

## Understanding Society User Support - Support #87

### labor income

10/25/2012 06:58 PM - fabio mendez

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	<b>Start date:</b>	10/25/2012
<b>Priority:</b>	Normal	<b>% Done:</b>	100%
<b>Assignee:</b>	Redmine Admin		
<b>Category:</b>	Data analysis		
<b>Description</b>			
Question:			
The BHPS data sets have a variable "linclastyear" which i am interested on. How is this variable constructed? Why does it not appear on the Questionnaire? What units is it on? Can it be compared for all the UK?			

### History

#### #1 - 10/29/2012 11:44 AM - Redmine Admin

- Status changed from New to In Progress
- Assignee set to Redmine Admin
- Target version set to BHPS
- % Done changed from 0 to 80

It is an undocumented variable and best ignored.

A couple of links to income variable documentation, which should be a better starting point;

<http://www.esds.ac.uk/doc/3909%5Cmrdoc%5Cpdf%5C3909userguide.pdf>  
<https://www.iser.essex.ac.uk/bhps/documentation/vola/vola.html>  
<https://www.iser.essex.ac.uk/bhps/documentation/volb/indexes/thesaurus.html>  
<https://www.iser.essex.ac.uk/bhps/documentation/volb/indexes/subjcat13.html#Incomes>

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#### #2 - 11/11/2012 03:35 PM - Redmine Admin

- Status changed from In Progress to Closed
- % Done changed from 80 to 100