

# Samoa - Samoa Police Community Perception Survey 2013

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## Overview

### Identification

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### Version

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**VERSION DESCRIPTION**

Version 1 - This file is edited dataset, clean, anonymized, available for public use.

**PRODUCTION DATE**

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### Overview

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**ABSTRACT**

The CPS survey is a follow up survey designed to provide information that will help to evaluate the current situation and status of the police services which had been delivered to the public since 2010 which was conducted by NUS Consult Ltd. It aims to provide an enabling environment to facilitate quality policing services, and, for policing services to deliver the most effective and efficient services pertaining to public safety, crime, and, general policing within Samoa.

The CPS 2013 is a nationally representative sample survey designed to collect data that would help to evaluate policing programs over the previous three years (2011-2013), and, to provide feedback and views from the community or public on the delivery of policing services to all.

**KIND OF DATA**

Sample survey data [ssd]

**UNITS OF ANALYSIS**

Individuals 18 years of age and over were the units of analysis.

### Coverage

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**GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE (1)**

National coverage

**GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE (2)**

Region

**UNIVERSE**

The target population was adults 18 years and older residing in the community.

### Producers and Sponsors

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**PRIMARY INVESTIGATOR(S)**

Name	Affiliation
Samoa Bureau of Statistics	Government Ministry

**OTHER PRODUCER(S)**

Name	Affiliation	Role
Ministry of Police and Prison		

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<b>Name</b>	<b>Abbreviation</b>	<b>Role</b>
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## Metadata Production

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# Sampling

## Sampling Procedure

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In national statistical surveys, the region of Apia Urban Area (AUA) represented the urban population while the regions of North West Upolu (NWU), Rest of Upolu (ROU) and Savaii represented the rural population. The target population was adults 18 years and older residing in the community. Hence all persons 18+ who were usual residents of the household were eligible in the survey. The sample for the CPS 2013 was drawn from the master sample frame of the List of occupied households compiled in the most recent Population and Housing Census 2011. The sample size was based on a 95 percent confidence interval of  $\pm 5$  percent margin of error; assuming an 80 percent response rate; a design-effect of 1.5 to allow for clustering of the complex design; and; an average of 3 persons 18+ per household. The design also considered the features of a follow-up survey assuming that the policing services had improved by at least 10 percent since the baseline CPS 2010 results. After taking into account all those features, it resulted in the required sample size of 540 persons aged 18 years and older.

Therefore in order to achieve the sample size, a representative probability sample of households was selected in two stages. The first stage involved the selection of clusters from the master sample frame using stratified systematic sampling with probability proportional to size. A total of 45 primary sampling units or clusters were selected in which 10 clusters were selected from the urban areas and 35 clusters were selected from the rural areas. The design did not allow for replacement of clusters or households.

In the second stage, a total of 5 households were selected from each cluster using systematic equal probability selection for inclusion in the survey. Normally an updated household listing from selected clusters could have been done to select 5 households. However, due to the unexpected request of the MPP survey in February 2013, and the fact that the census 2011 was just completed in the previous two years, it was seen not necessary to conduct a fresh household listing which would have taken SBS another two months to carry out causing delay to the survey.

## Response Rate

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A total of 225 households were selected for the sample of which 216 were found occupied at the time of the survey. Of the occupied households, only 209 were successfully interviewed resulting in a household response rate of 96.8 percent. The other households were not available throughout the survey period despite repeated visits by the field teams. The total eligible persons 18 years and older who were found in the interviewed households were 731. Out of this total, only 645 were successfully interviewed yielding the Individual response rate of 88.2 percent. The response rates by sex shows 90 percent for females and 87 percent for males which is not surprising as males usually spent more time away from home than females. That situation was reflected more in the regions of North West Upolu and Rest of Upolu than in Savaii and Apia Urban Area. The high response rate in Savaii was due mainly to the field teams sleeping over in Savaii for one week. Therefore, the Savaii team had extra time after hours to make call-backs while the team in Upolu had to commute daily until 7pm for repeated visits, hence missed out on those who come home later.

## Weighting

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Given the complex sampling design used to control survey costs, sampling weights are routinely used in probability sampling to compensate for unequal probabilities of selection and adjustments for non-coverage of the population and non-response. The weights will ensure that the sample is representative of the national and regional population. The sampling weight for each household is the inverse of its overall selection probability with correction for non-response and the individual weight is the household weight with correction for individual non-response. Once those complex design features are compensated for, then weights can be used in the estimation of the population characteristics of interests and the sampling errors of the survey estimates. Unweighted numbers will be used to report response rates but all other survey estimates and precision will be based on weighted numbers.

