

Seattle

1999

Puget Sound Transportation Panel

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## a. Title

1. *Name of Survey:* Wave VIII
2. *Year:* 1999
3. *Investigating Org.:* Puget Sound Transportation Panel

## b. Principle Investigator

1. *PI:* Neil Kilgren  
*Institution Affiliation:* Puget Sound Transportation Panel
2. *PI:*  
*Institution Affiliation:* Northwest Research Group

## c. Abstract:

The Wave 8 Puget Sound Transportation Panel is the eighth phase of a travel behavior survey of households in the four-county Puget Sound region. The use of a panel study provides an opportunity to go beyond cross sectional data to evaluate change by individuals over time. Moreover, the Puget Sound Transportation Panel has become a valuable tool for assisting with long-range forecasting of urban travel and the effects of transportation policies on travel behavior.

## d. Additional Information:

## e. Grant/Sponsor Information:

## f. Data Information

### *Type of Data*

1. *Qualitative or Quantitative?:* Both
2. *Collection Method:* Telephone interview (CATI) / Mail Survey
3. *Travel Journal kept?:* Yes
4. *Confidential information?:* None
  - a) *Pseudonyms?:* No pseudonyms used
5. *Copyright data?* No

### *Data Description*

1. *Area Studied:* The counties of King, Kitsap, Pierce and Snohomish
2. *Group studied:* Households
3. *Universe of Study:* Households within the four county Seattle Area
4. *Study Period:* 2Q 1999 - 3Q 1999
5. *Collection Period:* 2Q 1999 - 3Q 1999

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6. *Data:*
  - 3 .DAT files – Household, Person, and Trips
7. *Smallest data unit:* Household member
8. *Smallest geo-unit:* Census Tract
9. *Sampling Method:* Please see documentation provided.
10. *Response Rate:* 83%
11. *Measure Tool:* N/A
12. *Weights:* Please see documentation provided.
13. *Number of Households:* 1,814
14. *Number of Entries:* 29,815