

Raw LASI-DAD Documentation

Wave 2 Informant Report

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w2dm_age Informant Age

Type: Numeric (double)
 Range: [18,120] Units: 1
 Unique values: 80 Missing .: 149/4,638
 Unique mv codes: 2 Missing .*: 3/4,638
 Mean: 45.1422
 Std. dev.: 16.6659
 Percentiles: 10% 25% 50% 75% 90%
 25 32 42 58 70

w2dm_gender Informant Gender

Type: Numeric (int)
 Label: dad2_v1297
 Range: [1,2] Units: 1
 Unique values: 2 Missing .: 149/4,638
 Tabulation: Freq. Numeric Label
 1,749 1 1 Male
 2,740 2 2 Female
 149 .

w2dm_educ1 Respondent Ever Attended School

Type: Numeric (int)
 Label: dad2_v1716
 Range: [1,5] Units: 1
 Unique values: 2 Missing .: 0/4,638
 Tabulation: Freq. Numeric Label
 2,074 1 1 Yes
 2,564 5 5 No

w2dm_educ2 Respondent Highest Educ Level

Type: Numeric (int)
 Label: dad2_v1298
 Range: [1,97] Units: 1
 Unique values: 10 Missing .: 2,564/4,638
 Examples: 2 2 Primary Completed (Standard 5-7)
 5 5 Higher Secondary Completed (Standard 12)
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w2dm_rtr Informant Rel To Respondent

Type: Numeric (int)
 Label: dad2_v1299
 Range: [1,15] Units: 1
 Unique values: 14 Missing .: 149/4,638
 Examples: 1 1 Spouse/partner
 2 2 Son
 5 5 Daughter-in-law
 5 5 Daughter-in-law

w2dm_freq Informant Freq See Respondent

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v1302
Range: [1,8] Units: 1
Unique values: 8 Missing .: 148/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	3,704	1	1 Lives with Respondent
	618	2	2 Daily
	82	3	3 Several times a week
	21	4	4 Once a week
	43	5	5 One to three times a month
	13	6	6 Less than once a month
	1	7	7 Never
	8	8	8 Other DM_Freq_other
	148	.	.

w2dm_years Informant Yrs Known Respondent

Type: Numeric (double)
Range: [1,83] Units: 1
Unique values: 79 Missing .: 148/4,638
Unique mv codes: 2 Missing .*: 4/4,638

Mean: 22.6286
Std. dev.: 15.9041

Percentiles:	10%	25%	50%	75%	90%
	10	10	15	35	49

w2same_inf Same informant between w1 & w2

Type: Numeric (float)
Range: [0,1] Units: 1
Unique values: 2 Missing .: 2,073/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Value
	1,741	0
	824	1
	2,073	.

w2dm_stroke Resp Diagnosed Stroke

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v1305
Range: [1,5] Units: 1
Unique values: 2 Missing .: 148/4,638
Unique mv codes: 2 Missing .*: 3/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	248	1	1 Yes
	4,239	5	5 No
	148	.	.
	3	.d	.d

w2dm_park Resp Diagnosed Parkinsons

Type: Numeric (int)

2 .d

w2j6a Remembering Where Things Are Kept

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v1739

Range: [1,6] Units: 1
Unique values: 6 Missing .: 148/4,638
Unique mv codes: 2 Missing .*: 1/4,638

Tabulation: Freq.	Numeric	Label
8	1	1 Much Improved
77	2	2 A Bit Improved
2,535	3	3 Not much changed
1,506	4	4 A Bit Worse
350	5	5 Much worse
13	6	6 Does not apply; RName doesnt do activity
148	.	
1	.d	

w2j7a Remembering Where to Find Things

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v1743

Range: [1,6] Units: 1
Unique values: 6 Missing .: 148/4,638
Unique mv codes: 2 Missing .*: 3/4,638

Tabulation: Freq.	Numeric	Label
4	1	1 Much Improved
47	2	2 A Bit Improved
2,304	3	3 Not much changed
1,739	4	4 A Bit Worse
369	5	5 Much worse
24	6	6 Does not apply; RName doesnt do activity
148	.	
3	.d	

w2j8a Knowing How to Work Machines

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v1747

Range: [1,6] Units: 1
Unique values: 6 Missing .: 148/4,638

Tabulation: Freq.	Numeric	Label
12	1	1 Much Improved
120	2	2 A Bit Improved
2,349	3	3 Not much changed
831	4	4 A Bit Worse
326	5	5 Much worse
852	6	6 Does not apply; RName doesnt do activity
148	.	