# Questionnaires

## Overview

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Based on the request by MPP, a structured English questionnaire which was used in the CPS 2010 was also implemented in the CPS 2013. However, SBS made some improvements in terms of instructions between questionnaire sections in order to make the interviewing flow properly from beginning to end. The questionnaire was also translated into the Samoan language to complement the English questionnaire so that the interpretation of questions by the field enumerators was consistent on the field. In addition, since probability sampling and complex design was used, a new cover page of the questionnaire was developed so that selected clusters and household identification were clearly made and that features to account for non-coverage of the households and non-response of eligible persons 18 years and older were also accounted for during the fieldwork.

The questionnaire therefore has five parts. Section A has 5 questions about the respondent details. Section B contains 7 questions intended to find out the community's views on safety and crime plus an open question for the respondents to express their own opinions about the topic. Section C contains 7 questions to find out the respondents personal awareness and experience (if any) of crime and crime management. An open question was also added for their own opinions. Section D contains 4 sub-sections (D1 to D4) which seek questions on the overall community perception of the MPP services whereby each sub-section also contained open-questions. D1 contains 3 questions about the assistance sought by the community at the MPP. D2 contains 2 questions about the control of crime. D3 contains 4 questions about police service in general and D4 contains 2 questions about the access to police information, education and communication. Section E is the last section which was again open to the respondents to make their own suggestions on how police can improve their job to assist the community.

## Data Collection

### Data Collection Dates

Start	End	Cycle
2013-04-18	2013-05-03	N/A

### Data Collection Mode

Face-to-face [f2f]

### Data Collection Notes

A total of eight enumerators were recruited to assist two senior staffs in the conduct of the CPS 2013 on the field. The training was conducted for three full-days before the pre-test. The questionnaire was first pre-tested among the census staffs before it was actually pre-tested in the village of Apia for one day.

The purpose of the field pre-test was to familiarise the hired enumerators on the identification of households from the enumeration maps and list of households; gain interviewing skills both in English and Samoan, gain experience in filling out the questionnaire during the face-to-face interviews, gain experience in coding after the interviews, as well as learning how to approach different types of respondents young and old, employed or not. Lessons learned were used to finalise the questionnaire contents and enumerators instructions before the actual data collection fieldwork.

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### Data Collectors

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation
Samoa Bureau of Statistics	SBS	Government Ministry

### Supervision

The actual fieldwork started in April 18th to May 3rd. The call backs or repeated visits were made afterwards for another three weeks from May 6-24. The coding of closed-ended questions was done during the interviews but the coding for the open-questions in each section of the questionnaire was a bigger challenge which took two weeks for the full-time staffs to summarize into major issues. After coding, the computer data program was created using CSPro 5 software for data entry. After testing the program, the data entry was conducted in one week (May 27-31).

The role of the supervisor was to coordinate field data collection activities, including management of the field teams, supplies and equipment, finances, maps and listings, coordinate with local authorities concerning the survey plan and make

arrangements for accommodation and travel. Additionally, the field supervisor assigned the work to the interviewers, spot checked work, maintained field control documents, and sent completed questionnaires and progress reports to the central office.

## **Data Processing**

### **Data Editing**

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The data editing, cleaning and weighting of the data took another two weeks (June 4-14) to complete, leaving only two weeks (June 17-30) to analyse and write the analysis report to meet the deadline.

## **Data Appraisal**

No content available

# File Description

# Variable List

**CPS\_COVER**

Content	The file contains the Geographic coverage, household number and ID related to the Persons questionnaires.
Cases	225
Variable(s)	16
Structure	Type: Keys: ()
Version	Version 1
Producer	Census and Survey division under Samoa Bureau of Statistics
Missing Data	

**Variables**

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V1	REGION	REGION	discrete	numeric	
V2	DISTRICT	DISTRICT	discrete	numeric	
V3	VILLAGE	VILLAGE	discrete	numeric	
V4	EA	ENUMERATION	discrete	numeric	
V5	HHNUM	HOUSENUMBER	discrete	numeric	
V6	HH_WEIGHT	Household weight	contin	numeric	
V7	EN_PLACE	Place of Enumeration	discrete	numeric	
V8	GPS_ID	GPS_ID	discrete	character	
V9	HNUM	HOUSENUMBER	discrete	numeric	
V10	HVISIT	HOUSE_VISIT	discrete	numeric	
V11	TOT_MALES	Total Male 18+	contin	numeric	
V12	TOT_FEMALES	Total Female 18+	contin	numeric	
V13	TOT_PERSONS	Total Person 18+	contin	numeric	
V14	TTL_M_COMPL	Ttl Male completed	contin	numeric	
V15	TTL_F_COMPL	Ttl Female completed	contin	numeric	
V16	TTL_P_COMPL	Ttl Person completed	contin	numeric	

