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**SN 3277 - Distributions of Individuals by Type of Occupation in 54 Cities in Britain, 1820s and 1840s**

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<b>Field</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Explanation of Code</b>
A	years	Years of directories:  1= 1820 & 1847 2= 1821 & 1843 3= 1822 & 1846 4= 1822 & 1847 5= 1823 & 1841 6= 1823 & 1846 7= 1823 & 1847 8= 1824 & 1841 9= 1824 & 1844 10= 1824 & 1845 11= 1824 & 1846 12= 1825 & 1844 13= 1825 & 1845 14= 1825 & 1846 15= 1826 & 1845 16= 1826 & 1846 17= 1826 & 1847 18= 1827 & 1845 19= 1827 & 1847 20= 1828 & 1848 21= 1829 & 1842
B	citycode	City being analyzed:  1=Aberdeen 2=Ashton-under-Lyne 3=Barton 4=Bath 5=Beverley 6=Bilston 7=Birmingham 8=Blackburn 9=Bolton 10=Brighton 11=Bristol 12=Burslem 13=Bury 14=Dudley 15=Durham 16=Exeter 17=Gainsborough 18=Gateshead 19=Great Grimsby 20=Hanley 21=Kingston-upon-Hull 22=Leeds 23=Leigh

		24=Liverpool 25=London 26=Macclesfield 27=Manchester & Salford 28=Newcastle-under-Lyne 29=Newcastle-upon-Tyne 30=Nottingham 31=Oldham 32=Otley 33=Oughtibridge 34=Preston 35=Rochdale 36=Ross-on-Wye 37=Rotherham 38=Saddleworth 39=Selby 40=Sheffield 41=Shields, North 42=Shields, South 43=Shelton 44=Stockport 45=Stoke-on-Trent 46=Sunderland 47=Thorne 48=Warrington 49=Wednesbury 50=Wednesfield 51=Wigan 52=Willenhall 53=West Bromwich 54=Wolverhampton
C	acll	Total subscriptions to the Anti-Corn Law League (in Pounds Sterling)
D	prononi2	Professional, non-aligned: 1820s (e.g., academy owners, accountants, agents, architects, attorney-solicitors, auctioneers, bankers, barristers, brokers, commissioners, consuls, clergy, insurance agents, merchants, publishers, pawnbrokers, surgeons, etc.)
E	prononi4	Professional, non-aligned: 1840s (e.g., academy owners, accountants, agents, architects, attorney-solicitors, auctioneers, bankers, barristers, brokers, commissioners, consuls, clergy, insurance agents, merchants, publishers, pawnbrokers, surgeons, etc.)
F	promfi2	Professional, aligned with manufacturing: 1820s (e.g., warehouse owners, clothing brokers, cotton brokers, engineers, stock and share brokers, etc.)
G	promfi4	Professional, aligned with manufacturing: 1840s (e.g., warehouse owners, clothing brokers, cotton brokers, engineers, stock and share brokers, etc.)
H	prolni2	Professional, aligned with land: 1820s (e.g., surveyors, land agents, etc.)
I	prolni4	Professional, aligned with land: 1840s (e.g., surveyors, land agents, etc.)
J	mfltexi2	Manufacturing, export of light goods: 1820s (e.g., bleachers, bobbinmakers, canvas manufacturers, cloth dressers, cotton manufacturers, cotton dealers, dyers, hat manufacturers, linen drapers, milliners and dressmakers, needle and pin makers, thread manufacturers, woolen cloth manufacturers, etc.)
K	mfltexi4	Manufacturing, export of light goods: 1840s (e.g., bleachers, bobbinmakers, canvas manufacturers, cloth dressers, cotton manufacturers, cotton dealers, dyers, hat manufacturers, linen drapers, milliners and dressmakers, needle and pin makers, thread manufacturers, woolen cloth manufacturers, etc.)
L	mflhvexi2	Manufacturing, export of heavy goods: 1820s (e.g., brass founders, braziers, coppersmiths, tinsplate workers, iron founders, tool manufacturers, etc.)
M	mflhvexi4	Manufacturing, export of heavy goods: 1840s (e.g., brass founders, braziers, coppersmiths, tinsplate workers, iron founders, tool manufacturers, etc.)
N	mflsmexi2	Manufacturing, semi-export (serving home market as well as foreign markets): 1820s

