

**Asian Ethnicity of Reference  
Person and Spouse/Partner 2015-  
2021**

**Codebook**

**Number of Variables**

5

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**ASN1 "RELEASE NUMBER" NUM(1.0)**

Release Number

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
37,431	100.00	1	Release number 1, May 2023

**ASN2 "YEAR" NUM(4.0)**

Year of interview

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
9,048	24.17	2,015	Asian Ethnicity information from the 2015 Family File
9,607	25.67	2,017	Asian Ethnicity information from the 2017 Family File
9,569	25.56	2,019	Asian Ethnicity information from the 2019 Family File
9,207	24.60	2,021	Asian Ethnicity information from the 2021 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
37,431	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
134	.36	1	Chinese
82	.22	2	Filipino
145	.39	3	Asian Indian
26	.07	4	Japanese
65	.17	5	Korean
45	.12	6	Vietnamese
103	.28	7	Other
17	.05	9	DK; NA; refused
36,814	98.35	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
79	.21	1	Chinese
88	.24	2	Filipino
91	.24	3	Asian Indian
38	.10	4	Japanese
48	.13	5	Korean
37	.10	6	Vietnamese
81	.22	7	Other
11	.03	9	DK; NA; refused
36,958	98.74	0	Inap.: no Spouse/Partner in FU; race mentions 1-4 are not Asian; race mention 1 is DK, NA, or RF