## PERSONS

Content

Cases 833

Variable(s) 53

Structure Type:  
Keys: ()

Version

Producer

Missing Data

## Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V17	REGION	REGION	discrete	numeric	
V18	DISTRICT	DISTRICT	discrete	numeric	
V19	VILLAGE	VILLAGE	discrete	numeric	
V20	EA	ENUMERATION	discrete	numeric	
V21	HHNUM	HOUSENUMBER	discrete	numeric	
V22	INDIV_WEIGHT	Individual Weight	contin	numeric	
V23	PRSNUM	PERSON LINE NUMBER	discrete	numeric	
V24	AGE	A1. Age	contin	numeric	Age
V25	SEX	A2. Sex	discrete	numeric	Sex
V26	MARITAL	A3. Marital Status	discrete	numeric	Marital Status
V27	EMPLOYMENT	A4. Employment Status	discrete	numeric	Employment Status
V28	RELATIONSHIP	A5. Relationship to Head	discrete	numeric	Relationship to head of houaehold
V29	FSBPD	B1. feel safe in public places during the day	discrete	numeric	I feel safe in public places during the day
V30	FSBPN	B2. feel safe in public places during the night	discrete	numeric	I feel safe in public places during the night
V31	FSHD	B3. feel safe at home during the day	discrete	numeric	I feel safe at home during the day
V32	FSHN	B4. feel safe at home during the night	discrete	numeric	I feel safe at home during the night
V33	CIL2YRS	B5. i believe crime has increased in the last 2 years	discrete	numeric	I believe crime has increased in the last 2 years
V34	CIL5YRS	B6. i believe crime has increased in the last 5 years	discrete	numeric	I believe crime has increased in the last 5 years
V35	MCC	B7. most common crime	discrete	numeric	most common crime
V36	MCC2	B7. most common crime continued	discrete	numeric	
V37	ANY_COMMENT	1.any comment	discrete	numeric	Any Comment?
V38	COMMENT	B8. comment	discrete	numeric	Please provide any further comments which you would like to make
V39	COP2YRS	C1. crime ocured within past 2 years	discrete	numeric	Are you personally aware of a crime that has occurred within the past 2 years?
V40	N_O_INV	C2. nature of involvment	discrete	numeric	If Yes, what was the nature of your involvement?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V41	W_C_T_PLACE	C3. where did that crime take place	discrete	numeric	Where did that crime take place?
V42	W_M_R_C	C4. who managed/resolved that crime	discrete	numeric	Who managed/resolved that crime?
V43	MATTER_REPORTED	C5. was the matter reported to the police	discrete	numeric	Was the matter reported to the Police?
V44	INVESTIGATED	C6. was the matter investigated by the police	discrete	numeric	Was the matter investigated by police?
V45	SATISFIED	C7. were you satisfied with how the police managed/resolved the matter	discrete	numeric	Were you satisfied with how the police managed/resolved the matter?
V46	ANY_COMMENTC	2. any comment	discrete	numeric	Any Comment?
V47	C8_COMMENT	C8. comment	discrete	numeric	
V48	ASS_LST_12MNTHS	D1.1. sought assistance of the police in the last 12 months	discrete	numeric	Have you sought the assistance of the Police in the last 12 months?
V49	S_A_PROVIDED	D1.2. how satisfied were you with the assistance	discrete	numeric	
V50	POINT_CONTACT	D1.3. point of contact with the police	discrete	numeric	What was your point of contact with the police.
V51	ANY_COMMENTD	3. any comment	discrete	numeric	Any Comment?
V52	D1_4_COMMENT	D1.4. comment	discrete	numeric	
V53	P_C_S	D2.1. the police control crime satisfactory	discrete	numeric	The Police control crime satisfactorily.
V54	PUBLIC_POLICE	D2.2. the public should work in partnership with police to prevent and control crime	discrete	numeric	The public should work in partnership with police to prevent and control crime
V55	ANY_COMMENTD2	4. any comment	discrete	numeric	Any Comment?
V56	D2_3_COMMENT	D2.3. comment	discrete	numeric	
V57	CONFIDENT	D3.1. i have confident that the police carry out their duties well	discrete	numeric	I have confidence that the police carry out their duties well
V58	GOOD_ACCESS	D3.2. i believe i have good access to the police should i need them	discrete	numeric	I believe I have good access to the police should I need them
V59	HONESTY	D3.3. i believe the police act honesty in the performance of their duties	discrete	numeric	I believe the police act honestly in the performance of their duties.
V60	RESPOND	D3.4. i believe the police respond appropriately to requests for police assistance	discrete	numeric	I believe the police respond appropriately to requests for police assistance.
V61	ANY_COMMENTD3	5. any comment	discrete	numeric	Any Comment?
V62	D3_5_COMMENT	D3.5. comment	discrete	numeric	
V63	SPPS_INF	D4.1. information about SPPS	discrete	numeric	Have you received information about the Samoa Police and Prisons Service? If so in what form?
V64	SATIS_POL_COMM	D4.2. how satisfied are you with the police communication with the public	discrete	numeric	How satisfied are you with how the police communicate and engage with the community?
V65	ANY_COMMENTD4	6. any comment	discrete	numeric	Any Comment?
V66	D4_3_COMMENT	D4.3. comment'	discrete	numeric	
V67	ANY_COMMENTE	7. any comment	discrete	numeric	Any Comment?
V68	E1_COMMENT	E1. comment	discrete	numeric	
V69	NAME_1	Name	discrete	character	



