# **Understanding Society User Support - Support #471**

# Weights

12/27/2015 05:57 PM - Alex Best

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### Description

I am doing cross-sectional analysis of wave 3 (adult self completion questionnaire), so I am aware I need to use the weight c\_indscub\_xw but I don't actually understand how the weight is implemented on STATA. Do I just add c\_indscub\_xw as if it were an independent variable or is there a command I need to type into stata before doing my analysis in order for the weights to have an effect?

Thanks

#### History

#### #1 - 01/04/2016 02:30 PM - Alita Nandi

- % Done changed from 0 to 90

Hi Alex,

Please see "Example 6: Working with weights and complex survey design" of the "Introduction to Understanding Society Using Stata" online course. This is a free course. You can find instructions of how to register for this course here: <a href="https://www.understandingsociety.ac.uk/documentation/training/online">https://www.understandingsociety.ac.uk/documentation/training/online</a>

Hope this helps, Data management team

### #2 - 01/04/2016 02:36 PM - Alita Nandi

- Status changed from New to In Progress

#### #3 - 01/14/2016 03:20 PM - Victoria Nolan

- Status changed from In Progress to Closed
- % Done changed from 90 to 100

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