

1950 CENSUS ABBREVIATIONS

Q9: Race

- *Chi*: Chinese
- *Fil*: Filipino
- *Ind*: American Indian
- *Jap*: Japanese
- *Neg*: Black
- *W*: White

Q10: Sex

- *F*: Female
- *M*: Male

Q12: Marital Status

- *D*: Divorced
- *Mar*: Married
- *Nev*: Never married (and/or under age 14)
- *Sep*: Separated (but not divorced)
- *Wd*: Widowed

Q14: Naturalization Status

AP: Child of American parents born abroad or at sea

Q15: Work Status in Past Week

- *H*: Keeping house (i.e., housework in one's own home)
- *Ot*: "Other," including school attendance, temporary illness, or job vacation
- *U*: Unable to work because of long-term illness or disability
- *Wk*: Work for which you are paid or that supports a family business

Q20c: Class of Worker

- *G*: Works for any branch of government, including civilian parts of the military
- *O*: Works for own business, shop, etc.
- *NP*: Works for no pay on a farm or business operated by another family member
- *P*: Works for private employer

Q26: Highest School Level

- *C#*: Year(s) of college/professional school completed (*C1* for one year, *C2* for two years, and so on)
- *S#*: Grades of elementary/middle/high school completed (*S1* for first grade, *S2* for second, and so on through *S12* for senior year of high school)

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