



Encrypting a Data File

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- Did you know you can encrypt a data file in IBM SPSS Statistics?
- Encrypting a data file ensures that only those who have access to a password can access or change the file, ensuring the security of your data.

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File name: [Variables...](#)

Save as type: SPSS Statistics (*.sav) [Save](#)

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Encrypt File

File Password

Specify a password for opening the file:

Confirm password:

Caution: This password is not recoverable if it is lost or forgotten.
The file will not open unless the correct password is entered.
The SPSS Statistics automatic recovery feature cannot recover password protected files.
(Passwords are case-sensitive.)

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- When saving a data file you can encrypt it.
- Go to **File > Save as**.
- Provide a File name and tick **Encrypt file with password**. Click **Save**.
- Provide a password and click **OK**. When you open the file later you will need to provide a password.
- ***Please note that the password is not recoverable if lost or forgotten.***

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