

## Exercise

Merging and Aggregating:in SPSS and STATA

Master-file: HH Ex.xls  
 Detail-file: Mem Ex.xls

One record from the master table is logical associated with n records in a detail table.

The logical connection is recorded in a key-field in each of the tables; here: Household Id (hhid)

The key-field in the master table must be unique i.e. each record in the master table has one and only one value.

Master-file HH Ex.xls			Detail-file Mem Ex.xls						
hhid	h_locate	h_loan	hhid	memid	resp	m_name	m_ismale	m_age	m_inc
100	A	1000	100	1	1	Mary	0	24	1000
200	B	2000	200	1	0	Chris	1	35	1000
			200	2	1	Anne	0	34	900
300	C	3000	300	1	1	John	1	45	1000
			300	2	0	Angelina	0	44	2000
			300	3	0	Bob	1	14	0
400	D	4000	400	1	0	Johanna	0	56	1000
			400	2	1	Bill	1	55	2000
			400	3	0	Walter	1	15	1000
			400	4	0	April	0	16	0

1. **Merge** both file in one large detail file which contains all household information
2. **Aggregate** data to a new Master-file (one record per household)  
 which contains the following new variables per household
  1. number of family members (h\_N)
  2. number of family members age  $\geq 18$  (h\_agege18\_N)
  3. total household income (h\_inc)
  4. number of female members (h\_fem\_N)
  5. number of male members (h\_male\_N)
  6. sum of female income (h\_fem\_inc)
  7. sum of male income (h\_male\_inc)
  8. female income as percentage from total household income (h\_fem\_perc\_inc)

### Result SPSS:

hhid	h_N	h_agege18_N	h_fem_N	h_male_N	h_inc	h_fem_inc	h_male_inc	h_fem_inc_perc
100	1	1,00	1,00	0,00	1000,00	1000,00	0,00	1,00
200	2	2,00	1,00	1,00	1900,00	900,00	1000,00	0,47
300	3	2,00	1,00	2,00	3000,00	2000,00	1000,00	0,67
400	4	2,00	2,00	2,00	4000,00	1000,00	3000,00	0,25

### Result STATA:

hhid	h_agege18_N	h_fem_N	h_male_N	h_inc	h_fem_inc	h_male_inc	h_fem_inc_~c
100	1	1	0	1000	1000	0	1
200	2	1	1	1900	900	1000	.4736842
300	2	1	2	3000	2000	1000	.6666667
400	2	2	2	4000	1000	3000	.25

## Syntax SPSS:

### GET

```
FILE='D:\@Guidos Eigene Dateien auf D\Desktop\ZEF BC\Day17 Sample 04 Patrick '+  
'Combining\Exercise\HH Ex.sav'.  
DATASET NAME DataSet0 WINDOW=FRONT.
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DATASET ACTIVATE $DataSet.
```

### MATCH FILES /TABLE=\*

```
/FILE='D:\@Guidos Eigene Dateien auf D\Desktop\ZEF BC\Day17 Sample 04 Patrick '+  
'Combining\Exercise\Mem Ex.sav'  
/BY hhid.  
EXECUTE.
```

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RECODE m_age (Lowest thru 17=0) (18 thru Highest=1) (ELSE=Copy) INTO isagege18.  
EXECUTE.
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IF (m_ismale=0) isfem=1.  
EXECUTE.  
IF (m_ismale=1) isfem=0.  
EXECUTE.  
IF (m_ismale=1) ismale=1.  
EXECUTE.  
IF (m_ismale=0) ismale=0.  
EXECUTE.
```

```
COMPUTE fem_inc =m_inc*isfem.  
EXECUTE.  
COMPUTE male_inc =m_inc*ismale.  
EXECUTE.
```

```
SORT CASES BY hhid.
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```
AGGREGATE  
  /OUTFILE=* MODE=ADDVARIABLES  
  /PRESORTED  
  /BREAK=hhid  
  /h_N=N  
  /h_agege18_N =SUM(isagege18)  
  /h_fem_N =SUM(isfem)  
  /h_male_N =SUM(ismale)  
  /h_inc_sum=SUM(m_inc)  
  /h_fem_inc_sum =SUM(fem_inc)  
  /h_male_inc_sum =SUM(male_inc).
```

```
DATASET DECLARE agg.
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```
SORT CASES BY hhid.
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```
AGGREGATE  
  /OUTFILE='agg'  
  /PRESORTED  
  /BREAK=hhid  
  /h_N=N  
  /h_agege18_N =SUM(isagege18)  
  /h_fem_N =SUM(isfem)  
  /h_male_N =SUM(ismale)  
  /h_inc=SUM(m_inc)  
  /h_fem_inc =SUM(fem_inc)  
  /h_male_inc =SUM(male_inc).
```

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COMPUTE h_fem_inc_perc = h_fem_inc/h_inc.  
EXECUTE.
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delete variables respname respage memid memname memismale memage memedu memincome totinc isagege18 isfemale  
ismale femincome maleincome. */
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## Syntax STATA:

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use "HH Ex.dta", clear

merge hhid using "Mem Ex.dta", uniqmaster

save "HH Mem Ex.dta", replace

gen      isagege18 = 0 if m_age < .
replace isagege18 = m_age >= 18 & m_age < .

gen isfem    = m_ismale == 0
gen ismale   = m_ismale == 1

gen fem_inc  = m_inc * isfem
gen male_inc = m_inc * ismale

collapse (sum)  h_agege18_N = isagege18          ///
                h_fem_N     = isfem             h_male_N = ismale    ///
                h_inc        = m_inc            h_fem_inc = fem_inc   ///
                h_fem_inc    = fem_inc          h_male_inc = male_inc  ///
                , by(hhid)

gen h_fem_inc_perc = h_fem_inc / h_inc

save "HH Mem Ex Solution.dta"
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