		(e.g., brush manufacturers, cabinetmakers, coal dealers, leather cutters and manufacturers, earthenware dealers and manufacturers, glass manufacturers, gunmakers, hardware dealers, hosiers and glovers, lead merchants, rope and twine manufacturers, watch and clock manufacturers, etc.)
O	mfsmexi4	Manufacturing, semi-export (serving home market as well as foreign markets): 1840s (e.g., brush manufacturers, cabinetmakers, coal dealers, leather cutters and manufacturers, earthenware dealers and manufacturers, glass manufacturers, gunmakers, hardware dealers, hosiers and glovers, lead merchants, rope and twine manufacturers, watch and clock manufacturers, etc.)
P	mffhomei2	Manufacturing, serving domestic market: 1820s (e.g., basketmakers, blacksmiths, boot and shoe makers, bricklayers and builders, confectioners, engravers, gas light makers, whitesmiths and bellhangers, etc.)
Q	mffhomei4	Manufacturing, serving domestic market: 1840s (e.g., basketmakers, blacksmiths, boot and shoe makers, bricklayers and builders, confectioners, engravers, gas light makers, whitesmiths and bellhangers, etc.)
R	mffarmi2	Manufacturing of farm equipment: 1820s
S	mffarmi4	Manufacturing of farm equipment: 1840s
T	agfarmi2	Agriculture, farming: 1820s
U	agfarmi4	Agriculture, farming: 1840s
V	agsmexi2	Agriculture, semi-export (serving home market as well as foreign markets): 1820s (e.g., bacon, ham, and cheese factors, gardeners and seedsmen, oil merchants, seed merchants, etc.)
W	agsmexi4	Agriculture, semi-export (serving home market as well as foreign markets): 1840s (e.g., bacon, ham, and cheese factors, gardeners and seedsmen, oil merchants, seed merchants, etc.)
X	aghomei2	Agriculture, retailers and wholesalers, serving domestic market: 1820s (e.g., bakers, cattle dealers, wheat and flour merchants, corn millers, fruiterers, grocers, poulterers, etc.)
Y	aghomei4	Agriculture, retailers and wholesalers, serving domestic market: 1840s (e.g., bakers, cattle dealers, wheat and flour merchants, corn millers, fruiterers, grocers, poulterers, etc.)
Z	otheri2	Other retail, specialty trades, service sector: 1820s (e.g., artificial limb makers, animal preservers, booksellers and stationers, tea and coffee dealers, druggists, eatinghouse keepers, haberdashers, news vendors, victuallers, etc.)
AA	otheri4	Other retail, specialty trades, service sector: 1840s (e.g., artificial limb makers, animal preservers, booksellers and stationers, tea and coffee dealers, druggists, eatinghouse keepers, haberdashers, news vendors, victuallers, etc.)
AB	fishi2	Fishing and shipping: 1820s (e.g., fishing gear makers, fishmongers, boat builders and owners, ship builders and owners, etc.)
AC	fishi4	Fishing and shipping: 1840s (e.g., fishing gear makers, fishmongers, boat builders and owners, ship builders and owners, etc.)
AD	widspi2	Widows and spinsters, 1820s
AE	widspi4	Widows and spinsters, 1840s
AF	aristoi2	Aristocracy, landowners, gentry, titled men of independent means: 1820s
AG	aristoi4	Aristocracy, landowners, gentry, titled men of independent means: 1840s
AH	militi2	Military service --- 1820s
AI	militi4	Military service --- 1840s
AJ	totpop20	Total city population, 1820s
AK	totpop40	Total city population, 1840s
AL	dirpop20	City directory population, 1820s
AM	dirpop40	City directory population, 1840s
AN	county	County in which city sits:  18=Cheshire 51=Devon 74=Durham 103=Herefordshire

		123=Lancashire 141=Lincolnshire 147=Middlesex 166=Northumberland 171=Nottinghamshire 187=Somerset 196=Staffordshire 220=Sussex 235=Warwickshire 267=Yorkshire
AO	region	Region in which city sits:  1=East Anglia 2=Southwest 3=Southeast 4=Midlands 5=Wales-Monmouth 6=Northeast 7=Northwest
AP	dummy	Dichotomous variable representing a proxy for concentration of the textile industry in Lancashire (1= all towns inside Lancashire; otherwise 0)
AQ	scale2ai	Export-oriented manufacturers and professionals aligned with manufacturing, as a percentage of total occupations: 1820s
AR	scale2bi	Export-oriented manufacturers, professionals aligned with manufacturing, and nonaligned professional and retail trades, as a percentage of total occupations: 1820s
AS	scale2ci	Export-oriented manufacturers, professionals aligned with manufacturing, nonaligned professional and retail trades, and manufacturers supplying domestic markets, as a percentage of total occupations: 1820s
AT	scale2di	Export-oriented manufacturers, professionals aligned with manufacturing, and manufacturers supplying domestic markets, as a percentage of total occupations, 1820s
AU	scale4ai	Export-oriented manufacturers and professionals aligned with manufacturing, as a percentage of total occupations, 1840s
AV	scale4bi	Export-oriented manufacturers, professionals aligned with manufacturing, and nonaligned professional and retail trades, as a percentage of total occupations, 1840s
AW	scale4ci	Export-oriented manufacturers, professionals aligned with manufacturing, nonaligned professional and retail trades, and manufacturers supplying domestic markets, as a percentage of total occupations, 1840s
AX	scale4di	Export-oriented manufacturers, professionals aligned with manufacturing, and manufacturers supplying domestic markets, as a percentage of total occupations, 1840s
AY	sclngai	Difference between SCALE4AI and SCALE2AI
AZ	sclngbi	Difference between SCALE4BI and SCALE2BI
BA	sclngci	Difference between SCALE4CI and SCALE2CI
BB	sclngdi	Difference between SCALE4DI and SCALE2DI
BC	lgperp	Contribution to ACLL per 100 people
BD	lgpero	Contribution to ACLL per 100 people with occupations

**NOTE:**

Publishers issued two common types of directories for nineteenth-century cities and towns --- commercial directories and trade directories. Commercial directories may be likened to modern-day "white pages", since they list individual names, addresses, and occupations (or titles). Trade directories, similarly, correspond to our "yellow pages", as they list beneath each trade the names and addresses of the tradesmen. A third type of directory, the court directory (which was only occasionally available) listed the local aristocracy, gentry, and clergy. For simplification the data given here are for the commercial directories, with supplementary data from the court directories.