**REGION (REGION)**

File: CPS\_COVER

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 225
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-4	

**DISTRICT (DISTRICT)**

File: CPS\_COVER

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 225
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-48	

**VILLAGE (VILLAGE)**

File: CPS\_COVER

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 225
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-43	

**ENUMERATION (EA)**

File: CPS\_COVER

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 225
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-15	

**HOUSENUMBER (HHNUM)**

File: CPS\_COVER

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 225
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 3	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-79	

**Household weight (HH\_WEIGHT)**

File: CPS\_COVER

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File: CPS\_COVER

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 225
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 9	Minimum: 131.6
Decimals: 5	Maximum: 134.8
Range: 131.6383-134.75	Mean: 133.5
	Standard deviation: 1.1

**Place of Enumeration (EN\_PLACE)**

File: CPS\_COVER

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 225
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 7	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1020302-4470403	

**GPS\_ID (GPS\_ID)**

File: CPS\_COVER

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 225
Format: character	Invalid: 0
Width: 6	

**Description**

GPS ID is the location for ALL occupied household in Samoa in which the Upolu island has 3 digits number and 3 letters to locate the household and for Savaii Island has first 2 digits 2 letters and last 2 digits.

example: AAA001 and 01AA01

**HOUSENUMBER (HNUM)**

File: CPS\_COVER

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 225
Width: 3	
Decimals: 0	

**HOUSE\_VISIT (HVISIT)**

File: CPS\_COVER

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 225
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-8	

**Total Male 18+ (TOT\_MALES)**

File: CPS\_COVER

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 209
Format: numeric	Invalid: 16
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-8	

**Total Female 18+ (TOT\_FEMALES)**

File: CPS\_COVER

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 209
Format: numeric	Invalid: 16
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-5	

**Total Person 18+ (TOT\_PERSONS)**

File: CPS\_COVER

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 209
Format: numeric	Invalid: 16
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-13	

**Ttl Male completed (TTL\_M\_COMPL)**

File: CPS\_COVER

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 209
Format: numeric	Invalid: 16
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-8	

**Ttl Female completed (TTL\_F\_COMPL)**

File: CPS\_COVER

**Overview**

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 209
Format: numeric	Invalid: 16
Width: 2	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 0-5	

**Ttl Person completed (TTL\_P\_COMPL)**

File: CPS\_COVER

## Ttl Person completed (TTL\_P\_COMPL)

File: CPS\_COVER

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 2  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-12

Valid cases: 209  
Invalid: 16

**REGION (REGION)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 833  
 Invalid: 0

**DISTRICT (DISTRICT)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-48

Valid cases: 833  
 Invalid: 0

**VILLAGE (VILLAGE)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-43

Valid cases: 833  
 Invalid: 0

**ENUMERATION (EA)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-15

Valid cases: 833  
 Invalid: 0

**HOUSENUMBER (HHNUM)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-79

Valid cases: 833  
 Invalid: 0

**Individual Weight (INDIV\_WEIGHT)**

File: PERSONS

## Individual Weight (INDIV\_WEIGHT)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 10  
 Decimals: 7  
 Range: 136.7534341-161.6215633

Valid cases: 645  
 Invalid: 188  
 Minimum: 136.8  
 Maximum: 161.6  
 Mean: 151.3  
 Standard deviation: 9.8

## PERSON LINE NUMBER (PRSNUM)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 2  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-13  
 Invalid: 99

Valid cases: 645  
 Invalid: 188

## A1. Age (AGE)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Continuous  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 3  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 18-999

Valid cases: 645 (97559.2)  
 Invalid: 188 (0)  
 Minimum: 18  
 Maximum: 999  
 Mean: 48.6 (48.7)  
 Standard deviation: 77.1 (78.6)

### Literal question

Age

## A2. Sex (SEX)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2  
 Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 645 (97559.2)  
 Invalid: 188 (0)

### Description

There are only two codes for this question, (1) MALE and (2) FEMALE, tick the right box that corresponds to the respondent's sex.

