

## Canadian Century Research Infrastructure

### USUAL\_OCCUPATION\_IND

Definition: Refers to whether or not the occupation reported for this person is his or her usual occupation. Enumerators were to indicate either "yes" or "no."

Source: Census Question

The table below indicates, for each census year, the numbers of the census questions corresponding to this variable.

Census Years	Schedule 1a	Schedule 1b	Schedule 1c	Schedule 2	Schedule 2a
1911					
1921					
1931					
1941					
1951				26	26

#### Census Guide, 1951

A. Census Question	Is the occupation reported in Question 25 this person's usual occupation?
B. Question Number	26 on Form 2 and 2A.
C. Variable(s) and Codes	USUAL_OCCUPATION_IND
D. Reference Point	As of census day, June 1, 1951.
E. Total Target Population	5 286 153
F. Statistical unit	The person.
G. Targeted Population	Each person 14 years of age and over reported as having "worked."
H. Enumerators' Instructions	<p>The questions, which refers to the full year ending May 31, 1951, must be asked for any person reporting an occupation or "None" in Question 25.</p> <p>For a person whose usual occupation is the same as that reported in Question 25, mark the oval "Yes".</p> <p>For a person whose usual occupation is different from that reported in Question 25, mark the oval "No" and enter the occupation usually</p>

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	<p>followed.</p> <p>For persons who usually do not owrk for pay or profit or as unpaid family workers on a farm or in a family business, mark the oval "No" and enter the usual activity as "Keeping House", "Going to School", "Retired", etc.</p> <p>For persons reported as "None" in Question 25, mark the oval "No" and enter the usual activity as "Keeping House", "Going to School", etc.</p>
I. Remarks	

#### Codes

1 "No"  
2 "Yes"  
99999001 "Blank"  
99999002 "Damaged"  
99999003 "Illegible"  
99999004 "In Error"  
99999005 "Suspicious"  
99999006 "Missing -- Mandatory Field"  
99999007 "Not Applicable"  
99999008 "Not Mapped"  
99999009 "Correction"  
99999010 "Suggestion"  
99999011 "Unknown - Suggestion"  
99999012 "Multiple Response - Suggestion"  
99999901 "None"  
99999902 "Not Given"  
99999903 "Unknown"  
99999904 "Invalid Value"  
99999999 "Uncodable"

Remarks: None