w2j9a Learning to Use a New Gadget

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v1751

Range: [1,6] Units: 1


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191      2  2 Occasionally misplaces
          buttons, etc., requires minor
          help
   50      3  3 Wrong sequences, forgets
          items, requires much assistance
   88      4  4 Unable to dress
150      .
   1      .r
    
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w2act_1 Hrs Spent Watching TV

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl785

Range: [0,6] Units: 1
Unique values: 7 Missing .: 150/4,638
Unique mv codes: 2 Missing .*: 1/4,638

Tabulation: Freq.	Numeric	Label
789	0	0 None
712	1	1 One half
939	2	2 One
918	3	3 Two to three
281	4	4 Four to six
75	5	5 Seven or more
773	6	6 Never
150	.	.
1	.r	.r

w2act_2 Hrs Spent Reading

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl786

Range: [0,6] Units: 1
Unique values: 6 Missing .: 150/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 3/4,638

Tabulation: Freq.	Numeric	Label
1,303	0	0 None
574	1	1 One half
415	2	2 One
172	3	3 Two to three
19	4	4 Four to six
2,002	6	6 Never
150	.	.
2	.d	.d
1	.r	.r

w2act_5 Hrs Spent Chores/Maint/Gardening

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl789

Range: [0,6] Units: 1
Unique values: 7 Missing .: 152/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 3/4,638

Tabulation: Freq.	Numeric	Label
908	0	0 None
718	1	1 One half
899	2	2 One
972	3	3 Two to three
376	4	4 Four to six
149	5	5 Seven or more
461	6	6 Never
152	.	.
1	.d	.d

2 .r

w2act_7 Hrs Spent Using Computer/Internet

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v1791
Range: [0,6] Units: 1
Unique values: 7 Missing .: 152/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 7/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	1,312	0	0 None
	117	1	1 One half
	121	2	2 One
	103	3	3 Two to three
	36	4	4 Four to six
	8	5	5 Seven or more
	2,782	6	6 Never
	152	.	.
	5	.d	.d
	2	.r	.r

w2act_8 Hrs Spent Taking Naps

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v1792
Range: [0,6] Units: 1
Unique values: 7 Missing .: 152/4,638
Unique mv codes: 2 Missing .*: 1/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	416	0	0 None
	739	1	1 One half
	1,479	2	2 One
	1,145	3	3 Two to three
	205	4	4 Four to six
	217	5	5 Seven or more
	284	6	6 Never
	152	.	.
	1	.d	.d

w2act_10 Prepares Hot Meals

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v1795
Range: [1,6] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 152/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	1,856	1	1 Yes
	1,556	5	5 No
	1,074	6	6 Its not customary for RName to do this
	152	.	.

w2act_13 Able To Travel on Own

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v1798
Range: [1,5] Units: 1
Unique values: 2 Missing .: 153/4,638
Unique mv codes: 2 Missing .*: 1/4,638

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Tabulation: Freq.  Numeric  Label
             2,708      1  1 Yes
             1,776      5  5 No
             153        .
             1          .r
    
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w2act_14 Use Public Transit on Own

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v1799

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
Unique values: 2 Missing .: 153/4,638
Unique mv codes: 2 Missing .*: 2/4,638

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Tabulation: Freq.  Numeric  Label
             2,585      1  1 Yes
             1,898      5  5 No
             153        .
             2          .r
    
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w2act_15 Freq Go To Work/Volunteer

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v1800

Range: [1,6] Units: 1
Unique values: 6 Missing .: 153/4,638
Unique mv codes: 2 Missing .*: 1/4,638

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Tabulation: Freq.  Numeric  Label
             435      1  1 Daily
             260      2  2 Several times a week
             278      3  3 Once a week
             313      4  4 Once a month
             626      5  5 Rarely
             2,572     6  6 Never
             153        .
             1          .r
    
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w2act_16 Freq Go To Store/Market

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v1801

Range: [1,6] Units: 1
Unique values: 6 Missing .: 153/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 4/4,638

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Tabulation: Freq.  Numeric  Label
             431      1  1 Daily
             806      2  2 Several times a week
             878      3  3 Once a week
             456      4  4 Once a month
             532      5  5 Rarely
             1,378     6  6 Never
             153        .
             1          .d
             3          .r
    
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w2act_22 Freq Go for Walk

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v1807


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1,064      1 1 Slowly
  181      2 2 Suddenly
  154      .
    6      .d
3,233     .s
    
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w2csi_cogact1c Progression of Decline

