GLOSSARY

Age

The respondent's age was recorded in completed years, as on March 3, 1998. The age of all infants who were less than one year old was recorded as '00', the age of persons older than 98 was recorded as '98'. The range for this variable is thus from "00" to "98".

Duration of Stay

This question refers to duration of stay in the village of enumeration since coming from last previous residence. The question was only recorded for respondents with a Previous Residence other than the village of enumeration. In other words, if the code for Previous Residence = 1 the question on Duration of Stay was skipped (left blank).

If a person resided in a village (since coming from a last previous residence) for less than 1 year, code '00' was recorded; if from 1 year to less than 2 years, code '01' was recorded; if from 2 to less than 3 years, code '02' was recorded and so on.

Economically Active Population (or Labour Force)

A person was categorized in the census as employed or unemployed based on his/her main activity during the year preceding the census. The employed (with Activity = 1) and unemployed (with Activity = 2 or 3) constitute the economically active population

Educational Attainment

Educational Attainment refers to completed level. For the WinR+ population database the classification of educational attainment was recoded as shown in the table below:

Education code	Description	Corresponding Grade levels
0	No Education	0
1	Primary Not Completed	1 to 5
2	Primary School	6 to 8
3	Lower Secondary	9 to 11
4	Secondary School or Higher	12 to 16
5	Other Education	17
9	Not Stated	

Educational Attainment was asked for respondents who reported a School Attendance of Now (code 2) or Past (code 3). The question was skipped (left blank) for respondent who never attended school (code 1).

Fertility variables

The Fertility questions in Part 3 of the questionnaire were only applicable for females aged 15 and above. For all others these questions were left blank.

The fertility variables include:

CEBMAL and CEBFEM. These are the total number of Children Ever Born (by Sex) to a woman;

CAMAL and CAFEM. The number of Children Still Alive by Sex;

LYMAL and LYFEM. The number of births (by Sex) in the 12 months prior to the date of census enumeration.

Head of Household

Head of household for census purposes is a person who is recognized as such in a household. He or she is generally the person who bears the chief responsibility for the management of the household and takes decisions on behalf of the household. Head of the household is not necessarily the eldest male member, but may be a female member or a younger member of either sex.

Household

A household is a group of persons who commonly live together and would take their meals from a common kitchen unless the exigencies of work prevented any of them from doing so.

Household Type

The different types of household for the census purposes are: 1. Normal or regular household 2. Institutional household (i.e. household of unrelated persons like boarding houses, hostels, residential hotels, jails, pagodas etc.), 3. Homeless households (i.e. households who do not live in a building, like those who live in open space, road-side, park, pavements etc.), 4. Households of boat population or persons living in boats which are on the move and 5. Households of transient population i.e. those who stayed on census night in airports, railway stations, bus terminals, harbors, ships etc. or nomadic population who camped in a village site on census night.

Housing Conditions

The questions in Part 4 of the questionnaire on Housing Conditions and Facilities were only asked for Regular or Normal Households (with Household Type = 1). For all other Household types these questions were not applicable (= blank).

Inactive Population

The inactive population refers to (i) home-makers, (ii) full-time students, (iii) dependents, (iv) rent-receivers, retired people and other categories of income recipients, and (v) others who are neither employed nor unemployed and also do not come under any of the inactive categories mentioned. The reference period for this is the major part of the year preceding the census.

Industrial Sector

Industry (or branch of economic activity) refers to the activity of the establishment or enterprise in which the individual works. This question only relates to persons with a Main Activity of 1 (Employed) or 2 (Unemployed but employed any time before). For persons with an activity of 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, or 8, the Industry will be Blank (Not Applicable).

In the WinR+ database, industries are grouped according to following categories:

Category code	Category Name
1	Agriculture, Hunting and Forestry
2	Fishing
3	Mining and Quarrying
4	Manufacturing
5	Electricity, Gas and Water supply
6	Construction
7	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motor cycles and personal and household goods
8	Hotels and restaurants
9	Transport, storage and communication
10	Financial intermediation
11	Real estate, renting and business activities
12	Public administration and defense; compulsory social security
13	Education
14	Health and social work
15	Other community, social and personal service activities
16	Private households with employed persons
17	Extraterritorial organizations and bodies
99	Industry Not Reported or not adequately described

Literacy

Literacy is defined as the ability to read and write with understanding in any language. By definition, all children of the age of 6 years or less are treated as illiterate.