### Literal question

Sex

## A3. Marital Status (MARITAL)

File: PERSONS

### A3. Marital Status (MARITAL)

File: PERSONS

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 626 (94666.1)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 207 (2893.1)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-4	
Invalid: 9	

#### Description

1. Single is someone who is not in a relationship or is "unmarried".
2. De-facto also known as "informal union". It is a relationship in which a man and a woman live together for some time as a couple, intending to have a lasting relationship but they are not married to each other or do not have a formal civil or religious ceremony.
3. Married is when a man and woman establish their decision <<http://dictionary.reference.com/browse/decision>> to live as husband and wife by legal commitments, religious ceremonies, etc
4. Separated is not a complete break of the legal union of marriage. It is a half way status that comes with its own set of legal rules, it can either through court proceedings or with an informal agreement between parties.
5. Divorced is the legal termination of a marriage by a court in a legal proceeding, requiring a petition or complaint for divorce (or dissolution in some states) by one party
6. Widowed. A married person whose spouse has died and who has not remarried
9. Not stated

#### Literal question

Marital Status

### A4. Employment Status (EMPLOYMENT)

File: PERSONS

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 635 (96052.3)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 198 (1506.9)
Width: 1	Mean: 3.9 (3.9)
Decimals: 0	Standard deviation: 1.7 (1.8)
Range: 1-8	
Invalid: 9	

#### Literal question

Employment Status

### A5. Relationship to Head (RELATIONSHIP)

File: PERSONS

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 634 (95881.5)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 199 (1677.7)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	
Invalid: 9	

#### Literal question

Relationship to head of household

**B1. feel safe in public places during the day (FSBPD)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 621 (93970.8)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 212 (3588.5)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	
Invalid: 9	

**Pre question**

Except where otherwise indicated, please circle the appropriate number for each of the question below to indicate your response

**Literal question**

I feel safe in public places during the day

**B2. feel safe in public places during the night (FSBPN)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 621 (93970.8)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 212 (3588.5)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	
Invalid: 9	

**Pre question**

Except where otherwise indicated, please circle the appropriate number for each of the question below to indicate your response

**Literal question**

I feel safe in public places during the night

**B3. feel safe at home during the day (FSHD)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 621 (93970.8)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 212 (3588.5)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	
Invalid: 9	

**Pre question**

Except where otherwise indicated, please circle the appropriate number for each of the question below to indicate your response

**Literal question**

I feel safe at home during the day

**B4. feel safe at home during the night (FSHN)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

## B4. feel safe at home during the night (FSHN)

File: PERSONS

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-9  
 Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 621 (93970.8)  
 Invalid: 212 (3588.5)

### Pre question

Except where otherwise indicated, please circle the appropriate number for each of the question below to indicate your response

### Literal question

I feel safe at home during the night

## B5. i believe crime has increased in the last 2 years (CIL2YRS)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-5  
 Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 619 (93661.5)  
 Invalid: 214 (3897.8)

### Pre question

Except where otherwise indicated, please circle the appropriate number for each of the question below to indicate your response

### Literal question

I believe crime has increased in the last 2 years

## B6. i believe crime has increased in the last 5 years (CIL5YRS)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-5  
 Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 619 (93661.5)  
 Invalid: 214 (3897.8)

### Pre question

Except where otherwise indicated, please circle the appropriate number for each of the question below to indicate your response

### Literal question

I believe crime has increased in the last 5 years

## B7. most common crime (MCC)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

## B7. most common crime (MCC)

File: PERSONS

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 12  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 10203040506-99999999999

Valid cases: 627 (94851.5)  
 Invalid: 206 (2707.7)  
 Mean: 112567676012.6 (114955344991.9)  
 Standard deviation: 242607987205.8 (246610093415.9)

### Pre question

Please rank what you believe are the most important types o crime with - one (1) being the most commonly occurring crime and eleven (11) being the least commonly occurring.