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl833

Range: [1,2] Units: 1
Unique values: 2 Missing .: 154/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 3,240/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	1,049	1	1 Steady
	195	2	2 Abrupt
	154	.	.
	7	.d	.d
	3,233	.s	.s

w2csi_cogact2 Difficulty Remembering Things

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl834

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
Unique values: 2 Missing .: 154/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 2/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	951	1	1 Yes
	3,531	5	5 No
	154	.	.
	1	.d	.d
	1	.r	.r

w2csi_cogact2a Pace of Memory Problems

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl835

Range: [1,2] Units: 1
Unique values: 2 Missing .: 154/4,638
Unique mv codes: 4 Missing .*: 3,533/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	862	1	1 Slowly
	89	2	2 Suddenly
	154	.	.
	1	.d	.d
	1	.r	.r
	3,531	.s	.s

w2csi_cogact2b Progression of Memory Problems

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl836

Range: [1,2] Units: 1
Unique values: 2 Missing .: 154/4,638
Unique mv codes: 4 Missing .*: 3,534/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	844	1	1 Steady

106 2 2 Abrupt
 154 .
 2 .d
 1 .r
 3,531 .s

 w2csi_cogact3 Forget Where Put Things

Type: Numeric (int)
 Label: dad2_vl837

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
 Unique values: 3 Missing .: 154/4,638
 Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 6/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	592	1	1 Yes
	2,220	2	2 Sometimes
	1,666	5	5 No
	154	.	.
	4	.d	.d
	2	.r	.r

 w2csi_cogact4 Forget Where Things Kept

Type: Numeric (int)
 Label: dad2_vl838

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
 Unique values: 3 Missing .: 155/4,638
 Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 7/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	547	1	1 Yes
	1,939	2	2 Sometimes
	1,990	5	5 No
	155	.	.
	4	.d	.d
	3	.r	.r

 w2csi_cogact5 Forget Friends Names

Type: Numeric (int)
 Label: dad2_vl839

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
 Unique values: 3 Missing .: 155/4,638
 Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 5/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	247	1	1 Yes
	675	2	2 Sometimes
	3,556	5	5 No
	155	.	.
	4	.d	.d
	1	.r	.r

 w2csi_cogact6 Forget Family Member Names

Type: Numeric (int)
 Label: dad2_vl840

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
 Unique values: 3 Missing .: 155/4,638
 Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 3/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	156	1	1 Yes
	336	2	2 Sometimes
	3,988	5	5 No
	155	.	.
	2	.d	.d
	1	.r	.r

w2csi_cogact7 Forget in Middle Convo

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl841

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 155/4,638
Unique mv codes: 2 Missing .*: 1/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	313	1	1 Yes
	1,377	2	2 Sometimes
	2,792	5	5 No
	155	.	.
	1	.r	.r

w2csi_cogact8 Hard Time Finding Right Words

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl842

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 155/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 4/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	321	1	1 Yes
	1,071	2	2 Sometimes
	3,087	5	5 No
	155	.	.
	2	.d	.d
	2	.r	.r

w2csi_cogact9 Uses Wrong Word

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl843

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 155/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 4/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	212	1	1 Yes
	733	2	2 Sometimes
	3,534	5	5 No
	155	.	.
	2	.d	.d
	2	.r	.r

w2csi_cogact10 Talks About Past Not Present

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl844

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 155/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 8/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	561	1	1 Yes
	1,685	2	2 Sometimes
	2,229	5	5 No
	155	.	.
	6	.d	
	2	.r	

w2csi_cogact11 Forget When Last Saw Inf

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl845

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 155/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 4/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	185	1	1 Yes
	465	2	2 Sometimes
	3,829	5	5 No
	155	.	.
	3	.d	
	1	.r	

w2csi_cogact12 Forget What Happened Prior Day

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl846

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 155/4,638
Unique mv codes: 2 Missing .*: 1/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	259	1	1 Yes
	758	2	2 Sometimes
	3,465	5	5 No
	155	.	.
	1	.r	

w2csi_cogact13 Forget Where He/She Is

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl847

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 155/4,638
Unique mv codes: 2 Missing .*: 1/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	122	1	1 Yes
	266	2	2 Sometimes
	4,094	5	5 No
	155	.	.
	1	.r	

w2csi_cogact14 Gets Lost in Community

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl848

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 155/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 5/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	198	1	1 Yes
	301	2	2 Sometimes
	3,979	5	5 No
	155	.	.
	1	.d	
	4	.r	

