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Reading GSS Data

IF YOU WANT TO READ THE 1998 General Social Survey SAS dataset
directly from the CSBS Server

1. This will give you read-only access from **any computer within the CSBS domain.**
 - Select Run from the start menu
 - Enter "\\fcsshare\fcs6110\mapit" without the quotes
 - Click OK

2. The shared folder will show up as the Z: drive (you can check this by looking at the directories in MyComputer). If you show the files in that directory, the GSS dataset is called:

gss1998.sas7bdat

3. In SAS, you will need to specify the Z: drive using the 'libname' command

e.g.,

Libname obiwan 'z:\';
proc print data=obiwan.gss1998; var age; run;

4. Be sure to log out of the computers when they finish working.