### Literal question

most common crime

## B7. most common crime continued (MCC2)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 10  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 102031099-99999999999

Valid cases: 627 (94851.5)  
 Invalid: 206 (2707.7)  
 Mean: 1067256510.9 (1090190773.3)  
 Standard deviation: 2347573543.7 (2385235376)

### Pre question

Please rank what you believe are the most important types o crime with - one (1) being the most commonly occurring crime and eleven (11) being the least commonly occurring.

## 1.any comment (ANY\_COMMENT)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 627 (94851.5)  
 Invalid: 206 (2707.7)

### Literal question

Any Comment?

## B8. comment (COMMENT)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 10  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1112222222-222222221

Valid cases: 397 (60126.2)  
 Invalid: 436 (37433)

### Literal question

Please provide any further comments which you would like to make

### Interviewer instructions

You can write any other comments/response on this part. Try to record the answers exactly as they are given; if you need to shorten a lengthy description, be careful to keep the meaning accurate, and if necessary, write a note on the bottom or side of the page to explain.

## C1. crime occurred within past 2 years (COP2YRS)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 627 (94851.5)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 206 (2707.7)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	
Invalid: 9	

### Pre question

Except where otherwise indicated, please place a tick in the appropriate box or boxes and fill in your response on the lines when further information is indicated.

### Literal question

Are you personally aware of a crime that has occurred within the past 2 years?

### Post question

If 'no' skip to Section D

### Interviewer instructions

If the respondent's answer is NO, then you need to read and follow the skip instruction provided for you. For this particular example if the answer is NO you don't need to answer any of the following questions but skip straight to Section D

## C2. nature of involvement (N\_O\_INV)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 241 (36524.6)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 592 (61034.6)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-7	
Invalid: 9	

### Pre question

Except where otherwise indicated, please place a tick in the appropriate box or boxes and fill in your response on the lines when further information is indicated.

### Literal question

If Yes, what was the nature of your involvement?

## C3. where did that crime take place (W\_C\_T\_PLACE)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 242 (36661.4)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 591 (60897.9)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

### Pre question

Except where otherwise indicated, please place a tick in the appropriate box or boxes and fill in your response on the lines when further information is indicated.

### Literal question

Where did that crime take place?

**C4. who managed/resolved that crime (W\_M\_R\_C)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 241 (36499.8)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 592 (61059.5)
Width: 6	Mean: 202372.4 (202335.4)
Decimals: 0	Standard deviation: 38978.9 (38901.1)
Range: 111122-222222	

**Pre question**

Except where otherwise indicated, please place a tick in the appropriate box or boxes and fill in your response on the lines when further information is indicated.

**Literal question**

Who managed/resolved that crime?

**Post question**

you may tick more than one of the following

**Interviewer instructions**

This question collects data on which of the above-mentioned authorities/parties were commonly involved to help resolve the problem stated in Q1. For this particular question you can tick more than one answer. If the respondent point out a new answer that does not match to any of the given ones, then you need to tick the box beside "OTHERS" and record the answer exactly as they are given. Tick only one box that corresponds to respondent's answer.

**C5. was the matter reported to the police (MATTER\_REPORTED)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 241 (36499.8)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 592 (61059.5)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

**Pre question**

If the crime was managed/resolved by police, please answer the following questions, if not, go to Section D

**Literal question**

Was the matter reported to the Police?

**Post question**

If Yes go to Q.6, if No or Dont know skip to Section D

**Interviewer instructions**

If the respondent's answer is NO, then you need to read and follow the skip instruction provided for you. For this particular example if the answer is NO you don't need to answer any of the following questions but skip straight to Section D

**C6. was the matter investigated by the police (INVESTIGATED)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 206 (31189.1)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 627 (66370.1)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9	

**Pre question**

If the crime was managed/resolved by police, please answer the following questions, if not, go to Section D

**Literal question**

Was the matter investigated by police?

**C6. was the matter investigated by the police (INVESTIGATED)**

File: PERSONS

**Post question**

If Yes go to Q.6, if No or Dont know skip to Section D

**Interviewer instructions**

Ask the respondent whether the crime was investigated by police. Tick the appropriate box that corresponds to the respondent's answer. If the respondent mention that the matter was investigated by the Police then tick code 1 "Yes" and move on to the Q.7 but if the respondent state that the Police did not investigate the matter or don't know then mark the right answer and follow the skip instruction provided.

If the respondent's answer is NO, then you need to read and follow the skip instruction provided for you. For this particular example if the answer is NO you don't need to answer any of the following questions but skip straight to Section D

**C7. were you satisfied with how the police managed/resolved the matter (SATISFIED)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 193 (29180.1)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 640 (68379.2)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-5	
Invalid: 9	

**Pre question**

If the crime was managed/resolved by police, please answer the following questions, if not, go to Section D

**Literal question**

Were you satisfied with how the police managed/resolved the matter?