w2csi_cogact15 Gets Lost in Own Home

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl849

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 155/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 6/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	64	1	1 Yes
	117	2	2 Sometimes
	4,296	5	5 No
	155	.	.
	1	.d	
	5	.r	

w2ten_1 Difficulty HH Chores

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl316

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 155/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 5/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	980	1	1 Yes
	749	2	2 Sometimes
	2,749	5	5 No
	155	.	.
	2	.d	
	3	.r	

w2ten_2 Loss of Special Skill or Hobby

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl318

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
Unique values: 2 Missing .: 155/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 18/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	1,711	1	1 Yes
	2,754	5	5 No
	155	.	.
	17	.d	
	1	.r	

w2ten_3 Change in Handling Money

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl319

Range: [0,2] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 155/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	297	1	1 Yes
	4,180	2	2 No
	158	.	.
	1	.d	.d
	2	.r	.r

w2jsi_be1 repeat or get stuck on certain actions/ideas

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v11530

Range: [1,3] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 158/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 8/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	258	1	1 Always
	1,120	2	2 Sometimes
	3,094	3	3 Never
	158	.	.
	5	.d	.d
	3	.r	.r

w2jsi_be2 cant sit still

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v11531

Range: [1,3] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 158/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 5/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	774	1	1 Always
	1,030	2	2 Sometimes
	2,671	3	3 Never
	158	.	.
	1	.d	.d
	4	.r	.r

w2jsi_be3 speak only when spoken to

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v11532

Range: [1,3] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 158/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 3/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	833	1	1 Always
	829	2	2 Sometimes
	2,815	3	3 Never
	158	.	.
	1	.d	.d
	2	.r	.r

w2jsi_be4 show emotion with unconcern and unresponsive

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v11533

Range: [1,3] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 158/4,638

Unique mv codes: 2 Missing .*: 2/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	498	1	1 Always
	1,105	2	2 Sometimes
	2,875	3	3 Never
	158	.	.
	2	.r	.r

w2jsi_5 consider what to rate abilities to solve problem

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl1534

Range: [1,5] Units: 1
Unique values: 5 Missing .: 158/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	1,021	1	1 As good as they have ever been
	1,377	2	2 Good, but not as good as before
	1,411	3	3 Fair
	526	4	4 Poor
	145	5	5 No ability at all
	158	.	.

w2jsi_6 can R handle household emergency

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl1535

Range: [1,3] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 158/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 6/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	2,772	1	1 As well as before
	1,037	2	2 Worse than before because of trouble thinking
	665	3	3 Worse than before, another reason
	158	.	.
	3	.d	.d
	3	.r	.r

w2jsi_7 can R understand situation or explanation

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl1536

Range: [1,3] Units: 1
Unique values: 3 Missing .: 158/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	3,340	1	1 Usually
	818	2	2 Sometimes
	322	3	3 Rarely
	158	.	.

w2jsi_8 behave appropriately interacting with other people

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_vl1537

Range: [1,3] Units: 1


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1,345      3 3 Often (3 or 4 days)
1,035      4 4 Most or all of the time (5-7
           days)
           .
           .d
           .r
    
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w2cg012 Feel alone

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v11245

Range: [1,4] Units: 1
Unique values: 4 Missing .: 159/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 3/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	2,644	1	1 Rarely or never (less than 1 day)
	1,195	2	2 Sometimes (1 or 2 days)
	436	3	3 Often (3 or 4 days)
	201	4	4 Most or all of the time (5-7 days)
	159	.	.
	1	.d	.d
	2	.r	.r

w2cg013 Feel happy

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v11246

Range: [1,4] Units: 1
Unique values: 4 Missing .: 159/4,638
Unique mv codes: 3 Missing .*: 2/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	461	1	1 Rarely or never (less than 1 day)
	1,405	2	2 Sometimes (1 or 2 days)
	1,451	3	3 Often (3 or 4 days)
	1,160	4	4 Most or all of the time (5-7 days)
	159	.	.
	1	.d	.d
	1	.r	.r

w2cg014 not enough time for yourself

Type: Numeric (int)
Label: dad2_v11247

Range: [0,4] Units: 1
Unique values: 5 Missing .: 3,634/4,638

Tabulation:	Freq.	Numeric	Label
	414	0	0 Never
	141	1	1 Rarely
	306	2	2 Sometimes
	90	3	3 Quite frequently
	53	4	4 Nearly always
	3,634	.	.

w2cg015 stressed to meet caregiving and life responsibilities

Type: Numeric (int)

