Table 1. Case Counts of Original Datasets Used to Create ATUS-December 2003 Food Security Supplement Linked File

	Cases		
Original File	MIS 1-4	MIS 5-8	Total
CPS Supplement File	77,061	79,906	156,967
ATUS files (2004-2005)	24,076	23,453	47,529
ATUS Respondents	4,407	4,267	8,674
Household Members	8,323	7,772	16,095
ATUS Non-Respondents	4,025	4,202	8,227
Household Members	7,321	7,212	14,533

Note: The case counts for the ATUS files include all ATUS sample and household members whose last month in the CPS is consistent with their having been eligible for the linked supplement.

Table 2. Case Counts for ATUS-December 2003 Food Security Supplement Linked File

Type of Record	MIS 1-4	MIS 5-8	Total
ATUS only records	8,097	1,375	9,472
CPS only records	61,082	57,828	118,910
Linked ATUS-CPS records ¹	15,979	22,078	38,057
Number of linked records that disagree on: ²			
Sex	227	25	252
Race	131	18	149
Age	710	112	822
Sex, race and/or age	798	132	930
Linked records that are good matches ³	15,181	21,946	37,127
ATUS Respondents	3,098	4,162	7,260
Household Members	5,448	7,258	12,706
ATUS Non-Respondents	2,659	3,915	6,574
Household Members	4,774	6,743	11,517
Total records on linked file	15,979	22,078	38,057

¹Linked records are those with matching identifier keys. Because the linked ATUS and CPS records may differ concerning the sex, race and/or age of the respondent, some of the linked cases may not be good matches.

²Records that have matching identifier keys but for which the ATUS and CPS records disagree concerning the sex, race and/or age of the respondent may be considered possible matches.

³Records that have matching identifier keys and for which the ATUS and CPS records agree concerning the sex, race and age of the respondent are deemed good matches. Sex and race must agree exactly; age may differ by up to two years.

Table 3. PER_STAT Frequency for ATUS-December 2003 Food Security Supplement Linked File

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	Good Match	
1	in ATUS 3-6 months after supplement	3,787
2	in ATUS 5-18 months after supplement	2,833
3	in ATUS some other number of months after supplement	487
	Possible Match	
4	in ATUS 3-6 months after supplement	16
5	in ATUS 5-18 months after supplement	121
6	in ATUS some other number of months after supplement	16
	No Match	
7	in ATUS 3-6 months after supplement	90
8	in ATUS 5-18 months after supplement	1,250
9	in ATUS some other number of months after supplement	74
	ATUS Respondent Household Members	
10	Good Match	12,511
11	Possible Match	195
12	No Match	3,389
	ATUS Non-Respondents	
13	Good Match	6,325
14	Possible Match	249
15	No Match	1,653
	ATUS Non-Respondent Household Members	
16	Good Match	11,184
17	Possible Match	333
18	No Match	3,016
19	CPS only	118,910
	Total	166,439