
9999	Missing

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## FSC50T

Purpose : Father's Social Class in 1950 - derived  
 Year : 1950

### 1. Definition

This variable is coded as

1	I Professional etc.
2	II Intermediate
3	IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
4	IIIM Skilled (Manual)
5	IV Partly skilled
6	V Unskilled
7	Dead
9	Unknown
10	Dead

### 2. Specification

RECODE FSC61 FSC57 FSC50 (10=1)(20=2)(30=3)(35=4)(40=5)(50=6) INTO FSC61W  
 FSC57W FSC50W

COMPUTE FSC50T=9

IF (DF1 GE 1 AND DF1 LE 5)FSC50T=10

\*dead

IF (OG50C EQ 11)FSC50T=7

\*dead

IF (FSC50W GE 1 AND FSC50W LE 6)FSC50T=FSC50W

\*valid occupational codes 1-6

FSC50=Fathers social class when SM was 4

OG50C=Occupation of father

DF1=Death of Father – 1<sup>st</sup> period

0=father alive in 1972/3

1= died when sm's age > birth <= 1 year

2=died when sm's age > 1 year <= 2 years

3=died when sm's age > 2 years <= 3 years

4=died when sm's age > 3 years <= 4 years

5=died when sm's age > 4 years <

12= father died at a later age

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## FSC57T

Purpose : Father's Social Class in 1957 - derived  
 Year : 1957

### 1. Definition

This variable is coded as

1	I Professional etc.
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- 2 II Intermediate
- 3 IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
- 4 IIIM Skilled (Manual)
- 5 IV Partly skilled
- 6 V Unskilled
- 7 family broken – no remarriage
- 8 Retired or unemployed
- 9 Unknown
- 10 Dead

## 2. Specification

RECODE FSC61 FSC57 FSC50 (10=1)(20=2)(30=3)(35=4)(40=5)(50=6) INTO FSC61W  
FSC57W FSC50W

COMPUTE FSC57T=9

IF (DF2 GE 1 AND DF2 LE 6)FSC57T=10

\*dead

IF (OG57C EQ 11)FSC57T=7

\*family broken up

IF (OG57C EQ 12)FSC57T=8

\*retired/unemp

IF (FSC57W GE 1 AND FSC57W LE 6)FSC57T=FSC57W

\*valid occupational codes 1-6

FSC57=Fathers social class when SM was 11

OG57C= Occupation of father

DF2=Death of Father – 2nd period

0=father alive when sm 27

1= died when sm's age > 5 year

2=died when sm's age > 6 years

3=died when sm's age > 7 years

4=died when sm's age > 8 years

5=died when sm's age > 9 years

6=died when sm's age > 10 years <=11 years

10= father died at an earlier age

12= father died at a later age

## FSC61T

Purpose : Father's Social Class in 1961 - derived

Year : 1961

## 1. Definition

This variable is coded as

- 1 I Professional etc.
- 2 II Intermediate
- 3 IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
- 4 IIIM Skilled (Manual)
- 5 IV Partly skilled
- 6 V Unskilled
- 7 family broken – no remarriage
- 8 Unemployed or ill
- 9 Unknown
- 10 Dead

## 2. Specification

RECODE FSC61 FSC57 FSC50 (10=1)(20=2)(30=3)(35=4)(40=5)(50=6) INTO FSC61W  
FSC57W FSC50W

COMPUTE FSC61T=9

IF (DF3 GE 1 AND DF3 LE 10)FSC61T=10

IF (OG61C EQ 11) FSC61T=7  
IF (OG61C EQ 12) FSC61T=8  
IF (FSC61W GE 1 AND FSC61W LE 6) FSC61T=FSC61W

FSC61=Fathers social class when SM was 15

OG61C= Occupation of father

DF3=Death of Father – 3rd period

0=father alive in 1972

1= died when sm's age > 11 years <= 12 years

2=died when sm's age > 12 years <= 13 years

3=died when sm's age > 13 years <= 14 years

4=died when sm's age > 14 years <= 15 years

10= father died at an earlier age

12= father died at a later age

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## CHSC

Purpose : Overall measure of childhood social class - derived

Year : 1950, 1957, 1961

### 1. Definition

This variable is coded as

- 1 I Professional etc.
- 2 II Intermediate
- 3 IIINM Skilled (Non-Manual)
- 4 IIIM Skilled (Manual)
- 5 IV Partly skilled
- 6 V Unskilled
- 9 Unknown

### 2. Specification

```
DO IF (FSC57T GE 1 AND FSC57T LE 6)
COMPUTE CHSC=FSC57T
ELSE IF (FSC61T GE 1 AND FSC61T LE 6)
COMPUTE CHSC=FSC61T
ELSE IF (FSC50T GE 1 AND FSC50T LE 6)
COMPUTE CHSC=FSC50T
ELSE
COMPUTE CHSC=9
END IF
```

FSC50T =Fathers derived social class when SM was 4

FSC57T =Fathers derived social class when SM was 11

FSC61T =Fathers derived social class when SM was 15

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