

mi export — Export mi data

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Syntax

```
mi export nhanes1 ...
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```
mi export ice ...
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See [\[MI\] mi export nhanes1](#) and [\[MI\] mi export ice](#).

Description

Use `mi export nhanes1` to export data in the format used by the National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey.

Use `mi export ice` to export data in the format used by `ice` (Royston 2004, 2005a, 2005b, 2007, 2009).

If and when other standards develop for recording multiple-imputation data, other `mi export` subcommands will be added.

Remarks and examples

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If you wish to send data to other Stata users, ignore `mi export` and just send them your `mi dataset(s)`.

To send data to users of other packages, however, you will have to negotiate the format you will use. The easiest way to send data to non-Stata users is probably to `mi convert` (see [\[MI\] mi convert](#)) your data to `flongsep` and then use `outfile` (see [\[D\] outfile](#)), `export delimited` (see [\[D\] import delimited](#)), or a transfer program such as `Stat/Transfer`. Also see [\[U\] 21 Entering and importing data](#).

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Also see

[MI] **intro** — Introduction to mi

[MI] **mi export nhanes1** — Export mi data to NHANES format

[MI] **mi export ice** — Export mi data to ice format