# **Understanding Society User Support - Support #2270**

## indinui\_xw and wave 14

08/05/2025 04:28 PM - Amber Talbott

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Assignee: Understanding Society User Support Team

Category: Weights

#### Description

Hi there, I am trying to use the indinui\_xw weights in my indresp data, but it is not matching any of my wave 14 data. The website also only lists waves 6-13 for this variable. Is there a reason why it is excluded? Thank you.

#### History

### #1 - 08/05/2025 10:19 PM - Understanding Society User Support Team

- Category set to Weights
- Status changed from New to Feedback
- % Done changed from 0 to 50
- Private changed from Yes to No

Hello Amber,

For wave 14 inding2\_xw is the appropriate cross-sectional adult main interview weight. This new weight was introduced to account for the general population sample boost (GPS2) added in wave 14.

You can find more details in the section "Naming convention for Understanding Society weights w\_XxxYyZz\_aa" on the User Guide at <a href="https://www.understandingsociety.ac.uk/documentation/mainstage/user-guides/main-survey-user-guide/selecting-the-correct-weight-for-your-analysis/">https://www.understandingsociety.ac.uk/documentation/mainstage/user-guides/main-survey-user-guide/selecting-the-correct-weight-for-your-analysis/</a>

If you're doing cross-sectional analysis, please use indinui\_xw for Waves 6 to 13, and inding2\_xw for Wave 14 onwards.

I hope this information is helpful.

Best wishes, Roberto Cavazos Understanding Society User Support Team

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