

**Asian Ethnicity of Reference
Person and Spouse/Partner 2015-
2023**

Codebook

Number of Variables

5

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ASN1 "RELEASE NUMBER" NUM(1.0)

Release Number

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
46,583	100.00	1	Release number 1, May 2025

ASN2 "YEAR" NUM(4.0)

Year of interview

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
9,048	19.42	2,015	Asian Ethnicity information from the 2015 Family File
9,607	20.62	2,017	Asian Ethnicity information from the 2017 Family File
9,569	20.54	2,019	Asian Ethnicity information from the 2019 Family File
9,207	19.76	2,021	Asian Ethnicity information from the 2021 Family File
9,152	19.65	2,023	Asian Ethnicity information from the 2023 Family File

ASN3 "FAMILY INTERVIEW (ID) NUMBER" NUM(5.0)

Family Interview (ID) Number

This variable contains values for the family interview number for each wave of Asian Ethnicity data. ASN2 (Year of Interview) must be used as a subset selector, since family interview number values are not unique across waves. If the data are first subset using ASN2, then the values here are unique within the selected wave and link the Asian Ethnicity data with that wave's single year family-level data.

For example if one wanted to merge records with the 2019 Family File, first subset ASN2=2019 then ASN3 corresponds to ER72002 the 2019 Family Interview (ID) number.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
46,583	100.00	1 - 9,656	Actual family interview number

ASN4 "L40A ASIAN ETHNICITY OF REFERENCE PERSON" NUM(1.0)

L40a. Would that be Chinese, Filipino, Asian Indian, or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
171	.37	1	Chinese
105	.23	2	Filipino
190	.41	3	Asian Indian
34	.07	4	Japanese
83	.18	5	Korean
59	.13	6	Vietnamese
129	.28	7	Other
22	.05	9	DK; NA; refused
45,790	98.30	0	Inap: race mentions 1-4 are not Asian; race mention 1 is DK, NA, or RF

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ASN5 "K40A ASIAN ETHNICITY OF SPOUSE" NUM(1.0)

K40a. Would that be Chinese, Filipino, Asian Indian, or what?

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
102	.22	1	Chinese
114	.24	2	Filipino
121	.26	3	Asian Indian
47	.10	4	Japanese
61	.13	5	Korean
47	.10	6	Vietnamese
102	.22	7	Other
14	.03	9	DK; NA; refused
45,975	98.69	0	Inap.: no Spouse/Partner in FU; race mentions 1-4 are not Asian; race mention 1 is DK, NA, or RF