

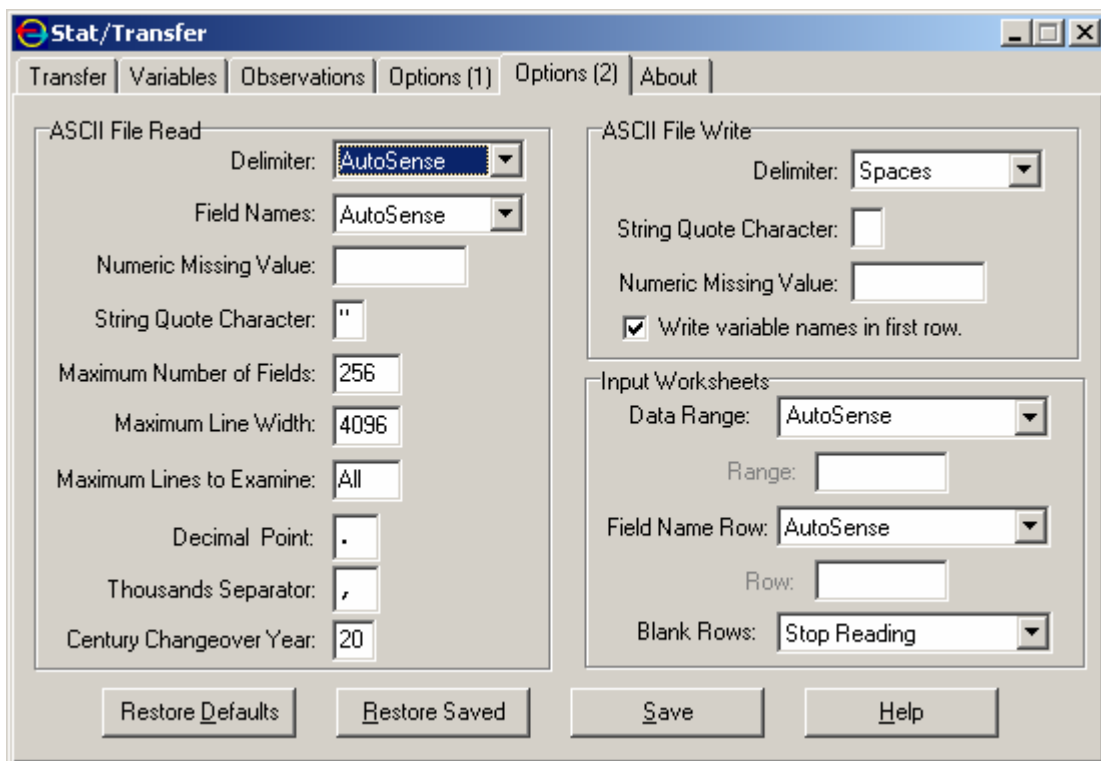
Preparing DAD ASCII Files in .daf Format with Stat/Transfer

A useful tool to produce DAD Ascii Format (“DAF”) files is Stat/Transfer: <http://www.stattransfer.com/>

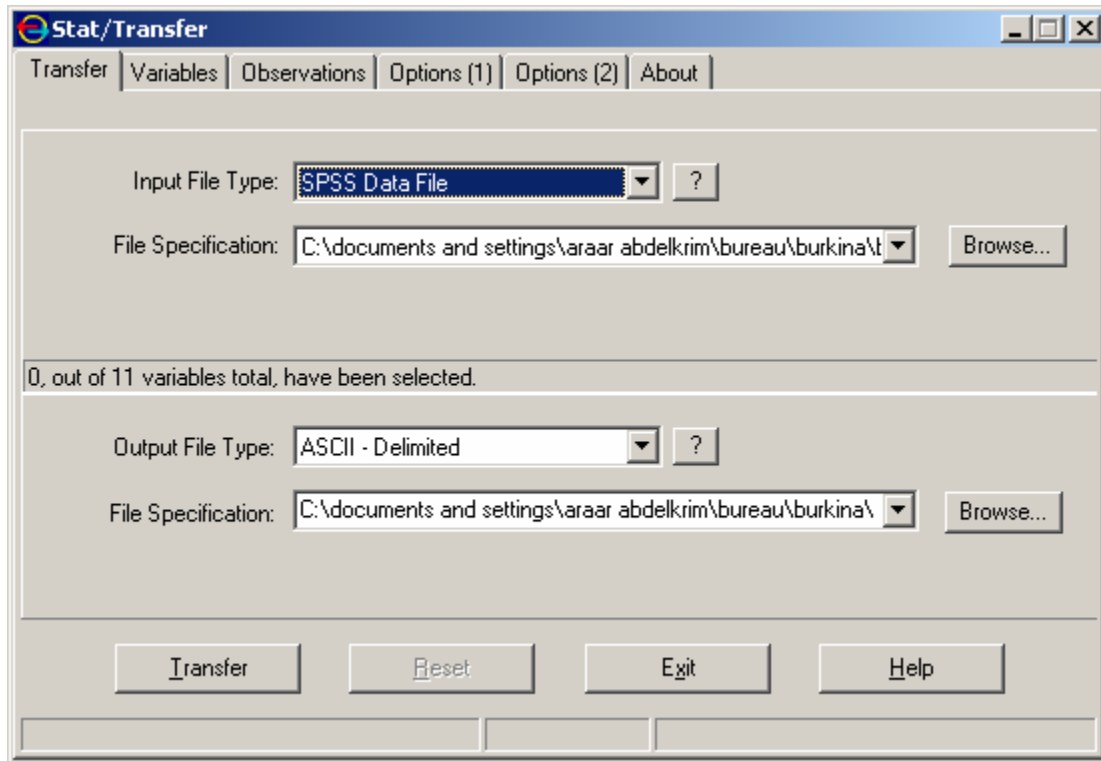
The following steps explain how one can prepare DAF files from any other format.

1. After opening Stat/Transfer, select from the main menu the item “**Option (2)**”.
 - 1.1. In the field *ASCII File Writer*, select the Delimiter: Spaces.
 - 1.2. Select the option *Write variable names in first row*.

To do this only once, click on the button “**Save**” to save these preferences.



2. The usual next step is to select the item “**Transfer**”.
 - 2.1. First, select the type of the input file (SPSS. EXCEL...)
 - 2.2. By using “**Browse**”, indicate the location of the input file.



- 2.3. Select “*ASCII – Delimited*” as the type of output file.
- 2.4. By using “**Browse**”, indicate the location of the output file and write name with extension .daf. For example; the name is: Data1.daf
- 2.5. Click on the Button “**Transfer**” to produce the new file.

If you wish to save only some selected vectors in the DAF file, after step 2.2, select the item “**Variables**” and select those vectors you wish to save in the new DAF file. After this, continue to steps 2.3 to 2.5.

