



## Creating Tables (Short)

## Tutorial

Time: 5 minutes  
Skill level: Low  
Editions: Reader,  
Basic, Professional

### Learning objective(s)

⇒ Creating tables using questions

### Activities

1. Click in the **File** menu and select **Open Existing Project...**
2. Select `Tutorial 1.Q` which will be in `c:\Program Files\Q\Examples` (unless Q has been installed in a different location on your computer).

This project contains data on mobile phone ownership and usage. The table shows the percentage of the sample in each category. For example, 60% of the sample is aged less than 35 years and 26% of the sample is with Telstra.

3. Click on the blue drop-down and select **Q6. Aided Awareness**. This table shows the percentage of people who are aware of each of the mobile phone companies (e.g., 90% of people have heard of Optus).
4. Click on the brown drop-down and select **BANNER**. You have now created what is commonly known as a *crossstab* (see the table below). By default, this table is presenting *column percentages* (this is indicated at the top left of the table). That is, the table shows the percentage of people in each demographic group (columns) who are aware of the mobile phone companies (rows).

Column %	Age		Gender		Current provider				NET
	Under 35	35 and over	Male	Female	Telstra	Optus	Vodafone	Other	
AAPT/Cellular One	24	19	24	21	24	22	20	28	22
New Tel	11	6	8	10	6	11	10	14	9
One-tel	40	37	37	40	43	42	33	34	39
Optus	92	89	91	91	89	98	87	80	91
Orange (Hutchison)	55	51	55	52	51	58	45	70	53
Telstra (Mobile Net)	87	90	86	90	97	89	79	86	88
Virgin Mobile	46	22	40	33	31	40	35	46	36
Vodafone	91	69	86	80	70	82	99	72	83
Other 1	6	6	7	6	5	7	3	22	6
Other 2	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	2	1
Don't know	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0
NET	100	99	100	100	100	100	100	100	100