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Appendix 1: Breakdown of sample of 51 mothers indicating key analytical groups discussed in chapters 5,6,7,8 & 9

Pseudonym	Ethnicity/ nationality	Age	No. of children	Ages of children	Route of entry into lone motherhood	Repartnered since becoming a lone mother?	Ever been LAT?	No. times married	Current partnership status & living arrangements	Ever claimed benefits or tax credits jointly?	Current employment status
Sarah	White British	53	2	26, 24	Separation from marriage	No	No	1	Unpartnered*	Yes	Working part-time
Donna	White British	31	1	5	Separation from cohabitation	No	No	0	Lone parent no partner	Yes	Working full time
Martha	White British	34	2	4, 8 months	Not living with partner at time of birth	No	Yes	0	LAT lone parent	No	No paid work
Sandra	White British	29	1	10	Separation from marriage	No	No	1	Lone parent no partner	Yes	Voluntary work
Naomi	White British	54	3	27,23,20	Separation from marriage	Yes	No	2	Unpartnered	No	Working full time
Jeannie	White British	45	2	29,27	Not living with partner at time of birth	Yes	No	1	Living with husband	Yes	Working full time
Nadia	White British	59	3	38,35,19	Separation from marriage	Yes	No	1	Unpartnered	No	No paid work
Nina	White Canadian	46	3	23,21,20	Separation from cohabitation	Yes	Yes	0	Cohabiting	No	Working full time
Alice	White British	24	1	3	Not living with partner at time of birth	No	No	0	Lone parent no partner	Yes	No paid work
Kate	White British	16	1	17 months	Not living with partner at time of birth	No	No	0	Lone parent no partner	No	No paid work
Caroline	White British	23	2	3,2	Not living with partner at time of birth	Yes	Yes	0	Cohabiting	Yes	No paid work
Lottie	White British	37	4	19,12,8, 5 months	Not living with partner at time of birth	Yes	Yes	0	Cohabiting	Yes	Unpaid community service
Christina	White British	22	1	4	Not living with partner at time of birth	No	No	0	Lone parent no partner	No	No paid work
Tania	White British	26	2	2, 2 months	Not living with partner at time of birth	Yes	Yes	0	Lone parent no partner	No	No paid work
Erin	White British	44	4	12,7,6,6	Separation from cohabitation	Yes	No	3	LAT*	Yes	Unpaid community service
Maggie	White British	23	1	3	Separation from cohabitation	Yes	Yes	0	LAT lone parent	Yes	No paid work
Wendy	White British	43	2	18, 15	Separation from cohabitation	Yes	Yes	0	LAT	Yes	Working part-time
Beatrice	White British	40	3	20,19,16	Separation from marriage	Yes	Yes	1	LAT	No	Working full time
Diane	White British	39	3	17, 14, 7	Separation from cohabitation	No	No	0	Lone parent no partner	Yes	Voluntary work
Ines	White British	47	3	22, 20,9	Separation from marriage	No	No	1	Lone parent no partner	Yes	Working full time
Helena	White British	38	2	12,3	Separation from cohabitation	Yes	No	0	Lone parent no partner	Yes	No paid work
Ruth	White British	39	2	12, 18 months	Separation from cohabitation	Yes	Yes	0	LAT lone parent	Yes	No paid work
Fria	White British	22	1	18 months	Not living with partner at time of birth	No	No	0	Lone parent no partner	No	No paid work
Barbara	White British	33	3	11,8,3	Not living with partner at time of birth	Yes	Yes	0	Cohabiting	Yes	No paid work
Melanie	White British	33	5	9, 8, 6, 3, 17 months	Separation from cohabitation	Yes	No	0	Lone parent no partner	Yes	Voluntary work
Miriam	White British	23	1	2	Not living with partner at time of birth	Yes	Yes	0	LAT lone parent	No	Working part-time
Hattie	White British	27	1	10	Not living with partner at time of birth	No	No	0	Lone parent no partner	No	Unpaid community service
Eleanor	White British	50	3	30, 28, 25	Death of husband	No	No	1	Unpartnered	No	No paid work
Leah	White British	57	3	38,36,28	Separation from marriage	No	No	1	Unpartnered	No	Voluntary work
Lilly	White Irish	42	2	22,20	Separation from marriage	Yes	No	2	Cohabiting	Yes	Working full time
Catherine	White British	50	5	30, 25, 22, 21,21	Separation from marriage	Yes	Yes	2	Unpartnered	Yes	Working part-time
Lorena	White Polish	36	2	12,2	Separation from marriage	Yes	Yes	2	Living with husband	Yes	No paid work
Elsbeth	White British	33	5	13,12,8,6,4	Separation from marriage	Yes	No	2	Living with husband	Yes	Working full time
Kirstie	White British	21	1	16 months	Separation from cohabitation	No	No	0	Lone parent no partner	No	Carer for disabled child
Laurie	White British	29	1	2	Not living with partner at time of birth	Yes	Yes	0	LAT lone parent	No	Working part-time
Arianne	White British	54	3	31,23,20	Separation from marriage	Yes	No	2	Living with husband	No	Working full time
Cheryl	White British	27	3	10, 6, 4	Not living with partner at time of birth	Yes	Yes	0	Lone parent no partner	Yes	No paid work
Haley	British mixed race	24	1	2	Not living with partner at time of birth	No	No	0	Lone parent no partner	Yes	No paid work
Sharon	White British	23	1	23 months	Not living with partner at time of birth	No	Yes	0	LAT lone parent	No	No paid work
Layla	White British	23	1	6 months	Not living with partner at time of birth	No	No	0	Lone parent no partner	No	On maternity leave
Audrey	White British	41	3	24,9,3	Not living with partner at time of birth	Yes	Yes	1	Living with husband	Yes	Working full time
Alana	White British	60	2	29,22	Death of husband	Yes	Yes	1	LAT	No	Working full time
Ronnie	White British	20	1	12 months	Not living with partner at time of birth	No	No	0	Lone parent no partner	No	Voluntary work
Amy	White British	22	1	2 months	Not living with partner at time of birth	Yes	Yes	0	LAT lone parent	No	No paid work
Susanne	White British	22	1	12 months	Not living with partner at time of birth	No	No	0	Lone parent no partner	No	No paid work
Stella	White British	26	2	3,1	Not living with partner at time of birth	Yes	Yes	0	LAT lone parent	No	No paid work
Madeline	White British	35	3	8,5,3	Separation from marriage	No	Yes	1	LAT lone parent	Yes	No paid work
Tricia	White British	31	1	4	Not living with partner at time of birth	No	No	0	Lone parent no partner	No	No paid work
Kay	White British	26	4	6, 5, 19 months, 12 wks	Separation from cohabitation	Yes	No	0	Cohabiting with partner	Yes	No paid work
Mandy	White British	51	3	24,20,15	Separation from marriage	No	No	2	Lone parent no partner	Yes	Working part-time
Shelley	White British	43	2	13, 7	Separation from marriage	No	No	1	Lone parent no partner	Yes	No paid work

* Unpartnered and LAT women with no 'lone parent' designation are the group of typically older women who are no longer entitled to claim benefits on the grounds of being a lone parent

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