Main Activity

Main activity is defined as the activity during 6 months (183 days) or more during that year (i.e. for the major part of the year before census date).

This variable determines the skip pattern for the economic characteristics of the population, i.e. Employment Period, Occupation, Employment Status, Industry, Employment Sector. For employed respondents (with an Activity = 1) the economic variables refer to the main current employment. For unemployed respondents who worked before (Activity code = 2) these questions refer to their previously held employment. For all other categories of Activity (code 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, or 8) the economic variables are not applicable and therefore are left blank.

Mother Tongue

The variable Mother Tongue is not included in the WinR+ population database.

Occupation

Occupation refers to the name of the job the person did. This question only relates to economically active persons, e.g. persons with a Main Activity of 1 (Employed) or 2 (Unemployed but employed any time before). For persons with an activity of 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, or 8, the Occupation will be Blank (Not Applicable).

In the WinR+ database, occupations are grouped according to following major groups:

Major Group code	Major Group Description
0	Armed Forces
1	Legislators, senior officials and managers
2	Professionals
3	Technicians and associate professionals
4	Clerks
5	Service workers and shop and market sales workers
6	Skilled agricultural and fishery workers
7	Craft and related workers
8	Plant and machine operators and assemblers
9	Elementary occupations
99	Occupation Not reported or not adequately described

Place of Birth

For the WinR+ population database this variable was recoded as shown in the table below:

Place Of Birth code	Category name	Description
1	Born Same Place	Born in village of Enumeration
2	Within Province	Born outside village of Enumeration but within the Province of Enumeration
3	Other Province	Born outside village of Enumeration and in a Province other than the province of Enumeration
4	Outside Country	Born outside Cambodia
9	NR	Not Reported

Place of Previous Residence

This variable was recoded as shown in the table below:

Previous Residence code	Category name	Description
1	Non Migrant	Always lived in village of Enumeration
2	Within Province	Lived outside village of Enumeration but within the Province of Enumeration
3	Other Province	Lived outside village of Enumeration and in a Province other than the province of Enumeration
4	Outside Country	Lived outside Cambodia
9	NR	Not Reported

Note: The response to the question on Previous Residence determines whether or not the questions on Duration of Stay and Reason of Migration were applicable. If a respondent was a non-migrant (Previous Residence = 1), the Duration of Stay and Reason for Migration were skipped (left blank).

Reason for Migration

This question was only recorded for respondents with a Previous Residence other than the village of enumeration. In other words, if the code for Previous Residence = 1 the question on Reason for Migration was skipped (left blank).

Skip patterns – A summary

Some of the questions on the questionnaire were only asked (were applicable) under certain conditions. If these conditions were not met the response to the questions was left blank, i.e. they were skipped. The following variables were subject to skip patterns:

1. Duration of stay   -   skipped when Previous Residence = 1
2. Reason for Migration   -   skipped when Previous Residence = 1
3. Highest grade   -   skipped when School Attendance = 1
4. Employment period   -   skipped when Main Activity = 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 or 8
5. Occupation   -   skipped when Main Activity = 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 or 8
6. Employment status   -   skipped when Main Activity = 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 or 8
7. Industry   -   skipped when Main Activity = 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 or 8
8. Employment sector   -   skipped when Main Activity = 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 or 8

The Fertility questions in Part 3 of the questionnaire were applicable for Females aged 15 and over. They were skipped when:

1. The Sex of the respondent = 1 (male);
2. The Age of the respondent is < 15 years.

The Housing Conditions and Facilities in part 4 of the questionnaire were only recorded for Normal or Regular Households (with Household Type = 1). For other types of Households, such as Institutional (type 2), Homeless (type 3), and for Boat and Transient Population (type 4 and 5 respectively), the questions were left blank (i.e. they were skipped).

The data user should note that the WinR+ database software will treat blank values as so-called "missing values".

Urban and Rural

In all provinces, districts containing provincial headquarter towns are treated as urban areas. Krong Preah Sihanouk, Krong Kaeb and Krong Pailin are treated as entirely urban. In Phnom Penh municipality, the four districts or khands of Doun Penh, Chamkar Mon, Prampir Meakkakra and Tuol Kouk are classified as urban. All the remaining areas in the country are treated as rural.