

Task 1.1 Data Base Structure

Once data starts flooding in from surveys chaos will ensue unless formal plans have been made for organising and storing the data in ways which are convenient for modelling purposes.

Inputs

Survey specifications and coding frames.

Processing

Design data base structure providing for convenient data storage and processing – mainly concerned with allowing for the typical hierarchical household survey structure (household, person and trip questionnaires) and facilitating its conversion into flat files as needed. Choose software platform (eg a convenient platform is a data base such as Microsoft ACCESS).

Outputs

Specification of data base.

Report.