**Interviewer instructions**

Question 7 is a ranking question and you need to ask the respondent to rank whether he/she was satisfied with the Police handling/resolving the incident or not. Circle the number that corresponds to the respondent's answer.

**2. any comment (ANY\_COMMENTC)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 200 (30244)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 633 (67315.2)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

**Literal question**

Any Comment?

**C8. comment (C8\_COMMENT)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 125 (18966)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 708 (78593.2)
Width: 10	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1112222222-222222212	

**C8. comment (C8\_COMMENT)**

File: PERSONS

**Interviewer instructions**

You can write any other comments/response on this part. Try to record the answers exactly as they are given; if you need to shorten a lengthy description, be careful to keep the meaning accurate, and if necessary, write a note on the bottom or side of the page to explain.

**D1.1. sought assistance of the police in the last 12 months (ASS\_LST\_12MNTHS)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 626 (94692.7)  
Invalid: 207 (2866.5)

**Pre question**

Except where otherwise indicated, please place a tick in the appropriate box or boxes or circle the appropriate number and fill in your response on the lines when further information is indicated.

**Literal question**

Have you sought the assistance of the Police in the last 12 months?

**Post question**

if No, skip to D2

**Interviewer instructions**

For this question you need to probe carefully to the respondent if he/she asks any assistance of the Police during the last 12 months. You are recommended not to rush the respondent but to give them time to think because 12 months is a very long period and it might take a while for the respondent to recall his/her memory.

If the respondent says that he/she request the assistance of the Police during the reference period, then you need to mark the box "YES" and proceed with the remaining questions but if the respondent says NO, then tick the box "NO" and follow the skip instruction provided. You do not need to continue answering the remaining questions of D1.

**D1.2. how satisfied were you with the assistance (S\_A\_PROVIDED)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-5  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 116 (17846.5)  
Invalid: 717 (79712.7)

**Pre question**

Except where otherwise indicated, please place a tick in the appropriate box or boxes or circle the appropriate number and fill in your response on the lines when further information is indicated.

**D1.3. point of contact with the police (POINT\_CONTACT)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

**D1.3. point of contact with the police (POINT\_CONTACT)**

File: PERSONS

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-4  
 Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 116 (17846.5)  
 Invalid: 717 (79712.7)

**Pre question**

Except where otherwise indicated, please place a tick in the appropriate box or boxes or circle the appropriate number and fill in your response on the lines when further information is indicated.

**Literal question**

What was your point of contact with the police.

**Interviewer instructions**

Q.3 helps to identify how the respondent made contact with the Police when seeking their assistance. Tick the right box that corresponds to the respondent's answer and proceed to the next question. If the respondent point out a new answer that does not match to any of the given ones, then you need to tick the box beside "OTHERS" and record the answer exactly as they are given. Tick only one box that corresponds to respondent's answer.

**3. any comment (ANY\_COMMENTD)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 120 (18477.1)  
 Invalid: 713 (79082.1)

**Literal question**

Any Comment?

**D1.4. comment (D1\_4\_COMMENT)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 10  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 5-222222221

Valid cases: 96 (14697.2)  
 Invalid: 737 (82862.1)

**Interviewer instructions**

You can write any other comments/response on this part. Try to record the answers exactly as they are given; if you need to shorten a lengthy description, be careful to keep the meaning accurate, and if necessary, write a note on the bottom or side of the page to explain.

**D2.1. the police control crime satisfactory (P\_C\_S)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-5  
 Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 617 (93307.4)  
 Invalid: 216 (4251.8)

**D2.1. the police control crime satisfactory (P\_C\_S)**

File: PERSONS

**Literal question**

The Police control crime satisfactorily.

**D2.2. the public should work in partnership with police to prevent and control crime (PUBLIC\_POLICE)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-5  
 Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 615 (93002)  
 Invalid: 218 (4557.2)

**Literal question**

The public should work in partnership with police to prevent and control crime

**4. any comment (ANY\_COMMENTD2)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 627 (94851.5)  
 Invalid: 206 (2707.7)

**Literal question**

Any Comment?

**D2.3. comment (D2\_3\_\_COMMENT)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 10  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1112222222-2222222222

Valid cases: 395 (59900.4)  
 Invalid: 438 (37658.8)

**Interviewer instructions**

You can write any other comments/response on this part. Try to record the answers exactly as they are given; if you need to shorten a lengthy description, be careful to keep the meaning accurate, and if necessary, write a note on the bottom or side of the page to explain.

