

## Understanding Society User Support - Support #110

### Fieldwork dates for wave 1 of BHPS

01/09/2013 01:42 PM - Sergio Salis

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	<b>Start date:</b>	01/09/2013
<b>Priority:</b>	Normal	<b>% Done:</b>	50%
<b>Assignee:</b>	Redmine Admin		
<b>Category:</b>	Data documentation		
<b>Description</b>			
<p>I found conflicting information on the fieldwork dates for wave 17 of BHPS. According to <a href="https://www.iser.essex.ac.uk/2008/07/15/wave-17-bhps-fieldwork-completed-in-march-2008">https://www.iser.essex.ac.uk/2008/07/15/wave-17-bhps-fieldwork-completed-in-march-2008</a></p> <p>fieldwork for wave 17 ended in March 2008 while according to <a href="http://www.esds.ac.uk/findingData/snDescription.asp?sn=5151">http://www.esds.ac.uk/findingData/snDescription.asp?sn=5151</a></p> <p>it ended in April of the same year. No specific day is specified in either cases.</p> <p>Do you know what the exact fieldwork dates (start and ends of interviews) are for Wave 1?</p> <p>Many thanks for your help.</p>			

#### History

##### #1 - 01/24/2013 11:44 AM - Redmine Admin

- Status changed from New to In Progress
- Assignee set to Redmine Admin
- % Done changed from 0 to 50

Dear Sergio,

The files with individual responses (wINDRESP) holds information on the date of interview, which you can use to find the date of the last interview for each wave. The only caveat is that the field period could extend beyond that point for unproductive households, but with the data we have I think that would be the nearest answer.

Apologies for the late reply to your question.

Jakob

##### #2 - 01/31/2013 12:20 PM - Redmine Admin

- Status changed from In Progress to Closed

##### #3 - 02/05/2013 04:12 PM - Sergio Salis

Dear Jakob,

Thanks very much for your response. Ideally I would need the exact date but I guess the latest interview date recorded in the indresp file will be a good approximation of it.

Now I do apologise for my late response, I had problems with the login in the past days!

Regards,

Sergio