**Explanation / codes for file NewMMR**

**B. LTR** = Life time risk (the probability that a woman will die from complications of pregnancy and childbirth over her lifetime expressed in terms of odds; it takes into account both the maternal mortality ratio and the total fertility rate).

**C. Code LTR**: Coding for LTR

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| 1=More than 1 in 20 |
| 2=1 in 20 -1 in 49 |
| 3= 1 in 50 - 1 in 499 |
| 4= 1 in 500 - 1 in 1999 |
| 5 = 1 in 2000 -1 in 4999 |
| 6= 1 in 5000 or less |
| 7= no data |

**D. MMR** = Maternal mortality ratio

**E. Progress to MDGs** Progress towards MDGs (1990 – 2013)

**F. Progress code**

1=Increase in MMR

2=Poor progress (less than 2% decline annually)

3=Some progress (2%-5.5% decline annually)

4=On track for MDG 5 (over 5.5% decline annually)

5= Countries with MMR below 100 in 1990 / no data

**Source for all data in this file:**

Data Source: WHO, UNICEF, UNFPA and World Bank (2014).

Trends in Maternal mortality 1990-2013.