**D3.1. i have confident that the police carry out their duties well (CONFIDENT)**

File: PERSONS

**Overview**

### **D3.1. i have confident that the police carry out their duties well (CONFIDENT)**

File: PERSONS

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-5  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 622 (94065.4)  
Invalid: 211 (3493.9)

#### **Literal question**

I have confidence that the police carry out their duties well

### **D3.2. i believe i have good access to the police should i need them (GOOD\_ACCESS)**

File: PERSONS

#### **Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-5  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 621 (93928.4)  
Invalid: 212 (3630.8)

#### **Literal question**

I believe I have good access to the police should I need them

### **D3.3. i believe the police act honesty in the performance of their duties (HONESTY)**

File: PERSONS

#### **Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-5  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 621 (93928.6)  
Invalid: 212 (3630.6)

#### **Literal question**

I believe the police act honestly in the performance of their duties.

### **D3.4. i believe the police respond appropriately to requests for police assistance (RESPOND)**

File: PERSONS

#### **Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 1  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-5  
Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 617 (93344.1)  
Invalid: 216 (4215.1)

#### **Literal question**

### D3.4. i believe the police respond appropriately to requests for police assistance (RESPOND)

File: PERSONS

I believe the police respond appropriately to requests for police assistance.

### 5. any comment (ANY\_COMMENTD3)

File: PERSONS

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 627 (94851.5)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 206 (2707.7)
Width: 1	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

#### Literal question

Any Comment?

### D3.5. comment (D3\_5\_COMMENT)

File: PERSONS

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 380 (57719.1)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 453 (39840.1)
Width: 10	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1121222222-2222222221	

#### Interviewer instructions

You can write any other comments/response on this part. Try to record the answers exactly as they are given; if you need to shorten a lengthy description, be careful to keep the meaning accurate, and if necessary, write a note on the bottom or side of the page to explain.

### D4.1. information about SPPS (SPPS\_INF)

File: PERSONS

#### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 627 (94851.5)
Format: numeric	Invalid: 206 (2707.7)
Width: 10	Mean: 1545929223 (1548093762.5)
Decimals: 0	Standard deviation: 503022379.7 (503285528.4)
Range: 1111111111-2222222222	

#### Pre question

you may tick more than one of the following

#### Literal question

Have you received information about the Samoa Police and Prisons Service? If so in what form?

#### Interviewer instructions

This question serves to gather information on the source of information about the Police and Prisons Service. You need to ask the respondent to identify which of the following sources of information where he/she obtained information about the SPPS and its services. We are interested in all of the sources from which he/she may have gotten information so be sure to probe to make sure the respondent has mentioned all of the sources from which she received information about the Samoa Police and Prisons Service. The respondent are allow to give more than one answer.

## D4.2. how satisfied are you with the police communication with the public (SATIS\_POL\_COMM)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-5  
 Invalid: 9

Valid cases: 583 (88290.9)  
 Invalid: 250 (9268.3)

### Literal question

How satisfied are you with how the police communicate and engage with the community?

## 6. any comment (ANY\_COMMENTD4)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 627 (94851.5)  
 Invalid: 206 (2707.7)

### Literal question

Any Comment?

## D4.3. comment' (D4\_3\_COMMENT)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 10  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1112222222-2222222222

Valid cases: 307 (46843.1)  
 Invalid: 526 (50716.1)

### Interviewer instructions

You can write any other comments/response on this part. Try to record the answers exactly as they are given; if you need to shorten a lengthy description, be careful to keep the meaning accurate, and if necessary, write a note on the bottom or side of the page to explain.

## 7. any comment (ANY\_COMMENTE)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 1  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 627 (94851.5)  
 Invalid: 206 (2707.7)

### Literal question

Any Comment?

## E1. comment (E1\_COMMENT)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 10  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1111122222-2222222222

Valid cases: 508 (77007.9)  
 Invalid: 325 (20551.3)

### Interviewer instructions

You can write any other comments/response on this part. Try to record the answers exactly as they are given; if you need to shorten a lengthy description, be careful to keep the meaning accurate, and if necessary, write a note on the bottom or side of the page to explain.

## Name (NAME\_1)

File: PERSONS

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
 Format: character  
 Width: 12

Valid cases: 636  
 Invalid: 0

## Documentation

### Questionnaires

#### Samoa Community Perception Survey 2013

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Title Samoa Community Perception Survey 2013  
 Author(s) Samoa Bureau of Statistics (SBS)  
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### Reports

#### Report of the Community Perception Survey 2013

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### Other materials

#### Samoa Community Perception Survey 2013

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