

Table 1. Case Counts of Original Datasets Used to Create ATUS-December 2007 Food Security Supplement Linked File

<b>Original File</b>	<b>Cases</b>		
	<b>MIS 1-4</b>	<b>MIS 5-8</b>	<b>Total</b>
CPS Supplement File	75,361	76,070	151,431
ATUS files (2008-2009)	23,423	23,372	46,795
<i>ATUS Respondents</i>	4,436	4,196	8,632
<i>Household Members</i>	7,971	7,420	15,391
<i>ATUS Non-Respondents</i>	3,896	4,146	8,042
<i>Household Members</i>	7,120	7,610	14,730

*Note:* The case counts for the ATUS files include all ATUS sample and household members whose last month in the CPS is consistent with their having been eligible for the linked supplement.

Table 2. Case Counts for ATUS-December 2007 Food Security Supplement Linked File

<b>Type of Record</b>	<b>MIS 1-4</b>	<b>MIS 5-8</b>	<b>Total</b>
ATUS only records	5,969	1,651	7,620
CPS only records	57,907	54,349	112,256
Linked ATUS-CPS records <sup>1</sup>	<b>17,454</b>	<b>21,721</b>	<b>39,175</b>
Number of linked records that disagree on: <sup>2</sup>			
Sex	244	17	261
Race	210	23	233
Age	750	67	817
Sex, race and/or age	<b>902</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>996</b>
Linked records that are good matches <sup>3</sup>	<b>16,552</b>	<b>21,627</b>	<b>38,179</b>
<i>ATUS Respondents</i>	3,623	4,063	7,686
<i>Household Members</i>	6,023	6,817	12,840
<i>ATUS Non-Respondents</i>	2,808	3,811	6,619
<i>Household Members</i>	5,000	7,030	12,030
Total records on linked file	<b>17,454</b>	<b>21,721</b>	<b>39,175</b>

<sup>1</sup>Linked records are those with matching identifier keys. Because the linked ATUS and CPS records may differ concerning the sex, race and/or age of the respondent, some of the linked cases may not be good matches.

<sup>2</sup>Records that have matching identifier keys but for which the ATUS and CPS records disagree concerning the sex, race and/or age of the respondent may be considered possible matches.

<sup>3</sup>Records that have matching identifier keys and for which the ATUS and CPS records agree concerning the sex, race and age of the respondent are deemed good matches. Sex and race must agree exactly; age may differ by up to two years.

Table 3. PER\_STAT Frequency for ATUS-December 2007 Food Security Supplement Linked File

<i>ATUS Respondents</i>		
Good Match		
1	in ATUS 3-6 months after supplement	3,802
2	in ATUS 5-18 months after supplement	3,225
3	in ATUS some other number of months after supplement	472
Possible Match		
4	in ATUS 3-6 months after supplement	13
5	in ATUS 5-18 months after supplement	159
6	in ATUS some other number of months after supplement	15
No Match		
7	in ATUS 3-6 months after supplement	120
8	in ATUS 5-18 months after supplement	756
9	in ATUS some other number of months after supplement	70
<i>ATUS Respondent Household Members</i>		
10	Good Match	12,584
11	Possible Match	256
12	No Match	2,551
<i>ATUS Non-Respondents</i>		
13	Good Match	6,385
14	Possible Match	234
15	No Match	1,423
<i>ATUS Non-Respondent Household Members</i>		
16	Good Match	11,711
17	Possible Match	319
18	No Match	2,700
19	<i>CPS only</i>	112,256
	Total	159,051